

WEATHER

Fair and colder tonight. Thursday, fair and moderately cool. Lowest temperatures tonight 25-30 in interior and near freezing on coast.

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Violent Deaths During Holidays

Black Crepe Replaced Green Holly And Red Berries In Scores Of Nation's Homes As Mourning For Victims Of Violent Deaths Over Christmas

By ASSOCIATED PRESS
Black crepe replaced the green holly in scores of the nation's homes today as mourning for victims of violent deaths over the Christmas holidays.

A survey disclosed approximately 414 persons were killed violently, with more than one half of them victims of automobile accidents.

The traffic fatalities numbered 219 while at least 68 persons died in fires. Violent deaths by miscellaneous causes accounted for 127 victims. These included deaths by shootings, freezing, a tornado, train and airplane crashes and accidents in the home.

The heaviest single toll over the holidays was taken in a hospital fire in Hartford, Conn., with 17 persons fatally burned. Six other persons in Meriden, Conn., died in a fire at a home.

Texas and California reported the most deaths by violence, 52 and 46, respectively. The fatalities in Texas were 33 victims of traffic accidents and 18 by miscellaneous causes including 15 slayings, and one by fire. California topped the country in motor deaths with 35.

In New York State 21 violent deaths were reported, including six in traffic accidents, while Illinois motor mishaps, all in Chicago, totaled three.

Heavy snowfalls, rain and sleet in many parts of the country kept highway travel at a minimum over the holiday.

The violent deaths by states, listing in order traffic, fire and miscellaneous causes:

Alabama 0-1-2; Arizona 16-1-3; Arkansas 2-0-1; California 46-2-0; Colorado 10-1-1; Connecticut 50-29-2; Florida 1-0-3; Georgia 2-2-0; Idaho 1-0-2; Illinois 3-1-13; Indiana 9-0-1; Iowa 1-0-6; Kansas 1-0-0; Kentucky 4-0-2; Louisiana 3-2-4; Maine 0-0-1; Maryland 7-2-2; Massachusetts 1-0-1; Michigan 8-1-4.

Minnesota 2-2-0; Mississippi 3-0-0; Missouri 6-3-3; Nebraska 2-0-1; New Hampshire 0-1-0; New Jersey 2-8-4; New Mexico 10-0-4; New York 21-6-11; North Carolina 2-0-0; North Dakota 1-2-3; Ohio 9-2-1; Oklahoma 6-0-2; Oregon 1-0-4; Pennsylvania 7-5-2; South Carolina 0-0-7; South Dakota 1-0-0; Tennessee 4-0-2; Texas 33-1-18; Utah 0-0-2; Vermont 0-0-1; Virginia 7-0-2.

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Draft Board Workers Honored By Nation

Raleigh, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The name of North Carolina's representative at ceremonies to be held in Washington on January 28 honoring the nation's draft board members will be drawn from a hat at state selective service headquarters here tomorrow by Governor Cherry.

The representative who will accept a special medal and certificate of merit award to approximately 1,000 volunteer local board members and other draft board workers, will be selected from a list of 236 members of local boards who have served five years or more in the selective service period.

Curb Market

Elizabeth City, Dec. 26.—(AP)—A curb market operated here by Pasquotank County women did a gross business of \$42,478.98 during the year, it was announced by Mrs. Byron Sawyer, home agent for the county.

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MANY KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Shattering Blast Wrecks Santa Barbara Apartment

Santa Barbara, Calif., Dec. 26.—(AP)—A shattering explosion blew a downtown warehouse-apartment building apart today, killing an undetermined number of residents of the structure.

Police Chief L. R. Breeson said the structure collapsed, and it was feared "a number of persons" had been trapped.

Firemen reported seeing two bodies in the flaming wreckage. All of the available fire equipment fought the blaze, and had it under control within a half hour. Police regulars and reserves were called out to patrol adjacent blocks, where the force of the explosion had shattered virtually every window.

A bank a block away was put under heavy guard.

Greeson said patrolmen reported some residents of the 20 apartments had escaped to the street, which was littered with broken glass, metal window frames and fragments of brick.

The building housed the Santa Barbara Distributing Company's beer and soft drink bottling works, located at Chapala and Cota streets, only a block from the main artery, State street.

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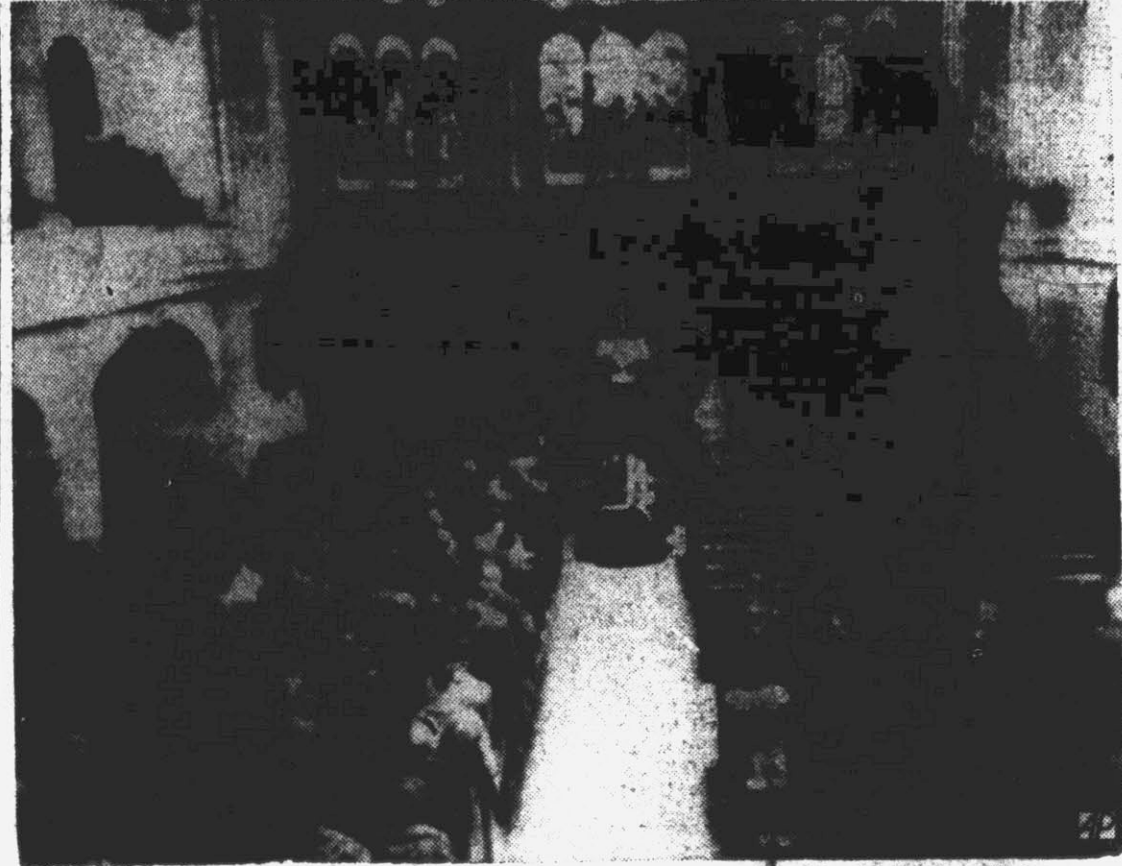
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Funeral Service For Gen. Patton At Heidelberg



