

North Carolina—Continued rather cold tonight, a little warmer Sunday.

Record Snowfall Paralyzes New York City; 31 Dead In Storm Belt

New York, Dec. 27—(AP)—The nation's greatest metropolis resembled a ghost city today as it struggled to dig out from under a record 25.8-inch snowfall that paralyzed much of its vast transportation system and virtually erased traffic from its normally teeming streets.

Conn. reported five deaths, Pennsylvania 2, Massachusetts 2, Rhode Island 2 and New Hampshire 2.

Technically not a blizzard since it was unaccompanied by high winds and near-zero temperature, the snowfall wrought sufficient havoc during the day to insure itself a legendary role in New York weather history.

Veterans Agency Faces Severe Loss In Doctors

Washington, Dec. 27—(AP)—The Veterans Administration faces the loss next spring of 1,400 physicians, more than a fifth of its hospital staff, Maj. Gen. Paul R. Hawley said today.

Hawley said replacement of those doctors will be the No. 1 problem of the man who succeeds him as medical director for the Veterans Administration.

Production To Rise, But Not Enough, Say Manufacturers

Detroit, Dec. 27—(AP)—Passenger automobiles will roll off assembly lines a little faster next year but not fast enough to balance output and demand by the year's end.

That's the conviction of most of the industry's chroniclers and top level executives in the low and medium price fields.

Too Few Cars Seen For '48

The officers in many cases were assigned to the more isolated hospitals, for which, frequently, it was difficult to obtain civilian personnel.

The car manufacturers are not worried about their market, nor their ability to produce automobiles in large volume.

Mexican Cold Wave Fatal For Over Ten

Mexico City, Dec. 27—(AP)—Police reported today that 10 persons were dead and more than 100 hospitalized as a result of a three-day cold wave that has gripped the Mexico City area.

Yesterday's temperature was the coldest Dec. 26 on record for the Mexican capital.

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Observers said that Bevin, though irritated by charges of Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov that Britain is following an "imperialistic" policy, is nevertheless reluctant to force a showdown which might end Big Four consultations.

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Under legislation passed at the special session the three nations will receive mostly food, fuel and other living necessities to see them through the winter.

Truman Names New FCC Head

Washington, Dec. 27—(AP)—The Federal Communications Commission will go into the new year with two new faces, a full complement of members, and an even balance between the two major parties.

President Truman last night named Wayne Coy, 44, radio director of the Washington Post, to the FCC chairmanship, effective at once.

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Officers at the Atlantic division headquarters of Air Transport Command here said radio messages reported the men were in good shape and apparently suffered little from their two-day vigil on barren Lake Duke.

LISTS ERRORS IN ATTEMPTING PANAMA PACT

Former Panamanian Cabinet Member Reviews 'Mistakes' By State Dept.

Panama, Panama, Dec. 27—(AP)—Ricardo J. Alfaro, recently-resigned foreign minister of Panama, has accused the State Department of committing three "fundamental errors" in negotiating for the defense-base agreement.

Severe Fighting Continues Between Greek Army, Reds

Athens, Dec. 27—(AP)—Fighting between the Greek army and Communist guerrilla units continued in the Konitsa-Ioannina region of northwestern Greece today as the government reportedly rushed plans for outlawing the Communist party.

Greek troops, fighting up the main highway from Ioannina, made contact with guerrillas holding the vital Bourzani bridge in the Konitsa area, key to the main communications line from Ioannina.

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Washington, Dec. 27—(AP)—Officials of the Agriculture Department said today they hope to include in their next public listing of commodity traders the names of 71 federal, state and local jobholders who have been speculating in wheat.

PREDICT USSR RECOGNITION REBEL REGIME

Several Solons See More Soviet Pressure And More U. S. Aid For Greece

Washington, Dec. 27—(AP)—Several members of Congress predicted today that Russia will increase pressure on Greece by extending official recognition to a new "independent Communist" regime in the northern part of the Mediterranean nation.

