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FRENCH CLAIM DEFEATS FOR VIET-NAMES

Beat Back Strong Christmas-Night Attack; Find Japs Among Dead

Paris, Dec. 27.—(AP)—The French claimed today to have beaten back a strong Christmas-night attack in Hanoi with heavy losses to Viet-Nam troops. They said eight Japanese bodies were found among the slain.

Colonial military authorities claimed other successes also in scattered clashes throughout northern Indo-China, scene of fighting since a week ago yesterday between the forces of France and of the Viet-Nam Republic.

A French column advancing toward Phulanhung, about 25 miles northeast of Hanoi, was reported to have passed Dap Cau, some 18 miles northeast, and to have cleared Viet-Namese from a wide area after repulsing a night attack of Dec. 25-26.

Viet-Namese with mortars and heavier artillery were said to have tried to drive back the defenders of Nam Dinh, 48 miles southeast of Hanoi.

Minor clashes were reported on the edges of the European quarter of Hue, Annam state capital, and in Tourane, 60 miles south of Hue, and Haiphong, port of Indochina.

The communique came amid mutual accusations of no armistice, leader of the Viet-Nam Republic, and the French.

A delayed dispatch from Saigon said the republic's underground radio broadcast on Christmas night a purported statement by Ho blaming the French for the outbreak in Hanoi, capital of the republic and of French Indo-China.

At about the same time, Ho was accused in Paris of having planned the revolt and having taken a conciliatory tone to screen preparation for it.

He is president of the republic which France last March recognized as a free state embracing Tonkin and Annam provinces, with membership in the federation of Indo-China and the French union.

Blum Reported May Visit U. S.

Paris, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Rumors persisted tonight that Leon Blum, Socialist interim president-premier, might fly to the U. S. to confer with Secretary of State Byrnes on the French-American dispute over the Saarland. The foreign office said it knew nothing of such a plan.

French establishment of a customs barrier between the Saar and the rest of Germany, and reports that factories elsewhere in the French zone were being stripped for the benefit of the Saar have disturbed American occupation authorities.

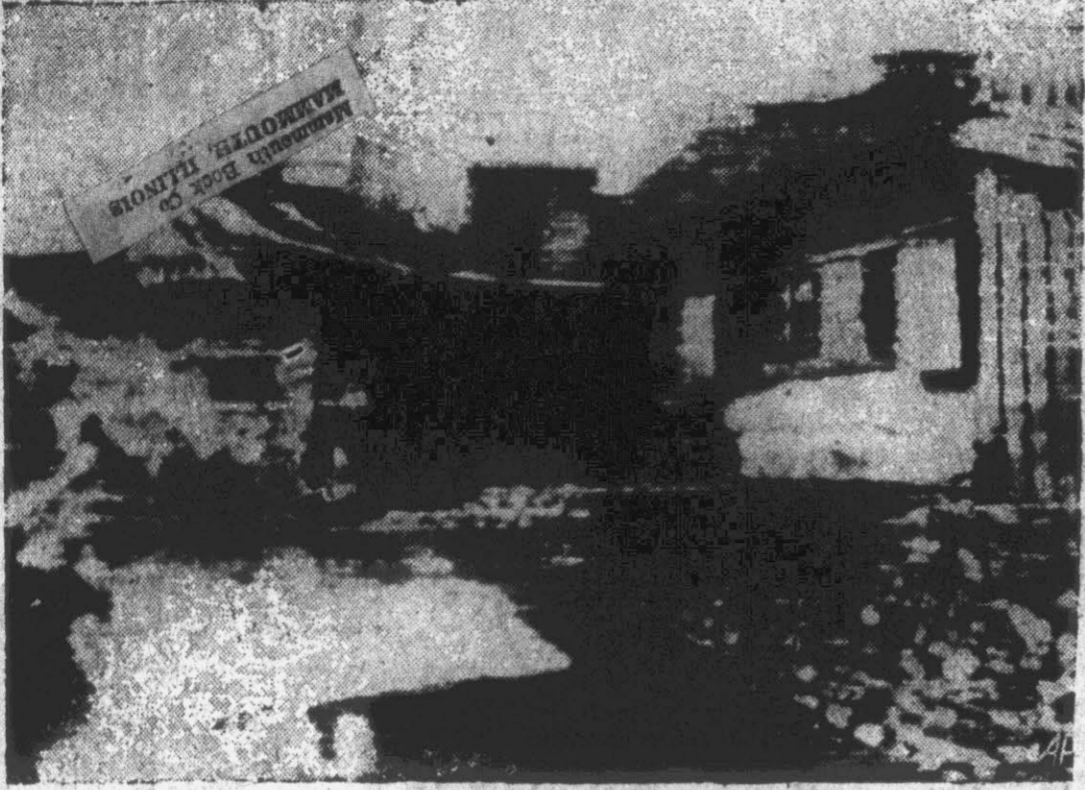
Seek Woman Who Put Baby's Body In Mail

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Postal inspectors reported today they were searching for a woman about 28 or 30 years old who mailed the body of a baby boy to a Bedford, N. Y., woman, from Annapolis, Nov. 2.

M. W. Brown and K. E. Moyer, inspectors from the Washington office, reported that the parcel containing the body had been mailed to Mrs. Jack Lucas of Bedford, N. Y.

The woman who mailed the package at the West Annapolis post office drove away in an automobile, the inspectors said.

First Picture Of Earthquake Damage In Japan



This is the first photo of the earthquake damage in Japan to be received in the United States. Transmitted from Tokyo by Army Signal Corps radio facilities, it shows damage in an unidentified city in southern Japan. Allied headquarters reported nearly a thousand Japanese dead or missing after the disastrous earthquake and tidal wave Saturday. (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps radio photo).

High Price Structure Takes Sharp Nose-Dive

Slump Led By Break In Wholesale Butter Markets; Major Cities Report Slashes In Many Cost-Of-Living Items

By the Associated Press

Prices for many cost of living items tumbled suddenly yesterday in major cities throughout the nation, led by a sharp break in the New York and Chicago wholesale butter markets.

The decline in the butter wholesale price brought an immediate drop of nine to 10 cents a pound in some of the principal chain stores in the East.

Egg prices likewise dropped sharply in a number of places, led by a wholesale decline of more than five cents a dozen in New York, and reductions in some food items were reported in New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Atlanta, Kansas City, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

At the same time, a cross-country survey by the Associated Press showed that many of the big department stores in major cities had slashed some clothing prices by from one-third to more than 50 per cent in an outbreak of post-Christmas and year-end sales.

Still unsettled, however, was whether the price drops were temporary or whether many of them would continue to hold or even extend their decline.

It was learned that in Chicago, retailers' associations there now were looking for pronounced general reductions in food prices in February and have been urging their members to get rid of their present stocks.

Grade A butter was selling as low as 74 cents a pound yesterday.

Meanwhile, other prices were dropping around the country. Newspapers in most major cities carried full page advertisements of department store announcing full-scale bargain displays. Here are some typical reports from metropolitan centers:

Washington—men's white shirts dropped from \$3.98 to \$1.98, nylon, at 72 cents a pair, mink coats reduced.

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Some industry leaders have estimated the claims may total between five and six billion dollars for payment to workers from the time consumed in traveling from a company's property entrance to their specific bench or machine where they work.

Suits were filed in nine cities yesterday seeking a total of \$114,123,000, and with previous suits brought the total amount sought to more than \$679,625,000. Also filed yesterday was a suit for an estimated \$50,000,000 against the National Biscuit Co. in New York City employees who contended the company did not pay them all of the overtime wages due in the last seven years.

Another suit filed yesterday was a surprise claim for \$2,000,000 against the t. Clemens (Mich) pottery whose workers were plaintiffs in the original case on which all other claims are based. In the pottery case Federal Judge Pickard in 1942 ruled in favor of the CIO United Pottery Workers Union in its claim that the company had required employees to be on the job before the time for which they were paid. The Supreme Court upheld the decision which resulted in the filing of the claims by various unions.

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No consular official was present (Continued on Page Four)

GEO. E. ALLEN RESIGNS POST AS RFC CHIEF

Resignation Will Be Effective One Year From Day Of Nomination

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—George E. Allen, smiling "court jester" of the Truman Administration, has turned in his resignation as chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The announcement, it was learned today, is being prepared for release at the White House.

The resignation is understood to be effective as of Jan. 22—one year from the day Allen's nomination to the RFC was sent to a then-skeptical Senate by President Truman.

Washington hasn't seen a show in years to top the committee hearing at which the round-faced Allen literally kidded himself into the chucking approval of the senators. Allen even met reports of his resignation with a wise-crack.

