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Seek Tightening Espionage Laws

Attorney General Says Administration Will Ask For Action As Soon As Congress Meets; Justice Dept. Will Recommend Amendments To Statutes

Washington, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Attorney General Clark said today the administration will ask for tightening of the nation's espionage laws as soon as the new Congress meets next month.

Clark made the statement after attending a meeting of President Truman's cabinet at the White House.

Mr. Truman told his news conference yesterday, in reply to a question, that he had asked Clark to look into the possibility of tightening up the espionage laws. He said the Justice Department had been studying the matter for some time, but that it was a difficult matter to handle and still stay within the Constitution's bill of rights.

Today, Clark was asked what was being done by his department along the lines Mr. Truman mentioned. He replied:

"We have some recommendations right at the beginning of the session—amendments to the present statutes on espionage."

He refused to go into detail.

As Clark made this statement, congressional spy hunters told reporters the man accused of getting the Norden bombsight secret for Russia is a ballistics expert who has been spotted and questioned by federal agents.

The House Un-American Activities Committee also showed signs of reopening the Alger Hiss case by asking Francis B. Sayre, former assistant Secretary of State and Hiss' one-time boss, to be a witness Monday or Tuesday.

Assigned Rep. McDowell (R-Pa.) to go to New York as a one-man sub-committee and question other witnesses about Hiss' activities back in the 1930s.

Kept its furious feud going with President Truman and the Justice Department, the "Mr. Truman" spy changed his bid to stand that the committee spy case is a "red herring." That's what he told a news conference late yesterday.

Committee members jeered at that, especially since a New York grand jury indicted Hiss on a perjury charge on evidence turned up as a result of the committee's spy hearings.

Committeemen said they understood the bombsight suspect testified to that same grand jury and that a new grand jury will go more deeply into the case. It was set up after the other jury expired at mid-night Wednesday.

Rep. Mundt (R-S.D.), acting committee chairman, has said the man is a civilian employee of the Army at its Aberdeen (Md.) proving ground but is temporarily on leave because of illness. The proving ground tests weapons and all sorts of equipment.

The man is described as an authority on such things as rockets, bombing planes and projectiles in general, but not anyone with a fancy title or salary.

Auto Inspection Deadline Nearer

Raleigh, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Officials of the state's mechanical inspection program today urged owners who haven't done so to get their vehicles to an inspection lane.

Arthur T. Moore, director of the program, estimated that 75,000 vehicles still must be inspected before Jan. 1, as required by law.

Why Become A Spy?

Why Would An American Government Worker Become A Spy For Russia? Chambers' Explanation; Findings In Canada; They Thought They Were Idealistic

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Why would an American, particularly one working for the government, become a spy for Soviet Russia?

Although Whittaker Chambers says some former government officials did such spying before the war, no one has been charged with that.

But Chambers own story might provide an answer to the question—If there was spying by officials.

Chambers is an educated man. Some people who worked with him on the "Mr. Truman" case called him a "great intellectual."

He joined the magazine after quitting the Communist party in 1938 and was senior editor when he resigned about a week ago.

Chambers explains in these words why he became a Communist and worked against his own country:

"I had joined the Communist party in 1924. No one recruited me. I had become convinced that the society in which we live, western civilization, had reached a crisis x x x and that it was doomed to collapse or revert to barbarism."

He says he thought Communism could save it. So he joined the party. He quit 14 years later, he says, when he decided Communism really means slavery. And he says he told some one at the time:

"I know that I am leaving the winning side for the losing side, but it is better to die on the losing side than to live under Communism."

The government officials he now accuses of having been members of the ring with him are, like him, educated men, some brilliant.

They've denied his story. So there is no explanation of why a government official here would work for Russia against the United States.

But the Canadian government a couple of years ago smashed a Soviet spy ring there among government officials and convicted at least 10.

The Canadian government, working through a special Royal Commission, rounded them up and got confessions.

In its report it gives some explanation of why those Canadians betrayed their own government.

And those explanations probably would be the same here if this country ever proves there was a Soviet spy ring here. The report says:

"Perhaps the most startling single aspect of the entire fifth column network is the uncanny suc-

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Organized Labor Taking Separate Paths In Fight

No Joint Action By CIO And AFL For Repeal Of Labor Law Seems Likely

Washington, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Organized labor groups appear likely today to go their separate ways in demanding that Congress wipe out the Taft-Hartley Act.

But even though the CIO seems no nearer success than ever with its renewed plea for a united front, labor picked up a promise of Republican support for the repeal drive.

Senator Labor of Oregon, calling the 1947 labor act "a dead duck," predicted that fellow GOP "liberals" will back Administration efforts to supplant the Taft-Hartley Act with the old Wagner measure.

Morse told a reporter he then will help draft changes to safeguard rights of both unions and employers while checking "excesses" by either.

The AFL has yet to reply to a new invitation from CIO President Philip Murray for a joint get-together to map plans for repeal of the labor act and attaining other union objectives in the new Congress.

But there is no evidence that AFL leaders view the idea any differently than in the past. They have insisted there must be an actual merger of the two big groups—they call it "organic unity"—before effective cooperation is possible.

Murray tried the same thing in December, 1946. The AFL let go with its opinions on the subject. However, the following May, committee representing both the AFL and CIO sat down together to discuss organic unity and cooperation.

That effort failed, but the AFL convention a month ago authorized President William Green and the Executive Council to renew whatever steps are possible to bring about labor unity.

Thus Green may use Murray's invitation for united action in Congress as a way to try to revive merger efforts.

Murray invited leaders of key railroad groups as well as Green. But the CIO chief ignored John L. Lewis, his former friend and one-time boss in both the United Mine Workers and the CIO.

Rent Controls In Pender Removed

Washington, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Rent controls in Pender County, North Carolina, have been ordered removed.

The action, announced yesterday by Housing Expediter T. H. E. Woods, was taken on recommendations by the Pender Advisory Board following a housing survey.

The board said the survey made by the expediter's office showed that demand for rental housing in the county had been reasonably met.

Russian Radio In Berlin Carries On Propaganda

Berlin, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Radio Berlin is doing business at the same old stand again today. Russia's most powerful propaganda voice in Germany went back on the air only 12 hours after the French had blown up its giant transmission towers.

Soviet Commentator Heinz Schmidt began broadcasting again last night on the same wave length and apparently with the same broadcasting power, even though the station's two tall transmitting towers lay shattered in the French sector.

Radio Berlin's personnel refused to say how they managed it. German engineers said they might be using another tower at Potsdam.

Schmidt declared in his broadcast that an "order from Washington" not the French had been responsible for the dynamiting.

Taeigliche Rundschau, official Soviet army newspaper, hinted at reprisals.

"This barbaric demolition will be entered in future accounts and all necessary conclusions drawn from it," Editor S. Timofeev wrote.

"German public opinion fully and completely supports the decisive protest of Soviet authorities in Berlin against the high-handed act of the French military government," the Russian editor said.

The communist-led Socialist Unity party issued a manifesto to all Berlin workers warning them that "American monopoly-capital and its henchmen" planned "further sabotage acts."

Nanking Defense Seen Weakening

Chiang's East China Headquarters Begins Withdrawal; Battered 12th Army Group Believed To Be Wiped Out By Reds

Nanking, Dec. 17 — (AP) — Supreme headquarters of Chiang Kai-shek's east China command today began withdrawing from threatened Pengpu to Chuhu, only 30 miles north of this uneasy capital.

Pengpu, 105 miles northwest of Nanking, was the anchor for the government's new Hwai river defense line. It became Nationalist headquarters after the abandonment of the stronghold of Suowu, 150 miles farther north.

The withdrawal coincided with reliable reports that the government's battered 12th army group trapped by the Chinese Communists northwest of Pengpu for 18 days, has been wiped out.

Official dispatches Thursday reported that the 12th was making its last stand with less than half its original force of 110,000 troops. They were described as compressed into an area of only three miles in circumference.

The Chinese Communist radio claimed yesterday that the 12th had been wiped out.

Associated Press correspondent Seymour Topping reported from Pengpu that transports, which had

been airlifting supplies to the entrenched 12th, no longer could be seen.

Personnel and equipment of Gen. Liu Shih's East China command headquarters began loading Thursday night and advance Echelons took a southbound train today.

Railway officials in Nanking were informed that only a section of the headquarters presently was moving to Chuhu, which is about 75 miles southeast of Pengpu.

As headquarters troops began taking down telephone wires and loading trucks in the movement to the railway yards, panic began spreading in the movement to the town. Topping reported.

Meanwhile, the crash of artillery fire echoed in Peiping, and a new Red menace appeared to be rising along the Grand canal 90 miles northeast of Nanking.

Trains bound from Pengpu to Pukow, just across the Yangtze river from Nanking, were packed with refugees carrying their household goods. Many rode on top of the cars.

Units of the Nationalist 20th army were arriving in Pengpu to replace battleworn troops of the sixth army which unsuccessfully attempted to relieve the doomed 12th army group.

British Report Border Incident

One Soldier Killed, Eight Held Prisoner By Russians

Berlin, Dec. 17 — (AP) — A British army spokesman said today one British soldier was killed and eight others captured by Russian troops when they accidentally crossed into the Soviet zone Wednesday night.

The eight soldiers still are held by the Russians.

Capt. John Pugh, the British spokesman, said the men were hunting rabbits in the heavily wooded area near the zonal border and strayed unwittingly into the Russian zone.

Although the incident occurred Wednesday night, it did not leak out until last night.

A British army statement described it today as "a minor frontier incident . . . of a quite harmless origin."

The shooting, however, emphasized for many allied observers the strained atmosphere now prevailing between the Russians and the Western powers.

The Russians have taken increasingly severe measures in recent months to seal off the "green frontier" across which thousands of German refugees fled from Eastern Germany. This illegal immigration reportedly included hundreds of Soviet army deserters.

Russian army patrols are known to have orders to shoot trespassers on sight.