Arab-Jewish Toll Raised To 500

Jerusalem, Dec. 27—(AP)—The splintering war of hatred in Palestine brought death today to four Jews and six Arabs, raising to 579 the number of fatalities since partition was announced a month ago.

Texans Aid Trio London Boys To Become Cowboys

Lamarque, Tex., Dec. 27—(AP)—Three little London boys who wrote "to a exas cowboy55 may bring their parents here to live.

Increases FHA Authorization

Washington, Dec. 27—(AP)—President Truman today signed a measure increasing by \$750,000,000 the federal housing administration's authority to insure new home mortgages.

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New York, Dec. 27—(AP)—The coroner here today said he would consult District Attorney M. Clark of Greenville before setting a date for an inquest into the ax murder of William E. Norris, 25-year-old war veteran, whose body was found buried in a shallow grave behind a chicken house at the home of Earl Humphrey near Vanhook on Wednesday.

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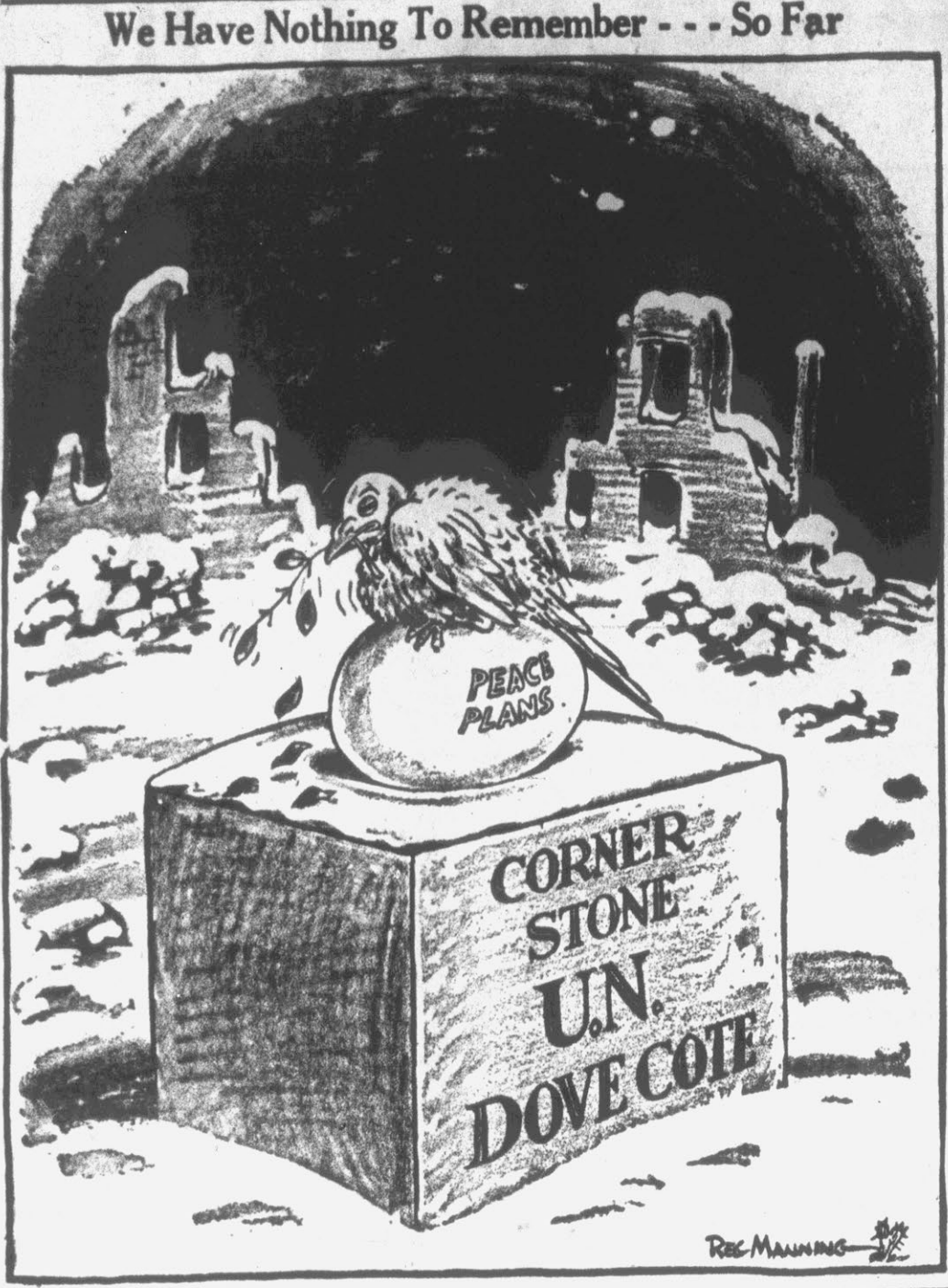
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We Have Nothing To Remember - - - So Far. Babson... Grain, Steel and Your Job. Your job and mine will be greatly affected in the coming months by what happens to grain, steel and oil.