Called out of bed during the night as the reports spread, Allen drawled: "I have no comment to make any you can tell your readers that got-out-of-bed to make it."

When he took the \$10,000 a year post with the RFC, it was learned Allen said so with the verbal understanding that he would remain a year.

In what Truman intimates now terms "the black days" following the Nov. 5 election, Allen—like others in the inner circle—told himself a "never would think of leaving the" (Continued on Page Six)

STREAMLINER IN ACCIDENT

Crack Limited In Wreck; Around 40 Passengers Injured

New Orleans, Dec. 27.—(AP)—The Illinois Central Railroad's prize train, the all-Pullman streamlined Panama limited en route from Chicago to New Orleans, was wrecked today, and division officials at Merib, Miss., reported that about 40 passengers were injured.

Five or six cars of the 13-car train were derailed.

The accident to the sleek streamliner took place at Ruddock, about 31 miles northwest of New Orleans. Ambulances were summoned to take the more seriously hurt passengers to hospitals at Hammond and Ponchartraine.

The veteran conductor, J. H. Price, said he could not tell immediately what caused the wreck. He said the train was so torn up that it was impossible to say whether a broken rail was responsible, or whether a coupling broke.

Tobe Clements, one of the railroad's top flight engineers, was at the controls.

Joseph L. Rickoll, chief clerk of the Illinois Central here, said the conductor's report indicated no one was seriously hurt.

Ruddock is on a narrow, swampy, isthmus between Lakes Pontchartrain and Maurepas.

Rickoll said a coupling on the train broke, parting the last three cars from the others. The first two of the three detached cars left the rails.

Fayetteville Doctor Is Held For Assault

Fayetteville, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Police Chief L. F. Worrell reported that charges of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill have been placed against Dr. Elias Stein, physician at the Veterans' Hospital here, following an attack upon his wife.

UNIONS RUSH FILING SUITS

Portal-To-Portal Pay Claims Now Near \$700 Millions

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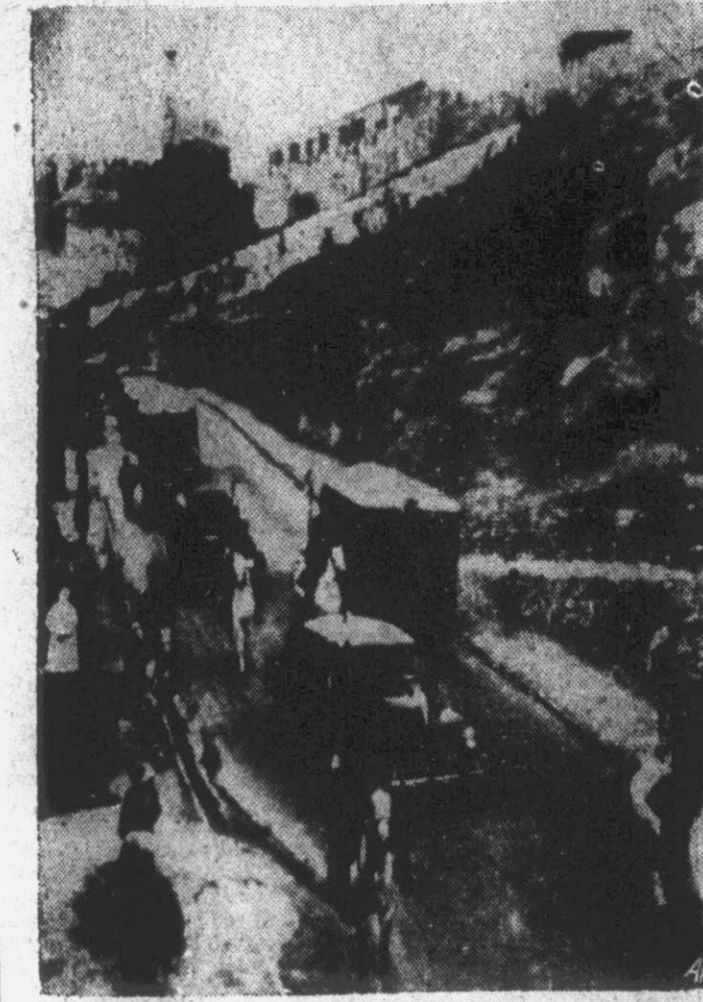
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President Submits Report On Lend Lease Accounting

Journey To Bethlehem — 1946 Style



With an escort of Palestine police, the car of Roman Catholic Patriarch Louis Barlassina, head of the Latin clergy in Palestine for 28 years, leads the traditional Christmas procession from Jerusalem to Bethlehem on Christmas Eve. The ancient Tower of David, part of Jerusalem's old city wall, appears in background. This picture, taken by AP Photographer J. Walter Green, was the first ever transmitted directly from Jerusalem to the United States, with automatic relay in London of radio signals. (AP Wirephoto).

Seventy Per Cent Of Program Marked "Paid"; No Negotiations As Yet With Russia, Yugoslavia, Poland And Czechoslovakia; Minor Operations Still In Effect

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—President Truman informed Congress today that 70 per cent of the nation's Lend-Lease aid has been marked paid, and expressed conviction that the accounting would prove "one of the foundations of economic stability in the post war world."

In his 23rd report on the war time mutual aid program, the chief executive said that the total U. S. aid through September 30 amounted to \$50,682,000,000, of which this country will recover substantially more than \$10,000,000,000 in reverse Lend-Lease and payments.

A full dollars and cents settlement never was anticipated by this government. Mr. Truman weighed into the cold statistics of the accounting an emphatic assertion and reminder that the work of the international swapping arrangement in achieving victory "can never be satisfactorily" measured in monetary terms.

There was only a terse reference to Russia—next to Britain the largest recipient of American aid. Britain, with which a settlement has been reached, received 65 per cent of the total. The Soviets got 23 per cent.

Mr. Truman said Russia has been invited to open negotiations on a settlement but there was no indication of what has prevented the starting of talks. Similarly, the report said that it has not as yet been possible to start active negotiations with Yugoslavia, Poland and Czechoslovakia.

Highlights in the chief executive's report since his last report:

1. Final agreements have been made with Britain, France, India, Australia, New Zealand, Belgium and Turkey. These include the principles that the countries settle Uncle Sam's wartime debts within their borders, incorporate a technical clause for recovery by this country of leased military equipment, and make payment for activities after V-J Day.

2. Canada's account is considered closed because the dominion paid for all supplies and materials obtained in this country; settlement negotiations are in progress with South Africa, Norway, Greece and the Netherlands; and except in a few cases such as Brazil, only relatively minor matters remain to be settled.

3. The Michigan senator disclosed his request as he emerged from a meeting of the Republican steering committee, called to consider plans to bar Bilbo from his seat.

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Ferguson said he wanted to hear direct testimony from Dr. A. J. Podesta of Vicksburg, Miss., Dr. James Logan and John Carr of Natchez, Miss.

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Chicago, Dec. 27.—(AP)—A geologist declared today that oil may yet be discovered in the rock formations beneath Virginia and North Carolina.

In a paper presented today to the 59th annual meeting of the Geological Society of America, Dr. E. Willard Berry, professor of geology at Duke University, Durham, N. C., said unusually deep formations in the Tidewater area met specifications of oil-bearing strata.

Dr. Berry said a strong indication that oil beds might be found at depths in the neighborhood of 15,000 feet below southeastern Virginia and eastern North Carolina was found in evidence that a thick series of ocean-laid rock strata underlies the relatively thin sediments of the Piedmont and Coastal Plains, and thickens rapidly in a seaward direction.

That alone might have been the officials here if they had wanted to let the world know that they do not like the way the Russians are running things in Dairen.

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A two hour extension was granted by a Russian port officer.

Toward the end of that time this officer reminded the American authorities they would have to leave in 30 minutes. Otherwise, he said, he could not be responsible for the consequences.

The State Department could have protested that the Russian authorities (Continued on Page Four)

Sen. Mead Asked To Reopen Bilbo Probe

ORDERS PROBE BUTTER SLUMP

Market Manipulation Claims Bring Action By Anderson

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Anderson today ordered an investigation of yesterday's break in New York butter prices.

The investigation will cover consumer complaints that the market had been manipulated to prevent a drop in producer prices of milk in the metropolitan area during January.

In announcing the inquiry, an aide to the secretary said Anderson does not see in the butter price break any sign of a widespread decline in prices of other farm and food prices.

The investigation will center on reports that organized milk producers had been buying butter for the purpose of maintaining in January the December milk price of \$5.46 per hundred pounds.

Anderson's aide said representatives of the Agriculture Department are in New York today checking on buying operations in the butter market during recent weeks.

Anderson's aide said the matter may come under the purview of the Commodity Exchange Act, designed to prevent price manipulation in the commodity markets.