The thate authorities asked the federal government to rush military planes to the worst-hit areas, to parachute medicines and foodstuffs for the many people evacuated from flooded towns and sought refuge in the hills.

In many villages of the low-lying areas the entire population fled.

The Brazilian Red Cross rushed help.

Act To Control Use Of Fluoride

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 17 — (AP) — The State Board of Health yesterday took its first step toward control of the use of Sodium Fluoride. The chemical is useful in checking dental decay among children.

Municipalities in the state which plan to treat their drinking water with the chemical were requested in a resolution passed by the board, to get its approval. The board also resolved that qualified technicians supervise the use of the chemical.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17 — (AP) — An industrial executive set out today to lobby President Truman and the eighty-first Congress on a matter of life and death.

He wants the government to appropriate the necessary money to hire—or draft if necessary—the scientific brains needed to find preventions or cures for cancer and heart trouble.

"It can be done, too," said J. Louis Reynolds, vice-president in charge of operations of the far-flung Reynolds Metals Corp. "If the government gives the same push to the research as it did to developing the atom bomb."

Reynolds wants every citizen in the nation to join in his lobby. He hopes millions will respond and he thinks they will because they have a pretty important stake in the result.

New College Athletic Stadium Backed By Chamber Of Commerce Directors

At the December meeting held on Monday night, the Board of Directors of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce endorsed a proposal to build a lighted stadium for athletic and outdoor events at East Carolina Teachers College; made tentative plans for the organization's annual meeting scheduled to be held in February; received a report from the Secretary on the progress of the Chamber Transportation committee's efforts to get bus service for the Bell Arthur section decided to hold a general membership meeting during the week of January 17, 1949 to act on changes in the organization's by-laws, and receive suggestions from members of projects to be included in the 1949 program of work, and appointed a nominating and elections committee to conduct the election of eight new directors for a 3-year term beginning Feb. 1, 1949.

In presenting the need for a stadium at East Carolina Teachers College, Vice President L. S. Ficklen, co-chairman of the Stadium Fund

campaign, stated that President J. D. Messick at a meeting of Greenville businessmen recently, had urged that this facility be provided to attract men students to the institution. At the present time, there are 725 men and 668 women enrolled, and with the tapering off of the G. I. program, President Messick expects the enrollment of men to become smaller, unless a more attractive athletic program is offered. He called to the attention of the Board that under present conditions, neither the college or high school has a suitable place for football games. The stadium proposal includes grading and grassing of the college athletic field, the installation on one side of the field of permanent steel bleachers with a seating capacity of 2100 and portable bleachers on the opposite side with a seating capacity of 900. The estimated cost of the project under present conditions is \$25,000.

Ficklen further emphasized the value of East Carolina Teachers College to the community, stating that

in addition to the cultural advantages and the advertising it affords Greenville, it is an approximately \$1,000,000 a year payroll. This stadium would not only provide for the athletic needs of the college, but would be available to the Greenville High school and the city outdoor events requiring a seating capacity for a large number. The Board unanimously endorsed the project and urged the citizenship of Greenville to support it to the full extent of its ability.

In planning for the Chamber's annual meeting, the last one being held in April, 1943, the Directors decided to get an outstanding speaker who could in an entertaining manner, present a message which would stimulate the membership and citizens to a more united effort for the development of the community.

Citizens living in the Bell Arthur area, following the removal of passenger trains on the Norfolk Southern Railroad several months ago, requested the Transportation committee of the Chamber to assist them

in getting regular bus service. Intra-state approval has been granted by the North Carolina Utilities Commission for such service by Carolina Trailways, and this company advises that inauguration of this service will be begun as soon as expected inter-state approval has been granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission. A hearing was held in Raleigh by the ICC on December 8 and approval is expected at an early date.

With the close of the organization's fiscal year on January 31, 1949, the terms of eight of the Chamber's 24 directors will expire. An official booklet containing 16 nominees will be prepared in accordance with by law provisions by a nominating committee, which is to be mailed to all active members after January 1. They will vote for eight new directors for the 3-year term beginning February 1. Directors whose terms expire are: D. A. Evans, Thomas E. Wilson, C. B. Bissette, L. M. Buchanan, Walter Harrison, R. V. Keel, J. B. Moye, and J. B. Kitzell.

CHRISTMAS BONUS
Mooreville, N. C., Dec. 17 — (AP) — Mooreville's three textile mills announced today that they would pay \$148,500 in Christmas bonuses to their 3,215 employees.

With the mention of the "cold war" the thoughts of the western world naturally turn to Europe as the focal point of the conflict, because the European theatre presents a greater immediate challenge to our security and resources.

It tends to make us overlook the fact that we are fighting a two-front war and that the Orient also is a vital and growing battle ground in this epochal clash of the isms. And at this juncture no one can say with any degree of certainty where the decisive engagement of the global upheaval will be fought.

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Pay Hike Backed For Rail Unions

REA Passes On \$50,000 Loan To Co-Op Expansion

Program To Add 168 Miles Of New Electric Lines Serving Rural Areas

The Rural Electrification Administration announced late yesterday the approval of a loan of \$50,000 to the Pitt and Greene Electric Membership Corporation of Farmville which serves some 2,460 rural customers in Pitt, Greene, Lenoir, Wayne and Wilson counties.

C. M. Paylor, manager of the cooperative electric company, said the loan will be used in the completion of system improvement and line extension which was begun last March 10 and will be completed about the middle of January. The expansion program included 168 miles of new electric lines serving rural areas in the counties and added 860 customers to the company's lists.

The new power lines bring the company's total to 468 miles, and the company is now in the process of energizing the new lines.

The Pitt and Greene Electric membership corporation was formed in 1938 as a cooperative electric company to serve rural areas in the two counties, and since that time has extended its lines rural points in neighboring counties. The cooperative purchases its power from the Cape Fear River seeking plant and transmits it to its customers.

The Pitt, Greene cooperative is one of the most ideal electric cooperatives, Manager Paylor said, in that the area served is in a radius of 35 miles of Farmville and permits line service from the central office.

The board's recommendations, made today to President Truman are not binding on the carriers' unions. But such recommendations made under terms of the Rail Labor Act usually form the basis for dispute settlements.

The board was headed by V. L. M. Leiserson, with David Cole and George C. C. as members.

The board said that it felt the non-operating rail workers should get the 40-hour week because "all other interstate industries have had the 40 hour week since 1938 when the Fair Labor Standards Act was adopted."

The board said the 40 hour week "is now firmly a part of our national industrial policy."

It recommended that the railroads be given until September 1, 1949 to prepare for inauguration of the shorter work week.

Meanwhile it said, an immediate seven cents hourly wage increase should be granted retroactive to October 1.

The board said the seven-cent increase would be "considerably lower" than the general pattern of third round wage increases in 1948.

The five operating railroad unions, composed of approximately 350,000 workers who actually run the trains, settled for a 10-cent hourly increase several months ago.

The board denied requests of the non-operating brotherhoods for a Monday through Friday work week, with penalty overtime and a guarantee of eight hours pay for Saturday, Sunday and holiday work.

It recommended staggered work weeks of five days with two off days in seven, according to the method in vogue in other around-the-clock industries.

"Railroads must operate every day," the board noted.

A number said that it was denying a number of union demands for changes in working rules and other concessions so as not to put too heavy a cost increase on the carriers at this time, along with a 40 hour week.

It's Easy To Overlook Fact Of Two-Prong Cold War; Far East News Bad For Foes Of Bolshevism; Communists Behind Much Of Trouble In New Republic

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

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heterogeneous mass of islanders into some sort of cohesion that the "mother country" hopes to develop into a commonwealth of nations acknowledging the crown as a bond.

The problem isn't easy of solution. The Indonesian is mentioned the average westerner naturally thinks of Java, Sumatra, Dutch Borneo and Celebes. However, the archipelago comprises 3,100 islands, containing 150 ethnic groups with varying languages and customs and in different stages of development. Moreover the population of the islands is 75,000,000.

The greatest difficulty revolves about the Indonesian republic which was established in 1947 and claims to represent Java, Sumatra and Madoera. Moscow-directed communists are making the republic the center of the Red offensive in the islands. However, there are six other governments and the Dutch are striving to bring all seven regimes into one federal government—patterned after that of the U.S.A.—which would be inaugurated early in 1949.

Everything seemed set for this change when the republican government backed. This is said to

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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10:00 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3366 9:00 A. M. to Noon — 1:00 to 4:30 P. M.

Miss Mary Rose Crisp will arrive tomorrow from Sweet Briar College to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Dot Savage will arrive today from Transylvania college, Lexington, Ky., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Elmo Savage. She is making the trip by plane.

Mrs. W. F. Owens is a patient in Pitt General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodward, of Hendersonville, who have been spending the past ten days with Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Woodward, left yesterday for New Smyrna Beach, Fla.

Miss Harriet Carr will arrive from Peace College in Raleigh this afternoon to spend the holidays.

Miss Frances Tucker has returned from Salem College for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Clarence Smith of Fountain is in the hospital at Rocky Mount. He was operated on December 16.

Wise Men Portrayed In Final Tableau

The last of the series of three Christmas tableaux was presented last night at the First Presbyterian Church. The Wise Men were portrayed, bringing their gifts to the Christ Child. In spite of slight showers, many people gathered to watch and to listen to the music. Those taking part last night were: Mary and Joseph, Miss Kitty Smith, Miss Martha Stribling, Miss Ann Beatty, Mr. George Brown, Mr. Earl Stokes and Mr. Wilbur Harvey; angels, Faye Mobley, Mary Dunn Beatty, Jane Alexander, Sally Beard, Doris Buck, Nancy Adams, Martha Tyler, Donna Irving, Jean Moye, Margaret Moye, Dawn Jenkins, and Pat Beatty; Wise Men, Eton Byrum, Milton Faulkner, Lewis Clark, Sellers Crisp, Bobby Watson, Clifton Stokes and Jesse Moye.