Greece meet with success, it would create a grave situation, and the question naturally arises as to what the attitudes of Russia and the Western Allies would be.

Die In Blaze. Orange, Tex., Dec. 26—(AP)—Seven persons perished in the flame-swept halls and rooms of a small hotel last midnight while six other guests jumped from windows to safety.

Strength FOR THE DAY. THE BETTER SYMPHONY. The man who plays the cymbals may not seem to have a very important part in an orchestra, but a symphony without the discordant clanging of a cymbal somewhere in it would lack much of the majesty it is intended to have.

WASHINGTON LETTER. By JANE EADS. Washington—The Military Order of the Carabao will top its annual "Wallow" in February with the induction of Gen. Jonathan "Skinny" Wainwright, hero of Corregidor, as its "Grand Paramount Carabao."

U.S. Army Shift Under Suspect. Moscow, Dec. 24—(AP)—The Russian Press intimated Tuesday that the United States was transferring troops from Italy to the American zones in Austria and Germany.

Rocky Mount Youth Wins Scholarship. Chicago, Dec. 26—(AP)—Hugh F. Houston, 17, senior at Rocky Mount, N. C., high school, has been selected as one of five grand prize winners in the quilt kits essay contest.

Passenger Train Smashes Freight. Miami, Fla., Dec. 26—(AP)—A Florida East Coast passenger train ripped into a freight train here early today, injuring five members of the crew.

Rebellion... and Yugoslavia frontiers and the "general" has succeeded in keeping the whereabouts of his headquarters—presumably seat of government—a dark secret.

Applaud Pope's Radio Address. Vatican City, Dec. 26—(AP)—Vatican sources said today Pope Pius had received telegrams from all parts of the world congratulating him on his Christmas Eve broadcast in which he denounced "what he called the policy of insincerity" among nations.

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Sycamore Hill Service Offered. At 10:45 last Sunday night, Dec. 21, the Youth Council of the Sycamore Hill Baptist Church presented a dramatic Christmas service of unusual effectiveness and charm.

Money To Lend. Long-term farm loans at 4 per cent. No charge for inspection. Borrower not required to buy stock or life insurance.

THE PHANTOM. HQ, MORRISTOWN CONSTABULARY. SORRY TO INTERRUPT YOUR GAME, BOYS.

BLONDIE — By Chic Young. NEVER MIND WHO I AM. I'VE COME TO REPORT A SMUGGLING RING THAT'S MAKING A RUN FROM HERE TO NEPA.

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Quality Shoe Repairing at Saad's Shoe Shop. Next to College View Cleaners. All Work Guaranteed. We Deliver.

EGGED ON! Forsyth, Mont. —(AP)—George Tillit was driving home with 15 dozen eggs on the truck seat beside him when the vehicle hit a bump. A quick census of the scrambled situation showed five dozen broken in his lap. Ten dozen still in their shells.