The flag-draped casket containing the body of the late Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., rests in Christ Church at Heidelberg, Germany, Dec. 23, during the Episcopal funeral service. After the funeral, the body was taken to Luxembourg for interment December 24. (AP Wirephoto via radio from Paris.)

DUTCH INDIAN CLUBS SUTAN

Premier Sutan Sjahrir Attacked And Clubbed With Pistol

Batavia, Java, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Shots were fired at Premier Sutan Sjahrir of the unrecognized Indonesian republic and he was clubbed with a pistol butt today in what Aneta said apparently was an attempt by several Netherlands Indies soldiers to steal his car.

"I don't think they knew who I was," Sjahrir was quoted by a correspondent of Aneta, the official Dutch news agency.

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Social and Personal

Carlton Taylor, 8-10, who is stationed in Gulf Port, Miss., spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor.

W. C. Taylor, Jr., of Kessler Field, Miss., spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Dail and family, daughter of Daytona Beach, Fla., are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bryan.

Col. W. M. Brown is at home on terminal leave.

Theodore Lupton, Jr., arrived Sunday from the Franklin, Tenn. tobacco market to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lupton.

Mr. J. N. Williams, Jr., who is attending the University of Illinois, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Williams.

Mr. Ed E. Rawl, vice-president of Carolina Sales Corporation, who had been confined to his home several days by illness, was sufficiently recovered today to go out for a short time.

Mrs. Katie Hardee is in Pitt General hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Batchelor, Miss Lytle Batchelor, and Miss Mary Alice Davis are spending several days in New York City and West Point, N. Y. While at West Point they will visit Cadet Edward Batchelor, Jr., at the U. S. Military Academy.

Christmas Party

Joy and cheer was spread this Christmas for the employees of Brody's department store when they were entertained by their manager, Mr. Sam Brody. The holiday party took place in the Bill Room of the Ole Towne Inn which was very beautifully decorated by the manager, Mr. Galloway. The table setting was of the horse-shoe plan. The tables were covered with white cloths and in the center of the horse-shoe was a beautiful poinsettia surrounded by long leaf pine. The sides of the horse-shoe were decorated with branches of long leaf pine and pine cones banded around the red candles which furnished the light.

Mr. Jim Willard returned the thanks and a delicious three course dinner was served. After dinner the gifts were presented to the employees.

Mr. Sam Brody made a talk complimenting the employees on the past year's accomplishments and several of the employees answered Mr. Brody with complimentary remarks.

Those attending were: Mr. Sam Brody, Mrs. A. R. Cannon, Mrs. Jarvis Tripp, Master Jarvis Tripp, Jr., Mrs. A. K. McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Willard, Mrs. L. M. Palmer, Mrs. Harvey Tighman, Mrs. J. P. Corey, Mrs. Martha Forrest, Mrs. J. M. Coleman, Cpl. and Mrs. Charles Pyron, Mr. and Mrs. Melburn Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Merton E. Rabhan, Mrs. Mary Rosenberg, Misses Queenie McGowan, Ruth Mumford, Boots Broadwell, Mary Brown Wilson, Lillian Joyner, Joyce Jackson, Thelma Edwards and Shirley Stokes, Mr. Bill Stoneham, Paul Flye, Jr., and G. A. Taylor.

No Prayer Service Tonight
There will be no prayer service at Memorial Baptist Church tonight.

Shrine Club Meets Thursday
The Greenville Shrine Club will hold a regular meeting at Respos Restaurant on the Bethel Highway Thursday night at 7 o'clock. Officers will be elected and plans made for the coming year. Supper will be served. President, Walter Cherry will preside.

NEWS ABOUT SERVICEMEN

Receives Honorable Discharge
M-Sgt. William H. Harris has returned from the China-Burma-India theatre of operations and received an honorable discharge on December 13. He has been in the army air force for five years and overseas for ten months.

Receives Silver Star
Fort McClellan, Ala.—Pfc. Louis H. Threlkeld, North Carolina,

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
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The dispensary sales amounted to a little above a thousand dollars the Saturday before Christmas.

Greenville had an exceedingly pleasant Christmas. The day was beautiful and everybody seemed to enjoy it. Gift making was at its height and many hearts were made happy. There was no disorder of consequence and regulating was very scarce.

It is the lucky hubby who escapes the fun of paying the bill for the Christmas present he got.

A Silver Star Winner was presented his medal at a retreat parade held Friday afternoon, December 14 at Post Headquarters, Fort McClellan.

Pfc. Tyson's citation states: "For gallantry in action in Germany, April 1945, in the vicinity of Cappel, Zellertal, Germany, when a patrol was given the mission of securing the approaches to a town."

Pfc. Tyson despite an intense enemy action from machine gun and small arms, courageously moved across a perilous terrain and skillfully directed accurate fire upon the foe, thereby enabling his unit to capture a large number of German prisoners.

"Pfc. Tyson's gallant action and dauntless initiative exemplify the aggressiveness of the American soldier. It is the way the citation concludes."

Pfc. Tyson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tyson, Route 4, Box 28-B, Greenville. He has been in service for twenty months, five and a half months in the European theater. At the present time he is a patient in the Fort McClellan regional hospital.

Red Banks Club Meets

The Red Banks Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker on Tuesday at 3 p.m. for their annual Christmas party.

The members and guests were graciously welcomed by the hostesses, Mrs. Thomas Elks, Mrs. R. B. Starling and Mrs. R. L. Little. After all had registered they were invited in the living room that was attractively decorated with Christmas evergreens. A short and impressive devotional was rendered by Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker. Christmas carols were sung. The program was then turned over to Mrs. R. B. Starling, vocational leader. In a lovely manger scene little Goldie Starling sang, "O Little Town of Bethlehem." Mrs. Charlie Hardee was Mary in this impressive scene. This was followed by more Christmas Carol which increased one's feelings of the nearness of Christmas.

