

# Hoover To Renew Calls For Economy

### Hoover Returning To Washington To Push New Drive To Reorganize Gov't As Economy Step; Again Raps 'Gimme' Groups

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—Herbert Hoover is coming back to Washington to push along a new drive to reorganize the government as a step toward economy.

The Republican former President will speak next Monday night before the National reorganization conference. His theme will be one that some GOP party members are voting as a rallying cry for the 1950 Congressional campaigns—a contention that excess spending and high taxes are threatening the existence of the republic.

Speaking at a non-partisan forum, Hoover is expected to stick to his main topic that widespread savings can be made by reorganization of the government.

In a preview of his speech in New York last week, however, he covered a broader field. He said that the principal danger to the republic lies in the attitude of many groups in the country who think they ought to be fed by the taxpayers instead of making a living for themselves.

This is the sort of thing Senator Taft has been talking about in attacks on the "hand-out-state" which he says is the Truman administration's aim. Guy G. Gabrielson, the GOP national chairman, varied the phrase by calling it a "poorhouse state."

Hoover said economy in government is a practice, not a theory. He is likely to find a difference of opinion in Washington over how much economy is practical.

Senator O'Mahony who agrees that wasteful spending ought to be eliminated, said it's a lot easier to talk about cutting the budget than to do it.

The Wyoming Senator heads the Senate-House economic committee. He told a reporter he thinks that any effort to cut outlays for such items as highway building and fighting stream pollution would merely reduce the opportunities for business and "cast a wet blanket upon our economy."

He noted that money for national defense, international payments, veterans benefits and interest on the public debt now accounts for about 75 per cent of the budget.

# Assassins Try To Kill Governor Of Crown Colony

Singapore, Dec. 5—(AP)—A three-year fight to give Sarawak back to its white rajahs exploded over the weekend in an attempted assassination of the crown colony's British governor. He was reported today still "seriously ill" from a knife wound in the abdomen.

Two young Malays attacked Governor Duncan Stewart as he arrived Saturday at Sibau, interior city of the colony in north Borneo which "White Rajah" Vyner Brooke ceded to the British crown in 1946.

Since the cession, Malay members of the native population have petitioned and propagandized for a return of the British Brooke family who ruled them for a century. The attack on Stewart was the first violence growing out of the anti-cession movement.

# Renew Campaign On Night Riders

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 5—(AP)—The state of Alabama today renewed its campaign to punish masked floggers and night riders.

Three men were up for trial on charges of flogging and related incidents. Court attaches predicted the first to be summoned would be Richard Lollar, reputed cyclops of the Adamsville Ku Klux Klan Klavern. He and 17 others were indicted several months ago.

# DIVORCE ACHIEVED

Los Angeles, Dec. 5—(AP)—Shirley Temple divorced John Agar today, testifying that her marriage to the handsome actor was turbulent. She accused him of paying too much attention to other women and of drinking too much.

# Scientific Research

### Huge Sums Being Spent To Augment Fraction Of The Knowledge We Must Have Either For Peaceful Purposes Or National Defense; Extent Of Outlays

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—To find various ways of making life long and better and a awful, the government is spending almost \$1.2 billion this year on scientific research.

The work ranges all the way from work on cancer and heart and synthetic rubber to atomic energy for better bombs and weapons for the Army, Navy and Air Force.

The military forces are getting more than half the money being spent on research.

In a talk to a group of scientists, John R. Steelman, assistant to President Truman, told some of the story. He said:

"The importance of science to our national life has been dramatized for all Americans by the atom bomb and

# Checking Story Of Sending U. S. Secrets To Reds

### Air Force Reviews Records; Probe By Congress; No Facts Found Yet

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—Senior Investigator Louis J. Russell said today the House Un-American Committee has evidence of three shipments of atom bomb materials to Russia in 1945. He said he had no information that the late Harry L. Hopkins was connected with them in any way.

