

Considerable cloudiness and a little warmer tonight. Saturday partly cloudy and warmer.

Truman Foresees Serious Results

American People Are Called Upon To Voice Opinions On President's Stalled Labor Legislation; Inflationary Pressures Declared Greater Than Ever

By D. HAROLD OLIVER Washington, January 4.—(AP)—President Truman's appeal for speedy congressional action on strike control and other measures drew mixed response today, and a senatorial suggestion that Mr. Truman do more himself with authority he now has.

Mr. Truman contended in a half hour radio address last night that the Senate and House has been distressingly slow in acting on his reconversion proposals. He asked the people to prod the lawmakers.

A Democrat, Senator Edwin C. Johnson of Colorado, acknowledged Congress should have acted faster, but proposed that Mr. Truman do something about strikes under his own powers.

Johnson said the strike situation confronted the nation with the most aggravating crisis in its experience, declared that both Congress and the President are "in the hole."

"It is a time," he said, "for rapid fire action at the White House. The pot and kettle are both blacker than hell."

The White House reported that initial public reaction to Mr. Truman's "fireside chat" was greater than to any previous speech. Most messages indicated a "friendly" reception, Press Secretary Charles G. Ross said.

Among other legislators, comment was mixed. Senator Wiley (R-Wis) thought Mr. Truman had "climbed back on the P. A. C. band wagon"—a reference to the Political Action Committee. Senator Lucas (D-Ill) felt that the President "struck me dead."

The Republican National Committee announced Senator Taft of Ohio will "present a Republican viewpoint" on Mr. Truman's address in a radio (NBC) broadcast at 10:45 p. m. EST tonight from Cincinnati.

Comment came in slowly from sources outside Capitol Hill. AFL President William Green said he concurred with Mr. Truman that congressional failure to approve adequate full employment, unemployment compensation, a higher minimum wage and other measures (Continued on Page Four)

Three Explosions In Tel Aviv Last Night

Jerusalem, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Police sought today the cause of three heavy explosions which rocked Tel Aviv shortly before midnight.

Police and military units were rushed to emergency points immediately after the explosions, which were followed by machinegun fire. A spokesman for the Criminal Investigation Department said the investigation so far had failed to reveal the cause of the blasts.

Hess' Effort IS DESCRIBED

Hitler Papers Show Chief Deputy Secretly Working For Peace

Nuernberg, Germany, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Confidential papers of Adolf Hitler showed today that as early as the fall of 1940 Rudolf Hess, the deputy fuhrer, was working secretly to establish contacts with "reasonable Englishmen" to try to end the war.

A detailed account of his efforts is contained in a 1,400-word report to Hitler written by Hess' intimate advisor, Dr. Albrecht Haushofer, May 25, 1941, shortly after the deputy fuhrer flew to England on his vain mission.

Haushofer reported that at the end of September, 1940, barely a year after the war started, Hess was instrumental in sending a letter to the Duke of Hamilton through a prominent Swiss official of the International Red Cross.

In April, 1941—a month before Hess' flight—this same Swiss official, whose name was not disclosed, conveyed a peace feeler from "important English circles" to Haushofer, as the deputy fuhrer's representative, the report said.

This document, now in the possession of Allied and neutral intelligence, outlining Haushofer's part in the peace overtures, was in effect the death warrant of the professor son of Geopollitician Karl Haushofer.

He immediately was marked down in Gestapo records as having "sympathetic feeling and contact with the English." His death, however, did not come until last year when he was executed for possible implication in the July 20, 1944, death plot against Hitler and in new secret peace negotiations through Swiss channels.

The initial behind-the-scenes peace moves, according to Haushofer's report, started when Hess asked him on Sept. 10, 1940, for advice how a communication might be sent to the Duke of Hamilton, near whose dual home Hess ended his flight from Germany.

Haushofer's advice was to contact personally any of three named British envoys in neutral countries or to send a letter to the Duke through a "neutral intermediary." Hess decided in favor of the second possibility.

The following April, he said, he received a non-committal letter from a Red Cross official by whom the communication had been sent to England. Hess decided he should go to Geneva to see whether the Duke had replied.

The intermediary had no message from the Duke, Haushofer said, but told of a meeting he had had in Geneva with "a person known and esteemed in London and closely connected with leading conservative circles."

"This person, whose name he could not disclose but whose sincerity he could vouch for," the report said, "expressed in a long talk the desire in important English circles to examine the possibilities of effecting peace overtures."

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They Survived Train Wreck



Carol Asher (front), 4, and her sister, Lita, 9, with other survivors, are grouped around a bonfire built on the railway track after the Seaboard Air Line's "Silver Meteor" passenger train was wrecked near Blaney, S. C., January 2. The children are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Asher of Miami Beach, Fla. Two persons were killed and more than 20 were injured in the wreck. (AP Wirephoto).

Secretary Knox Secret Report Read In Probe

Second Attack On Hawaii Expected By Defenders; Called Desperately For More Planes And Ack-Ack

Washington, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Congressional investigators heard today that Hawaii's defenders fully expected the Japanese to come back promptly after the Pearl Harbor attack and called desperately for more fighter planes and anti-aircraft guns to meet the anticipated second assault.

This information went into the record along with the word that that fatal Sunday morning, December 7, 1941, the Navy flew a two plane patrol in just the opposite direction from which the Japanese task force was advancing.

The source of these details was the hitherto secret report the late Secretary of the Navy Knox made to his return Roosevelt soon after his return from a flying trip to the scene of the disaster.

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich), who obtained the report from Navy files, said it differed from the one made public at the time.

Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations in 1941, told the committee that he had never seen the Knox report to Mr. Roosevelt until today. He said Knox had filled him in on some details in conversations.

Knox told Mr. Roosevelt that both the commanders at Pearl Harbor, Admiral Husband E. Kimmel and Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short, were completely surprised.

Other points of the Knox report included: 1. Nothing but ineffective machine gun fire met the first of three waves of attacking Japanese planes, but the third wave was turned back.

2. American radio and other equipment were recovered from the wreckage of Japanese planes. One had a Lewis gun of 1920 vintage.

3. Knox attributed the lack of adequate fighter plane strength on Oahu before the war to diversion (Continued on Page Six)

MACARTHUR IN NEW MOVE FOR NIPPON PURGE

Decrees Ousting Of All Who Led Japan Into War; Affects Government Members

By RUSSELL BRINES Tokyo, Jan. 4.—(AP)—General MacArthur today decreed a drastic "housecleaning" of Japan's government, and Premier Shidehara's cabinet called an emergency session for tomorrow to consider methods of compliance.

Quoting informed quarters, the Japanese news agency Kyodo said that the two new directives ordering a purge of all men who led Japan into war would affect practically every member of the present government. It expected specifically only Premier Kijuro Shidehara, Foreign Minister Shigeru Yoshida and Justice Minister Chujo Iwata.

Tokyo newspapers interpreted the Allied orders as a move to give Japan new leaders, and Kyodo said the first reaction among politicians was one of bewilderment.

It noted a member of the Progressive party as saying "This practically means that all members of the present Diet will not be able to run in the coming election. Even if they did run, they will not have a chance."

The directives ordered the government to abolish all ultra-nationalist, terrorist and militarist groups or societies and to oust from public office and influence persons who "devised and misled the people of Japan into embarking on world conquest."

The directives picked up where the war criminal lists left off. The new move makes the first incision into entrenched bureaucrats and politicians controlling the government. The consternation in public offices probably will be matched by the people's applause.

The new orders serve notice of Allied impatience with Japanese efforts to rid themselves of personages and organizations instrumental in the militarist era. Patriotic societies, such as the Black Dragon, supposedly have been dissolved. Both the Japanese press reports at least eight of more than 30 current political parties are led by former rightists.

The first immediate effect of the orders will be to disqualify dozens of the strongest candidates from old line parties for the coming national elections. This will widen the field for the independents, heretofore dismayed by the extensiveness of political machines opposing them. It will minimize the holdover influence of the "Tojo Diet."

The directive purges the government of Jingoistic policy-making officials holding offices of Chokumin rank or higher. This means officers appointed by imperial order, such as department heads, bureau chiefs and prefectural governors. However, government administrative machinery is left relatively intact.

The exact number of men involved depends upon the application of the broad principles enunciated in the directive, plus the extent of the individual's wartime activities.