Following charges of "rigging" in the New York market, the National League of Competitive Association said in a statement it had been working to protect present milk prices.

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Promise Action On "Portal-Pay"

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Two influential Republicans predicted today Congress will act quickly to limit portal to portal pay suits which would cost employers billions of dollars.

Rep. Wolcott (Mich.), who will be chairman of the House banking committee in the new House, said distress signals from business men are so strong "we'll have to do something about it."

Rep. Michener (Mich.) expressed belief the judiciary committee which he will head will tackle the issue without delay.

Republicans Plan Means To Bar Bilbo From Seat; Group Drafts Tough Report On Findings; Want More On Narcotics Issue

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) today asked reopening of a Senate committee investigation of Theodore G. Bilbo in order to hear further testimony on an allegation that the Mississippi senator received money from a man who wanted help in obtaining narcotics.

Ferguson told reporters he had telegraphed Chairman Mcade (D-NY) of the war investigating subcommittee requesting reopening of hearings on Monday.

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Incident Dismissed

Russian Conduct In Dairen An Opportunity For Diplomatic Exchanges; Slightly Overlooked By American Authorities; U. S. Policy Still Unchanged

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—The United States passed up this week an opportunity to blast Russian conduct in China.

It chose instead to dismiss lightly an incident which only a little while ago might have been the subject of considerable diplomatic huffing and puffing.

The State Department's attitude gives more than usual meaning to the forced departure of an American ship from Soviet-controlled Dairen 10 days ago.

The ship went there to deliver mail and supplies to the American consul general. It had Soviet permits. It took along an American mission to enter and remain 48 hours in Dairen, and two newspapermen, and American authorities negotiated for permission for them to enter Dairen without prior clearance from Moscow.

This permission was refused, subject of complaint by American

Federated Indonesia Netherlands Putting Last Touch To Treaty Recognizing Independence Of United States Of Indonesia; Hollanders Hope For Economic Relationship

By GLENN BABB

Gradually The Netherlands, a community of some 9,000,000 Europeans, is putting into written form the admission that she no longer possesses the power to hold 70,000,000 Indonesians in colonial subjection. Under a series of agreements she is writing her hopes that despite the end of political domination the economic ties that before the war bound the Indies to the mother country can be salvaged for the empire that is slipping away was one of the richest ever held by a European power; if it is lost completely it would be a disaster to Dutch economy whose effects might be felt throughout Western Europe.

The Netherlands East Indies formed one of the most glittering prizes for which the aggressors of World War II reached out. But for their wealth of oil, rubber, tin and other basic commodities the whole

course of the Pacific war might have been different. Japan's warlords were of two minds, torn between a desire to grab the Indies and build an economically self-sufficient and impregnable empire and the urge to settle accounts with Soviet Russia while Hitler was driving on Moscow. Had the latter motive prevailed it might have been Vladivostok instead of Pearl Harbor, the United States might never have entered the war, the whole course of the conflict might have followed channels that challenge the imagination.

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Social and Personal

Pic. Edward T. Clark, 88th Division, U. S. Army, who was on duty in Italy the past 14 months, returned here today. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. B. T. Clark.

Misses Thelma and Shirley Babbitt arrived last night from Danielson Conn., to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tyson and M. E. Tyson, Jr., of Elkin, N. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tyson.

Mrs. George Gorton, Jr., and little son, Dean, of Wilmington are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tyson.

Mrs. Wm. Walker and daughter, Dot, are spending the holidays with her father, Mr. S. G. Worthington, in Winterville.

W. F. Evans of New York is spending a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Gregory and J. B. Jr., of Hamlet, N. C., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Howard.

Mrs. J. H. Rose left yesterday for Georgiana, Ala., to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Carr, Jr., returned to Tallahassee, Florida, Thursday morning after spending Christmas with Mrs. J. F. Carr.

Miss Nannie Moye has just returned from a trip to Atlanta, Ga., where she visited her sister, Mrs. H. P. Lawson.

Miss Jane Smith of Richmond is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Bruce Warren, 56-1/2, U. S. N. R., stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., is spending several days with his grandmother, Mrs. Susie Warren.

Mr. Dan House of New York and Cincinnati is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. House.

Miss Carol Winters of New York and Louisville is the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. House. Miss Winters is a well known professional Broadway dancer and entertainer.

James B. Worsley, Jr., and Richard K. Worsley are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Worsley.

James M. (Jimmy) Ward, Jr., U. S. Navy, stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is spending a 14-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Ward.

Mrs. C. A. Bowen is visiting her brother, Mr. Edward Beatty, in North Arlington, N. J.

Miss Mary Alice May returned to Durham yesterday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loan May.

Page-Cayton

In an informal candlelight ceremony the marriage of Miss Ethel Louise Cayton of Greenville to Lt. Lester D. Page of Greenville and Augusta, Ga., was solemnized at the Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church on December 18 with the Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw officiating. A program of music was rendered by Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley, organist and Mrs. J. Herbert Waldrop, soloist.

Ushers were Paul Scott, Jr., and John Ray Hardy.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Paul E. Brown, was her matron of honor. She wore a black dress with accessories to match and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The bride entered with her brother-in-law, Hugh E. Brown by whom she was given in marriage. She wore a suit of gray wool gabardine with black accessories and carried a white satin bound prayer book topped with an orchid and showered with satin ribbons and stephanotis. Sergeant Lester D. Page, father of the bridegroom, attended his son as best man.

The mothers of the bride and bridegroom wore black suits with accessories to match and their corsages were red carnations. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a trip to the mountains of North Carolina. Upon their return they will be stationed in Augusta, Georgia, where Lt. Page is undergoing treatment at Oliver General hospital.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hunnicutt of Bethel, announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Susan, on Wednesday, December 25, in Pitt General hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Healy, of Detroit, Mich., announce the birth of a son, Tommie Harris Healy, on Thursday, December 26, 1946. Mrs. Healy is the former Miss Edna Harris of this city.

Howard-Turnage

The wedding of Miss Betty Lou Turnage of Washington, D. C. and Greenville to Charles Washington Howard, Jr., of Greenville, was solemnized on Saturday, December 21st at 5 o'clock in the afternoon at the Eighth Street Christian Church with the Reverend Dr. H. G. Haney, pastor of the church, officiating, using the double ring ceremony. Baskets of white chrysanthemums interspersed with glowing cathedral tapers in branched candelabras

Social Calendar

FRIDAY 9:00 p. m.—German Club dance at the Country Club. SATURDAY 11:30 a. m.—Miss Peggy Rose Smith will entertain at a coca cola party honoring Miss Della Frances Perry, bride-elect.

Mrs. Charles W. Howard Jr.



were used against a background of fern and evergreens.

Prior to the ceremony a program of wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Paul Davenport, Sr., organist. Mr. Wilmer Parker of Ozark, Alabama sang "Oh Perfect Love," "Because," and as a benediction the "Lord's Prayer" was sung.

Ushers were J. B. Kittrell, Jr., Karl Pace, Jr., Ed Rawls, Jr., Edwin G. Moore, Burney Warren, Jr., and Richard Stokes, III of Greenville.

Mrs. Frank Adams of Washington, D. C. and Tunica, Miss. was the matron of honor. Her dress of American Beauty faille was fashioned with a fitted bodice, drop shoulders and full bouffant skirt, wearing white octrich tips in her hair. She carried an arm bouquet of white roses, with blue sweet peas and forget-me-nots tied with white satin ribbon.

Bridesmaids were Miss Patricia Myers of Silver Springs, Md., Mrs. Gilbert R. Roberts, Jr., of Washington, D. C., Miss Josie Barnes White and Miss Joyce Corbett of Greenville. They wore becoming frocks of French blue faille, made identical to that of the matron's, wearing American Beauty ostrich tips in their hair, and carried arm bouquets of American Beauty roses tied with matching satin ribbon.

John Howard of Greenville, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Master Jimmy Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Long, was ring bearer and wore a miniature dress suit. Little Miss Grayson Waldrop, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Waldrop, was the flower girl. She wore a frock of petal pink net over satin, made similar to those worn by the bridesmaids and carried an old-fashioned nosegay of small pink rosebuds.

The bride entered with her brother, Harvey W. Turnage, Jr., of Washington, D. C., by whom she was given in marriage. Her wedding gown of white satin was made with a moulded fitted bodice and a drop shoulder of white net embroidered in seed pearls, with long sleeves ending in a calla lily point over the hand and a full flowing skirt ending in a long circular train. Her veil of misty imported illusion cascaded from a tiara of white satin entwined with seed pearls. She carried an arm bouquet of Bride's roses centered with a white orchid showered with satin ribbons and stephanotis.

