

Slightly colder tonight. Wednesday cloudy and cool.

SENATORS ASK EXPLANATION OF FINDINGS

Want Greek Gov't Casualty List; Other Features Draw Ire Of Solons

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—Official Greek secrecy over the number of casualties in the campaign against Communist-led guerrillas drew the ire of senators today.

The refusal of the Athens government to provide casualty lists to members of the Appropriations Committee who toured Europe last fall was cited by some of the lawmakers as indicating there has been little real fighting.

They said the 126,000-man Greek army compares with about 15,000 guerrillas.

This was one aspect of the senators' findings which may touch off fireworks when the appropriations group is called upon to vote funds to finance long range foreign aid.

Committee members told a reporter that, in addition to further information on the anti-Communist fighting in Greece, they want explanations from Administration officials on these other widely separated developments:

The destruction of 2,000 four-engine American bombers on German flying fields in the time Greece was using American dollars to buy smaller second-hand British warplanes.

2. Evidence that American fishing boats, turned over to the Greeks, are lying idle in Greek ports.

3. Reports that Russia has refused to return 6,000 freight cars in which dismantled German industrial equipment was shipped from the Anglo-American occupation zones to the Soviet Union and its satellites.

4. The failure to distribute what some members said amounts to \$75,000,000 in United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration (UNRRA) supplies that have been standing in European depots for months.

5. The reported dismantling and shipping to Russia of one of the two largest German soap manufacturing plants, leaving the populace with a monthly ration far too short.

Ship Breaks In Half While Tied To Boston Pier

Boston, Dec. 9—(AP)—The 94,000-ton former Navy tanker "Ponagasset" broke in half today at an East Boston pier—pitching upwards of 250 workers to the decks.

One man was injured critically and thirteen others were treated for minor hurts.

The 523-foot vessel was being converted to commercial use after serving in the Pacific during the war as a fleet oiler. She was built in 1944 and is about 5700 tons.

Both parts of the ship remained afloat. A cleft eight feet wide at the deck line narrowed toward the water line.

As she bucked amidship with a rending sound, a huge spray of oily water shot high into the air.

THREATENS TENANTS

Palm Beach, Fla., Dec. 8—(AP)—A Palm Beach landlord threatened today to raise the rent of any apartment tenant he catches wasting food.

T. F. Taylor, owner of a four-unit apartment building, advised the Bradenton Herald in a letter if "tenants can afford to buy good food and throw it away they can afford to pay more rent."

Truman - Stalin Talks

A Review Of Possibilities Concerning The Suggested Meeting; Russian Bid For World Revolution; Who Appeals To An Aggressor? "Two Worlds" In Prospect

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

From time to time we hear expressions of the idea that a meeting between the President of the United States and Marshal Stalin might improve relations between the world's two major powers, and the latest to voice this view is Elliott Roosevelt, who sat in on some of the conferences between his father, the late President, and the Bolshevik chief.

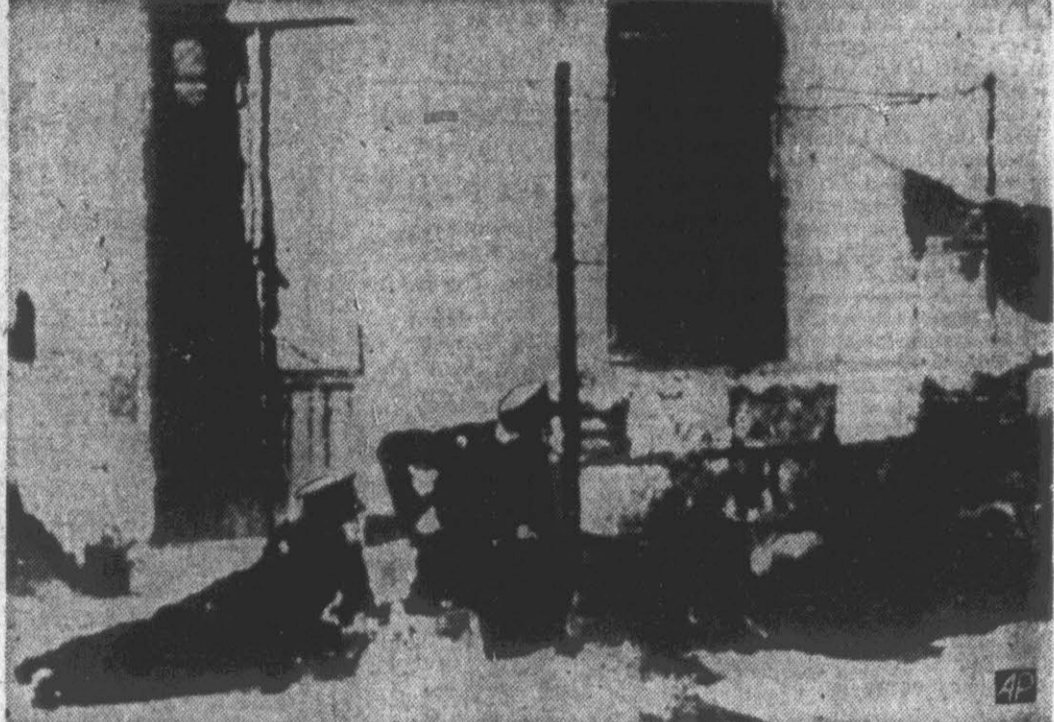
"A conference in which both our President in 1949 and Stalin feel that the past might have warranted a conference, and 1949 may hold out hope, the present would be a bad and even dangerous time to suggest such a parley—unless the initiative came from Moscow.

"The point is clear enough: Soviet Russia openly has inaugurated a world revolution for establishment of Communism. The Western democracies, headed by the United

States, are involved in a "cold war" with the Communist bloc. Who appeals to an aggressor? We saw how appeasement affected Hitler. As readers of this column know, I followed British Prime Minister Chamberlain through the war-breeding Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and Munich conferences which made the word "appeasement" a term of opprobrium. At Berchtesgaden Hitler threatened; at Godesberg he all but wiped his feet on Chamberlain, and at Munich he accepted Czechoslovakia's head on a charger. Then he made war on the world.

"So we want no appeasement of Bolshevism. And any move at this juncture by America for a conference between the President and Stalin certainly would look like a white flag.

Jewish Police Hunt Arab Snipers In Tel Aviv



Two Jewish policemen crouch low behind the wall of a building in Palestine's Tel Aviv area in hunt for Arab snipers during Arab-Jewish fighting set off by United Nations decision to partition Palestine. Violent street fighting was widespread as Arab fury mounted in opposing partition. (AP Wirephoto via radio from London).

Rift Between Russians And French Is Growing

Soviet Calls Off Trade Talks, Order French Repatriation Mission To Leave; Withdraw Commission From France

London, Dec. 9—(AP)—Soviet Russia called off her trade talks with France today and accused the French government of acts "hostile and contrary to the spirit of alliance and mutual assistance" between the two countries.

The Moscow radio broadcast the contents of a note handed to the French charge d'affaires in Moscow by Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Goussin in which the Russian decision on the trade talks was disclosed.

Simultaneously, Russia's note charged the French government with "unilaterally annulling" the two-year-old repatriation agreement for the return of each other's nationals, ordered the Russian repatriation mission home from France and announced the expulsion of the French mission from Russia.

The Soviet embassy in Paris announced earlier that the French repatriation mission had been ordered to leave Russian territory at once.

The embassy said the Russian government considered the Russian-French repatriation agreement of June 29, 1945 had been voided by a French decision to take over the Soviet repatriation center at Camp Beauregard, near Paris.

Moscow recalled its repatriation commission from France yesterday. The Soviet embassy said the Russian repatriation mission would leave Paris today.

It explained that the action of the Russian government also was connected with the alleged persecution of Russian citizens and repatriates in France.

The French announced on Nov. 26 that they had expelled 19 Russians from France for "interference" in French internal affairs during the strike crisis which is now harassing the French government.

Twelve days earlier French authorities had staged a raid on the Beauregard repatriation center, taking away three children of a naturalized Frenchman whose former wife—a Soviet citizen—had taken them there.

DOUBTS ACTION THIS SESSION

No Anti-Inflation Legislation Seen By GOP Senator

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—Differing with other Republican leaders, Senator Wherry (Nebr.) expressed doubt today that the GOP-controlled Congress will act finally on any anti-inflation legislation during the special session.

Wherry, as his party's Whip, is assistant floor leader in the Senate. Previously, both Senator Taft (Ohio), chairman of the Senate policy committee and Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich.), head of the House banking committee, have said they expect action before Christmas on a few cost of living measures.

They emphatically did not include, however, President Truman's request for stand-by price and wage controls and rationing powers that he bid by the chief executive apparently is doomed, in both the special session and the regular one beginning in January.

Wherry told a reporter he believes that by the time Congress completes action on emergency aid to Europe, there won't be enough time remaining to turn to anti-inflation legislation before January 1.

"It just doesn't look to me as though any economic legislation can come up for a vote during this special session unless the picture changes during the next seven or eight days," Wherry said.

Wallace Question Again Raised On Political Front

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—The question of whether A. Wallace will lead a third party movement in 1948 bobbed up again today to disturb the Democrats and please the Republicans.

Wallace aides in New York insist that the former vice president has reached no decision, but Senator Brewster (R-Me.) said he has heard that Wallace plans to bolt the Democratic party and announce his candidacy for president on a new ticket.

Refuse Krupp Request For American Counsel

Nuernberg, Dec. 9—(AP)—The American war crimes tribunal trying officials of the Krupp armaments firm today denied Alfred Krupp's request for American defense counsel.

Krupp, head of the munitions firm since 1943 and chief defendant at the trial, applied yesterday for permission to retain the law firm of Thomas Foley and Earl J. Carroll of Hayward, Calif.