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—Official capital researchers have joined the hue and cry set off by a former Army captain's statement that American lend-lease planes carried atomic materials and State Department secrets to Russia during the war.

O. Racey Jordan, the ex-officer, said in a radio interview Friday night that big loads of what a Russian colonel called uranium and "bomb powder" were flown to Russia in 1944 under instructions telephoned to him by the late Harry Hopkins. Hopkins was a right hand man to President Roosevelt.

Suitcases full of secret government documents, some dealing with the then unrevealed atomic bomb project, also were loaded aboard Russian-bound planes at Great Falls, Mont., where he was stationed as a liaison officer between U. S. and Russian officers, Jordan said.

He added that he had reported these activities to the then air inspector general. This official, Maj. Gen. Julius W. Jones, now on duty near Sacramento, Calif., said he knows nothing about such a report, does not recall Jordan, and has "no knowledge of the incident or anything like it."

The Air Force began digging through its records for the report Jordan said he made. As yet it has found none, it said, adding that no formal investigation is being made—just a check for any report received from Jordan.

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# Missing Witness To Take Stand

New York, Dec. 5—(AP)—Federal Judge Henry W. Goddard ruled today that William Rosen, the government's "missing witness" in Alger Hiss' first perjury trial, may testify in the second trial.

The government will try to show that Rosen was a Communist party member who took over an old Ford roadster in 1936 from Hiss, former high state department official.

Whittaker Chambers, Hiss' chief accuser, named Rosen at the first trial as the man who received the car. Rosen disappeared shortly before the first trial opened. FBI agents located him in Los Angeles last September 26.

# Six Big Groups May Be First Targets In Probe

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—Six big groups may be the initial targets of a special House committee getting ready to investigate lobbying.

While the committee, headed by Rep. Buchanan (D-Pa.), has charted no fixed course and probably won't for several more weeks, Buchanan told newsmen it may be guided largely by a Library of Congress report on lobbying.

This report, prepared by W. Brooke Graves of the Legislative Reference Service, says:

"Some of the fields in which lobbies have been or are now especially active" include "the tariff lobby; the natural resources lobby in its various forms; the real estate group, battling against any kind of public housing program; the air lines lobby; the agriculture lobby, and the dramatic struggle between the representatives of the dairy interests and the oleomargarine manufacturers."

Other active lobbies, the report continued, include those interested in business, education, health, labor, military and veterans legislation.

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# Trumans Get No Fish



President and Mrs. Truman, wearing white, long billed fishing caps and well tanned from five days under the Florida sun, report no fish on their return from an afternoon of fishing at Key West. They are on their fishing boat, the "Big Wheel." (AP Wirephoto).

# Steel Spokesman Sees Price Increase Coming

### More Labor And Material Costs Rising; Says All Companies Surveying Plans For Adjustments

Pittsburgh—Dec. 5—(AP)—Some steel prices almost certainly will increase soon, says an industry spokesman.

The spokesman, who asked that his name not be used, declared increasing labor and material costs are rising. And he added all steel companies are surveying the situation with an eye to price adjustments.

"It may not be a general increase but it is almost certain in my mind that some adjustments will be necessary on some lines," the spokesman declared.

His remarks came on the heels of a statement from the head of the nation's fourth largest steel producer which left little doubt consumers ultimately will pay more for steel.

Declaring that production costs are rising, Admiral Ben Moreel, chairman of the board and president of Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation, declared:

"It becomes crystal clear that the increased costs for raw materials, for services and for labor which are now being imposed on us, must be balanced by corresponding increases in prices."

Then, Moreel added:

"We in management are not doing our job unless we keep our company in a healthy condition x x x my feeling is that unless there is a sharp reversal of the current trend of cost increases, we have an upward revision of our steel price structure."

# CONGRESSMAN DIES

Chicago, Dec. 5—(AP)—Rep. Martin Gorski, 63, staunch supporter of Democratic party policy measures and labor-approved legislation, died yesterday, apparently of a heart ailment. Gorski, a bachelor, had represented Illinois' fifth district in Chicago since 1942.