Mrs. Turnage, mother of the bride, wore a dress of fushia crepe with matching hat and accessories and a natural orchid.

Mrs. Howard, mother of the bridegroom, wore a black crepe dress with a yoke of flesh chiffon trimmed with cut steel beads and matching accessories. She also wore an orchid.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Harvey W. Turnage and the late Mr. Turnage of Silver Springs, Md., and Farmville, N. C., and the granddaughter of Mrs. W. J. Turnage of Farmville and Mrs. W. S. Galloway of Greenville. She is also the niece of Lt. Gen. Allen H. Turnage, who is now in command of Marines in the Pacific, stationed at Honolulu. She attended school at Salem Academy at Winston-Salem and was graduated from Southern Seminary Junior College at Buena Vista, Va. She attended the University of Maryland last year.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Howard, Sr., of Greenville. He graduated from Woodberry Forest School, Woodberry Forest, Va., in 1942, and was a student at the University of North Carolina where he was a member of Sigma Nu Fraternity. He entered the Army in 1943 and served two years in the European Theatre. He will return to the University in January to continue his studies.

Immediately after the ceremony Mrs. W. S. Galloway, Mrs. Matt Long and Mr. Gentry Galloway entertained at a reception at the Country Club for members of the wedding party, intimate friends and out-of-town guests.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Howard left for a wedding trip to New York City and Lake Placid, N. Y. For traveling the bride wore a suit of royal blue gabardine with matching hat and shoes, bag and gloves of brown suede and the orchid from her wedding bouquet.

Among hosts and hostesses entertaining for the bride and groom were Miss Edna Mumford, Mrs. Ray Wase, Miss Joyce Corbett, Miss Rosalie Taylor, Mrs. F. A. Bendall,

Mrs. M. T. Simpson, Miss Josie Barnes White, Mrs. Durwood Tucker and Miss Eloise Tucker, Miss Rachel Fleming, Mrs. Clyde Webb, Mrs. Ty Wagner, Mrs. Graham Flanagan, Mrs. N. S. Beard, Mrs. J. Con Lanier, Mrs. Phillip E. Coleman, Miss Alice Ruth Budy, J. B. Kittrell, Jr. and Miss Frances Kittrell, Miss Nancy Hannah, Sidney Johnson, Ed Rawls, Jr., Clifton Hugh Edwards, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore of Greenville, and Mrs. Arthur Joyner and Miss Mary Anne Townsend. Miss Ann Jones, of Farmville, Mrs. Montgomery Adams and Mrs. William Clinton Murray of Washington, D. C.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Arthur Myers, Miss Patricia Myers, Silver Springs, Md., Mrs. Anne Neal, Mrs. Marcia Melum, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Murray of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Webster, M. W., Jr., Thad and Hudson Wester of Henderson, N. C., Mrs. E. R. Burke, La Grange, N. C., Mrs. Frank Adams, Tunica, Miss, Mr. Wilmer Parker, Ozark, Ala., Mrs. Walter C. Jones, Mrs. Sterling Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mitchell of Kingston, N. C., Mrs. A. T. Slater, Miss Leah Day Pope, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Woodall of Durham, N. C., Mr. Fred Creswell, Alexandria, Va., Mr. Matt Long, Jr., Roxboro, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts, Williamston, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Joyner, Mrs. Vernessa Townsend, Mary Anne Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Joyner, Jr. and Mrs. M. V. Jones, Dr. & Mrs. W. M. Willis, Miss Ann Jones, Mrs. W. J. Turnage, Mr. W. J. Turnage, Jr., Marvin Horton, Jr., of Farmville, N. C., Mrs. Susie Edwards and James Edwards of Snow Hill, N. C., Mr. Bill Gaither, Mr. Herbert Small, Elizabeth City, N. C., Miss Mary Anne Henderich, Alexandria, Va., Miss Mary Lou Alden, Beverly Hills, California, and Miss Elizabeth Hackney, Wilson, N. C.

On Friday evening immediately following the rehearsal for the "Howard-Turnage" wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Howard graciously entertained at their home on East Fifth Street.

On arrival the guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Howard and introduced to Miss Turnage and Mr. Charles W. Howard, Jr. Beautiful arrangements of red roses, red carnations and poinsettias presented a lovely picture in the dining room, library and sun room. Mrs. Frank Montgomery Adams and Mr. John Howard directed the guests to the punch room, where Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Long presided. Miss Josie Barnes White and Mr. Ed Rawls, Jr., invited the guests into the dining room. The dining room table was indeed a thing of beauty with its covering of an imported cut work cloth, centered with an exquisite arrangement of white snap dragons, white carnations, Chinese mums and stavia, carrying out the color scheme of green and white. A similar arrangement graced the buffet.

At one end of the table was a lovely three tiered wedding cake iced in green and white, surmounted by a miniature bride and groom, while at the other end was a silver platter filled with moulded bridal ices. Mrs. W. S. Galloway, grandmother of the bride served the ices and dafter the bridal party had cut the wedding cake, Mrs. Harvey Turnage, mother of the bride, served cake salted nuts and decorative mints to the other guests.

About seventy-five guests enjoyed this lovely affair. A wedding breakfast was given on Saturday, December 21 at 12 o'clock by Miss Nancy Hannah at her home on Country Club Drive, honoring Miss Betty Lou Turnage and her wedding attendants.

The rooms where the guests were received were beautiful with holiday greens and attractive Christmas decorations. Mrs. Lee Hannah, mother of the hostess, served breakfast in two courses. During the hour Miss Turnage presented her attendants with initialed silver bracelets. At the same hour on Saturday, Ed Rawl, Jr. was host at breakfast honoring Charles W. Howard, Jr. and his groomsmen.

Covers were laid for 18 in the dining room and at small tables in the living room. A bowl of red carnations centered the table in the dining room to carry out a color scheme of red and white used throughout the home. Mr. Howard presented his groomsmen initialed gold pen knives.

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Tucker-Cozart
Miss Anna Ruth Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herman Tucker of Simpson, became the bride of Bruce Inmay Cozart, son of Mrs. W. H. Cozart and the late Mr. Cozart of Greenville, in a ceremony on Friday evening, December 20th at 8 o'clock in Salem Methodist Church in Simpson.

The Rev. Herbert Bradshaw officiated.

Carlton Huband, pianist, played and Miss Elizabeth Bridges sang "Because I Love Thee" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of duchesse satin fashioned with high necklined collar of imported lace, brocaded with beaded pearls, mutton leg sleeves, long fitted bodice and a full skirt ending in a train.

A finger-tip veil of bridal illusion was worn. The bride carried a prayer book topped with a white orchid and showered with Stephanotis.

Miss Jean Tucker of Simpson, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of Nile green net fashioned along similar lines of the bride's dress. She carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

The bridesmaids were Misses Martha Bland of Greenville and Myra Boyce of Edenton. The junior bridesmaids were Sarah Stancil and Mattie Stancil both of Greenville. They wore dresses of net in pastel shades and carried nosegays of mixed flowers with contrasting ribbons.

The bridegroom's brother, Jimmy Cozart, of Greenville, was best man. Groomsman were Mahlon Tucker and Mitchell White of Greenville, Billy Tucker and Jay Brooks Tucker of Simpson.

Bradsher, Eleanor James, Lois Brandt, Peggy Rose Smith, Shirley Savage, Jean Hilton, Catherine Spearman and Mary Ruth Carter.

Presbyterian Announcements
The church school for the whole family meets at 9:45 a. m. each Sunday morning. Persons not enrolled in a church school are invited to come and enroll in our school. The Men's Bible Class meets at 10 a. m. Roy Coburn, president; Judge a. m. Roy Coburn, president; Judge James, teacher. The class for women meets at 9:45 a. m. Miss Kate Lewis is the teacher. Preaching services at 11 a. m. Dr. Boyd, pastor, will preach on the subject, "What Jesus Brought to Earth at His Birth." Text Matt. 1:21.

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated January 5th, as the first communion of the new year. All members are urged to be present.

Twin Oaks Chapel school will meet as usual Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This is the last Sunday in the year. Those working for the pin to be given for a perfect attendance should be on hand and check the record with their teacher.

Rev. L. C. Johnson to Preach
Rev. L. C. Johnson of Tupelo, Miss., will preach at the Greenville Free Will Baptist Church Sunday, December 29, at the 11 o'clock hour and also at the 7:30 service. Rev. Johnson is one of the outstanding evangelists of the Free Will Baptist denomination. He is a forceful speaker and a great power for the cause of Christ. He has conducted revival campaigns in each of the Black Jack and Gum Swamp Free Will Baptist churches. The tremendous crowds that attended his services gave evidence as to the esteem in which he was held by all who met him and heard him preach. The public is cordially invited to attend each of these services and hear this great man of God speak.