The court ruled the request had not been made early enough in accordance with the rules of procedure and said that Krupp's present German attorney, Otto Krantzsch, is well qualified to defend him.

Krantzsch defended former Admiral Karl Doenitz before the international military tribunal. Doenitz escaped the death sentence meted out to other top Nazis, getting off with a 10-year prison term.

Carroll, a former U.S. Army captain, frequently has criticized the Army and Military Government trial system in Germany, where he has appeared as a defense counsel in a number of cases.

His comments have brought him into sharp conflict with military authorities, and Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American Military Governor, ruled last May that he could accept no new cases in Germany.

Carroll said he had been asked to defend Krupp because "these German lawyers need the help of a lawyer familiar with American procedure in order to insure a full and fair trial."

FRENCH REDS ORDER STRIKE COME TO END

Back-To-Work Directive Meets Schuman Ultimatum Given Yesterday

Paris, Dec. 9—(AP)—The Communist-dominated French general confederation of labor ordered France's 2,000,000 strikers back to work tomorrow.

The order met a government ultimatum to the strikers to go back to their jobs.

Communist leaders had indicated previously they would defy the government, which had set tomorrow as the deadline for the return to work.

The French government indicated it would take militant steps against strikers who defied yesterday's back to work order.

Benoit Franchon, the Communist secretary general of the general confederation of labor, to which the ultimatum was delivered last night, expressed extreme dissatisfaction with the terms of the cabinet statement, offering bonuses and promises to the strikers.

Premier Robert Schuman's new offer to the strikers, made last night, provided:

- 1. Strikers must return to work by tomorrow.
- 2. For so doing, they will receive—as will the millions who did not strike—cost-of-living bonuses of 1,500 francs (\$125) a month, dating from November 24.
- 3. In addition, the government will undertake immediate studies in an effort to stabilize salaries and prices, retroactive to December 1.
- 4. Further, the government will not attempt to prosecute strikers, except those guilty of sabotage, violence preventing non-strikers from working, or for other violations of the new anti-strike law.
- 5. Strikers will receive no pay for time lost during the walk-outs, which began nearly a month ago.

Runaway Plane Lands Safely After Flight

Tyler, Tex., Dec. 9—(AP)—Veteran aviator was still scratching his heads today over a mischievous little light plane which took off without leave from here yesterday. It flew about 65 miles without human help and, then landed practically undamaged.

W. B. Myers, student pilot, was practicing landings at an airport near here yesterday morning. One landing he started to take off again.

According to Fred Williams, flying service operator, the student pilot cranked the motor and the plane began to move down the runway. Myers grabbed a wing strut and was dragged about 200 yards before he let go. The plane kept going and became airborne.

About three hours later the plane landed in a farmer's field and rolled almost to a stop before bumping into a fence and the limb of a tree. The undercarriage and a wing were slightly damaged. The gas tank was empty.

COAL EXPORTS

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—The coal export quota for January was set at 3,500,000 tons today, with 3,000,000 tons of it marked for Europe.

Accuse Chinese Reds Of "Rumor Factory" In War

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—A government spokesman today accused the Communists of instigating psychological warfare, highlighted by an unfounded rumor that Chiang Kai-shek was critically ill.

At the time the Chiang rumor started, an Associated Press correspondent saw the generalissimo enjoying his usual Sunday automobile ride. Later, his secretary confirmed that he was "perfectly well and conducting business as usual."

Another rumor which officials attributed to the Communists and branded as false was that Gen. Chen Cheng had died in Mukden. That story probably was built from the fact that a doctor was flown to Mukden to treat Chen for a stomach ailment.

A third phony said the Communists had captured the Manchurian capital, Changchun. Independent checks directly with Changchun brought replies that the city had not been attacked.

Shop Early And Mail Early During Christmas Season Says Postmaster

Postmaster J. Knott Proctor yesterday requested public cooperation in handling the heavy Christmas mailing load. He asked that people begin mailing their Christmas cards and packages at once, and that they space out their mailings over several days so that mail will arrive at the post office in a steady stream, instead of in huge bunches.

During normal periods, cancellations at the post office average 10,000 pieces of mail per day. They are now averaging 25,000 per day, and during the peak of the Christmas season they reach 45,000 per day.

"Many people have their Christmas lists almost complete, but are delaying until they can fill in just a few missing addresses," the postmaster said. "It would help us a great deal if next week these people would mail all the cards and gifts they have ready or can get ready."

Full and correct addresses are essential, and use of some numbers helps greatly in sorting the mail for delivery, he said. Packages must be wrapped securely with strong paper and heavy twine, and it's a good idea to repeat the address inside the outer wrappings. Christmas cards should be tied in bundles, with all envelopes facing the same way and the stamps in the same corner.

Rationing And Crop-Buying Proposals Given Congress

Arab, Jewish Strife Continues Unabated

Arab League Announces Steps To Aid Forces In Palestine; British Armored Cars Attacked; "Manpower Census" Abating.

Jerusalem, Dec. 9—(AP)—A Hagana leader declared today that between 80 and 85 Arabs were killed and about 145 wounded by Jewish defenders of Tel Aviv during an Arab attack last night, but government officials said "that's bunk."

A public information officer commented in a statement: "Police who were there and who investigated afterward say there is absolutely nothing to it. Maybe a few were killed, but no great number."

The Arab League announced in Cairo last night it was taking immediate steps toward military and other action to aid Palestine Arabs in opposing the United Nations decision to partition the Holy Land. In Damascus, Syria, a "Palestine liberation committee" declared it was sending into Palestine Arab volunteers trained in commando tactics.

But the fury of the Arab attacks in Palestine, itself appeared to be abating.

Two Jews were reported slain by Arab snipers, but the other two deaths came in the course of attacks on British armored cars, said by Jewish sources to have been perpetrated by "dissident Jewish groups," possibly the underground Stern group.

In those attacks, gasoline bombs were hurled at four armored cars, and four other armored cars were fired upon in the Tel Aviv area. Police sprayed the streets with bullets. Several Jews were wounded, and two armored car commandos were hurt.

Up to 40 Arab huts were destroyed by fire during wild clashes last night in the area between Jewish Tel Aviv and Arab Jaffa.

Thousands of Jewish men and women, aged 17 to 26, crowded registration offices over the nation today for Jewish agency's "manpower census."

Referendum

By the Associated Press Peasant growers of fourteen states, including the Carolinas, voted today on a quota and acreage-adjustment program.

A two-thirds favorable vote is required for adoption of the program. Farm leaders generally have urged producers to vote "yes" on their ballots.

A government support price of from 19 to 11 cents a pound is indicated for the 1948 crop if the vote is affirmative.

REACH TERMS GERMAN TRADE

General Agreement For Writing Export-Import Program

London, Dec. 9—(AP)—British officials said tonight the Big Four Foreign Ministers' Council has reached general agreement on a British proposal for drafting a common export-import program for Germany as part of a plan for achieving German economic unity.

These informants said the ministers from the United States, Great Britain, Russia and France failed to agree, however, on two other points at their three hour, 15th session.

One disagreement was on pooling all German resources and all imported goods for the benefit of Germany as a whole. The French disagreed with this British plan and the item was set aside for later consideration.

The other deadlock was on repayment of sums advanced by the occupation powers to meet import requirements for the German population.

American officials said they were convinced, as today's meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers got underway, that hints of concessions given in Molotov's actions last night would not be borne out on real issues.

Diplomatic experts of all three Western delegations considered the real state of relations between Russia and the Western powers is represented more by developments in Europe than by the diplomatic maneuvers going on here.

RESIST CUT IN FOREIGN AID

Showdown Expected Hourly; Dissidents Show Strength

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—Concerned by an unexpected show of opposition strength, backers of the emergency foreign aid bill put on fresh pressure in the House today to resist efforts to slash the Administration's \$971,000,000 program.

Although a showdown originally was expected, there was a possibility the final vote might go over until tomorrow.

The program, approved in its full amount by the Senate, already has been cut to \$890,000,000 by the House Foreign Affairs Committee. And the committee reduction in effect is even deeper since it added China to the list of recipient nations and specified \$60,000,000 for that country.

None of the \$890,000,000 would be available for Italy, Austria and France, the nations President Truman said must have help this winter to save them from disintegration.

But many Republicans and Democrats, believing a still sharper cut is in order, were rallying behind an amendment by Rep. Jonathan (R-Mich.) to pare the total to \$800,000,000.

Opponents demonstrated surprising strength yesterday when they mustered 111 votes for an amendment that would have barred exports of any commodities unless there were enough to meet all needs in this country.

SUPPORTING ALBRIGHT

Goldboro, Dec. 9—(AP)—Claiborne Royal of Goldboro today said he was backing R. Mayne Albright of Raleigh for governor of North Carolina.

Claiborne Royal is a brother of Secretary of the Army Kenneth C. Royal. The latter recently withdrew his name from consideration for the nomination as governor. The Goldboro man said that in endorsing Albright he was speaking only for himself.

DECLARE DIVIDEND

Wendover, N.C., Dec. 9—(AP)—Directors of Rose's Fire, Tan, and Twenty-Five Cents Store voted an extra dividend of \$1.50 at a meeting here yesterday. It will be payable December 20 to stockholders of record on December 8.

Explaining Palestine

The Jewish Kingdom; Many Nations Have Held Palestine Since Then; Arabs Have Outnumbered Jews There For Centuries; British Mandate; The Partition

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—Here's an ABC on steaming Palestine where Jews and Arabs are killing one another.

Jews and Arabs are of the same race—they're Semites—and both claim Palestine as their homeland. (Palestine is the size of Vermont, about 10,000 square miles.)

Before the time of Christ the Jews had a kingdom there. It was destroyed and they were scattered. Since then many nations have held Palestine but some Jews have always been there and Jews everywhere for centuries have dreamed of it as home.