The Tableau Committee wishes to thank the many organizations and individuals whose cooperation made the series possible. Among these are the City Police Department, the City Fire Department, the City Water and Light Department, Station WGTC, Garis-Evans Lumber Company, E. B. Ficklen Tobacco Company, the Double Cola Bottling Company, Mr. W. H. Darden and Mr. Clyde Landing.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.
7:00 p. m.—Messdames L. S. Ficklen, Tom Rivers and Charles Gaskins will be hostesses to the members of the Thalian club and their husbands at the Country Club.

7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.
7:30 p. m.—American Home department of the Woman's Club holds Christmas party at the club house.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
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Letters to Santa Claus
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a football, a magic lantern, when you come down the chimney don't break my lantern and don't get the glass black, a kettle drum and some fire works and I will be a good boy.

Your little friend,
Edward Graham Flanagan.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me an automobile. I heard you did not have but one. I want one so much. I have a little baby brother. Please don't forget him. Please bring him a bunch of safety pins, he loses his on the floor and I can't find them.

Your little friend,
Will Whedbee.
P. S. If you have any footballs please bring me one, and lots of fire-crackers.

Dear Santa Claus:
If you will call at A. B. Ellington and Co., J. R. and J. G. Moye's, James Longs, Sam Schults or Evans Book Co., you will find what I want. Anything from either of those places will please me.

Your little friend,
Adelaide Taft
Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a doll, a stove, a doll trunk and anything else that you can spare, but some for Elizabeth Higga. I am trying to be a good girl.

Yours lovingly,
Maude Johnston?
Thomas Collins
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee Collins request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Myrtle Ruth to Mr. Nathan Edwards Thomas Wednesday, the twenty-second of December at half past four o'clock Ayden Christian Church Ayden, North Carolina

Registered Nurses Meet At Red Oak

The Registered Nurses Club held its December meeting Tuesday, the 14th, at the Red Oak community building with husbands and friends as guests. The building was attractively decorated, carrying out the Christmas motif. A delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served and enjoyed by everyone. Mrs. Leon Tyson delightfully entertained the group with several accordin selections, afterwards conducting a number of games and stunts. The meeting was brought to a close with the "Virginia Reel" and singing of "Good Night Ladies." — Reported.

Christmas Carol Service at Immanuel Baptist Church
On Sunday, December 19th, at 8 o'clock the Immanuel Baptist Church will present the Chancel Choir, the Carol Junior Choir, assisted by the Men's Chorus of the Christian Church and the pupils of Mrs. C. D. Smith's kindergarten in a Christmas candle-light carol service. The choir will be vested and are under the direction of Mrs. Moye Dail, minister of music, with Mrs. Howard Bodkin at the organ.
The program follows:
Call to Worship—Rev. J. A. Nelson.
Processional—"O Come All Ye Faithful," Chancel and Carol Choirs.
Invocation—Rev. J. A. Nelson.
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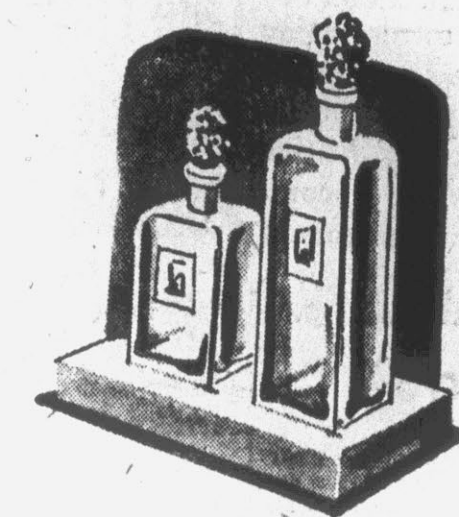
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"A Christmas Lullaby"—Dodgers, Rev. J. A. Nelson
Carol Choir and Women's Chorus.
"Prayer of the Norwegian Child"—Kountz-Dels, Carol Choir.
"Cherubim Song"—Bortniansky, Chancel Choir.
"I Wonder As I Wander"—Niles, Women's Chorus.
Story, "The Lighted Lamps"—Rev. J. A. Nelson
Choirs, "The Light of the World Is Jesus." (Wraps put on preparing for departing, candles lighted).
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W.S.C.S. Celebrates Harvest Day

On Monday evening, December 12 approximately one hundred and eighty members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild, and a number of visitors, gathered at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church to celebrate Harvest Day. Mrs. S. B. Underwood, Jr., president of the W.S.C.S., called on the Reverend O. C. Hass for the invocation. Mrs. Ed Batchelor, chairman of the fellowship committee, and her co-workers served a delicious turkey dinner from a beautifully appointed table.

Mrs. Harry Forbes, assisted by the Reverend Leon Russell, gave a very inspirational program, the subject being, "They Offered Him Gifts." Each of the officers and

committee chairmen gave an excellent report of her year's work, as did also the president of the W.S.C.S., Miss Annie Laurie Askew, and each of the ten Circle chairmen of the W.S.C.S. under the leadership of Mrs. John Karsnak. Each circle presented a book to the church library.

At the conclusion of the program Mrs. Underwood recognized Mrs. V. Scoville, who in behalf of the W.S.C.S. presented a Life Membership to Miss Frances Gross. This means that twenty-five dollars has been sent to missions in her honor and she is given a small gold pin as a token of the high esteem in which she is held by the organization. Mrs. Milton White announced that Mrs. R. W. Bradshaw was made a Life Member by the W.S.C.S. at the November meeting, and that an Honorary Life Membership (\$100.00) will be bestowed upon Miss Jennie Congleton, who left Jarvis Memorial church to become a deaconess and is now serving in Norfolk, Virginia. Baby Life Memberships were given to Edgar Taft and Louis Taft, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taft, by Mrs. Taft's circle, of which Mrs. S. T. White is chairman, and to Mary May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds May, by her grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Garbis. Mrs. W. P. Moore presented a Baby Life Membership to Robert Williams of Midland, Michigan, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Taylor, in memory of his great-aunt, Mae Edie Smith Early.

Mrs. Harry Forbes graciously presented to Mrs. H. A. Hendrix,

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church secretary, two hand-painted plates as a token of love and appreciation from the society.

Mrs. Underwood extended a special welcome to the wife of the District Superintendent, Mrs. B. B. Slaughter, of New Bern, who is Conference Secretary of Spiritual Life, and to Mrs. Leon Russell, and to Mrs. J. L. Russell. She stated that the society had lost two members by death in 1948, Mrs. J. L. Kigo and Mrs. S. H. Williams. The total membership of the W.S.C.S. is forty-seven, and that of the W.S.C.S. is three hundred and one.

A special offering was taken to help defray increased expenses of missions at home and abroad, which amounted to fifty-three dollars. This brought the total amount the Society and Guild have sent to missions this year to two thousand one hundred dollars in addition to what has been spent for local church activities.

The meeting closed with prayer led by the Reverend Leon Russell.

To Hold Christmas Carol Service

A Christmas carol and candlelight service will be held at Memorial Baptist Church Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. The church choir under the direction of Mrs. Karl V. Gilbert will be assisted by the High School Boys' quartet. The program is as follows:

Processional, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Responsive Reading, Luke 2:1-14. Carol, "What Child Is This?"

Carol, "O Dear Joseph Mine." Scripture Reading, Matthew 2:1-21.

Carol, "Three Kings of Orient."

High School Quartet, "Lo, How a Rose 'er Blooming." Carl Denton, Bobby Odum, Sam Northrop and Howard Proctor.

Prayer and Offering. Carol, "A Joyful Christmas Song."

Carol, "Lullaby, Thou Little Tiny Child."

Poem, "The Inn That Missed Its Chance," by Amos R. Wells.

Carol, "Angels We Have Heard on High," with trumpet by Paul Conway.

Benediction and Choral Amen.

The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

YOUTHFUL WORKER'S CLUB

The "Youthful Worker's Club" held its monthly meeting Nov. 29, 1948, at the Red Oak Community Building.

The meeting was called to order by our president, Mrs. Travis Crawford. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting and they were approved as read. The roll was also called.

The club got a tree for the community building and decorated it to help the faithful members of the Red Oak Christian Church.

The club is going to have a Christmas party Monday night, Dec. 27 (after Christmas). All members are urged to come.

For our program, Lawrence Tyson showed us a very interesting movie about India.

Mrs. Lawrence Tyson, Mrs. Travis Crawford and Joy Tyson served us refreshments.

We all joined hands, sang the benediction, and adjourned to meet again Dec. 27 at the Red Oak Community Building at Red Oak.

Hope to see everyone at the party after Christmas.

Hagar Rae Hart, secretary.

Ruth Todd Has First Birthday Party

On December 14 little Ruth (Todd) Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Todd, celebrated her first birthday at her home, 121 Woodlawn avenue.

After the little guests arrived several snapshots were made of the children and Todd's birthday cake, which was centered with one tiny pink candle. Later the little ones were invited inside while Todd opened her play and useful gifts. Colored balloons were given as favors.

Refreshments consisted of birthday cake and ice cream.

Those attending were Rosalind Averette, Jewel Joyner, Ruth Fleming, Harold Barnes, Brenda Ryles, Bobby Roberts, Bruce Chadwick, Carolyn Rumley, Susanne Tyndall and Jimmie Wells.

Immanuel Baptist Church

There will be a White Gifts program at the closing assembly of the Sunday school of the Immanuel Baptist Church Sunday morning. These gifts, which will be wrapped

in white, will be given to the boys and girls of our orphanage at the Kennedy Home, Kinston, and may be in the form of canned goods, toys, wearing apparel, or money. Those who will not be at Sunday school may bring their gifts to the morning or evening service and place them in a receptacle provided for that purpose in the vestibule.

The pastor will bring his Christmas message Sunday morning, and Mrs. M. W. Stone will sing "He Shall Feed His Flock," by Handel. In addition, the Women's Chorus will sing "Oh Nightingale, Awake," by Dickinson.