Community Sing
There will be a community sing at the Greenville Free Will Baptist Church Sunday evening, December 29th at 7:30 o'clock. It has been the practice of this church for several years to conduct a community sing each Fifth Sunday evening during the year. This service will feature congregational singing, solos by the choir, male quartets, duets and solos. Rev. L. C. Johnson of Tupelo, Miss., will be with us and he will be given the privilege to speak for a few minutes. A most enjoyable evening of soul stirring music and songs await every one who wishes to attend. Please be on time in order to get a good seat.

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After a period of fellowship they were invited into the dining room where Mrs. L. L. Kittrell of Arden presided over the punch bowl and served fruit punch to the forty

guests assembled. Open faced sandwiches in the shape of Santa Clauses, Christmas trees, and holy wreaths; individual cakes, decorated in the Christmas motif, salted nuts and candies completed the table appointments. Hot biscuits filled with country ham and sausage, were passed at intervals.

Returning to the music room everyone gathered around the piano and sang the ever beautiful and familiar carols. The children ranging in ages from four months to sixteen years, added their songs, piano solos, or stunts to the occasion. Then Mr. Kittrell, as Santa Claus, found under the brilliantly lighted tree; a gift for each one present. He made a speech of appreciation to his employees, thanking them for their faithfulness and loyalty to the firm the past year and delivered bonus checks to each.

Good-byes were said and the children left chanting Merry Christmas until next year.

Election of Officers
The annual election of officers for the men's Bible class of the Eighth Street Christian Church will be held next Sunday morning, December 29. All members are urged to be present. Visitors welcomed as usual.

W. C. T. U. Notes
Dr. E. Stanley Jones, as quoted in the First Church Life of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, says: "We must now turn to another unnatural desire and ask whether it has any place in the life of a disciplined Christian—the use of tobacco. The time is ripe for we have been propagandized until we were thinking that to use tobacco was the only thing to do; for everybody was using it. Now the reaction is beginning to set in; we are finding out that chain smoking, chain drinking and chain living are undermining the health of America. The doctors are telling us of the effect of all smoking and the mounting evidence is startling."

"A heart specialist said to me: 'Of all the poisons that man takes into his system for his supposed pleasure, the worst poison is tobacco. One puff of a cigarette and you can register the effect upon the arteries; they tighten up and cause the heart to work faster.'"

"Why is it that insurance statistics tell us the mortality from pneumonia among smokers is double that of the non-smoker?"

Two large dry organizations held a convention the latter part of November, with forward-looking programs and eminent speakers — The Anti-Saloon League and the first biennial convention of the National Temperance Movement, Incorporated.

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Birth Announcement
Sgt. and Mrs. O. V. Peters wish to announce the birth of a son, Michael Stanley, December 14, at the U. S. Naval hospital, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Mrs. Peters was formerly Miss Bernice Mills of Greenville, N. C.

Masonic Notice
There will be a special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. and A. M. Saturday evening at 7 o'clock for work in the Master Masons Degree. Visiting Master Masons are cordially invited.

By order W. F. OWENS, Master.

Miss Perry Honored
On Saturday, December 21, Mrs. George Harrison, Jr., of Williamston, very graciously entertained at bridge luncheon, and linen shower honoring Miss Della Frances Perry, bride-elect.

The home of the hostess was beautifully decorated in keeping with the Yuletide season. The honoree's place was marked with a corsage of red carnations.

After a delicious luncheon three progressions of bridge were played during which ice cold coca colas were served.

Miss Jean Hilton was winner of high score. Second high went to Mrs. J. R. Carrington. Miss Virginia Brooks won the floating prize.

The hostess presented Miss Perry silver in her chosen pattern. The honoree was recipient of many lovely and useful gifts.

Honored at Bridge
Miss Catherine Ann Jolly and Miss Lina Worthington entertained Monday evening at Miss Lina Worthington's home at a bridge party, and surprise linen shower honoring Miss Della Frances Perry, bride-elect.

The house was decorated with holly, pine needles, and a Christmas tree.

The tables were covered with linen cloths and were centered with white candles in glass holders.

Iced drinks were served during progressions and ice cream, bridal cakes, nuts, cookies, and mints were served after the game. Mrs. J. R. Carrington was a refreshment guest.

The hostesses presented Miss Perry with a gift of silver in her chosen pattern and a corsage of white flowers.

The guests included Misses Virginia Brooks, Betsy Parkerson, Frances Hobgood, Ruth Taylor, Edith Bowles, Nancy Hannah, Mary Rose Crisp, Kay Van Nortwick, Ione

Receives Citation
Lt. Cdr. Hunter Bernard Keck, Jr., USNR, son of H. B. Keck of Greenville, N. C., has received a permanent citation of the Air Medal from Secretary of the Navy, James Forrestal, for the President.

Lt. Cdr. Keck, who has been released to inactive duty, earned his award in aerial flight operations against the enemy forces in the western Pacific.

During the war, citations were temporary, or incomplete, for security reasons.

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Wilson's Weekly Bulletin
By George Rector
Food Consultant to Wilson & Co.

Ring Out the Old! Ring In the New!
Let's put out the "welcome" mat for 1947 by inviting in a few close friends on New Year's Eve. The midnight snack will be easy to prepare... delicious to eat... if you heed the suggestions given below.

Midnight Snack Tray

Center: Mor "scallops." Cut 1 can Mor into 50 cubes. Dip in slightly beaten egg mixed with 1 tsp. milk, dredge with sifted crumbs and fry in shallow fat about 3/4 inch deep until brown.

Center front, reading clockwise: Cornucopias made of Certified New England Brand Sausage filled with potato salad; Certified Braunschweiger; Certified Thüringer; Certified Dutch Brand Loaf (slices cut in quarters); and Certified Salami.

On plate at right rear: Potato chips filled with Certified Ham Salad. Celery roses. To prepare, clean celery, spread outside of stalks with Certified Deviled Ham and press stalks together to resemble original bunch. Wrap firmly in waxed paper and chill. Slice just before serving.

Cocktail Sauce (left rear): Mix together 1/4 cup ketchup, 1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce, 2 tsp. horseradish, 1/4 tsp. grated onion, and 1 tsp. B-V which has been dissolved in 2 tsp. hot water. Chill.

Buffet Service Easy
Save yourself by serving the midnight snack buffet style. Save the maid's disposition by furnishing a table to rest food plates on... it takes all the joy out of eating if they have to balance trays on their knees.

Bread or rolls, a salad, and plenty of hot coffee are all that are needed to complete the menu.

Make plenty of Mor "scallops" for passing. They can be breaded early in the day. Come eating time, it's no trick at all to fry them crispy brown. Stick a colored toothpick in each "scallop" for easy dunking in the cocktail sauce.

A luscious salad with a festive air is this molded fruit salad.

Cranberry Pineapple Salad
Cook 1 lb. cranberries, covered in a cup of water until skins pop. Force through sieve, measure and add pineapple juice to make 3 1/2 cups. Add 1 1/2 cup sugar and stir until dissolved. Meanwhile, sprinkle 2 tsp. gelatin over 1/2 cup cold water and let stand 5 minutes to soften. Stir into the hot cranberry mixture and let cool until it starts to congeal. Add 1 cup diced canned pineapple and 2 cups pecans, mix well, pour into an oiled ring mold and chill. Serves 12.

For an extra touch, place a lettuce cup filled with Wilson's Mayonnaise in the center of the salad ring.

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Strength FOR THE DAY

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

CREEDS ARE SIGNPOSTS

We live in an age which pays scant attention to creeds. Many people pride themselves on the fact that they have no creed save a willingness to do the right thing day by day.

But creeds have their place in life. Unfortunately, they often have been overemphasized in the history of the Church. Creeds are man-made statements of what the Bible teaches. God's revelation of his truth is fixed, as it were. But men's understanding of this truth is not fixed. It may well change with the passing of time, and should.

Creeds are meant to be signposts. We need them to tell us which way we should go on a God-directed pilgrimage through life. But they are not the pilgrimage itself. We need signposts when we take an automobile tour. But no one would spend his time going into ecstasies over the signposts he had seen. The trip itself and the experiences of the trip constitute the exhilaration.

So in religion, life with God through Jesus Christ is the main thing—in fact the only thing worthy of consideration. But we need the signposts just the same. It is only when the signposts take precedence over the journey itself that religion ceases to be an experience and becomes merely a conformity to sterile standards of orthodoxy.

WASHINGTON LETTER

WHEN MRS. MESTA ENTER-TAINS AT LUNCHEON IN WASHINGTON

By JANE EADE

Washington — Around here everyone expects hostesses, in their eternal tussle to out-do each other, to put on a more extravagant, glamorous, and elite party than the other gal.