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# Scott To Rule On Fate Of Trio

### Three On Death Row; Final Review Of Cases Prepared

Raleigh, Dec. 5—(AP)—Governor Scott this week will decide the fate of three men now on death row.

The three, who are scheduled to die Friday, are: Monroes Medlin, Audie Lee Brown and Allen T. Reid, all Negroes.

Paroles Commissioner T. C. Johnson, who has been investigating the cases, is expected to turn his reports over to the governor today or tomorrow.

Medlin, 25, was convicted of first degree murder for the slaying of Mrs. E. O. Anderson, Sr., wealthy Charlotte society matron.

Brown, 35, received the death sentence following his conviction in Randolph County for the New Year's Day slaying of Melvin Cain.

Reid, 30, was sentenced to die for first degree burglary. He was accused of breaking into the home of a Wilson school teacher.

Johnson said he had received a number of letters recommending commutation of Reid's sentence to life imprisonment.

# Scout Council In Meeting Tuesday

The annual meeting of the Eastern Carolina Boy Scout Council of America will be held Tuesday night in the North Dining Hall at East Carolina Teachers College at 7:00.

The main speaker of the night will be W. A. Dobson, Regional Scout executive.

An attendance prize will be given to the district having the most members in attendance for the meeting, based on distance traveled.

Reports and awards for the year will be made at the banquet.

# Infant Polio Victim



Tiny Wianne Chabot, 4-1/2 month baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chabot, lies completely paralyzed in an iron lung at the county hospital in Los Angeles, where she is said to be the youngest polio victim ever confined at that institution. Nurse Winifred Wagg adjusts a tube administering oxygen to the baby in an effort to keep the tiny spark of life alive. (AP Wirephoto).

# Pitt Law Officers And Two Gunmen Shoot It Out In Grifton Last Night

# Inflation Warnings Are Again Sounded

### Gov't Economists And Private Experts Point To In-The-Red Spending And New Round Of Wage-Pension Hikes

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—Warnings of inflation are fluttering again in the capital, but most of the economic lookouts discount any immediate peril. They see fairly steady, prosperous sailing throughout 1950.

President Truman is not expected to revive his demands of a year ago for drastic "standby" anti-inflation powers. This is despite the rise in credit to new peaks, the firming of prices, and the fall improvement.

Government economists and some private experts report the revival of an "inflationary potential" They base the report mainly on heavy in-the-red spending by the government and on the new round of wage-and-pension hikes.

Yet few of them expect a major price whirl in the next 12 months. The "disinflation" is not over for some important industries. Many economists believe the long-range hazard is deflation.

A consensus of the forecasts might boil down to this: 1950 will be another year of high income and high production, on a level of prosperity not too unlike 1949 and not far below record-smashing 1948.

Inflation warnings have been uttered by two bank presidents and other witnesses before Senator Douglas' (D-III) economic subcommittee. These have stirred speculation whether Mr. Truman will again seek controls over prices, wages, commodity trading and materials allocation.

The decision, if it is not already made, will come in the next month as the President prepares his annual economic message to the new session of congress.

Persons in close touch with White House planning say a new bid for controls is unlikely and, even if one comes, would be turned down by congress.

# Unfortunate

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 5—(AP)—Howard Pomeroy was sleeping.

And the noise down on the street late last night was getting on his nerves.

To stop it, he leaned out his second floor window and poured out a pitcher of water.

The water had departed—but two policemen walking their beat had arrived. Pomeroy was charged with disorderly conduct.

# Already Planning To Quit Chengtu

### Chinese Nationalist Officials Begin Formosa Flights

Hong Kong, Dec. 5—(AP)—Evacuation of the new Chinese Nationalist capital at Chengtu, 170 miles northwest of occupied Chungking, apparently began today.