The guests present were Mrs. Wilcox Worthington, Mrs. Lloyd Tucker, Mrs. C. J. Cannon, Mrs. Norman Hardee and Mrs. H. B. Mayo. The hostess presented each guest and member with a cook book upon their departure.—Reported

Mrs. James Braxton Died On Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mattie H. Braxton, 44, wife of Jim Braxton, of near Greenville, who died at Pitt General Hospital Saturday morning at 10:30 after several days' critical illness, were held at St. Paul's Pentecostal Holiness Church near Greenville Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. A. Howard, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Braxton was a daughter of the late Alfred Hardy and Mrs. Hardy of Pitt County. She spent her entire life in this county. She was a member of St. Paul's Pentecostal Holiness Church.

Surviving are her husband, two sons, Stanley and Simon Braxton, of near Greenville, a foster daughter, Mrs. Charlie Braxton, of near Greenville, 10 grandchildren, three

Mrs. John R. Buck Died Monday Night

Mrs. Percy Mills Buck, 77, wife of John Richard Buck, died at her home near Ayden at 7 o'clock Monday night after several days of critical illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. Walter B. Nobles, Free Will Baptist minister of Winterville. Burial was in the Ayden cemetery.

Mrs. Buck was born and reared near Cox's Mill and was married in 1898. She spent her entire life in Pitt County and was a member of Rose Hill Free Will Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, six daughters, Mrs. Julia Stallings of near Ayden, Mrs. Hattie Hardee of near Greenville, Mrs. Cora Wilson of near Grifton, Miss Minnie Buck of the home, Mrs. J. E. McGowan of Portsmouth, Va., and Mrs. Don Morris of Bethel; two sons, Willie Buck of near Ayden and M. R. Buck of the home; a sister, Mrs. Katherine Mills, and a brother, Adam Mills, both of near Cox's Mill, 38 grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

Women IN THE CHURCH by Mary Fowler

The United Council of Church Women, representing 10,000,000 Protestant women of sixty-eight denominations, sent a message to President Truman opposing the peace treaty, signed by the president, Mrs. Harper Sibley, who said in part: "We covet for the United States the moral leadership of the world. We deplore that we have been infected by the disease we started out to cure. We fear that our men may have died in vain. Rather than take part in a race for the largest army and the strongest weapons, we urge you to rely instead on work for the international abolition of conscription and the rapid development of world government and its police force."

"World War II has brought the women of Japan into community life as never before," says Miss Louise Robinson, of the staff of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church. "They are voting at the age of twenty and holding office at the age of twenty-five. The women's suffrage movement is growing. Many Christian women in Japan and China have been responsible for the rehabilitation of children. Many orphan children have been adopted by better families and have thus acquired good homes. Christian women have also carried on the programs in the schools of China during the war years."

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church—a body of 1,215,000 women organized in more than 25,000 communities across the country and under the national presidency of Mrs. J. D. Bragg of St. Louis, Mo.—recently affirmed a program of economic, social and religious emphases which include favoring inter-national control of the atomic bomb; opposition to efforts that would weaken the rights of labor and management to collective bargaining; a "new way of life" in America for the Negro, the

Mexican, the Japanese American, and the Jew, since "the seeds of race riots are evident across the country"; approval of continued rent control, legislation favoring the small farmer, and the conservation of natural resources; adequate allocations of food and supplies to Germany and Japan through the American Army; opposition to peacetime military training; equal educational opportunities for all peoples and races in America; and collective action for peace.

NOTICE OF RESALE BY COMMISSIONER

Under and by virtue of authority contained in that certain order of resale made by Hon. D. T. House, Jr., Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, one the 14th day of December, 1945, in that action pending in Superior Court of Pitt County, entitled "R. L. Abbott and wife, Annie Abbott, et als ex parte," being an action to sell lands for division, the bid having been raised, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash before the courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina on Monday, the 31st day of December 1945, at 12 o'clock noon the following described land:

That vacant lot in the Town of Ayden, between First and Second Streets, on the west side of Railroad Street, sometimes referred to as West Avenue, bounded on the south by the S. A. Jenkins store building, on the west by the alley on the north by the Town Hall building, and on the east by Railroad Street, or West Avenue, and being the vacant lot that is situated between the town hall and the S. A. Jenkins store building.

This land is being sold for the purpose of making division between the parties and the purchaser will be required to deposit 10 per cent of the amount of bid on day of sale to show good faith.

This the 14th day of December 1945.
ANNIE ABBOTT, Commissioner
Dec. 15-11w-12wks.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

In The Superior Court
North Carolina
Pitt County
Guaranty Bank and Trust Company
Vs.
Johnnie M. Moore

The defendant, Johnnie M. Moore, will hereby take notice that a civil action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of recovering for immediate possession of one 1941 Model Ford Fordor Automobile, Motor No. 18-6048141 upon which plaintiff holds chattel lien; and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County at his office in the Courthouse in Greenville, N. C., within twenty days after the 10th day of January, 1946, and either answer or demur to the complaint which will be filed in said office on or before December 18, 1945, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 10th day of December 1945.
D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk
Superior Court.
Dec. 10-11w-4wks.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Anna L. McWhorter deceased, late of Bethel, 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 21st day of December, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 21st day of December, 1945.
ZACH D. MCWHORTER and ABBOTT M. MCWHORTER, Administrators of the Estate of Anna L. McWhorter, Bethel, N. C.
Dec. 21-11w-6wks.

PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS

Pitt County
Johnnie W. Humphrey
Vs.
Anna Humphrey

The defendant, Anna Humphrey, will hereby take notice that a civil action has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, by the plaintiff, Johnnie W. Humphrey, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years separation, and the defendant, Anna Humphrey, will further take notice that she is required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court at his office in the Court House in the City of Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 5th day of January, 1946, and answer or demur to the complaint which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County or the relief therein will be granted.

This the 10th day of November, 1945.
D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County.
Harding and Lee, Attys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of John Stanley Cherry, 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 21st day of December, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate

payment.
This the 13th day of November, 1945.
L. Q. CHERRY, Administrator of the estate of John Stanley Cherry, deceased.
Wm. J. Bundy, Atty.
Nov. 14-11w-6wks.