Sweet'pea Turns Over New Leaf. "ME TEAM IS HERE TO PLAY NEX' WEEK IN TH' SPINACH BOWL!!"

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NOTICE. Our Place of Business Will Be CLOSED Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday December 29-30-31 For Inventory. Garris Evans - Lumber Co.

K AUTO SPECIALTY CO. Your Kaiser Dealer. 209 E. 5th STREET. Phone 3470. Expert service ON ANY CAR.

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Crossword Puzzle. ACROSS: 1. Sharp tip, 2. Pronoun, 3. Sunken fence, 4. Musical direction, 5. Silence, 6. Woolly sur, 7. Face of dot, 8. Article, 9. Jewelry, 10. Scene of action, 11. Soiled, 12. Exists, 13. Telephone girl, 14. Ribbed fabric, 15. Puff up, 16. Goldfish of the harvest, 17. Dry, 18. Grassland, 19. Eskimos, 20. Egg-shaped, 21. Get away from.

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Social and Personal

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SATURDAY

9:00 p. m.—German Club dance at Country Club.

SUNDAY

7:00 p. m.—Misses Peggy Rose Smith, Joyce Corbett, and Jane Smith will be hostesses at a coffee hour at the home of Miss Peggy Rose Smith, honoring Miss Alyce Ruth Bundy, bride-elect.

MONDAY

4:00 p. m.—Mrs. M. B. Massey and Miss Jane Massey will be hostesses at tea in honor of Miss Alyce Ruth Bundy.

TUESDAY

1:00 p. m.—Mrs. Sam D. Bundy of Farmville will be luncheon hostess in compliment to Miss Alyce Ruth Bundy, bride-elect.

WEDNESDAY

2:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bundy will entertain the Harper-Bundy wedding party and out-of-town guests at luncheon in the Magnolia room of the Proctor Hotel.

THURSDAY

8:30 p. m.—The wedding of Miss Alyce Ruth Bundy and Mr. John A. Harper, Jr. will take place in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

FRIDAY

9:15 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bundy will entertain at a reception at the Woman's Club honoring the Harper-Bundy wedding party.

To Preach at Meadowbrook Rev. J. Ear Adkins of Roanoke, Va. is visiting Rev. L. W. Topping for the weekend and will preach at Meadowbrook Sunday evening at 7:30. During the service there will be special music by the Youth Chorus.

Harper-Bundy Mr. and Mrs. William James Bundy request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Alyce Ruth.

Mr. John Alonzo Harper, junior on Wednesday, the thirty-first of December.

Nineteen hundred and forty-seven at eight-thirty o'clock in the evening Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Greenville, North Carolina.

No invitations sent in Greenville.

Birth Announcement Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sutton announce the birth of a daughter, Diana Estelle, on December 22nd in Pitt General Hospital.

Mrs. Sutton is the former Miss Estelle Bright of Greenville, N.C.

County Schools Open Monday The Pitt County schools will reopen Monday, December 29, after the Christmas holidays. Greenville city schools reopen Monday, January 5.

Firemen Play Santa Claus Greenville firemen played Santa Claus to James Lee Brockett, 3-year-old Negro boy who recently had a narrow escape from drowning in a well on the Alex Gray farm, when they gave him a velocipede, other toys and candy and nuts at the home of his mother, Mrs. Martha Ann Brockett, Christmas Day. Firemen saved the boy's life with a rescuistator and oxygen after he had been unconscious more than an hour and a half.

Radio Musician in City Ray Cherry Griffin, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Griffin of Greenville, who has been away from Greenville for the past 10 years and five of them overseas, is spending the weekend here with Gene Skinner on Cotanche Street. Griffin lives at Washington, D.C. He is a radio ranchman and appears with a hill-billy band on radio stations WURL and WINX in Washington, D.C.

CHURCHES EIGHTH STREET CHRISTIAN Dr. H. G. Hanev, Pastor 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. Robt. S. Moye, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Prelude: "Pastoral Symphony." Handel.

The call to worship. "Joy to the World." Watts. Invocation.