Highway Mail Car Proposed For State

Hickory, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Communications between Hickory and Johnson City, Tenn., may receive highway postoffice service in the near future.

According to a survey being considered here by postal officials, a highway mail car would serve daily approximately 100 mountain communities, including 69 in North Carolina, through intermediate points on the route.

The highway car would have interior appointments and facilities similar to those of a railway mail car.

Strike Picture Shows No Promising Developments

Truman Home From Cruise



President Truman waves from the gangplank as he leaves the presidential yacht Williamsburg at the navy yard in Washington after a five-day cruise on the Potomac. Behind the President is his naval aide, Commodore James K. Varda man. (AP Wirephoto).

Tension Mounts In Nation's Industrial Strife; New Thousands Expected To Join In Work Stoppages; Strike Vote To Be Taken In Goodyear Plant

By ASSOCIATED PRESS New crisis for strikes appeared imminent today as tension mounted in the nation's industrial strife.

As President Truman urged the American people to press Congress into action on legislation aimed to curb work stoppages, additional thousands of workers were added to the list of idle because of labor disputes.

New walkouts, hitting at four major industries and involving almost a million and a half persons, threatened to materialize during January.

The number of workers idle had jumped past the 400,000 mark as the President in a radio address last night expressed deep concern over the nation's labor unrest.

In Chicago, the CIO Farm Equipment and Metal Workers Union declared wage negotiations with the International Harvester Company had collapsed and that "in all likelihood" a strike of 30,000 would be called.

Union members in 11 Harvester plants arranged a meeting Sunday to set a date for the walkout.

In another wage controversy, the CIO Mine Mill and Smelter Workers Union in Salt Lake City called a strike for January 21 affecting about 5,000 of its Utah members.

The third threatened strike came from Akron, O., where officials of the CIO United Rubber Workers of America at the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. said a strike vote would be taken Sunday.

The new battle was in line with a series of other locals throughout the nation and was in support of union demands for increased wages.

Meanwhile, the possibility remained of a nation wide walkout of telephone workers, in sympathy with a strike started yesterday by 17,200 employees of the Western Electric Company in 21 plants in New York and New Jersey.

Joseph A. Beirne, president of the Independent National Federation of Telephone Workers, said the federation's 48 member unions were being polled to authorize a sympathy strike in support of demands for 30 per cent wage hikes by the Western Electric Employees Association, its affiliate.

Beirne said a strike by the NFTW would affect about 450,000 telephone workers in the country.

The only promising news along the labor front came from New York where the trend of balloting by 50,000 APL employees of Western Union Telegraph Company outside the metropolis indicated, said union officials, that they would accept a War Labor Board wage directive and call of a scheduled January 7 (Continued on page six)

Biological Warfare Research Reported

"Man-Made Epidemic Is Likely Means Of Waging War" Concludes Special Naval Research Service

Washington, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Waging of war by man made epidemic is a "likely possibility" for the future, the navy reported today.

This conclusion was reached by a naval medical research unit during two years of super-secret experiments at the University of California.

A department announcement added that the unit gained valuable knowledge at the same time about "mass defense against possible enemy employment of a certain disease which is highly fatal."

For security reasons the name of the disease was withheld, but the navy said it is "centuries old and one of the greatest of killers."

Japan was on the road to perfecting biological weapons when the war ended, the service said.

The naval unit in California developed a suit with a self-contained oxygen supply to protect rescue or decontamination workers who would be needed to defend against bacterial attack.

Anti-bacterial masks and vaccines, antibiotics and sulfa drugs also were tested. The investigators were so careful that all escaped infection.

The war research service said all evidence indicated the Axis powers trailed the United States, Canada and Great Britain in the biological warfare work.

BOARD STATES NEW POLICIES

Surplus Property Report Covers Oil-Pipelines And Airports

Washington, Jan. 4.—(AP)—The Surplus Property Administration, recommending disposal policies for the government's oil-carrying pipelines, urged today that top preference be given to keeping the big and little inch lines in petroleum.

In a report to congress, the agency also advised that if these two lines—built during the war at a total cost of \$145,800,000—cannot be marketed for the movement of crude oil and petroleum products from the southwest to the Atlantic seaboard, they should be disposed of for service to intermediate points.

As for four smaller government-owned pipelines, SPA said their disposal presents "no problems from a policy standpoint."

"There is reasonable prospect," the report continued, "of finding some economic use for each of them in its present location, and no opposition has been voiced to disposition for (Continued on Page Six)

The WORLD TODAY An Analysis Of The News

By DEWITT MACKENZIE AP World Traveler Paris, Jan. 4.—Paris is full of clogs—shoes with thick wooden soles such as are used by peasants. You see them worn everywhere on the streets and hear the staccato of their impact on the sidewalks.

Click-clack-click-clack. At times on crowded sidewalks it swells in volume until one is reminded of the sound of marching troops—wooden soldiers.

It was Mrs. Mack who first grasped the real significance of this strange parade of wooden shoes.

See those wooden soles, Mack, she said. They aren't being born because they're the style. It's because there isn't enough leather in France to make shoes.

Of course she's right. France makes a virtue of necessity and displays the clogs as the latest touch of fashion, but you can bet that the dainty Parisienne foot wouldn't be lashed to a piece of inflexible board in that manner if it could be avoided.

the quality of the old time Paris. They're like the clogs—they look well far away, but on close inspection they're still wooden shoes that don't bend.

All this is distressing to those of us who knew France well in the old days of prosperity before the war. Paris always was bright and shining and vivacious, and its shop windows were filled with the choicest wares. It was essentially a city of gaiety and laughter—perhaps a bit quick to tears, but they soon gave way to smiles again. Now the vivaciousness has gone, there is little real laughter and an unwonted drabness has settled over the metropolis.

A French reporter came to our hotel to ask our first impressions of Paris. So we told him about the wooden shoes, and what they signified to us, and we added what we already have reported to you, that France seems to be badly hurt, way down deep inside.

The reporter nodded, but after the manner of his profession wanted to know what further signs we had note of this hurt. The signs are clear enough. Even young faces bear the marks of weariness and hardship and unhappiness. Folk smile with their lips but you know they aren't smiling inside.

One doesn't use the term "despair" loosely, because that carries the thought of hopelessness. France has hope and is fighting for recovery and her piece in the sun. Still, there is no doubt that the people are regarding the position (Continued on page four)

War Powers Could Be Used In Labor Fight

Washington, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Senator Edwin C. Johnston (D-Colo) suggested today that President Truman use his war power to halt strikes until Congress can act.

Termining the strike situation "the most aggravating crisis this nation has faced in my lifetime," Johnson told reporters it is "a time for rapid-fire action at the White House."

"Congress is in the hole on it and so is the President," he added, the pot and kettle are both blacker than hell.

Johnston expressed his views in commenting on President Truman's radio appeal to the American people last night to prod Congress into action on strike control and other measures.

Secretary Patterson Surprised At Policy

Honolulu, Jan. 4.—(AP)—The army newspaper Stars and Stripes said today that Secretary of War Patterson was "completely surprised" when told on Guam that army discharge points for men overseas were "accumulating since V-J day."

Patterson, who arrived in Tokyo today on his world tour, was quoted by the army newspaper as saying on his arrival in Guam that men overseas were "accumulating two points a month toward discharge, and would be sent home when their point totals were high enough."

Stars and Stripes said an army reporter reminded the secretary that the points had been stopped September 2 and he then expressed complete surprise.

Two-Headed Child Died Last Night

Birmingham, England, Jan. 4.—(AP)—A two-headed baby girl, born to the English wife of a former U. S. soldier, died last night after 50 hours and 35 minutes of life. Doctors said they would make a post-mortem examination today to determine details of her anatomy.

The infant was born New Year's Day to Mrs. Joseph Govro, 21, whose husband lives on a farm near Festus, Mo., 30 miles south of St. Louis.

Born four weeks prematurely, the baby weighed five pounds and 12 ounces and had been given oxygen continually.

Dr. Lindsay Park, gynecologist and obstetrician who attend the infant, said she had two heads and two necks joined at the point of the shoulder, two sets of lungs, two stomachs and two gullets—but a single trunk with two arms and two legs. The heads breathed, cried and ate independently.

The NATION TODAY

By JAMES MARLOW Washington, January 4.—(AP)—President Truman has made to the American people one of the most stirring appeals any President has ever made.