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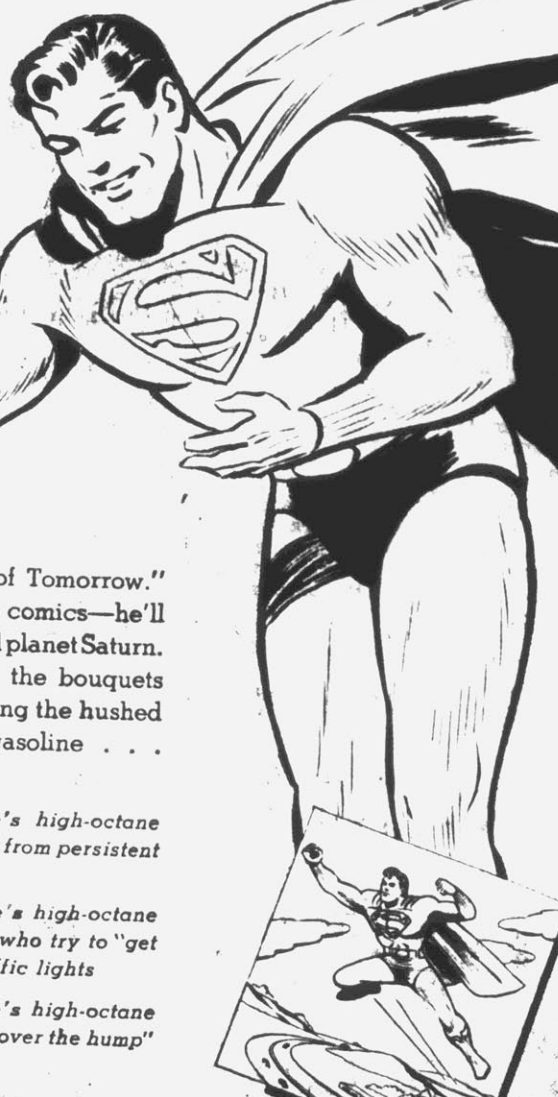


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CARRY THE SPIRIT ON

The Christmas spirit is intense while it lasts but generally it quickly evaporates after the occasion is over. It remains one of the mornings when all the landscape is covered with frost and the trees are a sleet storm covered with ice that sparkles in the sunshine. Then within a few hours the beauty is melted away and the landscape is drear and stark as ever.

If the Christmas spirit is anything other than an emotion, then it ought to inspire and cheer up our hearts throughout the whole year. Of course there is an emotional let-down after all the work and preparation incident to the celebration. But certainly the spirit of the season should survive this. Christmas reminds us that God took a definite step to express His goodwill toward mankind, and thus He did by sending His Son into the world in the form of a man who would live through human experiences, teach, counsel, heal, and finally experience martyrdom, that men might live above the power of circumstances and be saved finally for an eternal destiny.

Here is something indeed to cheer our hearts, and the significance of it does not end on Christmas night. Carol singing a year from now should express the joy of the experience we have been having all the year if we have lived the Christmas spirit to its full.

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WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By JACK STINNETT

By J. FRANK TRAGLE

Washington — "Tumanin Adad aman akutxin inin kungin; assan amug'asadat'a." Most of you, of course, will not recognize this immediately as the beginning of The Lord's Prayer. If you can't read it, there's no reason to feel particularly inferior. It's in Aleut.

A literal translation is: "For-us father who thou art heavens on them; thy name it-to-be-exceedingly praised."

There are about 6,000 American citizens of the far north who speak Aleut. On Jan. 15 the Interior Department will issue the first Aleut-English dictionary, and the Aleut-speaking people will receive a new alphabet, using characters similar to those in English.

The Aleuts inhabit the Pribilof islands, the Alaska peninsula and, of course, the Aleutians. They have been under American sovereignty for 78 years, since 1867 when Alaska was purchased from Russia for \$7,200,000.

As can be imagined, conversation with these being sea citizens has been difficult. For after one has succeeded in reaching them, the peculiarities of their Eskimoid dialect are such as to make Aleut virtually a separate language. This says the Interior Department, is a result of the Aleuts being isolated for many years on sub-Arctic islands.

The Aleuts themselves have had some language difficulties. While under Russia they had to learn Russian. When converted to Christianity they were required to learn Old Slavonic, the language of the Russian Orthodox Church. Now, with a new dictionary, they can start learning English. With a new alphabet they can brush up on Aleut.

The dictionary is the product of two men — Ivan Veniaminov, who later became Innokenti, the Metropolitan Archbishop of Moscow, and Richard H. Geoghegan, a Dublin-born authority on languages.

Veniaminov, born in 1797, was sent to Unalakpa in 1823 as a missionary. His efforts to put the native tongues into writing resulted in his publishing of a "Dictionary of the Aleut-Fox Language" in 1834. This is the volume which has just been translated into English.

Geoghegan was a distinguished Oxford scholar who eventually ended up in Alaska as an officer of the United States District Court. At the time of his death in 1943 he was

Family Fight?



credited with having a deep knowledge of more than 200 languages and dialects.

Geoghegan did the early editing of the dictionary. When he died Miss Frederick Martin of New York, an associate, completed the job.

The new Aleut alphabet has 18 characters similar in appearance to those in English, but pronounced quite differently. The 'x' for example is pronounced like a hard 'ch'. Two characters, 'ng' and 'as', with a gabled roof over it, are so difficult to explain that only an Aleut student would be interested.

The Nation . . .

(Continued From Page One)

spite of the number of representatives, every nation in the assembly will be entitled to only one vote. Our representatives will be kept busy. They'll be in conference with one another, they'll confer with other nation's representatives, and they'll probably have to work on a number of committees.

The World Today .

(Continued From Page One)

I spent an afternoon by special arrangement with a family I never had met before. It was a typical "white collar" family well to do, solid and conservative. Well, we talked of many things as we sat about the open fire, and finally we came to politics.

I was quickly informed that my hosts were Churchill Conservatives, were most unhappy over the Socialist program and had voted against it in the general election. Then I asked:

"What are you going to do about it now that a Socialist government is in power?"

"There is only one thing to do," came the reply after a considerable pause. "We are going to give our support to the new government. We are going to jump in and do our

part so that the Socialists may have a fair chance to show what they can achieve."

That answer fits in with a fact which I have reported to you in a previous column. This is that in the last general election the Socialists received a considerable amount of support from middle class Conservatives who decided to give the Laborites a chance to display their wares.

Carolinas Will . . .

(Continued From Page One)

feel the effects of the storm. Much of Greenville was without electric power for several hours yesterday morning, but slowly rising temperatures and steady rainfall later in the day brought some relief.

Damage to trees from the heavy ice burdens was widespread.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

In Superior Court

North Carolina

Pitt County

Viola Hayes

vs.

Herbert Edward Hayes

The defendant, Herbert Edward Hayes, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

And the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., on or before the 31st day of December, 1945, or within 30 days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said action.