Sunday night at 8 o'clock, we will have a candle light carol service.

ice, featuring Christmas music by the Carol and Chancel Choirs of our church, assisted by the Men's Chorus of the Christian Church, under the direction of Mrs. Moye Dail, our minister of music. The choirs will be vested. This lovely and impressive service is open to the public and you are cordially invited to attend and bring your friends with you.

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- 6 Don't stick a penny in the fuse box.
- 7 Don't leave your Christmas tree lights on when not at home.
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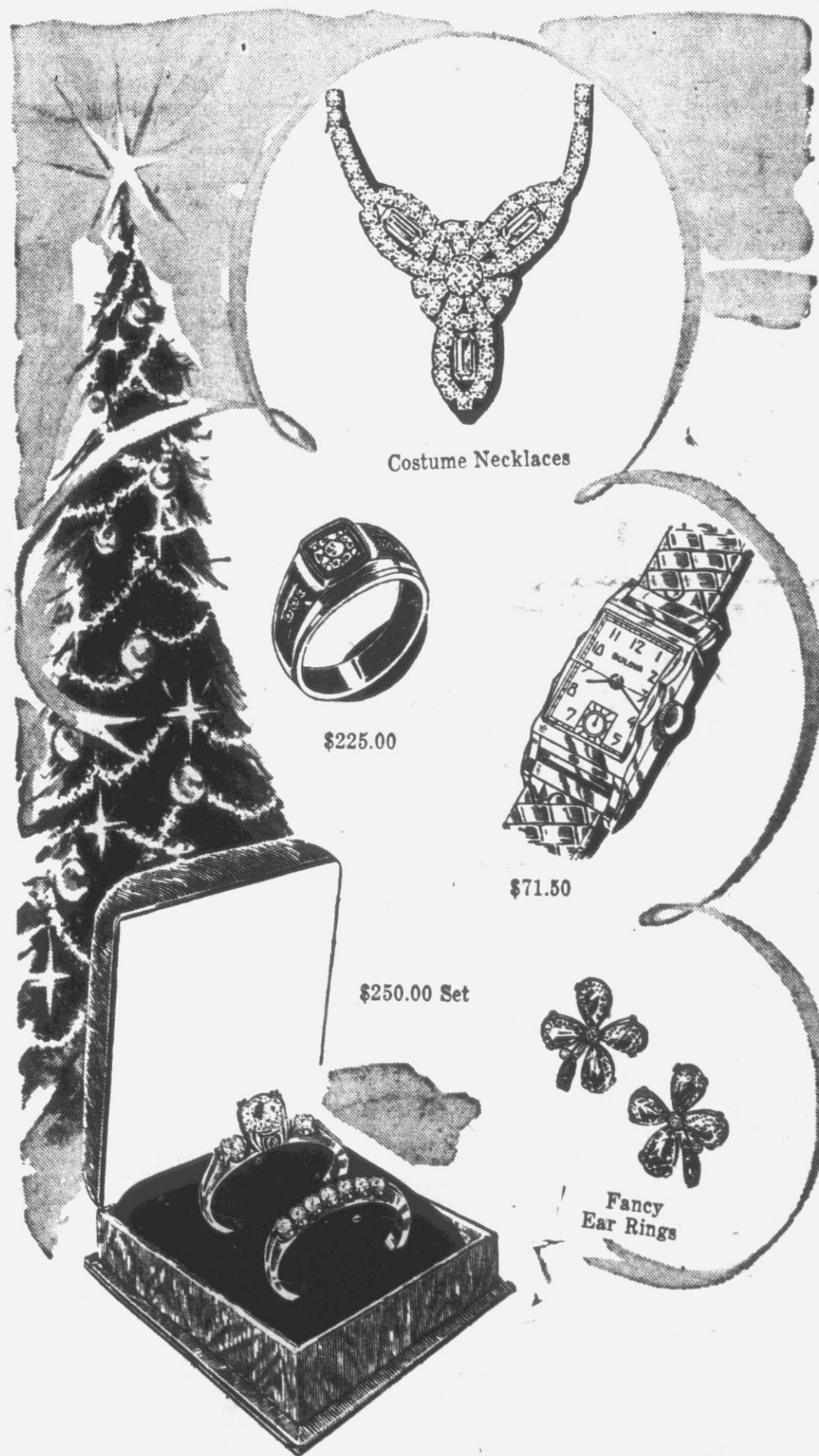
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A friend of mine was talking a few years ago to a group of ardent communists in Russia. They were eager to hear everything the tourist had to tell about America. He told them, among other things, of a thirty-acre parking lot used by the workers of one of the largest automobile factories in this country.

"Are those automobiles owned by the government?" they asked. "No, by the workers themselves," he answered. "They saved their wages and purchased them." Then the faces of the Russians lighted up with comprehension. "Ah, yes," they said, "in America the workers are capitalists too."

And so they are. How can people be hoaxed into believing that government-owned, government dominated system of industry is as good as a system operated in an economy of free enterprise? Can they not see that when men resign the right of ownership, they resign with it their basic freedoms? There are many today who contact property rights with human rights. These can, at times be set over one against the other, but basically, property rights and human rights are bracketed together. Give up one and you give up the other.

Often this is not appreciated by people who regard themselves as liberal thinkers.

Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE
New York—(AP)—Curtis G. Culin, Jr. made only one invention in his life—but it helped win the battle of Normandy.

It was this unheralded young sergeant who figured out a way for American tanks to crash through the French hedgerows. This led to Gen. Patton's famous dash across France.

Recognizing that the "suggestion box" principle pays off on the battlefield as well as on the industrial front, Gen. Dwight Eisenhower pays this tribute to "Bud" Culin in his memoirs:

"(He) restored the effectiveness of the tank and gave a tremendous boost to morale throughout the army."

I set out to get the sergeant's own story, and found him less impressed with his own invention than was his commander-in-chief. Ex-sergeant Culin, a slender, blond, mild-looking man of 33, now holds an office post here with Schenley Distillers, Inc.

"I commanded a light tank in the 102nd cavalry reconnaissance squadron," he said, "and my invention, if you want to call it that, was something anybody in the front lines would have come up with in a few days. Our squadron just happened to be the first to try it out and develop it."

For six weeks after the landing in Normandy the American army made advances measured in yards rather than miles. The landscape offered almost as much resistance to progress as did the dug-in enemy.

The chief obstacles were the famous Normandy hedgerows. They were massive banks of dirt, centuries old, and topped by thick growths of shrubbery and small trees.

"When our tanks hit them, it was like cracking into a stone wall," said Culin. "And if we tried to climb over them, the under belly of the tank was exposed. The German anti-tank guns then could rip us open like sardine cans. Our own tank guns were pointed at the sky—useless. We couldn't defend ourselves."

The problem was to find a way for the tanks to force a path through the hedgerows, guns firing, instead of clambering over them. At first combat engineers were sent out on foot to blast holes in the hedgerows. But they were picked off by German infantry.

"One day my commanding officer called a meeting of non-coms to get suggestions," said Culin. "I didn't know anything about mechanics or engineering, but I had seen a lot of German iron roadblocks."

"I suggested putting sharpened chunks of iron from these roadblocks on our tanks so we could dig through the hedgerows."

They tried it. They welded four flanges to a crossbar, fixed it to a tank—and the 15-ton vehicle pitched forward its way right through the nearest hedgerow.

"Gen. Bradley heard about it and came down to watch a demonstration," said Culin. "He saw it worked, and swore us to secrecy. He then secretly had 600 of our front-line tanks equipped. They were used to

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spearhead our attack." The device caught the Germans completely by surprise, "and the American army made a successful breakthrough of the Nazi lines at St. Lo on July 25th, 1944—the breakthrough that carried to the Siegfried line."

"After they called me and three others back to corps headquarters and gave us the legion of merit for the invention," said Culin. "All it meant to me was a half-day off from the front."

"One of those who got a medal," he grinned, "was an officer who insisted when I made the suggestion that it would never work."

Culin lost his left foot and had part of his right thigh blown off a few weeks later in the Hurtgen Forest when he stepped on a German mine and fell on another one. "But it didn't make me a pacifist," he said. "Hell, no. I don't think we're doing half enough right now. I only hope we don't make the same mistake we made in 1939."

WASHINGTON LETTER

By JANE EADS
Washington—The ball being cooked up for the night of President Truman's inauguration will be the biggest and splashiest since the Cleveland administration. That, anyway, is the opinion of Mrs. George Mesta, the town's No. 1 social leader, who has been chosen co-chairman of the ball committee along with Wilson Wyatt, Kentucky lawyer and former housing expert, and Edgar Morris, civic bigwig.

She has set her sights plenty high. The Cleveland shindig was the one where they set up a barber shop to take care of that midnight shadow, perhaps, and the ladies, laden with jewels, sparkled like Christmas trees. Mrs. Mesta, close friend of the Truman family and active in the Democratic hierarchy, was co-chairman with Mr. Wyatt of the Jackson-Jefferson Day dinners last spring which netted the party a cool quarter of a million dollars.

The wealthy socialite, who incidentally attended both Republican and Democratic conventions at Philadelphia, returned to town only recently, having spent most of the summer and early fall between her Manhattan apartment and Newport.

R.I. residence. Plans for the inaugural ball have just gotten under way, but Mrs. Mesta says she believes the job ahead will be the easiest she's ever had.

"Instead of trying to get people interested in buying tickets and boxes for the affair," Mrs. Mesta told me, "it looks like the problem will be one of having to turn people away." She said hundreds of requests are rolling in for tickets to the ball, and that at least two persons had offered \$1000 each for boxes. She was willing, she said, to accept this for the party's sake, but she said the inaugural committee does not wish to ask that much. Tickets for the ball will be \$10.

The Armory has been selected as the setting for the ball and will be "beautifully decorated with no expenses spared," according to Mrs. Mesta.