He asked them in his address to tell their congressmen what they think of some of the most critical problems confronting government and Congress at this time.

Mr. Truman said: "The time has come for every citizen of the United States to make his opinion known to his representative in the Congress. Once that is done, you may be sure that results will follow."

It may be difficult for people outside Washington to realize how deep and far-reaching that appeal of the President is.

For people outside Washington have little idea of the tremendous influence worked by pressure groups in this country.

It doesn't make much difference whether those groups represent labor or business. Each is putting on Congress for its own special purposes all the heat it can muster.

If these pressure groups are the only means congressmen have for judging—or guessing—what the will of the majority of the people is, they are bound to get a one-sided picture.

Mr. Truman himself called the shot on this state of affairs with this statement: "There are those who, when they decide to make themselves felt as the most powerful pressure group

Social and Personal

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
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County Matters
The board of county commissioners met in regular monthly session on the first Monday.
Orders were drawn on the treasurer for the following purposes: For paupers, \$157.75; county home \$146.50; bridges and ferries \$183.11; conveying prisoners \$4.05; court house and jail \$54.58; coal per \$49.50; small pox, \$11.68; roads, \$27; register of deeds, \$78; stock law territory \$2,446.66.
Licenses were granted for one liquor distillery in Greenville and 12 detail dealers in the county.

Nelson Hunsucker entertained at 10 tables of dessert bridge on Tuesday evening, January 1, honoring Miss Janie Blair Cox, bride-elect.
The bride's place was marked with a lovely corsage of white chrysanthemums. Plates were very attractive, consisting of ice cream, toasted nuts and a variation of green, pink and white cakes and mints with a miniature corsage of narcissus and fern for each guest.
After several progressions the hostesses served coca colas and nuts.
A gift of crystal in her chosen pattern was presented to Miss Cox, the high score prize went to Mrs. C. D. Ward of Greenville, second high to Mrs. Russell Hunsucker of Bethel and low to Mrs. Dixon Barnes. Floating prizes were held by Mrs. C. D. Langston and Mrs. Bythal Bostic of Greenville.

Those present were, Mesdames John R. Carroll, A. D. McLawhorn, M. T. Spier, Vernon Cox, Rommie Mallison, Alfred McLawhorn, Haywood McLawhorn, C. D. Langston, June Tripp, Dixon Barnes, Alex Evans, Leon Evans, Lloyd Worthington, Druid Hobgood, Oliver Forbes, Laurie Ellis, Graham Olive, Mamie C. Liverman, Roy T. Cox, J. D. McGonhon, Jr., Woodrow Worthington, Vernon White, D. T. McLawhorn, Roy Davenport, J. L. Rollins, D. L. Moore, Ray Oglesby, and Misses Faye Gaskins, Fannie Mae Ange, Alice Graves Hunsucker, Lotie Ellis, and Julian Worthington.
Out of town guests were Mesdames Royce Hunsucker, Bythal Bostic, C. D. Ward, Charles Wilkerson of Greenville, Mrs. Russell Hunsucker of Bethel, Mrs. Leon Kittrell and Mrs. Hal Edwards of Ayden.
Wednesday afternoon, January 2, Mrs. John R. Carroll entertained Miss Janie Blair Cox, recent bride-elect, with a most unusual party.
Each guest having brought a thimble watched anxiously while the bride-elect searched the room for her thimble. It was found tied to a box containing 12 brightly embroidered dish towels, each with an unhemmed edge. The towels were completed by the guests, who enjoyed the informal sewing circle.
Games of card bingo were played and high score prize was presented to Mrs. June Tripp, second high to Miss Alice Graves Hunsucker.
A large tray with various size packages was brought in by Mrs. Carroll. Each guest was asked to take her choice. When opened it was discovered that each package contained a very attractive dish cloth.
The bride was presented with a knife in her selected pattern.
The guests were invited into the dining room where hot punch and a large variety of sandwiches, cookies and hors-d'oeuvres were served from a beautifully arranged table.

meets with Mrs. Rudolph Gurganus in January with Mrs. Sidney O'Neal assisting hostess. Circle II is invited to meet with Circle I at 1:15 p. m. in order to have the book review by Mrs. Settle which we did not have in December due to bad roads and weather.

the best Brownie or Scout ever. During these winter days, advancement in rank will really be an inspiration to yourself and your record. Another Court of Awards will be held in March. Will your name be on the list?

Honorably Discharged From Navy
Ben F. Singleton, petty officer second class, 1407 Chestnut street, was honorably discharged from the navy at Camp Shelton, Va., on December 16.
Mr. Singleton entered service in April 1944. He saw a year of duty in the Pacific, returning to the States in August.

Basketball Series
The Women's Athletic Association at the college began this week a series of basketball contests which will close at the end of the month with a tournament between winning teams, Rachel Lee of Newton Grove and Nell Stallings of the Health and Physical Education Department are in charge of events.
About 50 students appeared on Tuesday evening at the Wright building for the initial games, and play and practice are taking place daily. Each of the four dormitories is building a team for the final competition, and the students are likewise practicing and selecting their players.
Finals will be between the day students' team and teams from Wilson, Jarvis, Fleming, and Cotten Halls.

and tuneful, varying frequently to please the crowd. Hayes has a group of talented and accomplished musicians in his band. They appeared to enjoy playing the music as much as the dancers enjoyed it. Herman Norris booked the orchestra to play in Greenville.
During the intermission shortly after midnight many of the dancers were guests at buffet suppers at members' homes. The Twenty-Five Club will sponsor informal dances from time to time during the year for members and once a year a big and formal bid' dance. Dick Stokes III is president of the club.

a great asset to the County as head of the Veterans' Division in the local office.

Duke Will Visit
Paris, Jan. 4—(AP)—The Duke of Windsor will pay a short visit to

England, leaving Paris Monday or Tuesday, his secretary said today. The Duchess will not accompany him. The Duke will remain in England for only a few days. This will be his third return to Britain since he abdicated in 1936.

Friends of Miss Dora Elks will be glad to know she is getting along nicely following an operation in Pitt General Hospital.

Mr and Mrs L. D. Bryan and son left yesterday for Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Miss Jane Rogers has returned from a weeks visit with friends in New Jersey.

Mrs. E. B. Aycock and children will return from New Orleans tomorrow night to make their home in Greenville. Dr. Aycock is expected a few days later.

Bob Fleming of Norfolk has returned to Greenville for his vacation and will join Clyde Landing's band for a few weeks.

Announcements
Mr. Walter W. Joyner of Greenville, route two, announces the engagement of his daughter, Alice, to Sergeant James M. Crisp, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Crisp, Greenville, route three.
The wedding will take place in the near future.

Wallace-Crute
Mr. and Mrs. William Hugh Smith announce the marriage of their daughter Marie Smith Crute to Eustace Jack Wallace, Jr. Major, United States Army on Tuesday, January first nineteen hundred and forty-six Eighth Street Christian Church Greenville, North Carolina

Mrs. Wallace attended the Greenville city schools and was graduated from Blackstone College for Women, Blackstone, Va., and East Carolina Teachers College, Greenville, N. C.
Major Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wallace, of Petersburg, Va., is a graduate of V. P. I. class of '39, at which time he received his commission as second lieutenant. He has been on active duty since his graduation and was stationed four and a half years in Puerto Rico. He is now stationed at Fort Adams, R. I.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hankner
Lt. Col. and Mrs. John C. Dalrymple of Washington, D. C. were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hankner over New Year's.
Lt. Col. Dalrymple has recently returned from overseas. He commanded the 82nd Combat Engineers Battalion during the European campaign. He is one of the brothers who figured in the United Press story some time ago about two brothers meeting in jeeps on the battlefield during the battle of the bulge.
Mrs. Dalrymple is an Arthur Murray dance teacher and has won considerable recognition for her work at Walter Reed hospital. There she teaches veterans with artificial limbs how to dance.

Golden Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Clapp were hosts at a luncheon party honoring Mr. and Mrs. George Alfred Clapp, Tuesday, at their home, 108 East Eighth street.
The occasion was the celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clapp, parents of Mr. G. H. Clapp.
Mrs. Clapp was the former Margaret (Maggie) Kinlon of Pitt county and Mr. Clapp was a native of Siler City in Chatham county. Their entire married life has been spent in Pitt county where the marriage was solemnized on New Year's Day, 1896. Mr. Clapp is now 83, Mrs. Clapp 68. Mr. Clapp has been employed by the E. B. Frazier Tobacco Company many years.
Other children include Mrs. Nannie Daniels of Miami, Fla., Mrs. Edna C. Jenkins of Greenville, and Alton W. Clapp of Greenville and Bowling Green, Ky.