Choral Response: "Bow Down Thine Ear." Communion hymn: "When I survey." Anthem: "Christ The Holy Child." Williams.

Scripture Lesson. Solo: "The Birthday of a King." Neldinger.

Sermon: "Christmas Is Coming!" Hymn: "While Shepherds Watch." Handel.

Benediction. Choral Response: "Three-fold Amen." Postlude: "Like Silver Lamps." Barnby.

6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST Fourth and Greene Streets Rev. Richard E. Hardaway, pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, E. R. Conway, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship Solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord." (Buck) by Miss Clarissa Edwards.

Sermon by the pastor, subject: "The Days of Herod the King." 6:30 p. m.—Training Union. 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon by the Pastor, subject: "Forgetting the Things Behind." Wednesday 7:30 p. m.—Midweek prayer service.

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LITTLE STYLE MODELS—Child models from two (left) to 10 (right) years old wear latest creations of California designers at a children's fashion show in Los Angeles.



FOUR SORE THROATS—It was four of a kind when the two pairs of twins in the Minneapolis home of Joseph Williams all had their tonsils out the same day. Here they are recuperating. (left to right) Davian and Douglas, 3½, and Joanne and Judith, 5.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST Rev. J. A. Nelson, pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Wendell W. Smiley, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Pastor's subject: "The Name Above Every Name." 5 p. m.—Vesper Service. Friends and visitors are invited to worship with us.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN Leonard W. Topping, Minister 9:45 a. m.—Church School, Mr. Withers Harvey, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Solo, "O Holy Night," Adams, by Mrs. Dink James.

Sermon: "Gifts of Wise Men, Ancient and Modern," by the pastor.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL Rev. Joseph C. Hauser, Jr., Rector 8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion. 9:45 a. m.—Church School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Thursday 10:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.

JARVIS MEMORIAL METHODIST Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw, pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, J. H. Rose, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship Prelude—"Adagio." Gluck. Solo—"I Shall Not Pass Again This Way." Effinger, Mr. Harper Darden.

Offertory—"Cradle Song." Hauser. Sermon by the pastor. Postlude—"Festival March." Wallace.

2:30 p. m.—The Junior Department will meet. 6:30 p. m.—Young People's Fellowship.

6:30 p. m.—Intermediate Fellowship. 7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship. Wednesday, 11:00 p. m.—A Watch Night Service.

BOYD MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN (Twin Oaks Chapel) Bible School 10:00 a. m. each Sunday, David O. Forlines, superintendent; Oia Forbes, adult teacher.

Preaching second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. Women's circle meeting Tuesday after first Sunday.

GRIMESLAND CHARGE Rev. W. C. Feltman, pastor First Sunday Salem, 11 a. m.; Whorton, 7:30 p. m.

Second Sunday, Salem 10 a. m.; Grimesland 11 a. m.; Providence 7:30 p. m.

Third Sunday, Whorton 11 a. m.; Salem 7:30 p. m. Fourth Sunday, Providence 11 a. m.; Grimesland 7:30 p. m.

BELL ARTHUR CHRISTIAN Rev. L. B. Bennet, Pastor. Services 1st and 4th Sundays. Sunday School, 10 a. m., LeRoy Nichols, superintendent.

BELL ARTHUR F. W. B. CHURCH C. J. Harris, pastor. Phone No. 2152. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday school, K. M. Crawford, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching services First Sunday in each month. Everyone is welcome to attend these services.

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11 a. m.—Church services every second Sunday.

MOUNT PLEASANT CHRISTIAN R. L. Topping, pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday school, O. J. Stancil, superintendent.

11:00 a. m.—Church services every first Sunday.

HOLINESS Rev. J. W. Norris, Pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., Herman Buck, Supt.

Preaching every first Saturday night at 7:30. Every First Sunday at 11 a. m. Every First Sunday night at 7:30.

SWEET GUM GROVE F. W. B. Rev. R. N. Hinnant, pastor. Services each first Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Sunday school all other Sundays at 11 o'clock, D. W. Alexander, Jr., superintendent.