A March 4, 1893, copy of the Washington Evening Star describes in minutest detail the inaugural ball marking the second Cleveland administration. The gala event was held in the old Pension Building and was attended by President and Mrs. Cleveland, governors of 11 states, diplomats and other notables. "Elaborate preparations have been made to make the ball the most notable affair of the sort that has ever been held," the paper recorded the afternoon of the ball. "The arts, science and sweet Old Mother Nature herself have been invoked to lend their aid in transforming the plain, practical workshop of a great government office into an elaborately decorated and flower-bedecked interior and the result is a success beyond all expectation."

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1. Outer garment
2. Dry
3. Concealed
4. City in India
5. Rabbit
6. Commotion
7. Large lizard
8. Point of a sundial
9. Deeper
10. Sailors
11. Article
12. Unhappy
13. Foxglove
14. Hummingbird
15. Wagered
16. Continent
17. Distant
18. Conciliatory
19. English letter
20. Sell from door
21. Organ of hearing
22. Seat in church
23. Commotion
24. Identical
25. Burn
26. Common
27. Entertains
28. royalty
29. Narcotic
30. Before
31. Open court
32. To an inner position
33. Existed
34. Direction
35. Old



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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
DOWN
1. Bounder
2. Gone by
3. Plan of action
4. Acquires by labor
5. Exclamation
6. Novel by Helen Hunt Jackson
7. Smooth
8. Lair
9. Dejected
10. Pagan god
11. Small boat
12. Thus
13. Turkish decree
14. Defeated at chess
15. Ancient Irish
16. Declare
17. Dry
18. Cook slowly
19. Owens
20. Asiatic country
21. Land measure
22. Music drama
23. Approaching
24. Throws
25. water on
26. Follies
27. Color
28. Gang
29. Queen of the gods
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11:05—Piano Musings
11:10—Interlude
11:15—Songs by Rose Murphy
11:30—The Arthur Smith Quartet
11:45—Harry James' Orch.
12:00—Manhattan Melody Time
12:10—Stock Market Report
12:15—Manhattan Melody Time
12:30—News Reporter
12:35—Joe Overman, Jr., Weather Report
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Christmas Party For Worker's Council

Grifton.—The junior and senior circles of the Worker's Council of the Christian Church met Monday night at the church for their annual Christmas party as is their custom to meet in joint session at this time.

Lovely decorations were of holly, silver balls and lighted red candles in the center of the table was a lighted Christmas tree.

At the business session Mrs. Sallie Johnson and Miss Bert Johnson, chairman of the respective circles were in charge.

An appropriate program was presented with the scripture read by Miss Bert Johnson. Prayer and the Way to Observe Christmas was said by the pastor, Rev. R. O. Brissom.

Mrs. Jack Tucker read a Christmas poem and carols were sung by the group.

The refreshment committee, Mrs. Norwood Lockhart, Mrs. Robert Mc-

Christmas Party For Inter Se Club

The members of the Inter Se Book Club and their husbands were entertained at their annual Christmas party on the evening of December 16 at the Women's Club. The hostesses for this delightful occasion were Mrs. David Evans and Mrs. W. H. Taft.

Christmas decorations, suggestive of the season, were attractively placed throughout the club house. The dining tables were especially lovely with their arrangements of silver candelabra, Christmas trees, and Yuletide favors for each guest. Amid this appropriate setting a delicious turkey dinner was served. To add zest to the meal and merriment to the occasion several choice stories were told by the gentlemen present.

Then, with Mrs. Tyson as leader, games were played and group singing enjoyed. The evening's entertainment, which came to a conclusion with the dancing of the Virginia reel, will be long remembered by those present as one of the most enjoyable affairs of the holiday season.

The hostesses had as their special guests the Reverend and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw of Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyson.

Fountain Presbyterian Church
The Fountain Presbyterian Church has Sunday school at 10 o'clock each Sunday morning. Services are held every second and fourth Sundays at 11 o'clock in the morning. Rev. Phil Corey is the pastor.

The people in Fountain and the surrounding community are cordially invited to attend Sunday school of their choice, and after Sunday school go to the church that has services.

Christian Church Announcements
The program of Christmas music and the service of the Eighth Street Christian Church on Sunday morning will be as follows:

Christmas Preludes from 10:50 to 11:00 by Prof. George Perry of the college; the call to worship by the choir; the carol, "Joy to the World"; Invocation and Choral Response; Anthem: "Away In a Manger" by Mueller; Communion Hymn, "Break Thou the Bread of Life"; Anthem: "Cantique de Noel" by Adam; Sermon, "Peace on Earth" by the pastor; the carol, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful"; Benediction; Postlude, "Toccata in D" from the Fifth Organ Symphony by Widor.

The attention of the worshippers is called to the fact that the organ music of Christmas preludes will begin ten minutes before the regular hour of worship. All are urged to be in the sanctuary in silence by 10:50.

The Christian Youth Fellowship will conduct a program of Christmas music at the Pitt County Home at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. At that time they will take baskets of fruit to the members of the home.

The male chorus of the Eighth Street Christian choir will join in the Christmas music presented at the Immanuel Baptist Church on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Fountain Circle Plans Take Care Of Needy, Sick

The Fountain Circle of the Presbyterian Church held its meeting the night of December 4, immediately following the prayer meeting service.

They had prayer, reading and report of the amount received for the orphanage and other worthy causes.

The circle decided to give the Sunday School a Christmas tree, Sunday morning, December 19, as soon as classes have been to their rooms and have had the lesson taught by their teachers. Following classes all will come in the church together and the report for Sunday School will be read, after which each child will receive a present.

The circle arranged to have the sick, the shutins, and needy of the community remembered.

Mr. M. F. Morgan and his family were the ones that are believed to need special consideration due to an accident he had about three or more weeks ago. While cutting some wood his ax caught the clothes line causing the ax to glance and almost cut off two of his toes. His wife has been dead for four or five years, he was left with six living children. He and three boys are living together, the youngest about ten years, the next oldest boy is about sixteen years. He has one boy in the U.S. Navy. The oldest boy in the family works when the weather will permit and while at home cooks, washes the clothes, does what house work he can while at home after having done a day's work to help support the family. The two girls live with an aunt and uncle in Oak City.

After the plans were completed to take care of needy and sick and shutins, the meeting closed with a prayer.

Fountain School News

An art program is being emphasized this year in all the grades. There are very good exhibits on display in finger painting, tempera water painting and crayons. Prizes may be seen illustrating some phase of work done on class. Several paintings have been framed under glass. Right now the children are busy decorating articles brought from their homes to be used as decorations or gifts for members of their families.

The school is very proud of the last report from the TB skin test of 243 children which came back OK.

During the pretty fall weather the physical ed. periods have been held out of doors. Beginning this week supervised physical ed. periods will be held in the gymnasium regularly as scheduled.

The members of the Fountain school faculty are:

Mrs. Koma L. Walker, first grade; Mrs. Ann Mercer, second grade; Mrs. Dennis Mercer, third grade; Mrs. J. M. Horton, fourth grade; Mrs. Geneva Phillips, fifth grade; Mrs. Glendon Smith, sixth grade; Mrs. Herman Baker, seventh grade and principal; Mrs. Laura Tanner, eighth grade.

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Grifton.—On Monday night the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met for the December meeting at 7:30 in the church. Mrs. H. L. Wethington presided at the business meeting and the date and place for the bazaar was announced as Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week at Jackson-Davis Store. Mrs. F. L. Cox at the organ rendered an organ solo. This was followed by a Christmas program of the Christmas story "Men" by Mrs. S. G. Barwick and a reading by Mrs. Roy Jackson who also led in prayer. The group joined in singing "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

After the program the guests were invited into the recreation room where the annual Christmas party was held. Garlands of red and silver ribbons, pine, lighted red candles made a festive setting. The table was covered with a white and red cloth centered with a silver candelabra holding tall red tapers and this was interspersed with greenery. Party sandwiches, cheese biscuit, salted nuts, candies and punch were served.

An exchange of gifts was the cause of much merriment and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Downum, pastor, and his wife were remembered with an old fashioned "pounding." Mrs. L. O. Cox, Mrs. George Sugg and Mrs. Cecil Cobb were joint hostesses.

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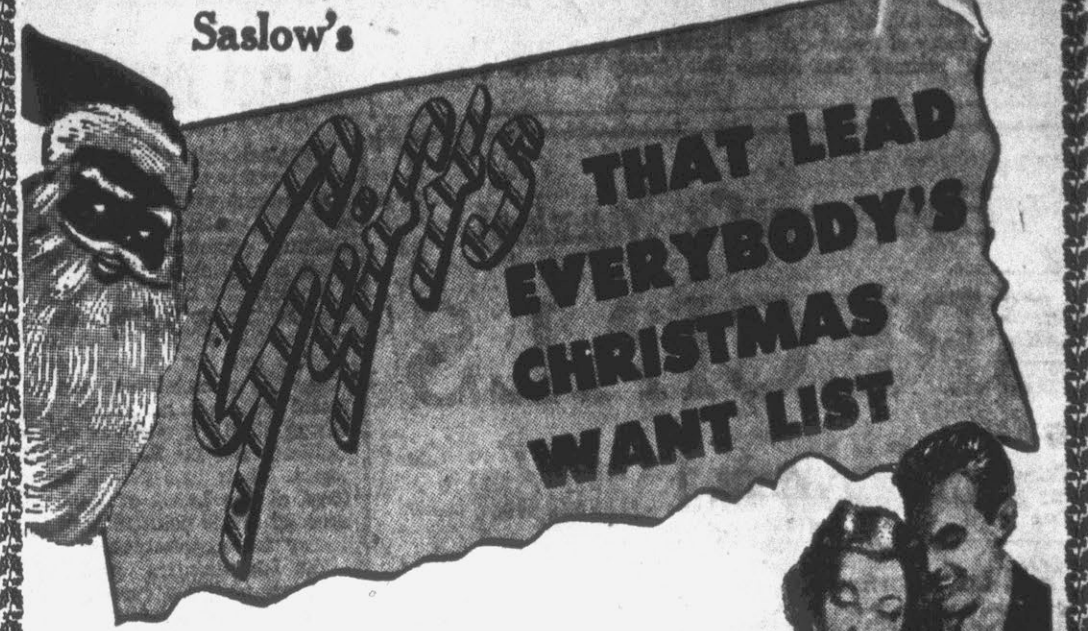
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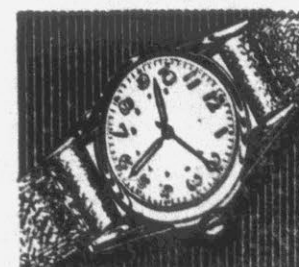
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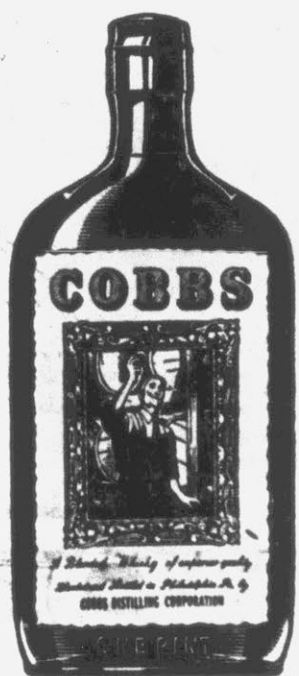
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Pet Deer Named