But here was a ladies' luncheon to make your eyes bug out. It was no ordinary late table cloth, chicken salad and hot rolls affair. There were 20 guests of honor, and each was given a huge corsage. Cabinet wives graced the list, all wearing their snazzy hats.

The social "catch" of the day, Mrs. O. Max Gardner, whose husband, the Under-Secretary of the Treasury, had just been nominated ambassador to Great Britain, also was present. She practically stole the show.

The luncheon didn't get under way until about 2 o'clock. It was in honor of 20 dark-eyed women delegates to the assembly of the Inter-American Commission of Women, meeting at the Pan American Union here.

The hostess was the wealthy Mrs. Pearl Mesta. Scene was the exclusive Sulgrave Club, where no photographers are allowed.

Assisting Mrs. Mesta in the receiving line was Senorita Minerva Republic, plump red-haired chairman of the Commission, and Mrs. Fred M. Vinson, wife of the Chief Justice, in a black satin and crepe dress and corsage of gardenias.

ing her husband was OK for ambassador.

Sydney began giving with some toe-ticking and hip-swaying rhumbas, and several of the "girls" got up and put on some fancy dancing.

Seated at Mrs. Mesta's end of the table were Mrs. Tom C. Clark, wife of the Attorney General, wearing a black hat with red bows on it; Mrs. J. A. Krog, wife of the Secretary of the Interior; Mrs. dark-eyed Mrs. Clinton P. Anderson, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture, and Mrs. Lewis B. Schwellenbach, wife of the Labor Secretary, wearing a big feather hat.

Down from New York, where their husbands are attending the UN meetings, were diplomatic wives: Senora de Belt, wife of the Cuban ambassador; Lady Berendsen, wife of the New Zealand minister; Signora Taroliani, wife of the Italian ambassador, and Senora de Vallarino, wife of the Panamanian ambassador.

Coffee was served in one of the huge parlors of the Club. Then the guests powdered their noses, refreshed their lip rouge and took off for one or another of several parties scheduled for later that afternoon.

Indonesia . . .

Continued from Page 1
tations now in progress. Some notable advances in the process have been recorded in recent days. A week ago today the lower House of the Netherlands Parliament gave overwhelming approval to the draft agreement, initiated Nov. 15 on the future status of the Indies. Christmas day saw the establishment of the new government of the "Great East," a group of rich islands destined to form the second unit of the federal "United States of Indonesia."

The basic draft agreement still has to be accepted by the Indonesians and after that there are months of negotiations before all details of the complex new setup are accepted. But the main outlines have been drawn in these bold, broad strokes:

By Jan. 1, 1947, there is to be established with Holland's blessing the "sovereign, democratic state" of the United States of Indonesia, to be linked in "perpetual union" with The Netherlands as equal partners under the king or queen of The Netherlands.

Equal partners within the united states are to be (1) the Indonesian Republic, embracing Java, Sumatra and Madura under those outstanding figures of the Indonesian revolt, President Soekarno and Premier Sjahrir; (2) the "Great East," whose new government came into being Christmas Day to administer all the Dutch islands south of Java and Borneo except Dutch New Guinea, and (3) Borneo. The place of Dutch New Guinea remains to be determined.

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LAST RITES FOR FRANK DAVIS

Prominent Farmville Businessman Was Buried Today

Frank M. Davis, Jr., 52, of Farmville died Wednesday morning at the Medical Center at Richmond, Va., after an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services were held at 11 a. m. today from the home, conducted by the Rev. V. B. T. Cox, pastor of the Farmville Christian Church, assisted by the Rev. E. S. Coats, pastor of the Farmville Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. E. R. Clegg, Farmville Methodist minister. Burial was in Hollywood Cemetery.

Mr. Davis was the son of the late George W. Davis, Sr. and Mary Weatherly Davis. He was a landowner and businessman.

He was a veteran of World War I and an active Legionnaire and Mason. Surviving are his wife, the former Esther Blount Quinerly of Ayden; two stepchildren, Agnes Virginia Quinerly, a student at Salem College, and Charles Blount Quinerly of Farmville; two sisters, Mrs. L. E. Johnson and Mamie Davis, both of Farmville; two brothers, George W. Davis of Farmville and R. Lang Davis of Orlando, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews.

Farmville stores were closed during the funeral hour.

"No Ultimatum" . . .

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board ship when the incident took place.

The U. S. consul general at Dairen, H. Derek Benninghoff, arrived at the dock 10 minutes after the Soviet ultimatum was received and found the courier vessel with its engines running and making ready to cast off.

Administrators' Notice
Having this day qualified as Administrator of the estate of D. T. House, Sr., late of Bethel, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to file the same duly itemized and verified within twelve months from the date hereof, of this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon.

Executors' Notice
Having qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of G. G. Whitehurst, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them duly itemized and verified to the undersigned Executor on or before the 2nd day of December, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement with the administrator.

Statement of the Result of the Special Bond Election in the City of Greenville, North Carolina
At a special bond election held December 15, 1946, 4356 voters were registered and qualified to vote. 3677 voters cast for the ordinance authorizing not exceeding \$400,000 bonds of the City of Greenville for the purpose of enlarging and extending the water works system of said city, including the construction of additional filters and settling and clarifying basins, and a tax for said bonds, and 9 votes were cast against said ordinance. The said ordinance was thereby approved and is in force and effect.

Incident . . .
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ties had acted in an unfriendly manner by delivering a verbal ultimatum.

But what the department actually did was uphold the legal right of the Russians to order the ship out.

A department spokesman said, in fact, that there was no ultimatum in any sense of the word.

He explained a subordinate Russian official was friendly enough to grant the two-hour extension and simply stated a fact in advising the ship he could not be further responsible if it overstayed its time.

The department did say it hoped the Russian and Chinese eventually would make arrangements for the Chinese to take over administration of Dairen from the Soviet military authorities. But it disclaimed any American right to intervene in that situation.

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This the 18th day of December, 1946.

Executors' Notice to Creditors
Having qualified as executor of the estate of W. D. Pruitt, 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 at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 20th day of November, 1947, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

In the Superior Court Before the Clerk North Carolina
Pitt County
J. Caroline Munford and Silvia R. Munford
Vs.
Richard S. Munford
The defendant, Richard S. Munford, will hereby take notice that a Special Proceeding has been instituted in the Superior Court of Pitt County by the plaintiffs J. Caroline Munford and Silvia R. Munford against the defendant, Richard S. Munford for the purpose of selling real property situated in the Town of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining the necessary means of support for J. Caroline Munford, widow of C. T. Munford, and the defendant, Richard S. Munford, 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 Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 28th day of January, 1947, and either answer or demur to the petition which has been filed in said office or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

Publication of Summons
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Notice
North Carolina
Pitt County
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Irvin Tillery, Robert Tillery, and Robert Harris, Trustees, dated October 7, 1943, and recorded in Book C-24 at page 189 in the Office of Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said deed of trust, being by the terms thereof, subject to foreclosure, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at noon, on the 18th day of January, 1947, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, which said land and personal property is situated in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

Real Estate—First Tract. That certain tract or parcel of land known as the Coburn tract, adjoining the lands lately owned by Luke Grimes and Cherry Barnes, on the north, the lands of Jesse Andrews and Ed Little on the east, by the lands lately owned by W. E. Lewis on the south, and by the Jonas Norris tract of land on the west.

Second Tract. That certain parcel beginning with Ethel Briley's line, the corner of the E. E. Lewis and Pollard lines and running thence northwardly 105 yards to a stake, thence running in an eastwardly direction 105 yards to a stake, thence running in a southwardly direction 105 yards to the point of beginning.

Third Tract. That certain tract and parcel of land containing about forty acres more or less, and known as lot No. 2 in the Luke Grimes division of lands, and being more accurately described and shown on the plat of the said Luke Grimes division of lands, to which reference is hereby made for a more perfect and accurate description.

The aforesaid three tracts of land being the identical parcels of land conveyed by Gattis C. Honeycutt, et ux, to Irvin Tillery, Robert Tillery, and Robert Harris, Trustees.

Personal Property. One 2-Horse Cultivator; One Garden King Harrow; One Cotton Planter; One Fertilizer Sower; One Hay Rake; One Mowing Machine; Two 2-Horse Plows; One Cotton Plow; Two Sets Harness; One Smoothing Harrow; One Peanut Weeder; Two Mules (One Mare, One Horse Mule); One Pair Hoxe Diggers.

A deposit of ten percent will be required pending confirmation of the sale by the court.
C. W. EVERETT, Commissioner.
Dec. 5-11w-4wks.