BLACK JACK F. W. B. Rev. J. R. Davison, pastor. Services every third Sunday at 11 o'clock, and Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST S. B. Denny, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. every first Sunday.

Colored Churches BYCAMP HILL BAPTIST Corner First and Green Sts. Rev. J. A. Nimmo, pastor. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday School. W. D. Miller, Supt.

11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon: "The Conqueror from Calvary." 1:00 p. m.—Holy Communion. 3:00 p. m.—Special Service.

Sermon by Rev. E. M. Hill, accompanied by his choir and congregation. 6:00 p. m.—B.T.U. J. S. Alexander, director.

7:00 p. m.—Evening service and Christmas presentations to the Pastor. All members are called to worship in these services. All of our friends are invited to be with us in these services.

ST. ANDREW MISSION Bonner Lane 8:00 p. m.—Church School. We will be glad to have you come out and bring your friends.

YORK MEMORIAL A.M.E. ZION Rev. F. H. Munford, pastor. 9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. W. J. Hester, Superintendent.

11 a. m.—Message by the pastor. Subject: "Our Reward For Willing Service." Music by the Jr. Choir. Reports from the N.C. Conference of the Missionary Society by Mrs. Dupree and Mrs. Lena Cherry. Since this is the last Sunday in the old year, we kindly ask every member of the church to be present at 11:00 p. m. Wednesday night Watch Night service. The service will begin at 10:30 p. m. The members and friends of the city and community are cordially invited to share in this special service. You will find a cordial welcome at York Memorial.

MOUNT CALVARY F.W.B. Hudson Street Rev. E. M. Hill, pastor. 9:45—Sunday school. 11—Message by the pastor. You will find a cordial welcome at Mount Calvary.

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Kramer Bows To Bobby Riggs In Opening Contest

New York, Dec. 26—(AP)—Jack Kramer lost his first match as a professional tennis player but he was the hero of the 15,114 spectators who turned out for the event in Madison Square Garden last night in spite of the worst snow storm in New York's history.

Bobby Riggs, an experienced pro tennis trapper, defeated Kramer 6-2, 10-8, 4-6, 6-4. It was a best three out of five match.

The result was pretty decisive and probably the only bright spot from big Jake's viewpoint was the affair was a complete sellout. Although the weather kept many of them away, 16,052 people paid up to \$7 a ticket to see the amateur tennis champion make his debut against the professional boss.

They contributed to a gate of \$55,730.16, the largest in pro tennis history, giving the backers of the 65-match tour a good start toward the \$50,000 they guaranteed Kramer for his first year.

So far as play went the one-set curtain-raiser in which Australia's Dinny Pails conquered Ecuador's Pancho Segura, 15-13, was more interesting. These two, also making their debuts as pros, fought on virtually even terms until their match was called to permit the main event to start on time.

The spectators, rooting for Kramer with rather more vehemence than the galleries at Forest Hills, Germantown or Los Angeles applauded Riggs' errors and cheered loudly when the lanky Californian made a good shot. Kramer gave them plenty of opportunity to cheer, when he repeatedly caught Bobby off balance with cross court shots or passed him trying to reach the net.

But Jake was erratic too and in the long run it was Bobby's steadiness that paid off. In the four sets, Riggs made only 72 errors as compared to Kramer's 121.

'Messenger Boy' Method Is Out

Pasadena, Dec. 27—(AP)—Although Michigan uses a two-team system and frequent replacements, the Wolverines do not use the "messenger boy" method of signal-calling which came into vogue this season with unlimited substitutions. Coach Fritz Crisler made it clear to newsmen yesterday that Howard Yerges is his quarterback.

"I sent in only one play this season, and it lost five yards," said Crisler. "So I gave the game back to Yerges. And that's the way it'll be in the Rose Bowl."