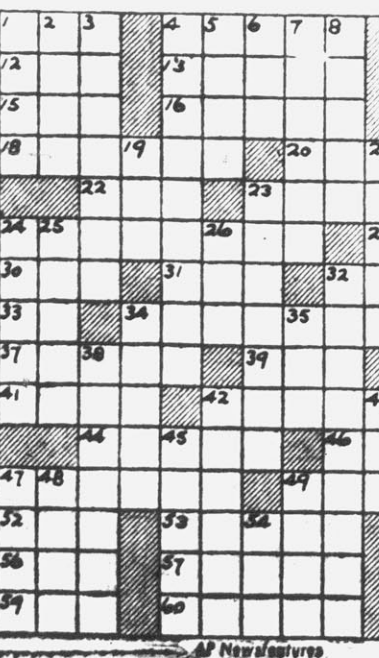
Witness my hand, this 1st day of December, 1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County.

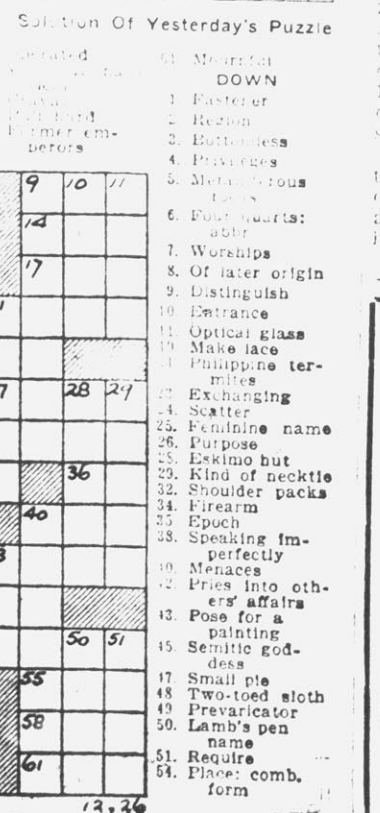
Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Crossword Puzzle

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1. Bird
2. Second highest 33. Symbol for No. America
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17. Mother's Phil
18. Islands



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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator on, the Estate of the late W. A. Shivers, will offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder at the home of the late W. A. Shivers, in Winterville Township, Pitt County, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, on

Friday, December 28, 1945,

the following described personal property, to-wit:
4 mules, 12,000 tobacco sticks, 50 barrels corn, 4 tons hay, 1 tractor, tractor field disc, smoothing harrow, stalk cutter, transplanter, wagons, carts, guano sowers, tobacco trucks, plows, tobacco spray, hay rake, and other farming tools and implements; also household and kitchen furniture, including piano, radio, refrigerator, rugs, beds, iron safe, etc.

This 6th day of December, 1945.

E. W. BRAXTON, Admr. on the Estate of W. A. Shivers, deceased.

J. B. James, Attorney, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

NOTICE SERVING SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

In the Superior Court

North Carolina

County of Pitt

Beatrice Gray

vs.

James Austin

The defendant James Austin will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to have the defendant legally declared dead by reason of more than seven years absence from the state, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the clerk of the superior court of said county in the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, within thirty days after the 27th day of November, 1945, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

NOTICE

In the Superior Court

County of Pitt

In Re: Mary Leslie Waters and husband, G. B. Waters, L. M. Hoots and Mrs. Mamie Venter-Hoots, widow of K. David Hoots, ex-parte.

Under and by virtue of the powers and authority by contained in that order made in the above matter in the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, dated November 24th, 1945, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Pitt County at 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, December 10th, 1945, the following described lands:

Adjoining the lands of H. C. Venter, et al., containing 378 acres more or less, with 90 acres cleared (152 acres tobacco allotment) dwelling house and necessary outbuildings.

This 24th day of November, 1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court.

Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court.

Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court.

Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court.

Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

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Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

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Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk Superior Court.

Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Dec. 7-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

1945. **ARTHUR B. COREY**, Commissioner Alaska was once called Russian America.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of A. J. Whichard, 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 14th day of December, 1945, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 14th day of December 1945.

GUARANTY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, Administrator of the Estate of A. J. (Fon) Whichard, J. B. James, Attorney, Dec. 15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina

Pitt County

John Perkins

vs.

Hattie Perkins

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County North Carolina, by the plaintiff to obtain an absolute divorce, and that said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the Courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on or before January 10, 1946, or within twenty days thereafter, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in

said complaint.

This, the 10th day of December 1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

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Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

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Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

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Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of the Superior Court.

Dec. 12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-1945.

Julius Brown, Attorney for the Plaintiff, Nov. 30-1945.

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Easy Terms—Low Interest
No Appraisal Charge
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GREENVILLE BEAUTY SCHOOL
class starting January 1st. Enrollment will be limited and applications will be accepted in order received. See Mrs. Julia Harris at McCormick Music Co. building, 221 E. 5th St., or Dial 2533. 15-1f.

WE NOW HAVE IN STOCK COTTON
plows, cultivators, tobacco sprayers and peanut weeders. Blount-Harvey. 20-1f.

INCOME TAX SERVICE
J. Nat. Harrison
522 East Ninth Street
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STARTED CHICKS—ONE WEEK
old at day old prices. Special discount on large orders. Mr. Farmer, put four to five hundred in your tobacco barn now. Drums Hatchery and Feed Store. 17-1f.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE IN
excellent condition. 110 Long Street, good neighborhood. See Regan Jones at H. A. White and Sons. 7-1f.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL TO
live in Daytona Beach, Fla., and do general housework for family of three. Will furnish room and ride through country. Call immediately 2678. 26-21s.

JUST RECEIVED—LARGE SHIP-
ment all size passenger tires and tubes. Sutton Service Center 1 and 2. 21-1f.

SEE BEN SMITH FOR FLOOR
sanding and finishing all work guaranteed. Stair treads and risers 22 years experience. 207 East 13th Street, Dial 2965. 23-1mo.

JAKE HADLEY
General Agent
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"Business and Personal Life Insurance Plans"
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BEAUTIFUL LOTS PRICED
right for sale in any part of the city or suburbs. Also will be glad to aid you in building plans or financing your home in any form that you want. Heber B. Tripp, 312 Evans St., Dial 2401. 1-1f.

AMERICA'S NO. 1 LIFE TIME IN-
come, disability policy. Pays for sickness, accident and hospitalization. Combined in one policy. Dial 2678, Claude Tunstall, 1018 Reade St. 21 and 26

WE HAVE BELL'S AND MCNAIR'S
certified tobacco seed. Also seed garden peas. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 19-1f.

PEANUT PRICES ARE GOOD—
Don't sell until you see us. We buy at Keel's warehouse. Keel Peanut Co., Phone 2240. 15-1f.