A delicious turkey dinner was served. The centerpiece was an arrangement of yellow roses in a crystal bowl flanked by white tapers in crystal holders.
Mrs. Clapp, the honored guest, wore black with a corsage of yellow roses.
Open house was observed during the afternoon when friends called to extend congratulations. The couple received numerous anniversary gifts.

Red Cross to Reopen Knitting Room
The Red Cross knitting room will reopen Monday, January 7.
The hours 10 to 11:30 every morning, Monday through Friday.
Every woman who knits is earnestly urged to get some wool. This is probably the last allotment of knitted garments.
Garments are needed by our own armed forces and if every knitter will make one garment, the work will soon be completed.

Kiwanis to Install Officers
C. Harvey Gurley of Goldsboro, lieutenant-governor of the seventh division of Carolinas Kiwanis District, will install the new officers at the Kiwanis Club's weekly supper meeting tonight at 6:30. Dr. J. M. Barrett, retiring president, will preside. Ed E. Rawl, vice president of Carolina Sa le Corporation, is the new president. Ed Bloom, Recorder's Court solicitor, is the new vice president. David C. Moore is secretary and treasurer. Four new directors are to be installed.

Edwards-Whitchard
Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Whitchard of Greenville, N. C., route 3, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Pauline Whitchard, to S. I. J. B. Edwards of Savannah, N. C., on December 22, 1945.

Transferred to Sampson, N. Y.
Haywood Sellers, H. A. 1-c, has been transferred to Sampson, N. Y. His address is Haywood C. Sellers, H. A. 1-c U. S. S. Hospital, Barracks

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
6 30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

Discharged From Naval Reserve
Charles G. Paramore, Jr., Pharmacist Mate Third Class, has recently been discharged from the naval reserve after two years of service in the American Asiatic and Pacific theater of operations. He is now visiting relatives near Winterville.

Kentucky Warehouse Burns
The Greensburg Tobacco Warehouse, Greensburg, Ky., operated this season by J. L. Tripp of Greenville and Woodrow Worthington of Winterville, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin, late Tuesday night, according to information received here. A large quantity of leaf tobacco and a number of trucks and other equipment was a total loss.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. H. Dall Laughinghouse announce the birth of a son to Pitt General Hospital Thursday, January 3, 1946.

Presbyterian Announcements
Sunday morning the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at this Church. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Boyd, will speak briefly on a New Year's message on the subject: "Some Things That Must Be Forgotten in 1946." Text is Phil III:13b. There are many things, the men who are leaving the service of our country will strive to forget. They will not even speak of them, save under most urgent request. Many of the events of 1945 should be blotted from our memories, left only to the cold pages of history to record as facts. All members of the church and the congregation are urged to attend this the first communion of the new year.
The church school meets at 9:45 a. m. The Men's Bible class and the College Students class meet at 10 a. m. There is a place in this school for every member of your family, young and old, men, women and children. Come and begin the new year right by enrolling the family in the church school for the study of God's word. It will prove a profitable year to you.
At 1:45 p. m. the monthly meeting of the session will be held at the Manse. At 3 p. m. Twin Oaks Sunday school will meet, preaching on 2nd and 4th Sundays at 4 p. m.
Wednesday night at 7:30, mid-week prayer service, when we shall study John XXI, and Thursday night 7:30 prayer meeting and song service at Twin Oaks Chapel. At the covered dish supper and bond night at Twin Oaks last Monday, a total of \$201.50 was brought in by the members of the Sunday school to assist in payment of the indebtedness on the Chapel. We are making fine progress in payment of these obligations, due to the fine spirit of cooperation and the liberality of the people of the community.

Series of Parties to Honor Miss Cox
Winterville, Jan. 4.—Honoring Miss Janie Blair Cox, bride-elect, Mrs. Roy E. Davenport entertained informally at three tables of bridge at her home last Thursday evening, December 27.
The house was beautifully decorated with Christmas' motif. A Christmas tree loaded with gifts added much to the decorations.
After several progressions, Mrs. Davenport had the guests take favor gifts from the tree finding one for each guest. Miss Cox's gift was an attractive card which indicated a large collection of miscellaneous shower gifts cleverly concealed under the tree.
A delicious course consisting of block ice cream, cakes, and toasted nuts was served.
Mrs. Wayland Hunsucker and Mrs.

Seek our counsel as freely as it is offered.
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Funeral Home
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Every woman who knits is earnestly urged to get some wool. This is probably the last allotment of knitted garments.
Garments are needed by our own armed forces and if every knitter will make one garment, the work will soon be completed.

Kiwanis to Install Officers
C. Harvey Gurley of Goldsboro, lieutenant-governor of the seventh division of Carolinas Kiwanis District, will install the new officers at the Kiwanis Club's weekly supper meeting tonight at 6:30. Dr. J. M. Barrett, retiring president, will preside. Ed E. Rawl, vice president of Carolina Sa le Corporation, is the new president. Ed Bloom, Recorder's Court solicitor, is the new vice president. David C. Moore is secretary and treasurer. Four new directors are to be installed.

Edwards-Whitchard
Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Whitchard of Greenville, N. C., route 3, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Pauline Whitchard, to S. I. J. B. Edwards of Savannah, N. C., on December 22, 1945.

Transferred to Sampson, N. Y.
Haywood Sellers, H. A. 1-c, has been transferred to Sampson, N. Y. His address is Haywood C. Sellers, H. A. 1-c U. S. S. Hospital, Barracks

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Girl Scout News

The regular monthly meeting of the Girl Scout Leaders will be held in the Scout office on Monday night, January 7th at 8 o'clock, with an insight into the next year, being the main object for the meeting. Please be on time and we will have plenty of information for your benefit.

As the new year opens up all Girl Scout and Brownie troops are beginning their troop-meetings after a very nice Christmas holiday season. It is with a great deal of pleasure to state that every troop in Greenville is registered in good standing, with the national headquarters, and it is our desire as troops grow a year older and have the opportunity to serve another year as Brownies and Scouts, for them to immediately re-register, so that this grand record will be maintained throughout the year. That is our big new year's resolution. Every troop re-register on time.

Our Scout leadership has been most gratifying, and every scout and Brownie should be really grateful for all the time their leaders give to them. By the way, there may be some girl who has not found the troop she prefers to enter as yet, from our survey taken last fall. If this is true, please get in touch with the Girl Scout office, and we will be glad to place you in a troop immediately.

Remember all troops will meet as usual, so go to your first meeting in 1946, with the determination to be

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Those attending the meeting are Mrs. Venetia H. Pentecost of Ayden, Miss Maude Ketchum of Robersonville, Miss Verna Belle Lowrie of Williamston, and Misses Alice Strawn and Louise Swann of Greenville.

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Ladies' Coats, \$19.95 values	\$12.98
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Ladies' Dresses, \$12.00 values	\$7.98
Ladies' Dresses, \$15.00 values	\$8.98
Children's Legging Suits, \$11.98 values	\$8.98
Children's Coats, \$10.98 values	\$7.98
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USES Announces Local Appointment

The United States Employment Service through Mrs. J. B. Spilman, announces the appointment of Mr. Ramie W. Davis as Veterans Representative for the local office.
Mr. Davis is a graduate of Tusculum College, Greenville, Tennessee, was a former High School teacher and football coach.
He served as staff sergeant in the Army Airways Communication System. Twentyseven of his forty-one months in the service were overseas in the Asiatic and Pacific theater of war.
Mr. Davis has had varied experience as a counselor and advisor. This previous experience will enable him to render invaluable service to the returned service men in informing him of his rights and benefits under the "GI Bill of Rights."
The employment office very definitely feels that Mr. Davis will be

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Reflector Ads Pay!