Notice of Re-Sale
Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain judgment made in the matter of Elish Haddock, et als, Vs. Otis Oakley, et als, (S. P. No. 4726), the undersigned will offer for re-sale, and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, before the courthouse door in Pitt County at 12:00 o'clock noon, on Friday, December 27th, 1946, an undivided 3-8 of 2-5 interest in and to the following described property: Lying and being on both sides of Highway 301 and bounded on the E. by the lands of Johnnie Haddock and H. C. Venters, on the S. by L. C. Venters, et als, on the W. by the lands of L. F. Mills and on the N. by the lands of W. L. Smith, and known as the James Haddock home place, containing 80 acres, more or less.

A 10 per cent deposit will be required of the high bidder.
This the 10th day of December, 1946.
ARTHUR B. COREY, Commissioner
Dec. 12-11w-3wks.

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Rates 2c per word, minimum charge 50c for 25 words, one insertion; two insertions, 95c; three insertions, \$1.25; six insertions, \$2.25; one month \$9.00. Indented lines, known as classified display, or larger than regular size type, double price.

Other than to business houses having regular accounts with us, no want ads will be charged. Send or bring cash with order. To prevent errors, want ads will not be taken over the telephone.

LET US CONNECT YOUR OIL stove to your outside oil drum. We have materials and quick service. Phone 2308 or 2157. 23-3

FOR SALE - LOTS ON MEADE street between Fourth and Fifth Streets. Dial 3728. J. B. Oakley and Son, Real Estate, Insurance. 11-12-14

GREENVILLE HEADY SCHOOL - Specializing in Billing, Kooler Waves and Gold Waves featuring strip treatment for sunburned, bleached and dyed hair. Hair, eye, nenna packs and hair bleaches. No previous appointments necessary. All work done satisfactorily by students. July 7-14

LIST YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR RENT WITH Hooker & Buchanan INC. Next to Pitt Theatre, Dial 2812

Are Your Shoes Worn Out? They Will Look New When Repaired At Saad's Shoe Shop 105 Grande Ave., Dial 2658

Corn Wanted Highest Cash Prices Phone 4347 Marvin Porter

Real Estate Loans Long Term, Low Interest Rate. Loans on farms or city property. We make F. H. A., G. I. or Direct Loans. See J. F. BOWEN Room No. 309 - Dial 2480 State Bank and Trust Co. Bldg.

SHIPMENT 5V CRIMP ALUMINUM tin, 24 gauge, cement, mortar mix, P. T. O. hay baler 9 and 25 horse, Wisconsin motors, Ferguson's 2 horse gear cultivators, Bolina garden tractors. R. A. McLawhorn and Sons, Phone 3286. 12-1-14

WANTED - YOUNG LADY FOR office work, typing necessary. Write P. O. Box 581, Greenville, N. C. 27-2

FOR SALE - 11 ROOM HOUSE IN Greenville, also adjoining lot. Dwelling now being rented as 4 apartments, 3 being furnished. All apartments rented. Will sell house, lot and furniture. This is an excellent investment or will make a nice home. J. B. Oakley and Son, Dial 3728. 11-18-14

REMINGTON "The First Name in Typewriters" And Adding Machines Taff Office Equipment Co. 119 E. 5th St., Dial 2374

SWEET POTATOES - WE ARE now buying house cured sweet potatoes. Will need daily supplies. Carolina Produce Distributors, 808 Clark St., Phone 2517. 19-14

JUST RECEIVED 2 ELECTRIC P. and W. Water Pumps, also beginners roller skates and metal Christmas tree stands. J. A. Watson Seed and Hardware. 12-11-14

WE HAVE IN STOCK NOW STONE wall board suitable for ceiling tenant houses, weather boarding, outside buildings such as barns, pack houses, etc. Garris-Evans Lumber Co., Inc. 21-4

WANTED - FURNISHED ROOM close to E. C. T. C. Write P. O. Box 208, Washington, N. C. 27-3

FOR SALE - 1942 BACKGARD AND a 1941 Ford. Call Taylor Carr, 3016. 27-2

FOR SALE - DESIRABLE BUILDING lot across from Winterville school, lot 80 1/2 by 208 1/2. Priced at \$275 for quick sale. See Larry R. Stox at Winterville, N. C. 21-3

FOR SALE - 1941 SUPER DELUXE Ford with 1946 motor, in perfect condition in every respect, equipped with radio and heater. Phone 4322. 27-3

SALES LADIES WANTED - AGE 18 to 55. Experience unnecessary. Regular employment until first year, longer if desired. Good pay. Rose's 5, 10 and 25c Store. 13-4-14

PONY FOR SALE - GENTLE and well-gaited. C. H. Edwards. 12-14-14

CARRIER BOYS WANTED. APPLY Daily Reflector. 12-1-14

FOR SALE - 9 ROOM HOUSE, immediate possession, corner lot, additional building on lot, now being used for Beauty Shop. J. B. Oakley and Son, Dial 3728. 12-6-14

JUST RECEIVED 2 F. AND W. WATER pumps, also beginners roller skates and metal Christmas tree stands. J. A. Watson Seed and Hardware. 12-11-14

FOR SALE - TWO NEW 6 ROOM homes in Hillsdale. See Godfrey Oakley, Dial 3728. 12-16-14

LOOK FOLKS - I AM NOT BUT one man. If you want your old burners checked and new ones put in your tobacco barns see me at 304 E. 14th St. Jim C. Buck or call 3720. 23-9

FOR SALE - BELL'S CERTIFIED tobacco seed, varieties 402, Yellow Special, Oxford 28, 401, Gold Dollar, Bonanza, Virginia Bright Leaf, White Stem Orinoco, also Improved Mammoth Gold, Yellow Mammoth and Bottom's Special. Plant the best sold by J. A. Watson, Greenville, N. C., K. R. Wooten, Falkland, N. C., and Manning Supply Co., Bethel, N. C. 10-15

WANTED - TEACHERS FOR PITT County schools. Positions now open, Aiden eighth grade, Chicod sixth grade, Stokes Mathematics-Science, English-French, Fountain second grade. Apply D. H. Conley, superintendent Pitt County Schools. 12-21-14

FOR RENT - 1 THREE HORSE crop and 1 two horse crop on halves. J. W. Evans, near Bell's Fork, Greenville, Route 2 or 312 E. 14th St. 21-6

FOR EXPERT RADIO REPAIRING And All Electric Work Also Electrical Contracting See Jones, Harris & Bullock 187 E. 5th St., Dial 3417 Hot Point Dealers

SPECIAL TOMORROW Chicken Chow Mein, Barbecue, Barbecued Chicken, Fried Chicken, Steaks, Brunswick Stew, Bar-B-Cue Inn, Westbrook Swimming Pool, 14th Street Extension. We close on Fridays. Dial 4289, Jack Whitley, Manager. 10-19-14

FOR SALE - 1941 SPECIAL BUICK Tudor Sedan, exceptionally good condition. Call Charles Ward, Dial 2278. 27-2

FOR RENT - 2 HORSE CROP, 10 1/2 acres tobacco allotment, 1946 basis, all other crops wanted, seven room house, oil curers in tobacco barns. G. R. Harris, Greenville, Route 4, 1 mile north Belvoir. 10-19-14

LOST - BUNCH OF KEYS BETWEEN Warren Drug Co and Post-office. Finder please return to Reflector Office. 27-2

FOR SALE - ONE OF GREENVILLE'S most livable homes, large living room, dining room with corner cupboards, beautifully designed kitchen with breakfast nook, large screened porch, attractive recreation room, 5 bed rooms with 3 full baths, double garage, automatic oil heat, insulated, finest specifications throughout. Call B. B. Brandt, 2069, for appointment. 27-3

FOR SALE - BABY CARRIAGE in good condition. Dial 2595. 27-2

FOR SALE - 1940 DELUXE FORD, new 1946 100 h. p. motor, new tires, good body. Can be seen at Cox's Esso Station on Dickinson Avenue or call 4055. 11-18-14

PEANUTS - TOP PRICES AT Keel's 11-8-14

WANTED - A 16 OR 20 GAUGE shot gun, good make. R. M. Garrett. 23-2

FOR SALE - NICE HOMES, SMALL or large, city or suburban. Also some farms. Cash or terms. We buy or sell. If it's real estate see us. J. Hicks Corey Agency, Dial 3615 Greenville, N. C. Tue-Fri-14

FARM FOR RENT ON HALVES - Eleven acres of tobacco, peanuts, cotton and corn in proportion. Six miles from Greenville. Good land, oil burners, tractor, electricity in dwellings and pack-house. Must have experience and must be able to furnish self. Call 2469, Greenville, N. C., or write 204 Woodlawn Ave. 23-3