OVERTAKEN BY PARKING METER
Oklahoma City—(AP)—Miss Mary T. Holmboe parked her auto, went shopping and returned to find a parking meter installed on the curb and a pink slip on the windshield for not depositing a nickel.

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POLLY WANTS NO CRACKER.—Laura, 30-year old parrot, holds spoonful of food in San Francisco home of Mrs. Ralph Griswold, who says the bird prefers chaps and mashed potatoes to crackers and bird seed.

Little Secrecy In East-West Grid Workouts

San Francisco, Dec. 27—(AP)—"Secret" practice sessions for the New Year's Day East-West football game are drawing hundreds of fans who complain to overwhelmed gatekeepers they will have no other chance to see the college stars.

"We can't get tickets to the game, so we're going to watch them practice," chorused some 500 fans watching the West team work out at Stanford University yesterday.

Although Coach Don Faurot of Missouri ordered the gates locked for his West squad's scrimmage, many of the sideliners arrived on the field before the guards. Fence climbers joined the early birds. Efforts to shoot them away failed.

At Santa Clara University, coaches Bernie Bierman, Howard Odell and Andy Kerr of the East team had more privacy but were troubled by the presence of some onlookers.

Twins Set Pace Family Cagers

Wilson, Dec. 27—(AP)—Three sets of twin brothers, who left a set of twin sisters at home back in Huntington, Ind., ruled as heavy favorites today to win the fifth annual national family basketball tournament at Atlantic Christian College.

The twins are the Clark brothers, and in smothering the Boykin family of Wilson 42-9 last night they showed that not all of the good Indiana basketball players play for North Carolina State.

DOLPHUS R. BANKS
Dolphus R. Banks, 36, of Maysville died at his home Thursday night at 12 o'clock from a heart attack. Funeral services will be held from the home of his father, A. T. Banks, of Maysville Saturday at 3 p. m. by the Rev. D. H. Lowder, assisted by the Rev. J. D. Stott. Burial will be in the Maysville cemetery. Surviving are his father, one son, Jerry Warren Banks of New Bern; one sister, Mrs. G. T. Flowers of Maysville; one half-sister, Mrs. Lillian Melton of Roanoke Rapids; one half-brother, Guy L. Banks of Maysville.

Jack R. Edwards' Mother Died Friday
Mrs. Pattie Valentine Edwards, 75, wife of W. F. Edwards, mother of Attorney Jack Edwards of Greenville, died unexpectedly at her home in Hertford County Friday morning. She was a member of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church and Daughters of the American Revolution.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Jack R. Edwards of Greenville and Walter G. Edwards of Hertford; one daughter, Mrs. P. A. Whitley of Hertford; one sister, Mrs. Blanche R. Morris of New Bern, and one grand daughter.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Holy Trinity Church by Rev. E. T. Jilison, rector. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

MAN WHO TOOK A WALK
Murphy's, Ill.—(AP)—Leonard Williamson, retiring as a postal letter carrier, claims he wore out 100 pairs of shoes and walked the equivalent of six times around the world during his 33-year tour of duty on a 16-mile-daily route.

College Student Is Appointed Member Police Department
By CHESTER WALSH
Police Chief Beauford Drum today announced the appointment of Daniel E. Todd, Jr., 22, a Pitt county high school senior at East Carolina Teachers College to the police force. This appointment brought the department up to its full quota of officers.

Todd was in the army two years and served two years overseas. He received his honorable discharge as a master sergeant in the finance section of the army. He will do office work at police headquarters on the third shift. The new police officer has finished two years at ECTC and will continue his studies. His wife is the former Miss Shyla Ruth Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Allen of Route 2, Greenville.

Todd was highly recommended for the police position. He ranks high as a student. Chief Drum said. Incidentally, a "blessed event" occurred recently at the Todd home.

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Blue-Gray Game Today

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 27—(AP)—Lacking the big name stars of previous years but still packing plenty of power, rival teams from above and below the Mason-Dixon line clash here today in the 10th annual Blue-Gray football game.