The Fourth Mrs. Baker

By Ernestine Adams

Chapter 8
(Sunday 9:55 to 10:30 a. m.)
Venable took the chair by the bed and his face relaxed into pleasant lines as he looked at her.
"How do you feel?"
"I'll be all right." She tried to smile but it would not come. Her hands were clasped tightly together and she put them under the coverlet.
"Will you give me another pillow?"
He tucked one under her head carefully and she leaned back more comfortably.
"Mrs. Baker, I want you to tell me what happened at the party last night."
She had expected to be asked about the detective whom she had found on the rug in the foyer. It was with some relief that she began.
"It was all rather theatrical, Inspector, but that is the way actors are. I didn't understand when I was first married but I came to see that most of my husband's friends carried roles on or off the stage."
She watched his eyes anxiously. They were clouded and gave no indication of what he was thinking.
"I tell you that first so you won't put too much meaning in things that happen or what is said."
"Tell me what happened and I'll judge the importance."
His tone was brusque but not unkindly and she noted with a tinge of surprise that she was not afraid of him.
She gave a brief outline of events as she remembered them—about Robey knocking Jerry down and Alma throwing a glass of wine at Grace. But she gave Robey's own explanation for his attack on Jerry and she didn't try to interpret Alma's action. She reviewed her own movements in detail.
"Do you have any idea why your husband asked his two former wives to this party?"
"He probably thought it would be amusing?"
"Did he consult you?"
"No. He never asked me about anything."
"Were you jealous?"
"Why, no. I was too—" She stopped. She couldn't say she was too frightened. "Interested," she finished.
"Can you remember how many steps you heard in the salon?" he went on without a pause.
She tried to remember but she couldn't. It had been so quick that she couldn't judge.
The Inspector went to the door and nodded to some one beyond. Then he closed it and came back to the chair. There was the sound of rapid steps on the glass border.
"Does that sound like the same thing you heard last night?"
Julia studied for a moment.
"As nearly as I can remember."
"Were you in love with him?" he asked abruptly.
Her eyes dropped from his. "No," she said softly. "But he had saved my life and I owed him something."
"Yes, I read about that," he said gently.
He stood up and walked to the window and back. He seemed to be weighing his next move. She met his glance steadily when he stopped beside the bed and looked down at her. The throbbing pain in her head had settled into a dull, ache but her mind was alert.
"Mrs. Baker, do you know your husband was killed?"
"No."
"But you think so?"
"You know more about what happened than I do, Inspector. I haven't talked to the others about what they saw."
Venable took a turn to the window.
Which will he be—a stupid policeman or a brilliant detective? she wondered.
A sudden doubt of Doctor Wandell entered her head. Why didn't he want her to tell about last night? Whom else was he protecting?
The Inspector sat down by her

bed again, and got out a note book.
"Where were you born?"
"In Radford, Virginia, on July 14, 1918."
"Where are your parents?"
"My father is dead. He died six years ago. My mother and youngest brother live on a ranch in Wyoming but, Inspector, please do not mention them. They'll never know about this trouble if I can help it. You see when I finished school here in the East mother wrote and confessed she didn't have enough money to send me to come home. That was only last year. It must have been pretty awful for her to do that. I'd been trying to get work in New York—and I had worked some."
Julia stopped. She was telling more than she needed to and it sounded too melodramatic.
"We don't need to tell that," he assured her gruffly. "About last night," he went on. "We don't know exactly where every one was because they were all moving around. Doctor Wandell said he sent Moore for spirits of ammonia. He had gone into the corridor outside and was looking for Miss Pratt and Moore. Hayes said he had just regained enough strength to get off the bed and no one was in the room when he heard Miss Dillard cry out. Miss Dillard had gone into the kitchen to get a glass of water, she said, and had left Baker at the window, leaning out. Steinway and Miss Jarvis were in the cocktail room, sitting at the table. That would explain why they didn't see Miss Dillard going to the kitchen. Mr. Harman was in the study looking at some changes your husband had made in a new play. I don't know where Miss Pratt was or where she'll say she was. I never saw a small party so well scattered as it was at that time."
"My husband was a strong man, Inspector. It would have been impossible to push him out of a window without a struggle."
"He could have been slugged first. An autopsy can't determine that now."
"But he was quick to sense things. He would have known he was in danger."
"He had had a lot to drink."
"I still believe he would have called out before he could be struck."
"Would he if it were a woman?" asked the Inspector.

SOLUTION FOR COTTON MART

More Efficient Production Urged In Meeting Strong Competitors

Raleigh, Jan. 4—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Anderson told the South today the only solution to its cotton problem is to produce the commodity so efficiently it can meet competitors without government subsidies.
"American cotton," Anderson asserted, "today faces the stiffest competition in its career. At home and abroad it must meet mass-produced synthetic fibers in the market."
"Foreign cottons are able to undersell it in the whole markets at present prices."
"This competitive problem," the secretary said in a speech prepared for a meeting of North Carolina farm leaders, "can't be solved in the long run by juggling party prices, or by export subsidies."
At present the government is paying a subsidy of four cents a pound on cotton exports to help meet lower prices of foreign competitors.
"Anderson said there is only one long-range solution:
"To produce cotton so efficiently and to improve its quality to such an extent that it can be grown profitably and still compete, quality considered, with foreign growths in the world market and with synthetic fibers at home and abroad."
This solution, the secretary added, will mean growing cotton on those lands to which it is best suited, and an industrial development of the South that will employ millions who now gain their living from the soil.
Anderson said his suggested solution may result in the growing and selling of just as much cotton or even more cotton, but on much less acreage and at a cost-per bale that

Colorful Pageant Will Be Resumed

Manteo, Jan. 4—(AP)—This small fishing town is reawakening itself for its return to theatrical business next July when "The Lost Colony," the story of the first attempted settlement of America in 1585, will be resumed after four years of war-imposed inactivity.
Sponsored by the Roanoke Island Historical Association, of which former Governor J. M. Broughton is president, the Paul Green epic played to almost 500,000 spectators and brought an estimated \$3,000,000 in total revenue to Dare County and the island of Roanoke in the five years it was performed before war called a halt after the 1941 season.
The company of 200 will perform in a new theater seating about 4,000, which is now being built on the exact spot where Sir Walter Raleigh's colonists landed in 1587.
A new, spectacular stage, which

Revival Of Religion Reported In Russia

Boston, Jan. 4—(AP)—A tremendous resurgence of religious faith in Russia, stemming from the perils and misery of war, was reported by the Rev. Leopold Braun— for 12 years the only Roman Catholic priest in the Soviet Union—in a copyrighted story in the Boston Traveler today.
Father Braun estimated that 70 per cent of the Russian population believe in God, although millions have no facilities for group worship. While he said the rise of religion in the Soviet Union was linked with patriotism, associated with Russian prayers for aid against the German invader, Father Braun expressed belief that the movement would survive and grow because young men and women were the guiding spirit of the revival.
Soviet officials appear to regard the impressive new movement with "benign tolerance," Father Braun added.

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LOANS	\$472,918.27
STOCK OF FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK	6,600.00
U. S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS	400,000.00
DIVIDEND RECEIVABLE—F. H. Loan Bank, & U. S. Government Bonds	1,816.00
CASH ON HAND AND DEPOSIT	50,565.81
FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT	1,173.86
WAR BOND REDEMPTION	37.62
TOTAL	\$933,111.56
LIABILITIES	\$858,169.63
PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNTS	8,858,169.63
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	1,028.18
LOANS IN PROCESS	46,697.91
RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED INTEREST	2,022.74
RESERVE FOR ACCRUED TAXES AND INSURANCE	228.84
RESERVE FOR FEDERAL INSURANCE	11,682.90
RESERVE FOR CONTINGENCIES	3,698.38
UNDIVIDED PROFITS	9,582.98
DIVIDENDS DECLARED AND UNPAID	NONE
TOTAL	\$933,111.56

FEDERAL INSURANCE PROTECTS EACH INDIVIDUAL'S ACCOUNT AGAINST LOSS UP TO \$5,000

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—COUNTY OF PITT (ss)

A. C. Tadlock, Secretary-Treasurer of the above-named Association, personally appeared before me this day, and being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

(Signed) A. C. TADLOCK, Secretary and Treasurer
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of January, 1946.