Yet, the Arabs have outnumbered them there and outnumber them now, two to one. In Palestine are 843,000 Jews, 1,301,000 Arabs.

In 1907 Jews formed the "Zionist" organization—Zion means Jerusalem—and began a fight to set up a new Jewish nation in Palestine. They got nowhere for years. By the time of World War I Turkey held Palestine. Britain took it from Turkey in that war.

Then the League of Nations gave Palestine to Britain as a mandate. That means:

Britain was to run Palestine till some way was found of letting the people there run it themselves. The British told the Jews they

favored Palestine as a Jewish home but—

They said they wouldn't let the Jews impose a government of their own upon other people living there.

Yet, the British let Jewish immigrants flow in. The Arabs protested, sometimes violently. They were in the majority. They wanted to stay that way.

In 1939 the British cut Jewish immigration to about 1,500 a month but since 1932 the Jewish population there has increased from 84,000 to the present 843,000.

Hitler, meanwhile, had begun his massacre of Jews in Europe. World War II left thousands upon thousands of Jews homeless there.

So Jewish crisis for a Jewish homeland in Palestine grew intense after the war. They wanted at least 100,000 Jewish refugees from Europe admitted.

And in Palestine a group of Jewish extremists began a campaign of terror against the British to force them to open up the country to Jews.

Ever since World War I the British had had to keep troops in Palestine to preserve order. Finally the British had enough.

Last April they dumped the Palestine problem into the lap of the United Nations (Continued on Page Eight)

News Briefs

Wilson, N.C., Dec. 9—(AP)—Wilson claimed leadership of the world's five-cured tobacco markets today on the basis of official figures showing \$8,412,550 pounds sold during the season which ended Friday.

New York, Dec. 9—(AP)—William Z. Foster, national chairman of the Communist party, said last night the nation's labor leaders should study the speeches of former Vice President Henry Wallace in order to "learn a few facts of political life."

Rome, Dec. 9—(AP)—New disorders erupted in Sicily today, and the threat of a general strike hung over Rome's province as Premier Alcide De Gasperi's harassed government was peppered with queries in the Constituent Assembly on the recent rash of rising throughout Italy.

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—A Senate subcommittee asked 33 representatives of industry, labor, government and transportation to take part today in a closed door discussion of reported domestic oil and coal shortages.

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—The Supreme Court took under advisement today the contention of an Illinois atheist mother that religious education in public schools violates a constitutional guarantee against "establishment of religion" by law.

Roundup Illicit Liquor Dealers In Mecklenburg

Charlotte, Dec. 9—(AP)—Mecklenburg County ABC Control officers smashed at the illicit liquor trade in Charlotte early today and by mid-morning had arrested two score alleged bootleggers.

More than 100 warrants signed against alleged illegal liquor dealers were in the hands of officers as the crack-down continued.

State, county and city officers joined in the whirlwind drive that started at 6 o'clock with raids on homes hotels and widespread small business establishments.

Bonds in most instances were set at \$500, but in cases where alleged offenders were under suspended sentences from previous convictions the bonds were \$1,500.

Frank K. Sims, chairman of the ABC board, said "The people of Charlotte in voting for liquor control gave a mandate to stamp out illicit liquor activities. This is the answer to that mandate. We will combat (bootlegging with every means at our disposal."

Second Bond Vote In Wilson

Wilson, Dec. 8—(AP)—Wilson voters balloted in their second bond election of the past three days today.

The election in the city of Wilson today was on a proposed \$1,750,000 issue for improving the public utility system.

A \$1212,000 school bond issue was approved by voters throughout the county Saturday.

13 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Social and Personal

Mrs. L. W. Gaylord has returned from a two weeks visit in Madison, Wis.

Literature Department to Meet
The Literature Department of the Woman's Club will meet Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Woodard. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. T. A. Womble, Mrs. H. H. Settle and Mrs. Louella Stancill.

Attention Christmas Shoppers
If you're looking for suggestions for Christmas gifts be sure to visit the Service League shelf at Ellington's Book Store and see the attractive aprons and the League's new cook book, "Recipes from Grandmother and Granddaughter," on sale there. All proceeds go to the Laughinghouse hospital fund.

Cook Books Arrive
The cook book, "Recipes from Grandmother to Granddaughter," recently edited by the Service

League, has arrived and may be purchased from the Service League shelf at Ellington's Book Store.

Art and Music Program Enjoyable Occasion

The program arranged by the Art and Music chairmen of the Woman's Club with the general theme Religion in Art and Music and presented on Friday evening in Sheppard Memorial library proved very interesting and enjoyable to the club members and guests. The slides of the National Cathedral in Washington were exceptionally clear and beautiful and the comments made by Miss Lillah Gaut, a frequent visitor to the cathedral, made their showing of particular value.

The National Cathedral is the sixth largest cathedral in the world and the second largest in America. With its spacious grounds beautifully landscaped and its architectural and sculptural features so perfectly designed it probably is a more perfect combination of religion and art than any of the other great

SOCIAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

1:00 p. m.—Mrs. E. G. Flanagan and Mrs. T. I. Wagner will be hostesses at a luncheon honoring Miss Josie Barnes White.
2:30 to 4:30 p. m.—Miss Kate Lewis will be in Art Gallery to assist callers in understanding and appreciating the current showing of "Madonnas."
8:30 p. m.—Mrs. Will Lipscomb and Mrs. Iverson Skinner will entertain at dessert bridge complimenting Miss Josie Barnes White.
7:30 p. m.—Greenville White Shrine No. 7 will meet in the Masonic hall.
8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets at the club house.

THURSDAY

3:30 p. m.—George E. Singley chapter, U. D. C., meets at the home of Mrs. P. E. Wells, Mrs. J. H. Randolph assisting hostess.
4:00 p. m.—Mrs. S. T. White and Mrs. Helen Hawes will compliment Miss Josie Barnes White at tea.
8:15 p. m.—Mrs. Frank Bendall and Mrs. N. S. Beard will be hostesses at bridge at the home of Mrs. Bendall in honor of Miss Josie Barnes White.

FRIDAY

2:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.—Garden Club Christmas show at Woman's Club.
2:00 p. m.—Mrs. Tommy Sellers will be luncheon hostess in the Magnolia room of the Proctor hotel honoring Miss Josie Barnes White.
4:00 p. m.—Mrs. J. L. Fleming and Mrs. J. L. Winstead will entertain at tea honoring Miss Josie Barnes White.
8:00 p. m.—Greenville chapter E. C. T. C. Alumni meets in the alumni office.
8:00 p. m.—Annual Christmas party of the Business and Professional Women's Club at the Country Club.

SATURDAY

9:00 a. m. to 10:00 p. m.—Garden Club Christmas show at Woman's Club.
11:00 a. m.—Literature Department of the Woman's Club meets with Mrs. W. H. Woodard, Mesdames T. B. Womble, H. H. Settle and Louella Stancill, assisting hostesses.
11:00 a. m.—Mrs. I. J. Edwards, Jr., will be hostess at a coca cola party at the home of Mrs. John G. Fleming in honor of Miss Josie Barnes White and Alyce Ruth Bundy.
3:15 p. m.—Mrs. Ed Hatcher will be bridge hostess complimenting Miss Josie Barnes White.

cathedrals. Miss Gaut called attention to the beauty of the building from every avenue of approach. The National Cathedral is the burial place of President Woodrow Wilson. Immediately after the showing of the slides, Mrs. J. L. Fleming, chairman of the music committee introduced Mr. Dan Vornholt and three of his students, Mrs. Mimi Tripp Denton, Mr. Donald Adcock and Mr. Leon Fleming. Mrs. Denton sang "Before the Paling of the Stars," by Kramer; Mr. Adcock gave as a flute solo "Berceuse from Jocelyn" by Soderstrom. The last number "O Holy Night" night by Adams was sung by Mrs. Denton with flute obligato by Mr. Adcock. Mr. Leon Fleming was accompanist for all three numbers. Immediately following the program Mrs. J. H. B. Moore, art chairman, invited everyone present to go across the hall to the art gallery to see an exhibit of "Madonnas." Mrs. Moore also announced that Miss Kate Lewis will be in the Art Gallery on Wednesday, December

40 Years Ago

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

December 9, 1901
Miss Mary Cobb of Cobdale who has been visiting relatives here returned home today.

Mrs. Wiley Brown and Miss Lill Wilson returned Monday from New Bern where they had been attending the North Carolina Methodist Conference.

Eggs of the home product are so scarce they are being shipped here from Norfolk.

The Atlantic fleet has assembled in Hampton Roads preparatory to starting on that much talked of voyage to the Pacific coast. Uncle Sam is going to keep monkeying his war vessels about until he gets them involved in a scrap.

10, to assist the callers in a better understanding and deeper appreciation of the Madonnas exhibit.

Mrs. J. Key Brown served as chairman of the hostess committee. She and the members of her com-

mittee welcomed the guests at the front door of the library and directed them to the auditorium.

Birth Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith announce the birth of a daughter, Joan Rochelle, on Saturday, December 6, in Pitt General hospital.

Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Hazel Branch of Winterville.

Returns to Greenville
Mr. George Lautares, who for the past year has been attending the Kansas City Horological Institute, has returned to Greenville and will be associated with Lautares Bros. Jewelers.

While there, Mr. Lautares worked with some of the country's outstanding men in the fields of watch making, diamond setting and jewelry engraving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lautares will make their home at 407 E. 9th Street.

Receives Promotion
Headquarters, 118th Bomb Wing V.H., Okinawa—James A. Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lane, of Win-

terville, North Carolina, has recently been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. It has been announced by the 118th Bombardment Wing (VH) Public Information Office, with headquarters at Kadena air base.

A graduate of Ayden High School, Sergeant Lane first entered service in 1942. He served throughout England for the following three years and arrived on Okinawa this year. He is presently assigned to the 9th Air Vehicle Repair Squadron of Kadena air base as an automotive inspector.