DON'T WEAR OUT YOUR tires excessively and shake your car to pieces with bent wheels and hubs. We are now equipped to straighten most any make of wheel or hub at a reasonable cost. Dial 2314, E and H. Motor Co., 1 mile on Bethel Highway. Dec. 11-eod-14

FOR SALE - 1939 LINCOLN Zephyr sedan motor has been run 2,500 miles since installed new, other parts of car in good condition. Baker Studio, Dial 3042. 21-3

CHAMPAGNE FOR CHRISTMAS festivities. Also Sherry, Port, Muscatel, and Virginia Dare, red and white grape wines. P. and T. Cash Grocery. Dec. 18-20-23-24

FOR SALE - FORD SUPER DELUXE 9 door, radio and heater and rust treated for salt water with less than 1,000 miles \$2,250. Call 3468 after 5:30 p. m. 23-3

WE HAVE ALL SIZES OF 30 INCH truck tires. Walter's Service Center 1 and 2. 16-14

Hog Market

Raleigh, Dec. 27-(AP)-(NCDA) - Hog markets weaker with tows of 22,000 at Rocky Mount and Richmond and 21,500 at Smithfield.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Dec. 27-(AP)-Poultry and egg markets steady to very quiet. Raleigh-U. S. grade AA, large, 57; fryers and broilers, 33 to 35; Washington-U. S. grade A, large, 56; broilers, fryers and roasters, 34.

Grain Market

Chicago, Dec. 27-(AP)-Announcement by the Commodity Credit Corporation that it had boosted its buying price for wheat by 1 1/2 cents a bushel heralded a decline in the bread cereal of the board of trade today. Wheat closed a cent lower to 1/2 higher, January \$2.11 1/2, corn was 1/4-3/8 lower, January \$1.31, and oats 3/4 to a cent lower, March 74 1/2-1 1/4.

New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 27-(AP)-Cotton futures opened 85 cents to \$1.25 a bale lower. Noon prices were \$2.55 to \$3.00 a bale lower than the previous close, March 32.82, May 32.28, and July 36.89. Futures closed \$2.40 to \$3.50 a bale lower than previous close.

Open	Last	Prv. Cl.	
March	33.15	32.85	33.34
May	32.60	32.30	32.80
July	31.30	30.86	31.48
Oct.	27.87	27.61	28.10
Dec.	27.45	27.15	27.70
March	26.70	27.76	27.30

Middling spot 33.95, off 50.

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 27-(AP)-Selected stocks managed to get back in the recovery way of today's market while many leaders, for the fourth successive session, continued in lower territory. Transfers for the full proceedings expanded to around 1,300,000 shares, largest of the week.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	37 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	174 1/2
Allis Chal Mfg	35 1/2
Am Can	89 1/2
Am Car Fdy	50
Am Roll Mill	36
Am Smelt and Ref	37 1/2
A T and T	167 1/2
Am Tob B	81 1/2
Anacosta	40
Arm III	14 1/2
A C L	51
Atl Ref	35 1/2
Aviat Corp	6 1/2
Baldwin	20 1/2
B and O	15 1/2
Barnsdall	23 1/2
Bendix Aviat	36 1/2
Beth Stl	91
Boeing Airp	21 1/2
Borden	47 1/2
Budd Mfg	12 1/2
Burl Mills	16 1/2
Bur Add Mach	14 1/2
Cannon Mills	56 1/2
Case J I	24 1/2
Caterpil Trac	59 1/2
Ches and O	53 1/2
Chrysler	90 1/2
Coml Credit	44
Coml Solv	22 1/2
Consol Edis	26 1/2
Cont Can	75
Corn Prod	6
Durr Wright	167 1/2
Doug Airp	72 1/2
Dow Chem	175
Eastman Kod	187
Dupont	228
Firestone	58 1/2
Gen Elec	35 1/2
Gen Foods	42 1/2
Gen Mot	52 1/2
Goodrich	62 1/2
Goodyear	53 1/2
Int Harv	74 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	16 1/2
Johns Manv	131 1/2
Kennecott	50 1/2
Ligg and Myers B	88 1/2
Loews	26 1/2
Lorillard	30 1/2
Mont Ward	90 1/2
Nash Kelv	14 1/2
Nat Bis	37 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	38
Nat Dist	22 1/2
N Y Cent	18
No Am Aviat	9 1/2
Packard	6 1/2
Param Pic	33
Pennny J C	42
Penn RR	25 1/2
Pepsi Cola	25 1/2

Phillips Petroleum

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Pure Oil	23 1/2
Radio	9 1/2
Rem Rand	38 1/2
Republic Stl	27 1/2
Reynolds B	41 1/2
Sou Ry	38
Std Brands	35 1/2
Std Oil N J	69
Stewart Warner	16 1/2
Swift	33
Tex Co	60
Up Carb	95 1/2
Unit Air	23
Unit Airp	18 1/2
Unit Corp	3 1/2
Unit Drug	11 1/2
US Ind Chem	44 1/2
US Rubber	53 1/2
US Smelt and Ref	47
US Steel	71
Vanadium	18 1/2
Vac Chem	33 1/2
Va Car Chem	6 1/2
Warner Pic	18 1/2
Western Union A	21 1/2
West El and Mfg	25 1/2
Woolworth	46 1/2

Hiroshima Victims Show Improvement

Tokyo, Dec. 24-(AP)-More than 16 months after Hiroshima was atom bombed victims of keloid (dense, fibrous skin tumors) are the greatest medical problems, said Dr. Masao Tsuzuki of Tokyo Imperial university-but they are improving. Tsuzuki said keloids appeared almost immediately after the atom bomb struck Hiroshima on August 6, 1945, and had reached "their worst stage" by March and April, 1946. Since October, 1946, sufferers have improved.

CHRISTMAS VISIT

Chicago, Dec. 27-(AP)-After a year's absence, Frank Consago's Irish setter "Red" returned home on Christmas Eve. Consago's sons, Frank Jr. and Ralph fixed a big Christmas dinner for him and bought him some new dog toys. Yesterday Consago let "Red" out doors for exercise. The dog bounded across the back yard in three strides and over the fence on the fourth. Consago is wondering if "Red" will remain away until next Christmas.

Colored News

York Memorial A. M. E. Zion Church. Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor. 9:45 Sunday school, W. J. Hester superintendent. 11 a. m. Message by the pastor, subject, "The Impregnable Foundation of the Christian Faith." Music by the senior choir. This being the last Sunday in the old year, we shall expect every member of the church to be present at 11 a. m. At 7:30 the Credit Union will observe their annual program. All members and friends of the union are expected to register in this meeting. Tuesday, December 31st, at 10 a. m. Dr. T. S. Maultsby, the presiding elder of the Washington district, will hold a special district meeting at York Memorial. Dinner will be served in the dining room of the church. All members of the district will be present. The public is cordially invited to share in all of these services.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina. Ezekiel Little and wife, Hattie Little, Mamie Wilson and husband, David Wilson, Rowena L. Johnson and husband, Joshua Johnson, William L. Little and wife, Gladys Little, Louvenia Little, Sude Belle L. Atkinson and husband, Charlie Atkinson, Lucy Little, Ada B. Little, Annanias 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, Lillian L. Floyd and husband, Jesse James Floyd, Louis Little, Georgianna Little, William Little and wife, Martha Little, James Little, Catharine Barnhill and husband, John Barnhill, Zeno Little and wife, Win-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, Annanias Little and Guaranty Bank and Trust Company, Administrator of the estate of Matilda Reddick, deceased.

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1946, at the courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at which time and place T. E. Barnhill was the last and highest bidder at the price of \$4,350.00; that upon the expiration of the time for raising said bid, the undersigned Clerk entered an order confirming said sale and directing said commissioner to execute a deed for said property to T. E. Barnhill, upon payment of purchase price thereof, and said commissioner collected said purchase price and executed a deed conveying said land to T. E. Barnhill. That after collecting said purchase price, said commissioner, in accordance with the orders entered in said proceeding, paid the taxes against said property, the cost and expense of making said sale and paid the remainder of the proceeds thereof to the Guaranty Bank and Trust Co., administrator of the estate of Matilda Reddick.

That, thereafter, said commissioner learned that Flossie Harris was the daughter of Marcellus Little and that Leonard or Lennon Harris is her husband; that Flossie Harris, subject to the liabilities of the estate of Matilda Reddick, inherited the above mentioned land, and said Flossie Harris and her husband Leonard or Lennon Harris should be made a party to the above captioned special proceeding; that upon a report of Flossie Harris's interest in said proceeding to this court, Flossie Harris and her husband were duly made parties to this proceeding, and they are now required to appear before the undersigned Clerk on or before December 29, 1946, at

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