(Signed) MARY BELLE ELLIOTT, Notary Public,
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Firm, Crisp LETTUCE, 2 lbs.	23c	PREMIUM CRACKERS 1-lb Pkg	19c
Fancy Kiln Dried Sweet POTATOES, 3 lbs.	29c	PALMOLIVE SOAP 2 Bath Size	19c
Florida, Sweet, Juicy GRAPEFRUIT, 2 for (64 to 70 to Crate)	13c	CAMAY TOILET SOAP Cake	7c
Large, Crisp CARROTS, 2 bunches	15c	LUX TOILET SOAP Small Cake	7c
Sweet GREEN PEAS, 2 lbs.	35c	TOILET SOAP Cashmere Bouquet CAKE	10c
Fancy Texas BEETS, 2 bunches	15c	HURFF'S BRAND PORK and BEANS No. 2 1/2 Can	17c
New Crop COLLARDS, 2 lbs.	19c	WHITEHOUSE BRAND APPLE SAUCE No. 2 Can	18c
Fancy Texas SPINACH, 2 lbs.	21c	MOTT'S BRAND APPLE JUICE Quart Bottle	27c
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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

FEVER OF AVARICE A man whose business it is to advise people about investments has this sign hanging on the wall of his office: "Get six per cent and eat better; take three per cent and sleep better."

The word "avarice" means "the desire for more." One reason why money so often destroys men's souls is because it induces within them a burning desire to keep on getting more and more. People are not hurt spiritually by earning money, either in small amounts or large, but the very potential of their souls is eaten out by the burning fever of avarice. Get six per cent and eat well. This is good as far as it goes, but a quiet and secure mind is better. A little with contentment is above riches in its power to satisfy. Better security and sleep than surfeit and sleeplessness.

Being satisfied with what one has is an art which few men have the character or patience to develop. The desire for things led Judas to betray. The lust for increase puffs up little men like Napoleon and Hitler into world conquerors.

The more we are satisfied with what we have, the more things we discover in life which are truly satisfying.

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THREE OBSERVATIONS.

(Greensboro Daily News) Commenting on the assignment of Judge J. Paul Frizzelle of Snow Hill to preside over the special term of Pitt County Superior Court which will convene February 4 for the trial of cases against Roderick Davenport and others, growing out of alleged loan shark activities in Eastern North Carolina, Lynn Nisbet, in his capital correspondence to afternoon newspapers, gets back to the long-drawn-out Meadows trial, over which Judge Frizzelle also presided, and the cost which it entailed for state and county.

Writes Correspondent Nisbet: The record breaking Meadows trial put a big crimp in the Pitt County general fund, the judge drawing \$100 a week extra pay and per diem and expenses of the Pasquotank jury and numerous witnesses ran the total to nearly \$300 a week. The Davenport case will not run as high in cost, either to state or county, but it will further draw on the Pitt county budget.

The man who really is getting it in the neck is Solicitor Dave Clark, who gets no extra compensation for these big cases and has to carry on the criminal court work in the other counties in his district as well. The county paid the special judge's extra salary and the state paid special prosecuting attorneys, but there is no legal way to add to the solicitor's compensation. The Daily News' reaction to those observations are brief and we trust to the point. First off, we're delighted that Judge Frizzelle has drawn this assignment as the cause of justice is assured of thoroughness, diligence, even skillful guidance and needed patience in what is likely to prove a hard-fought and relatively long trial.

In the second place, we'd like to ask, even at the risk of exposing our ignorance on such matters, how come the county or anybody else had to pay a judge \$100 a week extra pay for doing the work for which we thought such officials are paid by the state on an annual basis, and that raised substantially by the last General Assembly.

In the third place, we have not seen or heard Solicitor Clark complaining of his assignment and anybody's inability to pay him more for what must be the sort of job he contracted to do when he offered for election to the solicitorship. Mr. Clark, we have a feeling, has been quite acceptably paid in the knowledge of a trying job exceedingly well done and the appreciation expressed and unexpressed, of those Tar Heel citizens whose first concern is for protection of the public interest and paramountcy of the law. We've previously made our manners to Mr. Clark and, if it will in the least help fill the monetary void which is his while everybody else connected with the Meadows case seems to have gotten extra pay, we hereby reiterate our previous expression and assure him



of our satisfaction over the way we are certain the state's case will be handled against Davenport et al.

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By MAX HALL (For Jack Stinnett) Washington—John L. Lewis wants the government to stay out of the way of corporations as well as labor unions. He is attacking the government for holding down prices. He frowns on the nationalization of coal mines, as planned in England. In a recent appearance before the house labor committee, Lewis boomed: "Let the politicians stand on their own feet. Let the industrialists stand on their own feet. And let's have a free America for a time."

The president of the United Mine Workers was testifying against President Truman's bill which would make major strikes unlawful until a fact-finding board has studied the dispute.

It was one of Lewis' most colorful appearances on Capitol Hill. He growled, rumbled, quoted Confucius, and talked back to the congressmen in the best Lewis manner. Whenever Lewis comes before a congressional committee, there is sure to be a standing room only.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Male child 2. Scotch mortar 3. Closing musical measure 4. Fish 5. Philippine mountain 6. Kind of horse 7. In this place 8. Channel from the shore inland 9. Flogged 10. Exhaustive colloq 11. Incision 12. Element for sodium 13. Govers 14. Salt 15. Bearing 16. Resolutor 17. Metric land measure 18. God of love 19. Rodent



During the recent labor committee hearing Lewis referred to Rep. Howard Smith (D-Va.) as "old Judge Smith" and "old Smith."

Smith was not present. Both Lewis and Smith live in Alexandria, Va., but they are a thousand miles apart in their labor philosophies. Rep. Clare Hoffman (R-Mich.) protested hotly against the reference to Smith's age.

Lewis rumbled sarcastically: "My dear sir, I have no idea that Judge Smith is any older than I am. It was a term of endearment."

Actually, Lewis, who is 65, is three years older than Smith.

Lewis testifies — without notes — in rolling Patrick-Henry-like phrases. For instance: "Take away my liberty and I'll fight you. I care not who you are."

At another point, Lewis frowned at the committee and declared: "Why, gentlemen of the Congress, you can't do that to Americans. Americans won't let you. And I don't think you want to. I think you have been deluded by all this fanfare about strikes. There is nothing wrong with this country right now."

Lewis apparently is not planning any let-up in aggressiveness. One congressman reproached Lewis because the strike record of the railway workers has been better than that of the miners.

Quickly Lewis exclaimed: "Naturally! And I think that's a safe assumption for the future."

The Nation . . .

(Continued From Page One) gram—as he bitterly noted last night—which he thinks essential to carry the nation into prosperity. Congress has remained numb to almost all of it. It would be one thing if Congress actually turned Mr. Truman down on the program. But it hasn't. It has for the most part done nothing, just left the program stalled.

What Mr. Truman wants is for the American people to tell Congress what it thinks of this program, for or against.

The World Today

(Continued From Page One) gravely, and are wondering just what the future holds for them. They don't see the end of the road—a fact to be remembered by observers who are watching political developments here.

Truman Foresees . . .

(Continued from page one) had sparked industrial unrest. But Green served notice that he's still against Mr. Truman's proposal to set up fact finding boards in labor disputes. This, he said, would be a "cure worse than the disease."

Congress returns January 14 from its holiday adjournment. "Unless we can soon meet the need of obtaining full production and employment at home," Mr. Truman asserted, "we shall face serious consequences. They will be serious not only in what they mean to the American people as such, but also in what they can do to our position as a leader among the nations of the world."

Therefore, in this "year of deci-



sion," Mr. Truman turned to "the most powerful pressure group in the world—the American people—the great mass of our citizens who have no special interests, whose interests are only the interests of the nation as a whole."

"Hitting at 'pressure groups' which he said are lobbying to 'take off' price controls, the Chief Executive said these restrictions and those over rents will have to be extended even beyond their Jun 30 expiration date. So, he said, will controls on scarce materials."

"Today the pressures for inflation are many times stronger than those which caused the inflation after World War I and which caused the 1920 depression," he asserted. Mr. Truman said: "Every day that production is delayed and civilian goods are kept from our markets by strikes or lockouts brings injury to our reconversion program. Already millions of dollars in wages have been lost to workers."

"Laboring men and women are using up their savings. It is for this reason that I urged the Congress to pass this legislation without delay."

"The time has come for every citizen of the United States to make his opinion known to his representative in the Congress. Once that is done, you may be sure that results will follow."

Mr. Truman expressed the hope, too, that legislators will talk to their constituents while home on vacation and that immediate lay on reconvening ten days hence they will "do something substantial about strikes along the lines I have suggested instead of merely talking about them."

He said he had hoped Congress

either would follow his recommendations or at least propose a solution of its own.