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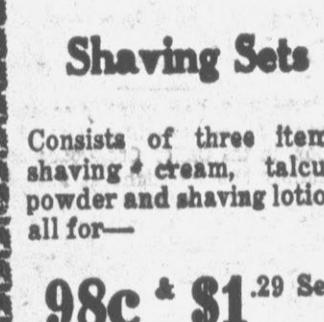
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Men's Belts
These come in leather and glass—
98c to \$2.00



Men's Dress Gloves
Leather dress gloves, all kinds and sizes—
\$2.50 to \$4.95



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Sets, boxed 3 colored handkerchiefs to each box—
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Consists of three items, shaving cream, talcum powder and shaving lotion, all for—
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\$1.00 to \$4.95



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- Trilmont Electric Heaters, were \$38.00, to close out at only **\$9.95**
- Doll Carriages, were \$18.95 to \$24.95, very special **\$9.95**
- Children's Bedroom Shoes, special **\$1.00**
- Infants' Shoes, in pink, blue and white, were \$1.95, now **\$1.00**
- Bill Folds, the best value in town, were \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95, now **1/2 PRICE**
- Decorated Card Tables, a good buy at **\$6.95**
- Beautiful Dolls—These were \$6.95 to \$13.95 much higher—now **\$6.95 to \$13.95**
- Plastic China Tea Sets, excellent buys **\$1.00 \$1.95 \$2.95 \$3.95**
- One Group of Lamps, were \$14.95 to \$22.50, special **\$10.95**
- Bridge Tables, red and white, leather tops, an outstanding value **\$17.95**

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DRINK, WET and BLOW BUBBLES!

She's back, the original Effanbee Dy-Dee doll with almost as many tricks up her sleeve as a real baby. She drinks from a bottle or spoon, wets her dydees, closes her thick lashed eyes and even blows bubbles from a soap bubble pipe. She was first of all the drink and wet babies, but Effanbee waited to bring her back until the special fine rubber was available for her patented features. What real fun!—her little flexible rubber ears can be cleaned with Q-Tips. Write, phone or come here tomorrow. **\$13.95**

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- ✓ The only doll with soft, flexible ears which can be cleaned with a Q-Tip.
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A gift she will appreciate if they come from "FORBES" ... A large variety of styles.

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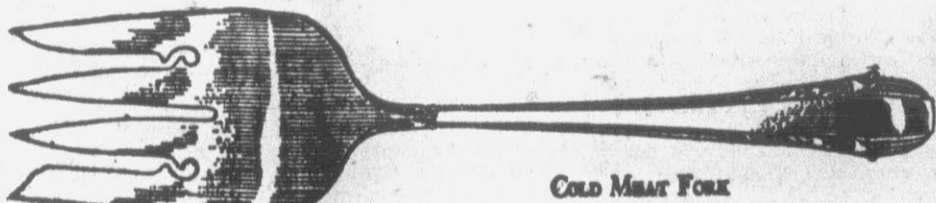


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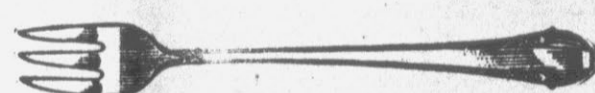
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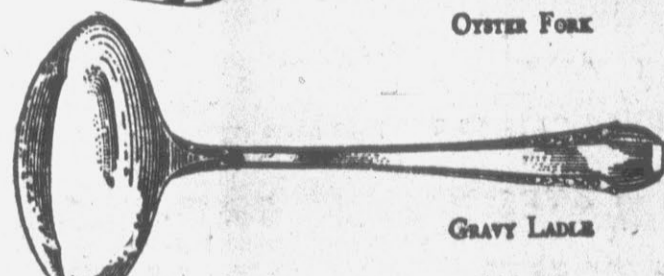
At last you can add to your set of beautiful International Sterling!
Again available — after nearly five years — are those indispensable service pieces in your International Sterling patterns.
Here are five of the pieces you've been waiting for! Phone us or stop in for yours!



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Social and Personal

Miss Shuff, Luncheon Hostess
Honoring Miss Josie Burman White, bride-elect of December, Miss Phyllis Shuff entertained yesterday at 1 o'clock at luncheon at her home on East Fifth street.

Vases of white pompons were used to decorate the living room where covers were laid for guests at small tables. A delightful turkey luncheon was served.

Miss Shuff presented a corsage to her honor guest and to Miss Alyce Ruth Bundy, whose approaching marriage has recently been announced.

As Featured in December Glamour



The side-swept skirt... diagonal drape of this slim-looking dress by Rite-Fit is made to fit the average figure. Multi-color jersey on black background.

Sizes 16½-22½

Glamour Shop
406 Evans St.

Christmas Ceremonial
Mrs. J. Carolina Munford, Worthy High Priestess, Greenville White Shrine No. 7, wishes to announce that the Christmas ceremonial will be held Wednesday night, December 10, at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. Let's make this a big event.

Service League Shelf
Look at Ellington's Book Store and see the many attractive aprons for sale on the Service League Shelf. The proceeds go to finance the Laughinghouse hospital bed.

E. C. T. C. Alumni To Meet Friday
The Greenville chapter of E. C. T. C. Alumni Association will meet Friday night, December 12, at 8 o'clock in the alumni office. Dr. Lucile Charles will give a Christmas program.

Library Christmas Holidays
Sheppard Memorial Library will be closed for Christmas holidays on December 24, 25, 26 and 27 and will reopen on Monday December 29.

Banks Close Two Days
The banks of the city will be closed Christmas Day and the next day for the Christmas holidays. They will reopen Saturday morning, December 27.

Garden Club's Annual Christmas Show To Open At Woman's Club Friday

The Greenville Garden Club will hold its annual Christmas Show at the Woman's Club this week, on Dec. 12th and 13th. Always an outstanding event in the community, the show this year promises to be more significant, helpful and more beautiful than ever before. In the inside and outside decorations in all the ideas and in the music which will be heard the true beauty and spirit of the Christmas season will be stressed.

The mantel arrangement will be a feature of the main decorations in the auditorium of the clubhouse. Special exhibits will include Christmas wrappings and favors, wreaths and swags, trees, Christmas delicacies and bouquets, Yuletide party suggestions, flower arrangements, nativity scenes and formal Christmas tables for all occasions. The show will be open to the public from 2 o'clock Friday afternoon until 10 p.m. and on Saturday the hours will be from 9 a.m. until 10 p.m.

VFW Post Meets Thursday
Charles V. Morgan Post No. 7032, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet at the Red Men's hall on Cotanche Street Thursday night at 7:30. A barbecued supper will be served. Commander Walter E. Lewis will preside. All members are asked to attend.

Mrs. J. J. Oakley Died Monday Night

Mrs. J. J. Oakley, 57, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. L. Cox, in the Calico Crossroads community Monday night at 9:25. She had lived in Pitt County all of her life and was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. F. L. Cox of Calico, Mrs. A. J. Cox of Greenville, Mrs. E. D. Cox of Washington and Mrs. Lucretia Cox of Washington, D.C., one son, Johnnie Oakley of the home, one sister, Mrs. Annie Godley of Grimesland, and one brother, Tom Adams, of Chocowinity, 28 grandchildren and 42 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. F. L. Cox Wednesday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. D. W. Alexander. Burial will be in the Oakley family cemetery.

Free Airplane Ride And \$5 For A Name

The Greenville Aero Club, an organization of pilots recently organized here, is offering \$5 and a free airplane ride over the city to the person who submits the most suitable permanent name for the club by December 17. The club was organized to stimulate interest in aviation among local people. It will meet at the Barnes Aircraft Company's office at the airport Wednesday, December 17, at 8 o'clock. Entries of names for the club should be mailed to the Greenville Aero Club, care Copeland Motor Company, 407 Washington Street.

Greenville Looks Good From Airplane

By CHESTER WALSH
An airplane ride Sunday afternoon with Pilot Charles Dudley of Greenville, a graduate of the Barnes Aircraft Company's school of aviation at the Greenville-airport, was a thrilling experience for a newspaper reporter who went aloft late in the afternoon to see how the Christmas decorations on the streets look. Greenville is a picturesque scene from the air.

Incidentally, a passenger feels a lot safer in a plane in the air than in an automobile on the ground,

especially if he takes a look while flying low at the street intersections and where the Farmville and Winterville highway junction in the western part of the city. Pilots don't take the chances motorists risk.

Pilot Dudley, who has had 43 hours of solo flying is a "natural." He has all of that "something which makes a man a part of his machine." He is employed at the aircraft assembly and repair department at the Marine base at Cherry Point.

Sub-Zero Readings Makes Minnesota Nation's Ice-Box

By the Associated Press
The coldest weather of the season chilled parts of the midwest today as temperatures in some sections of Minnesota dropped to nearly 30 degrees below zero.

The icy blasts from Canada, centering in Minnesota, northern Iowa and western Wisconsin, spread over the entire Mississippi Valley and the Great Lakes region southward over Texas and eastward across the north Atlantic coast.

Clear skies and an unbroken blanket of snow from 2 to 17 inches in depth were contributing factors to the sharp drop in temperatures in the three-state area reporting sub-zero temperatures.

Santa Comes Early For Dying Boy; No More Transfusions

Charleston, S.C., Dec. 9—(AP)—Johnny Robertson has had his Christmas party and indications today were that it would be his last one.

The five-year-old Johns Island boy is a victim of leukemia, a dread blood disease which is slowly sapping his life away.

He has been given five blood transfusions since his condition was discovered two months ago but they brought him only temporary improvement.

Yesterday his doctor told his parents that another transfusion would only prolong their boy's suffering. The parents—who arranged for Santa to visit Johnny Dec 8—decided against the transfusion.