FOR SALE—BOYS BICYCLE
large size, Dial 3326. 18-1f.

FOR SALE—THREE DWELLINGS
located 1212 Dickinson Avenue 1215 and 1217 Chestnut Street. See today. J. B. Onkley and Son, Dial 3728. Insurance and Real Estate. 12-1f.

JUST RECEIVED 3 ROLLS OF
27-inch, all wood, double twist carpeting. Hostle-Sugg Furniture Co. Fri-Wed.

GROWN RABBITS \$7.50, \$10 to \$20
pair. Pedigreed Dutch, New Zealand, Chinchillas and pure bred Bantam pet rabbits. Easy to raise for food, fur and profit. Dial 2678. Tunstall Rabbitry, 1018 Reade St. 21 and 26

WANTED TO BUY A TRUCK
Must be in good condition. Pitt Poultry Co. 26-31s.

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE—
Early Jersey and Charleston Wakefield. J. F. Arthur, E. 14th St. Phone 2865 10-1mo.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS—PHELPS-
Tribble Radio Service, located in Young Mercantile Building, Greene Street. Expert Service on all makes of radios. Dial 3827. 6-1mo.

WANTED—HARDWOOD LOGS,
vener blocks, oak and pine cross ties, subject to specification, railway siding delivery. D. A. Johnston, P. O. Box 176, Greenville, N. C. 7-1st

BUY BABY, SISTER OR BROTHER
bunny rabbits for Christmas. Safe, sanitary and tame. Pairs not related \$5, each \$3. Dial 2678 or see Tunstall Rabbitry, 1018 Reade St. 21 and 26

WANT TO RENT—AN APART-
ment or house, 3 to 6 rooms, partly furnished or unfurnished. If you have anything to offer call E. T. Stafford at Stafford Oldsmobile Co. Dial 2016 or at home after 6 p. m. Dial 2559. 26-1f.

INSULATE YOUR HOME WITH
Glimco Rock Wool now! It doesn't cost, it pays. Dial 3130 for free estimate. George Hackney, III, Greenville Representative. Dec. 4-1mo

WANTED—LOG BUYER EXPERI-
enced man to buy poplar, sap or Tupelo gum veneer logs in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina. 26-61s.

DEPENDABLE TRUCK AND TAXI
service. Eagle Taxi Co. Dial 4435 5-1mo.

TETTERTON MOTOR CO.—DE-
Soto, Plymouth, parts and service 410 Washington Street, Greenville. 13-121s

MECHANIC—25 YEARS EXPERI-
ence in cars, trucks, tractors, any make of diesel, semi-diesel or gas cylinder block boring or regrinding. Electric or acetylene welding, lathe shaper or milling machine, generator, starter, magneto, carburetor or general motor overhauling or electric motor repair. Family now living in Greenville, wants job January 1st. Mechanic, Care Daily Reflector. 11-31s.

FOR SALE—1936 FORD COACH
Carl Hardee, Greenville, Route 3. 26-31s.

JUST RECEIVED—HAY WIRE,
fence wire, barb wire and poultry wire, get yours today. Blount-Harvey. 20-1f.

YOUR CLOTHING FURNITURE
and rugs are safe from moth damage 2 to 5 years after one spraying of Arab Stainless mothproof. Dry Cleaning doesn't remove it. 3rd Floor, Belk Tyler Co. 26-31s.

VETERAN REENROLLING COL-
lege January 1st. I want small furnished apartment for self and wife. Will consider unfurnished. Write E. M. Johnson, Jr., 9 Dixie Trail, Raleigh, N. C. or Care Reflector. 26-1f.

Grain Market

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Chicago, Dec. 26—(AP)—Wheat futures trading broadened somewhat today on offerings from southwestern interests and advances ranging upward to major fractions of a cent a bushel were chalked up most of the time.

New York Cotton
New York, Dec. 26—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 5 to 20 cents a bale higher.

	Open	Last	Prev. Cl.
March	24.67	24.67	24.65
May	24.59	24.65	24.58
July	24.42	24.45	24.39
Oct.	23.43	23.65	
Dec.	23.35	23.55	23.31
March	23.35	23.43	23.21

Middling spot 25.26, up 3

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 26—(AP)—Motors rose fractions to around 3 points in today's stock market while steels, rubbers, rails, metals and selected industrials advanced a lesser amount.

Volume approximated 1,400,000 shares against 940,000 last Friday—the last regular day.

No stock list because of wire trouble.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

North Carolina
Pitt County
Ezekiel Little and wife, Hattie Little Mamie L. Wilson and husband, David Wilson, Rowena L. Johnson and husband, Joshua Johnson, William L. Little and wife, Gladys Little Louvenia Little, Sadie Belle L. Atkinson and husband, Charlie Atkinson, Lucy Little, Ada B. Little, Ananias Little and wife, Frances Little Gene Burt Little and wife, Lydia Little, Walter Little and wife, Gladys Little, Mary L. Powell and husband, Ed Powell, Lillia L. Floyd and husband, Jesse James Floyd, Louis Little and wife, Martha Little, James Little, Catharine Barnhill and husband, John Barnhill, Zeno Little and wife, Winnie Little, and Clifton Earl Little, Dorothy May Little Geraldine Little, Anna Mary Little Jessie Ruth Little, Mary Little and

Mary Jane Little—the last seven are infants and appearing by their next friend, Ananias Little; and Guaranty Bank and Trust Company, Administrators of the estate of Matilda Reddick, deceased.

Henry M. Little, Jimmy Little, L. B. Little Virginia B. L. Hayer and husband, William B. Hayer, Alberta L. Brown and husband, John G. Brown, Cornelius Little, Columbus Little and wife, Chick Little, Florence L. Knox, Benjamin Little, Stephen Little, Miles Little, Elvora Little and de, Georgiana Little, William Little, Hayer, Cornelius Little, Oscar Little and wife, Frances Little, Florence L. Knox, Benjamin Little, Miles Little, Elvora Little and Eddy Little will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced Eddy Little.

The defendants, Henry M. Little, Jimmy Little, L. B. Little, Virginia B. L. Hayer and husband, William B. Hayer and husband, William B. Hayer, North Carolina, to sell to make assets for the estate of Matilda Little Reddick and to partition the excess proceeds among the several heirs of Matilda Little Reddick the following described land in Pictolus Township, Pitt County, North Carolina:

Situate and being in Pictolus Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, bounded on the north by the Grimes land, on the south by the lands of Marsellus Little, on the east by the lands of George Williams and on the west by the Andrew Brown land, containing 33 acres, more or less, and being described in that certain instrument of record recorded in Book S-15, page 596, in the Office of the Pitt County Registrar.