Oakville, Ont., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Bambi, a 14-month-old pet deer, was accused today of icebox-raiding. A neighbor claimed that Milton

Cleary's pet deer ate a roast, a pound of bacon and a pound of butter from his outdoor refrigerator. Game Warden Dudley Hitchcock said it was the first time he had heard of a deer eating cooked meat, but Cleary said he would make restitution.

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Appalachian Hoopsters And Bucs Play Tonight

Appalachian's Mighty Mountaineers came to Greenville yesterday and tonight will invade the Pirates' court of East Carolina in the Wright Building gymnasium in a North State conference clash.

If statistics mean anything, and they seldom do in basketball, tonight's tilt will be down as win number four for the boys from the hills. The mountaineers are undefeated in their last three games, having lifted the scalps of McCrary, Guilford, and the Kanapolis YMCA cagers. Their lone defeat was suffered at the hands of East Tennessee by a one point margin in the opener for Appalachian.

The Mountaineers and Pirates have not played a common opponent this season but the visitors are installed as favorites by virtue of their 20 point victory over McCrary which lost to High Point by one

Johnny Long Considering Possible Return To Ring

By EUGENE PRICE

The professional boxing world looked around today for the boy who was last year named the most promising welter weight of the year. But Johnny Greely Long, of Tabor City, whose shot at Sugar Ray Robinson and the Welter Weight championship of the world seemed so certain last winter, was not to be found in the circles of professional ringdom.

Johnny has left the fight-for-money game, possibly forever.

He is a student at East Carolina Teachers College here in Greenville where he is majoring in physical education. The stocky little farm boy from a little bit north of South Carolina, whose mighty right won him nationwide recognition, wants to coach.

"I've always wanted to coach and knew I had to go to college to do so," Johnny, balding at 26, said this week. He says he may go back into the professional ring. "If I do, it will be this coming summer. If not, then I'll never fight professional again," the soft spoken Johnny says.

But Johnny has not forsaken boxing all entirely while in school. He is assisting Coach Jim Johnson in coaching the East Carolina Teachers College boxing team. And the modest little pugilist has won the admiration and respect of both Coach Johnson and the entire boxing team. "Take anything Johnny tells you for the gospel truth," Johnson told his boys on the first day of boxing workouts at the college.

Johnny never boasts of his ring record. Few of the boys on his boxing team even know that he won 36 out of 37 professional bouts; that he was named by New York sports writers as the most promising welter weight coming up the

knockout trail. He never mentions having been managed by Ray Arcel, who handled such ring greats as Barney Ross, Primo Carnera, Benny Leonard, Lou Brouillard, Joe Baski and Jackie Cawford.

Many students of East Carolina know Johnny only as "that short, slightly balding fellow who speaks so softly and who is said to have been a prize fighter." Few of his class mates realize that he is none other than the great Cornish Kid whose mighty right and jabbing left beat out a tattoo which mingled with the cheers of New York fight lovers and won him the distinction of being one of the most prominent contents for the Welter Weight crown of the world.

GHS Basketeers Play At Wilson

The Greenville High School Phantoms and Jaycees leave today for Wilson, N. C. where they play the Wilson Tigh Cyclones and Jaycees in a non-conference tussle tonight.

Greenville's Jaycees will seek their second win if the season in the preliminary game and the Phantoms will still be trying to break the ice in the win column.

The locals split a doubleheader with the Wilson quintis here earlier this week. The Greenville Jaycees edged the Wilson boys 24 to 22 while the Phantoms were bowing to the tune of 49 to 24.

It will be the last game of the year for the two local teams which will open their 1949 schedule Jan. 4th with a Northeastern conference schedule with Kinston.

Big Attendance

New York, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Led by the Southwest's whopping 25 percent increase, college football crowds were larger almost everywhere this fall.

An Associated Press survey of 89 schools today showed the Far West as the only exception to the upward trend.

Nationally the increase in average attendance was 4.3 percent over 1947. The 89 schools played 451 home games before gatherings totalling 12,446,754. Last year 11,719,998 saw 443 home games.

An average game this fall drew 27,598 paying customers. Last year the average was 26,456.

Hickman Arrives For Miami Game

Miami, Fla., Dec. 17.—(P)—Chunky Herman Hickman of Yale, who will coach the North team in the Shrine North-South football game in the Orange Bowl Christmas night, arrived here by train from New Haven, Conn., late yesterday.

"Lemme at those rebels," Hickman shouted as he stepped to the platform from the train. Hickman, who weighs almost 300 pounds, is a "rebel" himself. He was one of the greatest linemen Tennessee ever had.

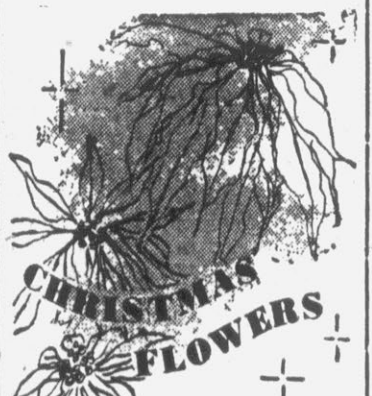
Touchdown Club Fetes Grid Team

Lexington, N. C., Dec. 17.—(P)—The Lexington Touchdown Club last night feted the Dunbar Negro school football team at a barbecue supper.

The touchdowns played host to the 25-players squad and coach Chester McCullough.

Winner of the most valuable trophy, awarded after a vote of the players, was guard James Carter, who captained the team that won eight of nine games.

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Sandy Saddler In Non-Title Fight

New York, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Sandy Saddler, the world featherweight champion, is a 1-3 favorite to take the measure of Terry Young, tough New York lightweight, in their ten-round non-title fight tonight at Madison Square Garden.

Saddler knocked out Willie Pep to win the 127-pound title last Oct. 29. Since then he has knocked out two foes and outpointed another with his crown not at stake.

In the rugged Young, however, he is expected to meet a test that will challenge him to the fullest. The New York lightweight is a

plodding, relentless battler with a stout wallop. He scored one of his greatest victories last Feb. 20 when he beat Beau Jack, former lightweight king.

Saddler is a wiry, shifty fighter who punches sharply with either hand. Quite a finisher himself, he has scored 66 knockouts.

The 22-year-old champion is unbeaten in 14 bouts at the Garden and at St. Nicholas Arena.

Rupp Involved In Disturbance At Boston Contest

New York, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Adolph Rupp, Kentucky's famed basketball coach, figured in a disturbance at Boston last night as Kentucky's NCAA champs trimmed Holy Cross

51-48.

The incident occurred near the end when an unidentified spectator struck Wally Jones, a Kentucky player, with what appeared to be a rolled up paper bag. Jones went for the spectator who started throwing punches.

Rupp came to Jones' defense and as struck several glancing blows before police stopped the fray.

A sellout crowd of 13,909 saw the hectic finish. It was Kentucky's fifth in a row.

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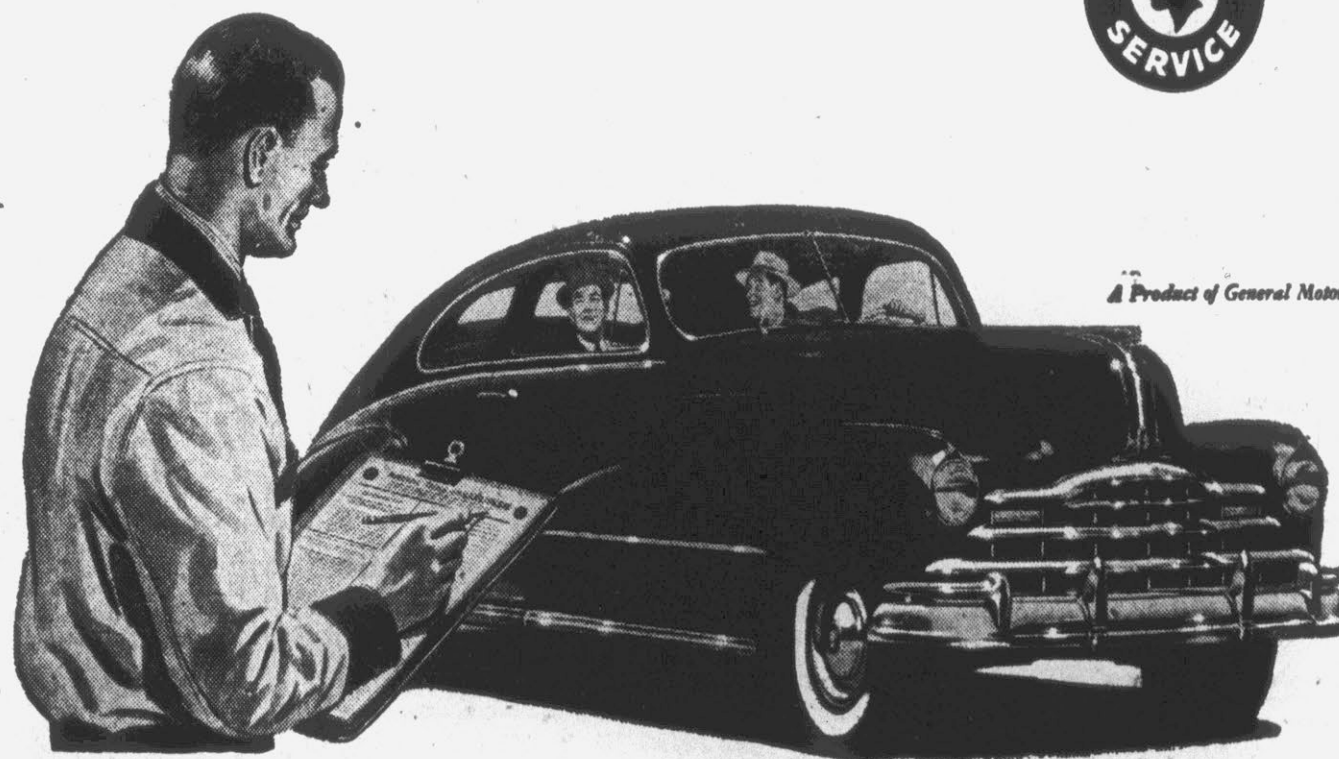
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By FAGALY and SHORTEN