Solve Complaint Of Cooperative

Raleigh, Dec. 9—(AP)—An SBI probe into charges that Lumberton merchants conspired against a cooperative grocery store operated by a labor union has been called off after the "cause of the complaint had been removed."

Belk-Tyler Company

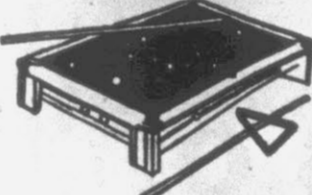
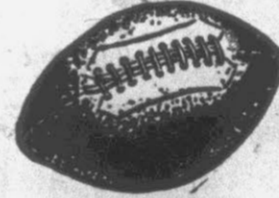
Only 12 More Shopping Days Before Christmas

Make Christmas Dreams Come True!
For The Kiddies

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- DRUMS, Assorted 1.00 to 2.98
- FOOTBALLS, Assorted 1.98 to 4.50
- DOLLS, Assorted 1.48 to 19.95
- DOLL BEDS 2.98 to 12.95
- DOLL CARRIAGES 6.50 to 16.50
- VELOCIPEDES 5.95 to 29.95
- WAGONS, Assorted 3.48 to 16.50
- PLASTIC TEA SETS 1.00
- GAMES, Assorted 1.00 to 1.98
- POOL TABLES 4.48
- IRONING BOARDS 1.79
- ELECTRIC STOVES 6.95 & 10.95
- PIANOS, Assorted 2.98 to 5.95
- CHILDREN'S CHAIRS 2.48 to 6.50
- ROLLER SKATES 2.98
- CHEMISTRY SETS 1.25 to 5.00
- CONSTRUCTION SETS 7.95
- ELECTRIC TRAINS 16.95



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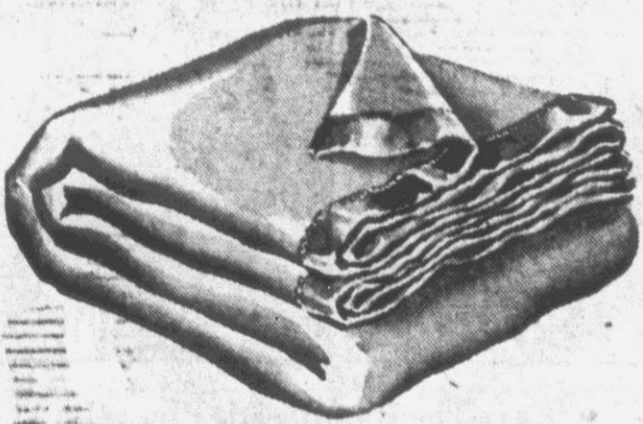
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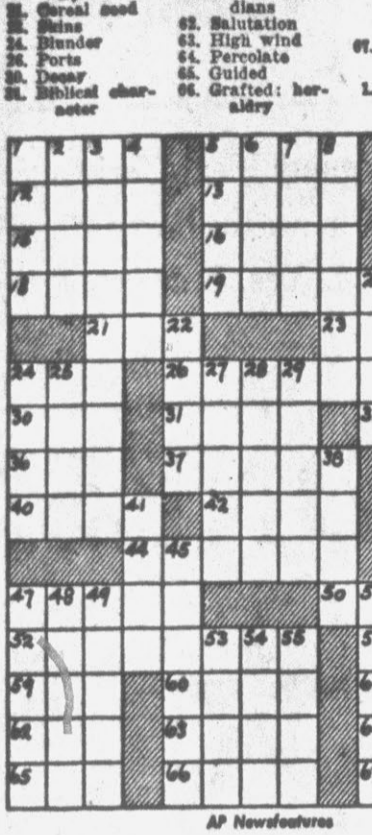
Now isn't that interesting. Probably you are the first person in the world who has ever had that disconcerting experience. This thing known as frustration is usually treated today as a modern phenomenon which for the first time in world history has descended upon our generation to plague it. In some way frustration is supposed to be the outgrowth of the machine age. Left-wingers say that it is a rebirth coming upon a selfish capitalist society. Psychologists link it to suppression.

But Washington was frustrated 180 or more years ago when he was trying to overthrow the British army with a handful of poorly trained soldiers. Columbus was frustrated when he tried to tell his generation that he could reach the east by sailing west and got laughed at for his pains. Or to go back farther—Moses was frustrated when after lingering on the mount for forty days he descended to find the Israelites worshipping idols. Or farther still—Noah was frustrated when he kept prophesying the flood and everyone called him a fool. Or to go back to the beginning—Adam was frustrated when Jehovah told him that he could eat of all the trees of the garden except one, and that the very one Adam wanted most. So let us reflect a bit before we complain.

AN AMERICAN CUSTOM
There is little we can add

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
1. Low tuff
2. Blast
3. Fighting remark
4. Pear Gynn's mother
5. On the sheltered side
6. Be defeated
7. Mining shiel
8. Isoline
9. Bastiate
10. Beverage
11. Village
12. Pertaining to a So. American coun-
13. Several seed
14. Blend
15. Blunder
16. Ports
17. Daway
18. Biblical char-
acter
- DOWN**
19. Arder
20. Tye
21. Pertaining to musical sound
22. Devoured
23. Utters
24. Trick
25. City of the east
26. Literary coun-
27. Proportion
28. Officeholders
29. Make leather
30. Soremonger
31. Manufactured
32. Point
33. Sandrae tree
34. American in-
35. Salutation
36. High wind
37. Percolate
38. Guided
39. Grafted; her-
40. Whirpool
41. Ingredient of beer
42. Medicinal herb
43. Rebuff
44. Rounded appendage
45. Employer
46. Come back
47. Another time
48. Cold dish
49. Billiful regions
50. Clamping de-
51. Pronoun
52. Historical pe-
53. Genus of the
54. Worship
55. Brilliant pianist
56. Rub out
57. Flaky
58. Egyptian solar
59. Late informa-
60. For fear that
61. Move
62. Respect
63. Assessment
64. Rating
65. Bound with
66. Entertain
67. Persia
68. Sodium chlo-
69. Large plant
70. Discover



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to the dozens of arguments for furthering of the Christmas Seal sales. The appearance of these stamps during the Yuletide has become accepted as another good American custom in which the individual takes part in guarding the welfare of the many.

The buying of Christmas seals is not charity; it is a common-sense approach to defeating a disease which has killed uncounted thousands. Medical science does not know any easy cure for Tuberculosis, but our pennies, nickels and dimes add up into an impressive war-chest for the fight against the White Plague.

Of particular interest to Pitt Countians is the propos-

Permit Increase In Train Fares

Washington, Dec. 8—(AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission today authorized increases in first class passenger fares on western railroads and in passenger coach fares on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina
Pitt County

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by John Ivey Green to S. E. Underwood, Jr., Trustee, dated April 28, 1943, and re-recorded April 28, 1943 in the office of Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book W-23 at page 696, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and the said deed of trust being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, and the holder of the indebtedness thereby secured having demanded a foreclosure thereof for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 12th day of January, 1948, the land conveyed in said deed of trust, the same lying and being in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

"Beginning at a stake, a corner, on the east side of Pitt Street Extended where the said street crosses a ditch just south of the Norfolk-Southern Railroad right-of-way and running thence with the line of Pitt Street Extended approximately 75 feet to a stake, a corner; running thence in an easterly direction for a distance of 210 feet to a stake, a corner; running thence in a northerly direction for a distance of 75 feet to a stake, a corner; running thence in a westerly direction 210 feet to the point of beginning, and being the same lot or parcel of land conveyed to the party of the first part by Margaret S. Everett by deed dated April 28, 1943, and duly of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County."

This the 8th day of December, 1947.

S. E. UNDERWOOD, JR., Trustee
Dec. 9-11w-4wks.

ed mass X-ray program which is planned at a later date. The cost of these free examinations will be defrayed by proceeds from the Christmas Seals which are now being sold.

The worth of these X-rays to a community is immeasurable. Many people who had no suspicion that they were sliding into the valley of tubercular death are warned in advance, and treatment can be started which has a greater opportunity of being successful.

Add a Christmas Seal to your letters and cards during the one month they are offered. They are a form of insurance which continually pays off.

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\$1,784,821 IN BEER TAXES for Counties, Cities and Towns



EVERY county in North Carolina, except two, and nearly all of the state's cities and towns have received checks in this first allocation of beer excise taxes to local government units. Yancey and Mitchell counties (blacked out on map) were excluded because the Revenue Act provides for distribution of malt beverage revenues only to "counties and municipalities wherein such beverages may be licensed to be sold...."

THE 1947 General Assembly doubled the taxes on malt beverages and directed that half of the proceeds be distributed to counties, cities and towns where the sale of these malt beverages is permitted.

The new tax, amounting to two and one-half cents on each twelve-ounce bottle, went into effect July 1, and the first distribution of this money to local government units was made in November on the basis of July, August and September collections. Future payments are to be made annually.

This first allocation to local government units amounted to \$1,784,821.12.

To the participating communities this first payment was a substantial windfall. This was in addition to state, county and city license taxes paid by dealers.

Here is a new source of revenue for local government units. The money may be used for law-enforcement purposes, debt-reduction, or for any legitimate expenditure, thereby easing the burden of other taxes.

Thus BEER, America's Beverage of Moderation, is helping to meet the costs of local government, at the same time paying millions of dollars into state and federal treasuries.

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SENATE OKAYS DEFENSE PACT

Hemisphere Treaty Is Approved By Margin Of 72-1

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—By a 72 to 1 vote the United States Senate committed to join its Western Hemisphere neighbors in fighting off an attack against any one of them.

That was the count late yesterday on ratification of the inter-American defense treaty written at the Rio De Janeiro conference last summer.

Senator Milliken (R-Colo.) cast the one No vote because, he said, the treaty provides for concerted action against "aggression" without defining that word.