Post-season bowl dates snared many gridiron greats who otherwise might have been on the rosters, but the 24-man teams include sturdy lines and air-minded backfields nevertheless.

Judging from pre-game workouts, the contest promises to be a passing duel between a pair of backs on each team.

Observers pick the South as a one-touchdown favorite, and here's how they say they figure it:

The teams are well matched, with the North having a slight edge in the backfield and the South the stronger forward wall. In a game with light running attacks, the best line usually makes the difference in victory or defeat.

Drowned Negro Boy Will Live; Had Santa Claus

By CHESTER WALSH
James Lee Brockett, three-year-old Negro boy, who was rescued from a shallow well on the Alex Gray farm, seven miles from here, last Monday after being immersed some time, spent Christmas at home with his mother, Mrs. Martha Ann Brockett, at a rural point, thanks to three Greenville firemen, Chief George Gardner, Lyod Williams and Ray Smith, who brought him back to life with a resuscitator and oxygen from the department's rescue truck, the boy's mother said today.

He was released from the Battle-Kelly Negro Clinic on Christmas eve in time to hang up his stockings at home for Santa Claus.

After the boy had been missing some time, his mother found him in the well. She and a neighbor rescued him while another person phoned Dr. J. A. Battle. The Negro physician immediately phoned the fire department for the rescue squad.

The firemen used the resuscitator and oxygen on the boy for over an hour and a half before he showed any signs of life and continued until the physician released them.

Dr. Battle said "the child will always believe in Santa Claus, and Santa Claus to him will be the Greenville firemen."

The rescue unit was purchased by public subscription. Chief Gardner said today that the firemen still need \$557 to finish paying for the equipment.

Safecrackers Fail Open Safe At Hardware Store

Police today are investigating an attempted safe robbery at the Globe Hardware Company, Fifth street, near Washington street, some time during the holidays. The would-be safecrackers entered the building through a skylight. Their bungling efforts to break off the combination failed and they left no clue.

Van C. Fleming, one of the owners, said an acetylene specialist opened the safe for them this morning and nothing was missing. Capt. Lester D. Page and other police are investigating.

40 Years Ago
The Daily Reflector December 27, 1907
Cadet D. S. Wilson reached home Christmas night from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point.

The holiday weather has been beautiful, but the kind that produces bad colds.

In all the Christmas Day festivities the police made only three arrests. Two of these were for drunkenness and one for firing a pistol on the street.

It is all over but paying the bills.

The domesticated cat was an object of veneration among the Egyptians.

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Dudley's Hens

"These hens of mine quit laying several weeks ago, when the price of eggs was high, and that made me mad," said Louis P. Dudley, well known farmer of the Pacolet section.

"I started killing the hens and selling 'em, and that scared the flock. In some way it got 'cacked' around the farm that hens were being slaughtered for market, and mark my word, in this cold weather, they started right in to laying again," he said.

"No more hens for sale now. Need any eggs? You know, the hens are standing in line at my farm, waiting for a laying nest," Dudley added, with a twinkle in his eyes.

Chairman Murray Planning Now For March Of Dimes

L. L. Murray, principal of the Jamesland High School, recently appointed chairman of the March of Dimes campaign for 1948 by June H. Rose, chairman of the infantile paralysis program in Pitt County, has had numerous conferences and made plans for a successful campaign. Murray recently attended a conference of southern states leaders of the March of Dimes campaign. The annual solicitation of funds for the Good Samaritan work will be made in January.

Mr. Rose said the annual Birthday Ball will be held at the Wright building, ECTC, Friday night, January 30, from 9 until 1 o'clock.

FIRE DEPARTMENT RESCUE TRUCK AT FIVE POINTS

The fire department's rescue truck, which already has saved one life, is stationed on Evans street at Five Points for public inspection. A fireman is there to explain how the life-saving equipment works and to receive donations. Businessmen and others may send checks for any amount to the Greenville Fire Department. The firemen still need \$557 to finish paying for the rescue unit. Contribute something, the rescue truck may save your life or that of some loved one.

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