And the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the Courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, on the 6th day of January, 1946, or within twenty days thereafter and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff's will appear to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 6th day of December 1945.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of Superior Court.

Dec. 8-11w-4wks.

NOTICE OF RESALE BY COMMISSIONER

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that original order made by Hon. D. T. House, Jr., Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 7th day of November, 1945, and by virtue of the order of resale made by Hon. D. T. House, Jr., Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 20th day of December, 1945, in that certain special proceeding pending in the Superior Court of Pitt County entitled, "Sally Proctor et als vs. W. L. Smith et als," being an action to sell lands for division, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash before

Monday, the 21st day of January, 1946 at 12 o'clock Noon
the following described lands to-wit:

First Tract: All that place, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Swift Creek Township, Pitt

County, North Carolina, located on the public road leading from Hanrahan Crossroads to St. John's Church, two miles east from Grifton, fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point on or near Richland's Branch, corner between Marvin Taylor, J. C. Rasberry and Earle Tucker McGlohon, near the tobacco barns and west of the road or path that leads through the field, and running thence with the Rasberry line, N. 31 E. 2240 feet to a corner in the Rasberry line, thence continuing with the Rasberry line, S. 86 E. 445.5 feet, N. 72-20 E. 855 feet, S. 45 E. 345 feet to another corner in the Rasberry line, thence with the Rasberry line, S. 31 W. 3120 feet crossing the road that leads from Hanrahan Crossroads to St. John's Church to a corner, thence with another of the Rasberry lines S. 53.30 E. 2425 feet to a corner, thence continuing with the Rasberry line, S. 35-45 W. 1135 feet to the fork of a ditch, thence with the ditch and the Quinerly line, S. 25 W. 142 feet, N. 89 W. 260 feet, N. 74 W. 260 feet, N. 66 W. 205 feet, S. 70 W. 265 feet, thence leaving the ditch and crossing a path or road S. 39 W. 660 feet to a corner on a ditch, thence with the ditch or drain and the line of the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank land, N. 31 W. 343 feet, N. 66 W. 367 feet, N. 85 W. 73 feet to the center of the bridge across the road, thence along the center of the road S. 18 W. 60 feet, S. 30 W. 230 feet, S. 52-30 W. 330 feet, S. 55-30 W. 462 feet, S. 55 W. 330 feet, S. 56 W. 693 feet, S. 14 W. 429 feet, S. 9 W. 380 feet to a corner with the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank on said road, thence S. 83 W. 2980 feet crossing a road to a pine stump on the south side of the road, corner between Brown Hodges, North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank and Earle Tucker McGlohon, thence with the Hodges line N. 48 E. 3475 feet to a corner on the ditch in Marvin Taylor's line, thence with the ditch and Taylor's line, S. 85 E. 962 feet, N. 62-30 E. 1155 feet to Richland's Branch, thence along the branch and Marvin Taylor's line, N. 3 E. 200 feet, N. 14 E. 150 feet, N. 3 W. 770 feet, N. 21 E. 103 feet, N. 1 W. 195 feet, N. 25 W. 318 feet, N. 33 W. 224 feet, N. 8 W. 233 feet, N. 11 W. 170 feet, N. 20 E. 156 feet, N. 6 W. 144 feet, N. 7 E. 130 feet, N. 38 E. 87 feet, N. 57 E. 95 feet, N. 66 E. 114 feet, S. 53-30 E. 41 feet to the point of beginning, containing 296 acres, more or less, and being a part of the land conveyed to Earle Tucker McGlohon by J. L. Williams.

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The Movies Today

PRIT-LOVE LETTERS. Jennifer Jones, Joseph Cotton, Cartoon. **STATE - "RHYTHM ROUNDUP."** Ken Curtis, Cheryl Walker.

President Spent . . .

(Continued From Page One) who lives across the street from him in Independence, before he departs for Washington Friday. His arrival at his Independence home at 8 p. m. (EST) last night

was the signal for a hearty "Merry Christmas" from more than 100 of his townspeople gathered outside the "little white house." As he entered his home carolers serenaded him, concluding with the familiar "Silent Night." After dinner, he went by the home of Miss Peters, Treasury Department representative for Western Missouri for a few minutes before returning to his home at 9:30 p. m. tired but happy, and ready for bed. He had had a full day. Expecting to leave Washington at 8:30

a. m. he had to wait until 12:06 before weather conditions permitted a takeoff. Sleet was falling as the "Sacred Cow," his big C-54 plane, took to the air. The president had told friends that he did not want to miss Christmas with the homefolks and break a coming home record of 27 years. He drove about Independence, Kansas City and Grand View over icy pavements. A severe winter storm had made the trees heavy with ice along the route. His elderly mother greeted the president with a kiss at the door-

way of her home. She and her daughter, Miss Mary Jane Truman, were surprised and delighted at his making the drive to Grand View Christmas night, in view of his late arrival. Newsmen, photographers and radio commentators who came from Washington to "cover" the president's visit home arrived in Kansas City almost three hours after the president. Their plane was delayed at the takeoff by ice which had to be cleared from the wings. Both planes fought headwinds over much of the route as they moved through leaden skies that showered sleet and rain against the ships.

Senator Asks . . .

(Continued From Page One) which saved "a tremendous amount of shipping" by repairing battle damage. He served as a major in Europe before becoming a Senator. "Of course, war itself is a wasteful process," he said. Then, many useful things had to be thrown away. The scorched earth policy is an example of destroying wilfully. "What we want to make sure of is that there is no unnecessary waste now."

Dutch Indian . . .

(Continued From Page One) said a Netherlands officer pointed a pistol at his head. He said a group of about 15 men in all approached the car, but fled upon the appearance of a British patrol. British military police arrested six soldiers, who said they were Eurasians and Surinamese. Netherlands army authorities said there was no doubt that the offenders would be punished.

Marine Memorial

Camp Lejeune, Dec. 26—(AP)—As memorials to Marines who died during World War Two, 20 stained glass windows representing an expenditure of \$150,000 will be placed in the two chapels at this Marine base. Maj. Gen. John Marston, commanding officer, said. One window will honor Camp Lejeune Leathernecks; another, the Fleet Marine forces in the Pacific; a third, the Third Amphibious Corps; a fourth, the Fifth Amphibious Corps; and the others will memorialize other Marine divisions which participated in the Pacific fighting.