Therefore he said, the United States might be dragged into war by other hemisphere nations against a country it did not consider "aggressive." (That would require a two-thirds vote of the American Senate.)

But the pact was warmly defended by Senators Vandenberg (R-Mich.) and Connally (D-Tex.) both of whom helped write it.

Christmas Club Mails \$35,000 To Depositors

By CHESTER WALSH
The First Federal Savings and Loan Association again essayed the role of Santa Claus when it recently mailed to 1,100 depositors in its Christmas Savings Club \$35,321.50. This amount was an increase over last year when the First Federal distributed \$32,000.

The Christmas Club provides an easy way to save money for Christmas. Memberships in it are now open. A person depositing 25 cents a week for 50 weeks will receive a check for \$12.50 next December 1; a deposit of 50 cents a week nets a check for \$25; those who deposit \$1 a week receive a check for \$50; depositors of \$2 a week receive a check for \$100; those depositing \$3 a week receive a check for \$150, and \$5 weekly deposits draw a check shortly before next Christmas of \$250.

Secretary-Treasurer A. C. Tadlock recalled today how the Christmas Savings Club was started and has grown during the years. The deposits have steadily increased and it is expected that next year's deposits will total \$40,000 or more.

"Making weekly deposits in the First Federal's Christmas Club is an easy way to save money and not miss it," Tadlock said. Several hundred adults and children have already joined the 1948 Christmas Club.

One depositor who received a check for \$100 the other day said, "If there really is a Santa Claus, this Christmas Saving Club is Old Sanky in person."

Robert Lee Humber Given Signal Honor

Robert Lee Humber of Greenville was honored last week by the North Carolina State Art Society which presented him with a certificate of merit and achievement for his service in obtaining a contingent appropriation of \$1,000,000 by the 1947 General Assembly with which to purchase works of old masters for the North Carolina State Museum.

Two other certificates were awarded, one posthumously to Ambassador to England O. Max Gardner for his role in pressing the claim of the University of North Carolina to the Ackland Legacy for the establishment of a museum at Chapel Hill, and the other to W. C. Davidson of the Knoedler Galleries of New York City for his annual exhibits of art in Raleigh. These three certificates were the first ever awarded.

The certificates of merit were signed by Catherine Pendleton Arrington, president; Lucy Cherry Crisp, secretary, and Clarence Poe, chairman of the executive committee.

Mr. Humber was elected vice-president of the Literary and Historical Association of North Carolina at its annual meeting last Friday.

NOTICE
In The Superior Court
North Carolina
Pitt County
Myrtle Lee Thigpen
Vs.
Lonnie Thigpen

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, by Myrtle Lee Thigpen against Lonnie Thigpen for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce from the said Lonnie Thigpen on the grounds of two years separation, and the said Lonnie Thigpen will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, in Greenville, on or before the 8th day of January, 1948, or within twenty days thereafter, and answer or demur to the plaintiff's complaint filed herein, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 8th day of December, 1947.

D. T. HOUSE, JR., Clerk of Superior Court.
J. H. Harrell, Atty for Plaintiff,
Dec. 9-11w-47w.

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Name Officers For Council Girl Scouts

By CHESTER WALSH
The Greenville Girl Scout Council at a meeting at the Rotary building last night adopted the Nominating Committee's report and elected Mrs. J. Knott Proctor as commissioner; Mrs. J. G. Riddick, first deputy; Mrs. R. G. Lang, second deputy; and Mrs. D. S. Spain, Jr., treasurer. Mrs. E. L. Henderson is executive secretary. Mrs. J. G. Riddick presided.

The Camp Committee made a gratifying report of the camp held

at Camp Hardee on Pamlico River below Chocowinity last summer. It was the most successful yet held. Plans were outlined for making additional improvements at the camp, including the purchase of a row-boat. Attention was called to the urgent need of women for Girl Scout troop leaders. There are 206 Girl Scouts enrolled now. Chester Walsh was appointed chairman of the Interracial Committee to succeed Miss Cleo Rainwater.

Members of the council present last night were Mrs. J. Knott Proctor, Mrs. Carl Adams, Mrs. E. L. Henderson, Mrs. Bob Thompson, Mrs. J. G. Riddick, Mrs. D. S. Spain, Jr., Mrs. R. G. Lang, Jonathan Overton, N. O. VanNortwick, Charles Bisette, Lyman Ormond and Chester Walsh.

Although there were few West Pointers in high command in the Union armies at the beginning of

the Civil War, at its end all of the general officers of the line were West Pointers.



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We Will Be
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Until Further Notice
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Mountain Cedars, will have them Wednesday morning. Select yours early. Big collection, all sizes.
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A table model with big set performance. Has unusual sensitivity. Automatic volume control, electro-dynamic speaker, built-in loop antenna. Five tubes including rectifier.

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Takes over every whipping and beating job, does it faster, does it better! A gift with a lifetime of service.

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The liquid in the gorgeously colored lamps bubbles and dances. New! Wonderful! Nine lamps.

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Sticks enough to iron light materials but not enough to be harmful. One's first iron. Underwriters Laboratories listed.

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Has a magic electric pen and all kinds of equipment for making pretty, useful objects.

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- Has 63 Pieces
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C. Evans and 9th Streets
Fats Tires, Tubes
Fuss Oil Products
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C. D. TUNSTALL
Life Insurance
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Marble and Granite Works, 710 Lupton Ave. We guarantee all materials and prices to satisfy. See or call us before you buy. J. A. Conway, owner. 8-3-1mo.

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ROOFING—5V ALUMINUM ROOFING
\$2.95 square. 90-lb. asphalt roofing, \$2.95 roll. Pitt FOX Service. 26-12

WANTED—PIPE COVERERS
by old established shop. Applicants must have three or more years continuous experience. Those interested contact C. E. Thurston & Sons, Inc., 32 Commercial Place, Norfolk, Virginia. At least 6 months work. 6-7

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ONE 1940 3-4 TON INTERNATIONAL
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WANTED—TWO 14-IN. BOTTOM
pumps for tractor. Write condition and price. Earl Garris, Greenville, Route 3. 6-3

REWARD FOR RECOVERY
—Ranger bicycle, painted blue, trimmed in white, practically new. Taken from parking space at State Theatre Tuesday evening. W. G. Scott. 4-6

NOTICE—WE HAVE IN STOCK
table top and round electric water heaters, automatic gas and oil burning heaters. All at special prices. We also maintain an expert repair service. Call us when in need of plumbing or heating service or repairs. Sanitary Plumbing and Heating Co., Dial 2858. 3-6

FOR RENT—FURNISHED BED
rooms, good location, close in. 1218 Dickinson Ave. Dial 2630. 5-3

HOUSES IN COLLEGE VIEW
Hilldale or West Greenville, urban or suburban. See us before you buy that home. General Insurance Agency, Stallworth, Tripp or Stokes, Dial 2401. 5-6

FOR SALE — LADIES' BICYCLE
in good condition, 1308 Dickinson Avenue, Dial 2464. 8-2

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Wedding Invitations
CAROLINA OFFICE
EQUIPMENT COMPANY
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Groceries & Meats
We Sell Birdseye Frozen Foods,
Grade "A" Market — We Deliver
LEE'S SUPER MARKET
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JUST RECEIVED A CAR OF
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TOY PIANOS, \$2.50, IDEAL
gift for a little girl.
20 Bellamy
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FOR SALE — ONE SUSPEN-
sion type Gas Unit Heater, completely automatic, with thermostat, 65,000 BTU. Johnson's, Dial 4483. 8-3

FOR SALE—ONE THOR WASH-
ing Machine, \$100. May be seen at Rountree Cross Roads Store near Ayden, N. C. Willis Carman. 8-3

WE HAVE McNAIR'S AND BELL'S
tobacco seed in stock but our supply of Oxford No. 1 and Oxford No. 26 is very limited. Dial 3735. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 12-8-47

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A perfect gift for a child.
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WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED
waitresses. Apply at Dixie Lunch. 8-2

FOR RENT—BED ROOM NICELY
furnished in College View. Call 4269. 9-2

FOR SALE — 1942 CHEVROLET
tutor, perfect condition. Contact Fred Forbes, Jr., Phone 3723 or 2327. 9-3

JUST RECEIVED — 2 AND 3
Burner Camp Stoves, also 3-Burner Base Oil Cook Stoves.
Quinn, Miller & Stroud. 8-2

FOR SALE—SOLID MAPLE DIN-
ing set, buffet, Welsh dresser, table, four chairs. In excellent condition. Shown by appointment only. Telephone 3059. 9-3

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POP BENT—FILLING STATION
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FOR SALE—1947 FRAZER 4 DOOR
sedan, in fine, will sacrifice for big discount. Do not need the car. Is in perfect condition. See Mayhew Cannon 8 miles from Greenville. Washington highway. 9-3

FOR SALE—FIVE ROOM HOUSE
with both electric lights and water, 1 1/2 acres of land. Call 3610-3. 9-3

FOR CHRISTMAS CARDS AND
magazine subscriptions see Mrs. Leon Fleming, Dial 3842. 9-3

WANTED TO RENT—MEDIUM
store or would share part space in building for storage. Write P. O. Box 377, Greenville. 9-3

BE SURE TO ATTEND THE
square and round dance Wednesday night, December 10, at the armory, also on Saturday night. Sponsored by the American Legion. Be there and have a big time. 9-5

FOR SALE — ONLY ONE 20 CU.
ft. electric refrigerator and only one 18 cu. ft. home freezer. Reduced price. Appliance Sales and Service Corp. 9-5

FOR SALE—ONE WALNUT BED
room suite with springs. One iron bedstead with springs and mattress and one dresser, 311 Green Street, or call 3596. 9-2

FREE REMOVAL — DEAD AND
disabled horses, mules cows and hogs. Phone 3101, Greenville, N. C. Norfolk Tallow Co., Inc. 12-9-47

FOR SALE—ONE WAYNE 250 GAL.
capacity water system, 1 Everite 300 gal. capacity water system at reduced price. Appliance Sales and Service Corp., 511 Evans St. 9-8

FOR SALE—1 SAFE SUITABLE
for business concern. Bloant Fertilizer Co. 9-5

EX-NAVAL OFFICER NOW STUDENT
wife and 18 months old daughter, desire 3 room unfurnished apartment. References. Call 4358. Mrs. Mayo. 9-6

BUILDING SITE BARGAINS FOR
Christmas season. A Street near river \$400, Woodcrest new addition \$450, Meadowbrook \$350, beautiful lot in large pecan grove \$950, East 4th Street \$1200, also lots in other sections at right prices. Heber B. Tripp, Dial 2401, night 9080. 9-3

FOR SALE—2 HOLE ICE CREAM
cabinet in good condition. Can be seen at Appliance Sales and Service Corp., 511 Evans Street. 9-3

W. R. WEST EXTERMINATOR
for roaches and mice, will be in Greenville all this week. Call Overton's Grocery, corner Evans and Fourteenth Sts. Dial 2361. 9-4

World consumption of cotton hit a peak of 30.6 million bales in 1936. West Point is the oldest U. S. military post now in use.