"It has done neither," he asserted. Saying that some spokesmen of both labor and management have "misrepresented" the purpose of his request, the Chief Executive declared his recommendations "are very clear."

Apparently referring to organized labor opposition to the measure, he continued: "In the setting up of fact-finding boards there is nothing harmful to labor. There is no reason why a strike cannot be postponed for 30 days. Nor is there any intention of taking away labor's right to strike. That right remains only an effort to find the truth, and to report it. He contended management is not hurt by the proposal either."

"No detailed information obtained from the books of any company is to be revealed," Mr. Truman declared with reference to his request that the fact finding boards be given power to subpoena company records. "It is nothing new to have the government get accurate information from a corporation. It is done by many federal agencies."

Tire Fire Chicago, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Fire swept through the block long adjoining plants of the Borin Art Products Corporation and the Western Tire Auto Stores, Inc., in suburban Cicero today, causing damage estimated by fire officials at \$1,000,000.

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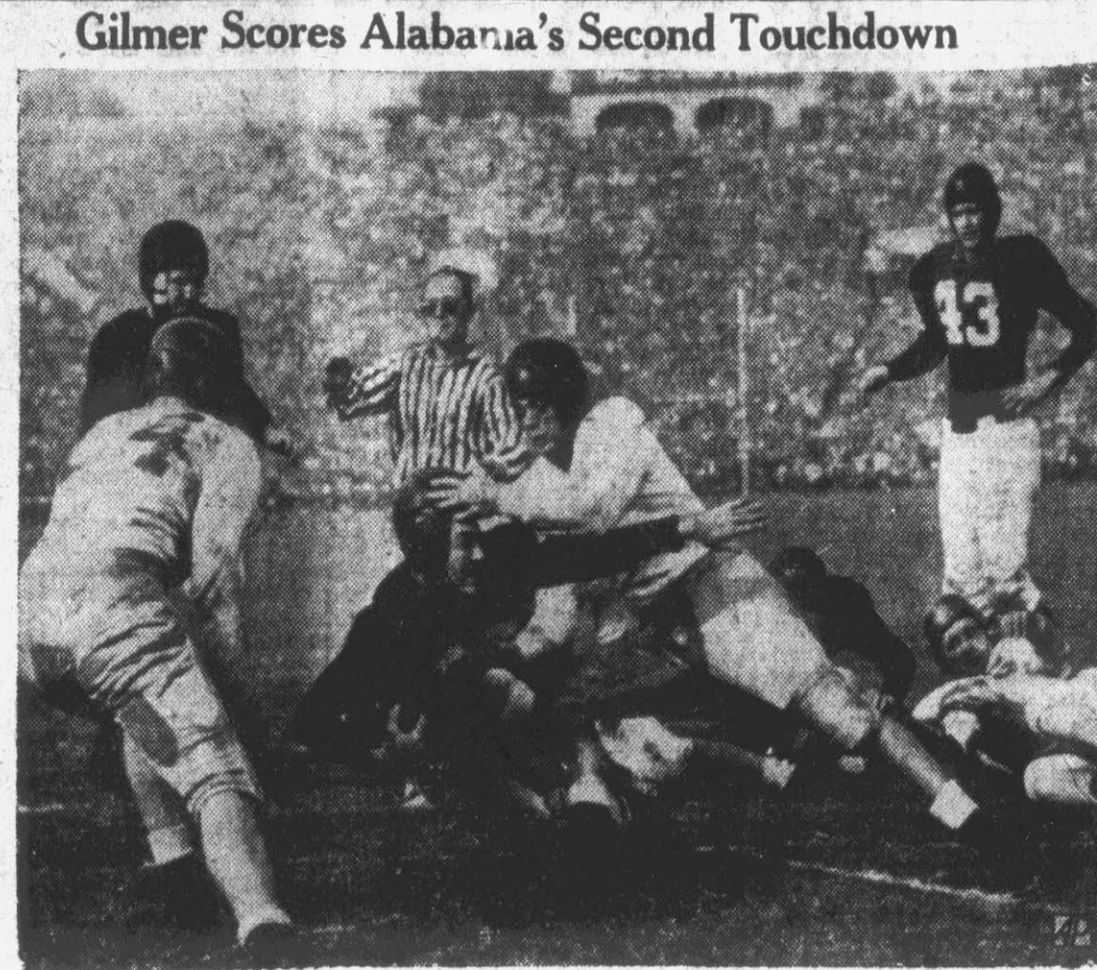
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Halfback Harry Gilmer (52) of Alabama dives across the goal line from the one-yard stripe to score Alabama's second touchdown against Southern California in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena New Year's Day. Quarterback Jerry Bowman of U. S. C. is trying unsuccessfully to stop him. At left is Halfback Bobby Morris (24) of U. S. C. Standing at right is Alabama Tackle Tom Whitley (43). Alabama won 34 to 14. (AP Wirephoto)

Hog Market

Raleigh, Jan. 4—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets active and steady with tops of 14.55 at Clinton and Rocky Mount and 14.90 at Richmond.

Grain Market

Chicago, Jan. 4—(AP)—Belief that considerably more cash corn and oats have been bought recently than reports indicate touched off more active selling of all grain futures today and prices were lower than yesterday's close most of the time.

New York Cotton

New York, Jan. 4—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 10 cents a bale higher to 5 cents lower.
Noon prices were 10 cents a bale higher to 10 cents lower March 24.62, May 24.55, July 24.38.
Futures closed 5 to 25 cents a bale lower.

	Open	Last	Prv. Cl.
March	24.62	24.59	24.60
May	24.54	24.52	24.54
July	24.37	24.34	24.38
Oct.	23.67	23.63	23.68
Dec.	23.59	23.54	23.59
March	23.46	23.43	23.46

Middling spot 25.23, unchanged.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 4—(AP)—Ralls, assorted industrials and utilities displayed timid rallying tendencies in today's stock market, but with dealings among the slowest of the past three months, many leaders held to the minus ranks.
Transfers approximated 1,000,000 shares for the full proceedings.

	Change
Case J I	43 1/2
Caterpillar Trac	67 1/2
Ches and O	55
Chrysler	132 1/2
Dow Chem	160 1/2
Dupont	183 1/2
Firestone	67 1/2
Gen Elec	47
Gen Mot	74 1/2
Goodrich	70
Goodyear	59
Johns Man	141
Ligg and Myers B	94
Param Pic	53
Penney J C	150
Penn R R	42 1/2
Pepsi Cola	35
Repub Stl	30
Reynolds B	37 1/2
Std Oil N J	67 1/2
Stewart Warner	22 1/2
Tex Co	69 1/2
Unit Corp	45 1/2
U S Steel	30 1/2

PIRATES PLAY HERE TONIGHT

Will Meet Jamesville All-Stars in Wright Building

The ECTC Pirates will meet the Jamesville All Stars at the Wright Building at the college this evening at 8 o'clock for their first basketball game for 1946. The Kingston Marines, with whom the Pirates were scheduled to play tonight, cancelled the game. They will play here on January 15 instead.

Prospects for Coach Earl Smith's quint are bright for the 1946 season. Practice began on December 31, and daily workouts of twenty players aspiring to the team have been held since.

The enrollment at the college of a number of war veterans has strengthened the team. Douglas Jones of Farmville and Tom Cox of Greenville, who played with the Pirates before entering service, are with the college team again. Otis Powell of Danville, Va., guard on the 1937 team, has also been attending practice.

Several Greenville boys who enrolled at the college this term are likely prospects for the team. Char-

Sports

By The Associated Press
Last night's basketball results:
East
Wyoming 57, Long Island 42.
South
Duke 52, South Carolina 35.
Davis and Elkins 56, Salem 52.
Kentucky Wesleyan 77, Berea 46.
Murray (Ky.) 63, Marshall 40.
Midwest
Northwestern 61, Brigham Young 41.
Great Lakes 52, Bowling Green 50.

Two of North Carolina's entries

in the Southern Conference fared successfully in away-from-home encounters last night, and one of the two—Duke's Blue Devils—will see action again tonight.

The Durham lads journeyed to Columbia, S. C., for a conference game with the University of South Carolina. And returned home with a 52-35 decision over the Gamecocks, their second conference victory of the season.