Held Front Rank

(By the AP) The nation's current major labor dispute, the General Motors strike, and a threatened walkout of 250,000 CIO electrical workers, held front rank in post-Christmas business along the country's labor front today. In Detroit, officials of General Motors and the CIO-United Auto Workers planned to resume negotiations, but the wage issue—the union's demand for 30 per cent wage rate increase—was not scheduled for discussion.

Rice Crop Short

Manila, Dec. 26—(AP)—The Philippines 1945 rice crop is 500,000 tons below normal, a 50 per cent shortage. High Commissioner Paul V. McNutt said today. The combined food board agreed today to increase the current quarter rice quota for the islands to 44,000 tons, including 28,000 to be obtained from the United States, 15,000 from Siam, and 3,670 tons held by the U. S. commercially in Chile.

Policeman Kills Resisting Negro

By CHESTER WALSH Joe Morris, 30, Negro, recently discharged from the armed forces, who was shot by Police Officer R. W. Dennis early Sunday morning on Watsuga Avenue near Dickinson Avenue while resisting arrest, died at Pitt General Hospital Tuesday. Pitt County Coroner Griffin H. Rouse held an inquest last night at the City Hall. The jury found that the officer was justified in shooting Morris in self defense while in the performance of his duty. Policeman Dennis was in the armed forces before joining the police force.

At the coroner's inquest it was testified that the officer accosted Morris, who was an allegedly stolen automobile, that Morris suddenly pushed open the door knocking the officer down, and violently resisting arrest. The policeman's bullet lodged in Morris' hip. Testimony at the inquest by police showed that Morris had a Police Court record; that some time ago he was convicted of a law violation and was sentenced to serve 60 days on the roads or join the army. He joined the army, police said. Morris is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Morris, 405 West 13th street, Greenville.

Deep Pit Explosion Buries Many Miners

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 25—(AP)—Thirty to 35 miners were believed trapped a mile to two miles back in a coal mine here today following an explosion which apparently had closed their exit.

G. E. Lewis, operator of the mine, the Kentucky Straight Creek Coal Company, said rescue squads entered the tunnel shortly before noon while clouds of smoke were still pouring from the entrance. He said he did not anticipate an immediate report on conditions in the vicinity of the explosion.

Lewis said it could not be determined at once whether the air shaft leading to the blast area had been closed by the blast. "It is possible," the operator said, "that the explosion may have blown in the top, but of course we won't know until someone comes out of the mine."

The mine, he said, is one and one-half to two miles deep. He added that the blast occurred so far underground that no concussion was felt and no noise heard on the outside. It wasn't until the huge clouds of smoke started boiling out of the mouth of the mine that it was learned of the explosion.

Lewis said it was not known immediately what caused the blast, or whether it was set off by explosives or mine conditions. The mine is a "drift mine" running straight into the mountainside rather than downward into the earth.

Violent Deaths . . .

(Continued on page four) 0-0; Washington 1-0-1; West Virginia 4-5-6; Wisconsin 3-0-0; District of Columbia 5-1-0. States unlisted did not report fatalities.

Greenville Music Composer Honored

A telegraph message received by the Reflector today announced that a musical composition, "I Dreamed of You Last Night," by T. G. Cayton, 706 Dickinson avenue, Greenville, has been accepted for publication and national distribution by the Nodyke Publishing Company, Hollywood California.

The publishers stated that the Greenville composer's composition has exceptional merit and has good prospects for extensive distribution.

Ministers Going To Make Report

Moscow, Dec. 26—(AP)—The Big Three foreign ministers, after a lengthy Christmas Day session, arranged today to announce the results of their 11-day conference in which achievements were reliably reported to include concrete agreements on several vital world issues.

A British source said a communiqué will be issued at 2 a. m. tomorrow (6 p. m. today EST). The three foreign ministers already have reached an accord on the procedure for drafting the European peace settlement.

No Extension Of Transportation

Raleigh, Dec. 26—(AP)—Governor Gregg Cherry announced yesterday that wartime regulations governing the transportation of petroleum products in the state could not be extended beyond January 1.

The governor's decision came following a visit by petroleum dealers who requested an extension of the regulations on the over-all weight load permitted to petroleum trucks during the war years. The dealers contended that a return to the old regulations before new equipment is available would result in a loss of

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loading space and reduce the amount of petroleum products coming into North Carolina by highways.

Cancellation Brings Mass Protest March

Manila, Dec. 26—(AP)—Spokenmen for 4,000 GIs said a mass meeting would be held today to discuss cancellation of a scheduled home-bound transport sailing—after a mass protest march yesterday had brought both an explanation and a reprimand from their colonel, who was quoted as telling them: "You men forget you're not working for General Motors—you are still in the army."

The men dispersed within 10 minutes, discarding their "We Want Ships" banners.

East Commission Flies To Japan

Washington, Dec. 26—(AP)—Nursing ambitions at policy making rather than mere advice giving, the Allied Far Eastern Commission leaves today for Japan and a look-see at Gen. Douglas MacArthur's administration.

Weather permitting, commission members will board a plane here at 7:15 p. m. (EST). After flying to Pearl Harbor, they will complete the trip on the U.S.S. Mt. McKinley, a Navy command ship. They expect to return to Washington about February 15.

The 10-nation commission made it plain in two months of deliberations in Washington that it does not expect to find any grave fault with the way MacArthur has administered Japan. Most commission members have said they believe the Supreme Allied commander has done a creditable job.

What the commissioners will do is study carefully how United States directives to MacArthur have been carried out.

Up to now, the commission has devoted most of its time to debating the directives themselves. A basic policy committee under leadership of Australia's foreign minister, Herbert V. Evatt, has rewritten the original White House directive to MacArthur, issued shortly after the Japanese surrendered.

This document now has been forwarded to the ten governments for

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The truth about "take-home"
The demand of UAW-CIO leaders for a wage increase to "maintain wartime take-home" assumes that the wartime work week averaged 48 hours.
That is not true. In General Motors workers averaged 45.6 hours work a week. For industry as a whole the average was a little less.
The demand of UAW-CIO leaders also assumes that the postwar work week will be 40 hours.
General Motors expects to work 45 to 48 hours for a considerable period of time in order to produce enough goods to relieve shortages created during the war. Employees will be paid at the rate of time-and-a-half for hours worked over 40.
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General Motors answered the UAW demand for a 30% jump in present rates with the offer of a wage increase that would have averaged 13½ cents an hour. This would have made the average wage increase since January 1941 at least equal to the increase in the cost of living.
A G.M. worker who earned \$56.93 for a 45 6-hour week during the war would have received \$63.44, under the G.M. postwar offer, for working the same number of hours.
This offer, aimed to increase wartime take-home pay by at least 10%, was rejected by UAW leaders.
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