Paul Revere, Revolutionary War hero in the United States, was a silversmith whose specialty was fine silver beer tankards.

WGTC

1490 On Your Dial

TONIGHT
6:00—News
6:05—Sportscast
6:15—Plantation Party
6:30—Erwin, State and Regional News
6:45—Claudia
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
7:15—Evening Serenade
7:30—Veterans News
7:45—Autumn Nocturne
8:00—Racket Smashers, MBS
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WEDNESDAY
6:58—Sign On
7:00 News, TN
7:05—Yawn Patrol
7:15—State News
7:20—Yawn Patrol
7:30—Sports, TN
7:35—Fairly Tales
7:45—News
8:00—TN. Hymns of Faith
8:15—Breakfast Frolics
8:30—Morning Meditations
8:45—Waltz Time
9:00—Stars on the Horizon
9:10—Morning Merry Go Round
9:30—Garner Furn. Co. Show
9:45—Musical Interlude
9:55—Lost and Found
10:00—Obituary Column
10:05—John W. Vandercook
10:10—Program Resume
10:15—Block Party
10:30—Farmville School Program
10:45—Smile Time
11:00—MBS. Emily Post Quiz
11:15—MBS. Tell You Neighbor
11:30—MBS. Heart's Desire
11:50—Farmer's Exchange
12:15—Carolina Farm Program
12:30—Taft Furniture Co. Show
12:45—New 10-2-4 Time
1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
1:15—Red Hook 31, MBS
1:30—Quiet Melodies
1:45—Checkerboard Jamboree, MBS
2:00—Queen for a Day
2:30—Martin Block Show, MBS
2:45—Afternoon Melodies
3:00—News
3:05—Women Today
3:15—Let's Dance
4:00—Erskine Johnson, MBS

FOR SALE—ONE 4 1-2 H. P. NEP-
tune outboard motor \$50. Write P. O. Box 436, Greenville. 9-2

FOR SALE — 38 CALIBRE SIX
shot blue steel Smith & Wesson revolver, four inch barrel. Mr. X. Care of Reflector. 9-2

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY —
A-3 electric ranges. Appliance Sales and Service Corp., 511 Evans Street, Dial 4260. 9-5

TWO MULES AND ALL FARM
equipment to be sold at auction on Saturday, December 13, at 10:30 a. m. 3 miles on Farmville highway on Wyatt Brown Farm. G. T. Corbett. 9-3

OUR CHRISTMAS TREES HAVE
arrived. We have all sizes. Select yours early for best values. J. A. Watson, Seed and Hardware. 12-9-47

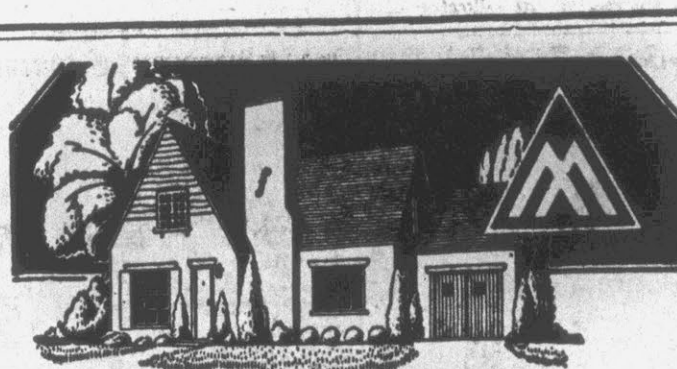
UNFURNISHED ROOM AND
kitchenette for rent. Mrs. N. S. Stocks, 210 Ridgeway Street.

4:15—The Johnson Family, MBS
4:30—Lone Ranger TN
5:00—Santa Clause
5:15—Superman, MBS
5:30—Captain Midnight, MBS
5:45—Tom Mix, MBS
6:00—News
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Rainbow Cleaners & Laundry
DIAL 2230

Effective this date, our salesman, Earl Heath, is no longer connected with this laundry. Mr. W. E. Fornes will represent us to you, assuring better and more courteous service.



For Lasting Protection... Use Moore Paint and Save 1 Coat

You don't have to sacrifice either beauty or protection to save the cost of one coat of paint. One coat of Moorwhite Primer and one coat of Moore's House Paint will give you all the durability of old-style three-coat jobs. Recommended by Master Painters.

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Gorgeous full-size console with...
Automatic Record Changer — plays up to 12 records!
Powerful rich-voiced radio!
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PHILCO 1262
Plays 10 twelve-inch or 12 ten-inch records automatically. Featherweight Tone Arm—no needles to change!
Gorgeous tone on radio and records.
\$159.95
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Amazing new kind of portable phonograph
Just slide in a record... and it plays!
PHILCO 1240, just the thing for young folks, parties, dancing! Just slide a record in and it plays, automatically! No needles to change. Wonderful tone. Easy to carry anywhere. Luggage-type case, stout handle.
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Many other PHILCO Models... See them!
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GIFT CERTIFICATE
Presented With Best Wishes
To Bill
From Mary
For Merchandise Selected From
HILL'S
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Greenville, N. C.
Retailing at a Value Not in Excess of
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Signed Date



The Importance of a Prescription
Have you ever watched your doctor write a prescription? If you have you will remember the thought he put into every stroke of his pen. For when writing your prescription he is applying to your particular case all the scientific medical knowledge handed down through generations of medical practitioners. We'll show you your prescription the respect it deserves by filling it with the same care the Doctor took in writing it.

BISSETTE'S
See Your Doctor Regularly.

More fun after Classes with the Westinghouse LITTLE JEWEL
A console radio in capsule form.
Never before has so much performance been packed into a small set. Only \$14.95... it is ideal for table top use... it has enough power to fill a ballroom with music! Styled on all sides — it's a beauty from every angle!
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Give them a Westinghouse DUO
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See it... Hear it... Play it...

Listen...and you'll buy Westinghouse Bostic-Sugg Furniture Co., Inc.
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At Offie. Warren Farm, 4 Miles East of Stokes.
All Household and Kitchen Furniture.
W. T. WARREN

House and Cleared Land For Sale
Comfortable seven-room house, electricity and running water, on paved highway, and approximately ten acres of good, well drained land. Possession January 20, 1948. Terms if desired. To be sold at auction on Thursday, December 18, 1947, at 11:00 a.m. on premises. C. F. Padgett home farm, four miles south of Bethel, on Greenville highway. Right reserved to reject bids.
C. F. PADGETT, Owner
S. B. Underwood, Jr., Attorney

Cases Tried In Police Court

Judge J. W. H. Roberts tried the following cases in Police Court Monday:

Drunk: Mamie Ruth Hodges, \$15; George Coward colored, \$20; Thad C. Braxton, \$15; Robert T. Eckenrode, \$15; Johnnie P. Williams, (and profane language), \$20.
Driving while drunk: Levy W. Langley, motion for jury trial in Superior Court, bond \$200.
Reckless driving: Lamb Tyson, colored, \$20, costs deducted, and paid \$25 for the benefit of Enoch Stator, and the court recommended that Tyson's driver's license be revoked for a year.

Possession of liquor for sale: Jim Allen, colored, fined \$200, to pay \$100 now, balance January 1.
No driver's license: Claude Mills, \$25 and costs.
Louis Smith, colored, was not guilty of driving without a driver's license and damaging personal property.
John F. Teel, colored, paid \$20, costs deducted, for speeding, and \$25 and costs for driving without a driver's license.
Kathleen Foreman, colored, paid \$25 for fornication and adultery.

Lions Let Down Manes And Relax At Musicale

A rip-roaring time was had by all the occupants of the Lion's Den on Monday night, when members of the Greenville Lions Club sat back, relaxed, and enjoyed a pleasant musical program. The only casualty of the evening occurred when Lion "Skip" Alexander developed a callous on the bottom of his foot, from beating out the time to the rhythm of the entertainers.

Accompanied by Christine Smith at the piano, who can pull more music out of the ivory key-board than the average congressman can pull pork out of the barrel, the old-time Barbershop Quartet sang such old favorites as "Yearning," "Miss You," "Sweet Adeline," "Frisolous Sal," and many others.

The quartet was composed of Tige Gardner, James Ray Pittman, Ed Conway and Aubrey Tilley. In addition to the numbers they sang together, Aubrey Tilley, the Bing Crosby of the west bank of the Tar River, entertained with a couple of solos; and old Mr. Bones himself, Tige Gardner, gave out with a couple of old favorites.

It isn't often that the Lions like to continue their roaring past the 8 p.m. deadline, but this program was an exception, and practically every Lion held to his haunches and asked for more.