At Durham tonight, Duke will attempt to record its third conference victory at the expense of the Univ-

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HARRY: "The by-product recovered from grains used by distillers is very high in vitamin and protein content. It's the best feed supplement we can get to balance the rations we feed our dairy cows, livestock and poultry. Mixed with original grain, these dis-

tillers' dried grains have a much greater feeding value than the original grain has."
OLD JUDGE: "Have any trouble getting all you need?"
HARRY: "Yes, at times, even though the distillers produced 1,200,000,000 pounds of it for the year endin' last June. I hope they'll be in a position to produce a lot more next year."
OLD JUDGE: "Then I guess nobody can tell you grain is wasted in distilling."
HARRY: "Not me, Judge... I know."

ersity of Maryland. It will be the first of three games in the state for the Old Liners, who will play N. C. State tomorrow night and at North Carolina Monday.

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 San Francisco Jan. 3 — (AP) — Navy gunners were cheated by a Japanese submarine yesterday.

The undersea craft, captured near the Japanese home islands, had been taken on a tour of American cities in war bond drives.

Today, in tow of a tug, it was taken out to sea, to be sunk by the gunners. Flowing through heavy swells, about 60 miles offshore, the empty submarine was struck by a wave, listed, and sank before a gun could be trained upon it.

Less Butter
 Washington, Jan. 4 — (AP) — Civilian butter supplies will be 30,000,000 pounds leaner in the January-March period than during the last quarter of 1945.

The Agriculture Department has allotted civilians 369,000,000 pounds for the new period, but the tentative allotment for the April-June quarter of 470,000,000 pounds.

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PITT COUNTY MAN INVENTOR

Big Company To Manufacture Tobacco Handling Machine

By CHESTER WALSH
 Stanley Hathaway, 27, tobaccoist employed by Person-Garrett Tobacco Company, received a substantial cash payment Wednesday from the American Machine and Foundry Company, Brooklyn, N. Y., for exclusive right to manufacture and sell a tobacco leaf assorting machine which he invented. Sam H. Underwood, Jr., Hathaway's legal adviser, concluded the transaction. In addition, the manufacturing company is to pay Hathaway a royalty on each machine sold.

The invention represents many years of study and experimenting. The machine will make it possible for redrying plants to handle tobacco leaves more economically and will eliminate one or more hand operations, Hathaway said in an interview.

The manufacturing company sent an executive, an engineer and a patent attorney to Greenville to confer with Hathaway and investigate the merits of the leaf handling machine. They were impressed and lost no time handing over a substantial check to Attorney Underwood to bind the transaction. They indicated that the company will at once make plans for manufacturing the machines. Some of the machines will be available for the 1946 tobacco season, it is understood.

Incidentally, Hathaway, a Pitt countyman, was born in the Belvoir community. He had to leave high school before completing the course and go to work. He preferred the tobacco industry. After working a number of years he married. After marriage he went back to high school and graduated. He has been working for Person-Garrett Tobacco Company several years. Today the Greenville inventor was receiving congratulations from far and wide for his good fortune.

include all of its members.

In one of the three major strike threats, a walkout of 200,000 CIO packinghouse workers on January 18, two big meat packers, Armour & Co., and Wilson & Co., voiced protests.

Wilson & Co., in a statement declared the union's demand for a 25-cent an hour wage hike and its strike call was "wholly unwarranted and unreasonable." Armour & Co., in its statement, said that paying the union's wage demand "would increase Armour's wage and salary expenses by as much as \$40,000,000 a year."

Yesterday's mass demonstrations by union workers in many Stamford, Conn., industries in sympathy with more than 3,000 strikers at the Yale and Towne Mfg. Co., brought no immediate indication of a settlement of the nine weeks old labor dispute. The two hour demonstration virtually curtailed industrial operations in the city of 65,000. The strike stemmed from a demand by the AFL international association of machinists for a 30 per cent wage increase and a closed shop.

No major developments were reported in the threatened strike in the steel industry, which has been called for January 14 and which will idle some 700,000 CIO United Steel Workers.

Tomorrow officials of the CIO United Electrical Workers are scheduled to set a date for a nation wide strike of 200,000 employees in plant of the General Electric, General Motors and Westinghouse Electric. The union is demanding a 30 per cent wage boost.

The biggest single work stoppage is the strike of some 200,000 employees in General Motors plants, on strike since November 21 for wage boosts of 30 per cent, as demanded by the CIO United Auto Workers. Omr9-tSeargshrr atsthtth has hs

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 tions Relief and Rehabilitation Administration activities in Germany, had said that thousands of Polish Jews were entering the United States zone of occupation under a "well organized positive plan to get out of Europe."

From stories told by the Polish Jewish migrants, some of whom had been traveling from a fortnight to a month, Daniel said "three central facts" emerged:

"(1) That there is a regular underground organization working in Poland to assist the wholesale exodus of Jews from Poland to Palestine.

"(2) That this organization maintains secret collective centers in such cities as Lodz and Katowice.

"(3) That it gives Jewish refugees false papers and cash for the journey."

Washington, Jan. 4 — (AP) — Forty-four airports for which the government paid more than \$5,000,000 each have been or are likely to be declared surplus, congress was notified today.

The surplus property administration also reported that no government-owned patents, processes, techniques or inventions have been designated surplus, and that no such declarations are expected.

In its survey of federally-owned transportation facilities, SPA said the total reported cost of the 44 airports was \$343,000,000. SPA said that in accordance with terms of the surplus property act, none will be disposed of until first offered to state and local governments.

Jap Prison Officer Denies Starvation

Yokohama, Jan. 4 — (AP) — Japanese Lieut. Keli Yuri denied today

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 any purpose.

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that U. S. Marine Cpl. James Pavlokos of Chicago was starved at the Omuta prison camp where Yuri is commandant and said the American's death came as a horrible shock. "I was confident I had the best prisoner of war camp in Japan," he testified. "Each month I drew tangerines and even flowers as presents for the men." Yuri is charged with responsibility for the deaths of two U. S. prisoners of war, mistreatment of others and failure to provide adequate facilities.

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Secretary Knox . . .

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 of aircraft to the British, Chinese and the Russians.

Earlier, Admiral Harold R. Stark told congressional investigators that Secretary of State Hull handed his November 26, 1941 note of the Japanese withdrawal first informing the Army or Navy.

This note was later called an "ultimatum" by the Japanese and used as an excuse for war.

"Did Secretary Hull assume the great responsibility personally of handing the 10-point notice to the Japanese without informing the President or the war council?" asked Rep. Gearhart (R-Calif.).

"I don't think he would have without informing the President," but he did do it without informing the Army and Navy," replied Stark who was chief of naval operations at the time.

"Did you and Marshall protest?" asked Gearhart, referring to General George C. Marshall, then chief of staff.

"Not to my knowledge," replied Stark.

Hull already has testified that the November 26 note contained nothing that a peaceful country could not accept, but the Japanese were "hell-bent for war." There is also evidence that the task force which hit Pearl Harbor December 7, 1941 had already started before Hull gave the envoys the note.

Gearhart also discussed various testimony as to whether President Roosevelt expected war soon late in 1941, and on his surprise at the attack on Pearl Harbor.

"Why is there an assertion one moment that the President was surprised and at the next moment that he was not surprised?" the congressman asked.

Stark compared it to the situation of a person who does not expect to get hurt, but takes precautions against the possibility.

It is Gearhart's contention that Washington, admittedly surprised over the Pearl Harbor attack, acted seriously in criticizing Pearl Harbor commanders for being caught off guard.

Hess' Effort . . .

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 The report attributed to a "moderate group in England" a readiness to talk peace on a three-point basis.

1. Recognition of Britain's paramount interest in Greece, but only nominal interest elsewhere in eastern and southeastern Europe.

2. Restoration of occupied western European states.

3. Confinement of German colonial demands to former German territory along with modification of Italian demands.

Haushofer said the Swiss official expressed anxiety that "if the war continued every possibility would disappear of the same elements in England forcing Churchill to make peace, because then the Americans would be in a position to dictate the overseas activity of the empire. If once the rest of the native English aristocracy were deprived of its power then it would be impossible to speak one sensible word with Roosevelt and his circle."

Haushofer's list of "reasonable" Britons started off with "a leading group of the younger Conservatives, many of them Scots," and mentioned two Peers and three under secretaries of state.

He maintained this circle had

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The 7,000 CIO members of the American Communications Association in New York City, however, are set to quit work next Tuesday in support of demands for increased wages, and in protest against the WLB wage increase directive reported to aver age 12 cents an hour, but which the union said did not

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