... with a leer.
"Know just what you mean, bud-
dy," I told him. "Fact is, I know
her well. A little bundle of gold
leaf, right?"
"Right!" he agreed.

We were becoming pals very fast.
I speeded things up by wandering
over and sliding another bill toward
him. This one was a ten.

"Cardeur always keeps a bottle
in his room. Maybe you and I could
find it, huh?"

He liked that suggestion very
much. He liked it so much he turned
and took a key off one of a dozen
hooks. When he turned back front
he was grinning.

He stopped in front of the end
door on the left, unlocked it with
the key, and pushed the door open.
The light inside the room wasn't
much better than the light in the
tunnel that was a hallway. But it
was enough for both of us.

"Wow!" he shrieked. "What hap-
pened?"

I stepped around him and into
the room. Into what once had been
a room, I mean. Everything, chairs,
table, bureau, mattresses, bedclothes,
mattress, and everything else were
scattered all over the room. The
pillows of the bed had been ripped
open, and the whole business was
covered with a layer of feathers.
The mattress, too, had been ripped,
and half a dozen coiled springs
were popped out of it like small
shrubs through the snow.

The little geezer stood right with
he'd stopped. His eyes were dinner
plates. "There goes my job. And for
five bucks!"

"Skip it!" I cut in on him. "If it
wasn't Cardeur, then who was it?"
"Dunno!" he grated.

I reached over and tucked a ten
in his shirt pocket. He made no
movement to pull back.

"Cardeur's visitors," I said. "Five
you said?"

"Five, I think," he grunted with
a frown. "Could be four, maybe. I
don't pay much attention who comes
and goes in this dump. Maybe one
of them come back twice."

"Tell me what they looked like."
"None was a dame," he finally
said. "Just guys, that's all. I said I
don't pay much attention. Take the
sawback back, Mister."

I started his hand with my own.
"Keep it," I said. "Maybe you
can tell me this. When was the last
one here?"

"Yesterday afternoon," he said
after a period of concentrated
thought.

"And the last one to come you
let in here for five bucks," I shot
at him. "How long was he in here?"
"I'm thinking, Mister," he said.

"The lad who did this," I said,
and waved my hand at the mess.
"What did he look like?"

"What's his room number?"
"Ain't in his room," he said. Then,
maybe to make certain I got it right,
he added, "Ain't been in his room
for a couple of days and nights
now."

"Oh, I know that," I said with a
gesture. "It's all right. Just show me
his room and —"

"Nope!" he cut in on me. "Against
the rules. Besides, you ain't kidding
nobody, Mister."

"How's that?" I echoed, and didn't
have much trouble looking sur-
prised.

"That's what I said!" he declared.
"You, and all them others, ain't
kidding nobody. I tell you he ain't
in, and he ain't. If you feel like
waiting there a chair right there
behind you."

"Thanks, I guess I will," I said.
As I turned I slid a five-dollar
bill on the lobby desk and took my
hand away. Then I went over and
sat down. He looked at the money,
and then at me. Suspicion stood
out on his face like a rash.

"For free," I said, and lighted a
cigarette.

When I looked up from lighting
it the five-dollar bill was gone, and
he was still looking at me. I frowned
a little, and shook my head.

"There's no catch," I said. Then
with a wink, I added, "If there was
I'd tell you that that had some
sisters and brothers — which it
has."

"Well, you're different from them
others, Mister," he said. "I'll say
that much for you."

"Others?" I murmured, and let
my brows climb. "Many of them?"
"Four or five," he replied. "But
not all at once."

"Any women?" I asked, and
yawned.

"Dames?" he echoed, startled.
"Nope. There was a dame, though.
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Bloom's Indian Alibi Was No Joke At Ball Wednesday

When El Bloom, solicitor of Greenville Police Court, announced at the Policemen's Ball Wednesday night that the floor show would not be presented because "the Indian in the act" had disappeared, many people present thought the honorable solicitor was pulling one of his gags and that no floor show was actually scheduled.

However, an inquiry into the matter showed that the solicitor was entirely correct, and that a Western Troupe had been engaged for the floor show; and that the Indian in the act, an expert knife thrower and marksman, disappeared Tuesday and the other members of the troupe have been unable to locate him since then.

Bloom's troubles with the act

really started Tuesday afternoon when the troupe was scheduled for a studio broadcast from station WGTC, and the manager of the show informed Bloom that the "Indian" had disappeared and all the instruments of the troupe were in the Indian's car which was also gone. The group managed to find a guitar and get through the broadcast without too much difficulty, feeling reasonably sure the "Indian" would return before the personal appearance scheduled for the following night.

At floor-show time Wednesday night, however, the "Indian" still had not returned, and rather than having half a floor-show, Bloom decided to call the whole thing off.

The fact that the announced floor-show did not appear as advertised at their Policemen's Ball is rather embarrassing to the members of the local police force, but even more embarrassing is the question, "Where is your Indian?"

Continued efforts of the local police and officers in neighboring towns to locate the Indian have been fruitless. There are no charges against him, but the police "would just like to know where he is."

The Door At The Inn
A Christmas pageant will be given in Fountain at the Presbyterian Church by members of the church Monday night, December 20 at 7:30. There will be around 37 in the cast, and it will last about an hour. Mrs. Rod Harris will be the organist.

Candle-Lighting Service At Meadowbrook
The Meadowbrook Presbyterian Church and community will begin their Christmas observance with a candle-lighting worship service on Sunday evening at 5:30 at the church. All the children and young people of the Sunday school will take part in this ceremony. And the adults of the church and community are urged to share in this worship service.

Since this will take the place of the regular evening preaching service we will have a morning church service at 11 o'clock immediately following Sunday school.

Thirty-six of Idaho's 44 counties contain minerals of commercial importance.

Optometrists Hold Meeting New Bern

The organization meeting of the educational group of one of the North Carolina State Optometric Association was held Wednesday night in the office of Dr. E. F. Menius in the Elks Temple building in New Bern.

Officers were elected as follows: Dr. J. O. Baxter, Jr., of Beaufort, president; Dr. N. M. Baxter of New Bern, secretary-treasurer; Dr. Kenneth C. Quiggins of Greenville, program chairman, and Dr. N. M. Baxter, publicity chairman. The program and publicity chairmen are to serve for one year.

A general discussion of the type of program to be given at future meetings was held and it was decided that the group would meet the third Wednesday night in each month at 7:30 o'clock in Dr. Menius' office in New Bern.

Brody's Entertains Employees In Special Dinner On Thursday

On Thursday evening, beginning at 7:30 Brody's entertained their employees as special guests in the Avon Room at Saleby's in Washington. They had arranged for this annual Christmas dinner at the Airport Inn, but because of the recent fire they were compelled to make other arrangements.

A turkey dinner was served to about fifty and immediately after the dinner, Mr. Brody announced the distribution of presents for all, and also the annual bonuses to the employees would be in order.

After dinner, the guests enjoyed dancing and refreshments. The attractive decorations and arrangements were under the direction of Mrs. Minnie Cannon. Mrs. Cannon followed the Christmas scheme throughout the arrangements.

Trouble In . . .

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be due to domination of the big republican army by the communists. The army, which was largely trained by the Japanese and is hostile to westerners, wants the republic to be absolutely free and outside any federal set-up.

Premier Mohamed Hattia of the republic some time ago expressed a willingness to join with the Dutch

in working out a commonwealth which would be introduced by the interim federal government. But Hattia apparently doesn't control his army, which totals more than 400,000 men, and so can't make any guarantees.

A few days ago Hattia directed a letter to the Dutch government with a view to resuming negotiations. But the Dutch yesterday stated that the letter said Hattia was speaking for himself. That is, it wasn't a declaration by the republic. So the Dutch announced that negotiations couldn't be resumed on any such basis.

The most unhappy aspect of the situation is that fighting may be resumed in Indonesia. For that reason possible action by the U.N. Security Council will be awaited with eager interest.

J. C. Penny Company Holds Party For Employees' Families

Employees, their husbands and wives, children and grandchildren of the J. C. Penny Company were treated to a most enjoyable old-fashioned Christmas Party on Wednesday night at Red Oak Church near Greenville.

C. R. McBrayer, Manager of the firm, opened the evening of festivities by extending a very warm welcome to everyone present. Fun and Christmas Music featured the party. Several humorous contests and songs by the children contributed to the gaiety of the party.

Santa Claus arrived during the party and from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree presented everyone present with a gift.

Throughout the evening delicious refreshments of Christmas Sandwiches, punch, nuts, candies, decorated ice cream and cakes were served.