Tyson Bilbro presided over the meeting, and the most important item of business was a brief report from Lion Cliff Cross who terminated his way into the banquet held in Wilson recently, honoring Melvin Jones, the secretary-general of Lions International.

Marriage Licenses Issued Past Week

The register of deeds issued marriage licenses to the following couples since last Wednesday:

White: Burnis Harris of Greenville and Virginia Gates of Farmville; Ennis P. Blanchard and Frances Jones of Greenville; Ollie L. Wood and Mary Lou Skinner of Greenville; Brooks Haddock and Louise Hardy of Ayden; William F. Reyor of Hartford, Conn., and Lillian Nelson of Greenville; James C. Smith and Vildera E. Spear of Vanceboro; Cecil T. Langley of Faison and Peggy Rose Harrington of Stokes.

Special Program At Eppes High School During 'Book Week'

Book Week was celebrated at Eppes High School Nov. 16-22. A special program was rendered in the auditorium of the school on Thursday, November 20. Miss B. L. Sowell, librarian, made introductory remarks concerning the

purpose of Book Week. She stated that books are the cheapest way to gain knowledge and culture. The greatest and best of everything that people have ever thought and done is written in books. But you must learn how to read, and how to find these books in a library or these facts remain a deep dark secret to you.

John Sawyer, a student in the vocational division, gave a demonstration concerning his work with the Greenville newspaper, the Daily Reflector. He showed plates and mats from which pictures and illustrations are printed for the news. Pupils were very much interested and enjoyed the demonstration.

The principal speaker was Miss Farley, librarian of Greenville High School. Miss Farley used as her subject the Book Week theme, "Books for the World of Tomorrow." She said in part, "It is not natural for us to think much about tomorrow. We are more interested in what is going on today."

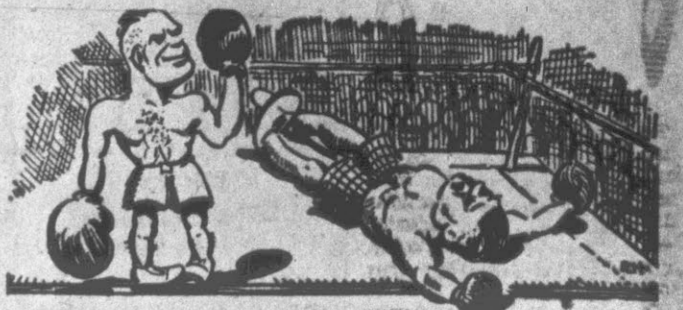
"There are many book lists called 'The Best.' But it is not wise for some one to select our reading material for us as being the best for us. We must read any thing and every

thing. We will soon learn to know the good from the mediocre, and how to select the reading material that we need. This will do much to prepare us for the World of Tomorrow."

Closing remarks were made by Principal W. H. Davenport. He said that he could see from the attentive and interested expressions that all had enjoyed the program and felt that they would be much benefited.

The High School Band organized by Director Lewis since the opening of the present school term, made excellent music for the occasion. An exhibit of pupils work was on display in the library. They included letters, original short stories, maps, graphs, drawings, posters, clay modeling and paper cutting. These were intended to give parents and visitors some idea of the pupils' work with books and their library.

Several books were donated to the library by teachers and friends.



KID THRIFT WINS BY KNOCKOUT!!

"I kept swingin' until me opponent, 'Hardup Baloney' was softened up softer than a bay's finger. Den I give him the old one-two and dat was all brother."

"It was a hard fight but I was thinking of me wife, babies and me little homeless pooch. Wid dem on me mind nuttin' could stop me."

That was how Kid Thrift obtained undisputed title to his home. What he kept swinging with was persistent savings. Savings soften up any financial problem and pave the way for a knockout.

"Hardup Baloney" his mythical opponent is the same fanciful and fearful creature that we all must meet and whip—if we are to attain financial security.

Your own personal financial problem may appear larger than you and twice as tough.

But many such problems are bluff and give way steadily before a thrifty man or woman determined to save and be secure.

Our records are filled with the names of patrons and friends who have whipped that old bugaboo of financial insecurity.

They did it. So can you. And we'll help all we can.

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Cowper has been serving as acting judge since October 1946 when Dawson was charged with manslaughter in a fatal highway accident. Dawson later was convicted and sentenced to serve three to five years.

Postpone Strike At Oak Ridge

Washington, Dec. 9—(AP)—At the urgent request of the government a CIO union today laid aside indefinitely plans for the first strike in history at an atomic energy plant.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Dec. 9—(AP)—(NCDA)—Raleigh egg and poultry markets steady; U. S. grade AA large 67; fryers and broilers 33.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Dec. 9—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog markets steady with tops of 25.00 at Rocky Mount, Fayetteville;

24-75 at Greenville, Clinton, Warsaw, Lumberton, Chadbourne Smithfield, Mount Olive; and 25.25 at Richmond.

Grain Market

Chicago, Dec. 9—(AP)—Grain futures were strong today but there was a late reaction from the best price levels on profit-taking sales and a let up in commercial demand. Wheat rallied again at the finish and closed 2 to 5 1/2 cents higher than the previous close December \$3.09-43.10, corn was 1 to 3 1/2 higher, December \$2.57-4, and oats were up 1/4 to 1 1/2, December \$1.24-1.25. Soybeans were 3 to 5 cents higher, March \$3.85.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, Dec. 9—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 15 to 70 cents a bale lower. Noon prices were 96 cents to \$2.20 a bale higher than the previous close. Dec. 36.15, March 36.25 and May 35.90.

Futures closed \$1.05 to \$3.10 a bale higher than the previous close. Open Last Prv.Cl. Dec. 35.82 36.48 35.86 March 35.76 36.46 35.90 July 35.38 36.06 35.46 Oct. 34.32 34.76 34.36 Dec. 31.32 31.70 31.37 Dec. 30.67 30.82 30.71 Middling spot 37.29, up 54.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 9—(AP)—The recovery shift was extended selectively in today's stock market. Transfers held to around the 1,000,000-share mark.

FINAL STOCKS

Allegheny	3 1/2%
Al Chem and Dye	189 1/2
Allis Chal Mfg	87 1/2
Am Smelt and Ref	55 1/2
A T and T	152 1/2
Aviat Corp	5
Beth Stl	98
Caterpil Trac	53
Chrysler	61 1/2
Coml Credit	41 1/2
Curt Wright	5
Firestone	47 1/2
Goodyear	58 1/2
Goodyear	41 1/2
Loews	18 1/2
Nat Bldg	30 1/2
No Am Aviat	8 1/2
Packard	4 1/2
Param Pic	20 1/2
Penn J C	42 1/2
Penn RR	16
Pepsi Cola	22 1/2
Republic Stl	25 1/2
Std Oil N J	75 1/2
Unit Corp	2 1/2
US Steel	74 1/2
Woolworth	45 1/2

Truman-Stalin . . .

(Continued from Page One) seen the Reds of Italy and France instigating actual rebellion against the governments of those countries. The most we can expect in '48 or

at any other time is "two worlds" which will be at loggerheads ideologically but will be at peace so far as actual gunfire is concerned. And even that degree of "peace" can be achieved only if still free nations can withstand the further assault of the world revolution. So long as Communism spreads, just so long will Moscow continue its global crusade. That brings us to a point on which this column has insisted many times: It is conceivable that a Communist bloc of nations and a democratic bloc could live side by side in peace. But it is impossible for democracy and Communism to live together within the boundaries of any nation. Communism won't mix with anything else.

Explaining . . .

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United Nations which is heir to some of the old League of Nations' headaches.

By next Aug. 1, the British said, they would remove all their troops from Palestine and give up their mandate, no matter what happened there.

Last week the U.N. General Assembly did something about it. It voted to split Palestine three ways. The United States and Russia backed the plan.

The split would be this way: 1. A small section—including Jerusalem and Bethlehem—would be

an international zone under U.N. control.

2. The rest of Palestine would be divided into a Jewish state and an Arab state.

(Of Palestine's 10,000 square miles the Jewish state would get about 5,500 and the Arab state about 4,500.)

Those two states are supposed to start in business by Oct. 1, 1948. But the Arabs are not taking the U. N. split - up of Palestine lying down. A Jewish state there is the last thing they want.

Last night the Arab League announced it is taking "immediate measures" for military and other action to block creation of a Jewish state.

The Arab world set up this league in 1943. It's made up of seven Arab nations: Egypt, Iraq, Syria, Lebanon, Yemen, Trans-Jordan and Saudi Arabia.

So the struggle and the killing are just beginning.

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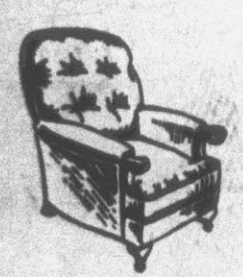
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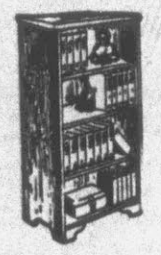
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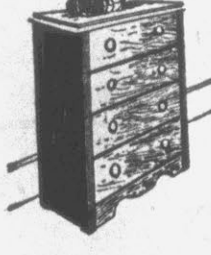
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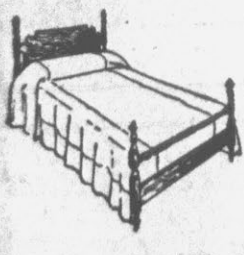
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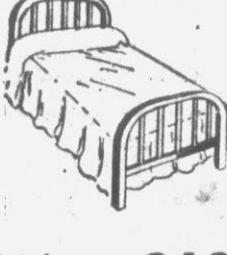
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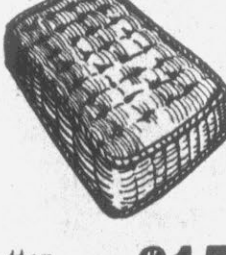
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