This annual Christmas party is looked forward to by the employees and guests of J. C. Penny Company.

Pvt. Roy E. Dail Funeral In Tarboro

The body of Pvt. Roy E. Dail, 21, who was killed in action in Holland on October 7, 1944, will arrive in Greenville Friday morning. The body will remain at Wilkerson's Funeral Home until one hour prior to the time of services.

Funeral services will be conducted

at the Free Will Baptist Church Sunday at 2:30 p. m. by Rev. R. B. Crawford, pastor. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery in Tarboro.

Members of Charles Gray Morgan Post No. 7032, Veterans of Foreign Wars will serve as pall bearers. Full military honors will be accorded in Tarboro by Co. F, 119th Inf., N. C. National Guard, together with the 19th and 20th Regiments of the American Legion, at 4 p. m.

Pvt. Dail, son of Leo E. and Bert Singleton Dail, was born near Ayden but attended school at Conetoe. After his graduation in 1939, he was employed in New York a short time, and then came to Greenville in 1942, where he was connected with Blount Harvey. He entered the army in December, 1943, and was married to Miss Jimmie Marie Moyer of Snow Hill, April 7, 1944. He trained at Camp Croft, S. C. Fort George G. Meade, Md., and Camp Shelby, Miss., and went overseas in August, 1944, with Co. B, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion. He served in France, Belgium, and Holland, was killed while on a mission just southeast of St. Anthony, Holland. He was awarded the European African Middle Eastern campaign ribbon with one bronze service star for the German campaign and was posthumously awarded the Combat Infantryman's Badge and the Purple Heart.

Surviving are his wife, his parents, a brother, Larry Dail of Greenville, four sisters, Mrs. Tom Brown of Greenville, Mrs. Rufus Davenport of Bethel, Miss Selma Dail of Raleigh, and Miss Barbara Ann Dail of Rocky Mount; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. J. T. Garris of Farmville, and his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Annie Dail of Long Island, New York.

Funeral Saturday For Capt. Tucker

The body of Capt. Claude Wayland Tucker will arrive in Greenville Saturday. Graveside services will be held in Greenwood Cemetery at 4 p. m. Saturday by Rev. J. A. Nelson, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, Members of Pitt County Post, American Legion, will be pall bearers.

Captain Tucker was born and reared in Greenville and attended Greenville High School, graduating in 1939. He attended East Carolina Teachers College and joined the Air Corps in December, 1940. He was graduated from flying school as staff sergeant pilot, August 5, 1942 at Spence Field, Moultrie, Ga. He was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in November, 1942, at Nashville, Tennessee. He was stationed at St. Joseph, Mo., and at Memphis, Tenn., before making overseas trips. He was commissioned a Captain in July 1945. He was in the Air Transport Command in the India-China division. At the time he was killed in a plane crash, July 28, 1945, he was flying the "Hump" in India.

Surviving are a daughter, Judy Gay Tucker of Greenville; his mother, Mrs. E. F. Tucker of Carolina Beach; a half-brother, G. A. Taylor, Sr., of Greenville; and three brothers, Edwin T. Tucker of Oshkosh, Wis., Eric Tucker of Richmond, Va., and Kenneth E. Tucker of Rocky Mount.

The family request that no flowers be sent.

Why Become . . .

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cess with which the Soviet agents were able to find Canadians who were willing to betray their country and to supply to agents of a foreign power secret information to which they had access in the course of their work, despite of allegiance, of office, and of secrecy which they had taken.

"Many of the Canadian public servants implicated in this espionage network were persons with an unusually high degree of education, and many were well regarded by those who worked with them in agencies and departments of the public service, as persons of marked ability and intelligence."

The report says that money—bribes from Russians in Canada—had nothing to do with getting the Canadians to be spies in the first place, although some of them took money later.

Why, then, did these educated and trusted Canadians act as spies against Canada? The report gives a couple of reasons:

1. They had been part of study groups that discussed Russia and Communism and through that were swung over to a relief in it.
2. Having reached that point, they were Communists or sympathizers and felt that the spying they did was for the good of their country.

As one of the spies later said under questioning, the Canadian spies were "idealistic." At least, he said they thought they were.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, Dec. 17—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 25 cents a bale higher to 10 cents lower.

Noon prices were 15 to 80 cents a bale higher than the previous close. March 32.12, May 31.89 and July 30.97.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Dec. 17—(AP)—(NCDA) Hogs steady to slightly stronger; Kingston, Rocky Mount, Tarboro, Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro, Washington, \$20.75.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Dec. 17—(AP)—(NCDA) Frysers and broilers steady at 33; eggs steady, grade A large 60.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 17—(AP)—The stock market tried to get ahead today but couldn't quite make the grade. Price changes were small with gains and losses in close balance. Trading was only moderately active.

Gold shares were in demand, following yesterday's sudden expansion in buying interest, at advances ranging to a point or so.

Many traders have adopted a wait-and-see policy, anxious to see a year-end rally get started but unwilling to step out of line until the signs and portents are more favorable.

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Firststone	66 1/2
Kennecott	87
Ligg and Myers	14 1/2
Loews	19 1/2
Nat Biscuit	30 1/2
Param Pic	22 1/2
Penney J C	44 1/2
Republ Stl	26 1/2
Sou Ry	39 1/2
Std Oil, N J	73 1/2
Stewart Warner	13
United Corp	34
US Steel	70 1/2
Vanadium	21
Woolworth	45 1/2

Colored News

There will be a fish fry given by the Star of Zion Usher Board No. 2 of York Memorial A. M. E. Zion Church, Saturday night in the basement of the church, 55¢ per plate.

All of the friends of ours are invited to attend a program of interest at the Cornerstone Baptist Church Sunday night, December 19, at 7:30. Come one, come all. We hope to interest you as we are expecting some out of town guests from Winston-Salem, Robert Chick Black and Robert Latham. Come hear the singers and speakers.

There will be a supper at the home of Mrs. Easter Moore Saturday, December 18, sponsored by the Pastor's Aid club of Sycamore Hill Baptist Church. All members are asked to be present and bring a friend.

The Cosmetologist club met at the home of Mrs. Mattie Spain, 1302 Colonial Avenue, December 14. The meeting was opened by singing Christmas carols and prayer.

The house was then opened for business. The club gave donations to five less fortunate persons and a donation to the T. B. Seal drive.

We exchanged lovely Christmas gifts and were highly entertained with a lovely repast by the hostess, which was very much enjoyed.

The next meeting will be at the

home of Mrs. Geneva Wilson, 1215 W. 5th Street, Tuesday night, January 4. Naomi Burney, reporter.

English Chapel F. W. B. Church. 10 a. m. — Sunday school, S. M. King, superintendent.

11 a. m. — Sermon by Rev. S. Hemby. Subject: "God's Gift to the World."

2 p. m. — Rev. S. Hemby will officiate at St. John's in Farmville. He will use for his subject: "God's Precious Gift." He will be accompanied by his choir, ushers and congregation of English Chapel.

7:30 p. m. — Rev. S. Hemby will officiate at Good Hope F. W. B. Church in Winterville.

The public is invited to worship with us.

The usual Youth Day services will be held at Sycamore Hill Baptist Church Sunday, December 19. The Youth Council, Junior Church and Junior Ushers will be active in these services. Mr. Arthur Norcott will have charge of the music and special Christmas music composed of solos, duets and choruses will be presented at the morning worship.

The Junior choir is composed of Joan Beatty, Jean Harris, Barbara Morris, Marion Norcott, Barbara Barnhill, Evelyn Wooten, Zora Williams, Anne Garrett, Janette Wilson, Mary Bradley, Gloria Brown, Doris Lynch, Bennie Streeter, Agnes Waters, Annie Jones, Ralph Daeg, Carlton McGlone, Hubert Walters, Charles Taylor, Matthew Lewis, Jr., James Hines, William Payton and Mitchell Hines.

York Memorial A. M. E. Zion Church, Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., W. J. Hester, superintendent.

11 a. m. — Message by the pastor, Holy Communion. Special music by the senior choir.

The conference has passed into history and now we have entered upon the steps of a new conference year. Let us awaken and put on new strength for the sake of God and His church. Let each member arise and shine.

If all the members were just like me, what kind of church would this church be? We all should rise and take a stand to bless the church in this weary land.

Consider how I love thy precepts: quicken me, O God, according to thy loving kindness.—Psalms 119:159th verse.

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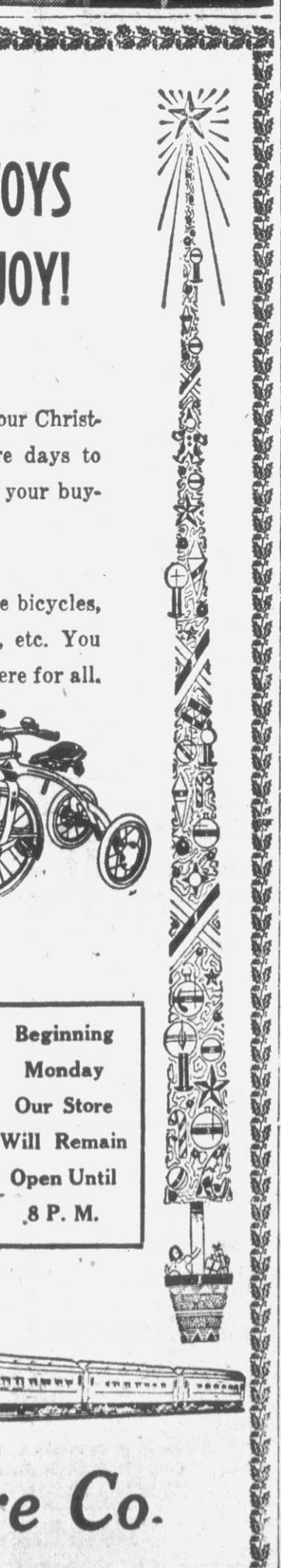
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