A special dispatch to the newspaper Sing Tao Man Po said government officials assembled at the Chengtu airport at 2 a. m. for air transport to Formosa, island fortress 100 miles off the south central China coast.

Planes belonging to retired U. S. Maj. Gen. Claire Chennault were reported chartered by the Nationalist government for the airlift.

Communist troops of Gen. Liu Po-Cheng rolled on toward Chengtu after taking Chungking, the provisional capital, only last Wednesday.

Reports to Sing Tao Man Po said the Reds were making good progress toward Chengtu, which lies in a basin a few miles from the Sikkang province border.

Nationalist Gen. Hu Taung-Nan hurriedly had brought up troops for the defense of Chengtu. Defense lines were established 30 and 50 miles outside of the provisional capital.

This rapid development in the Chinese civil war came only a few hours after Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek, nationalist leader, had declared that the government would fight on against the Communists despite defeat on all sides.

# U. S. B-36 Fleet Being Modified

### Changes Being Made To Meet Needs Of Far North Bases

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—The far-flying B-36 bombers are undergoing some changes, suggested by two years of cold weather testing, to enable them to operate from rigid bases in the Arctic.

From such fields, the reach of the 10,000-mile range intercontinental bomber could be extended deep down into the Eurasian land mass. In this vastness Russia is reported to have tucked away atomic and other war goods manufacturing plants.

Taken in conjunction with another previously disclosed plan, this would give the United States Air Force a double-barreled weapon for warfare over the top of the world.

An air force official, testifying last summer before a congressional committee, mentioned that "a typical polar operation might involve aircraft taking off from United States air bases, the staging or topping off of these aircraft at a forward base in northern Canada, Greenland, or even the polar ice cap."

Obviously involved in this planning is the use of the aerial refueling system, by which medium bombers of the B-29 and B-50 type are given extended range through a fill-up of their fuel system from "tanker" planes meeting them at rendezvous points.

# William Benton Named Senator

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 5—(AP)—Governor Chester Bowles today appointed his one time advertising partner, William Benton of Southport, to be United States senator.

Benton, an independent in politics, immediately announced he would sit on the Democratic side of the Senate when he takes the place of Raymond E. Baldwin, Republican who is resigning effective December 17 to become a member of the State Supreme Court.

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# Coal Miners Go Back Into Pits For Early Shift

### Brief Work Week Will Help Santa Claus Throughout Coal Fields

Pittsburgh, Dec. 5—(AP)—John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers started helping Santa Claus fill his bag today.

The diggers, idled briefly last week by their fourth walkout of the year, began trooping back to work for the first shifts promptly at 12:01 a. m. By the end of the day, all are expected in the pits.

The 480,000 UMW dues payers will work the three-day week decreed by their unpredictable chief until further notice.

In the nine working days before Christmas, each can earn about \$139.50, that's based on their average daily wages of \$15.50.

That, with some back pay they have coming for work done before last week, means they'll enjoy Christmas. Even if some diggers are broke or short of money, company stores guarantee they can buy food and toys for Christmas.

Though the miners are happy over prospects of working, most of them are anxious to get back on a five-day week. It's almost certain Lewis won't order such a week until he has finally reached a contract with industry. And top operators show no indication of giving in.

Top operators haven't budged since Lewis' contract ran out last June 30. They maintain they can't afford to increase wages. And they want Lewis to tighten up the welfare and pension fund which has been financed entirely by the 20-cent-a-ton royalties the operators pay for all coal mined.

They quoted the officers as saying about 2:30 this morning a car drove past the Grifton store several times and then stopped and two Negro men got out. The officers said the men broke the glass in the front of the store and entered the building. Dorsey and Deputy Sheriff

Prague, Dec. 5—(AP)—Czechoslovakia's Roman Catholic bishops have expressed new defiance of the Communist government's church control laws. They warned that a religious fight may result if the government does not modify its stand.

The bishops announced yesterday they could not submit to laws which they declared violate the laws of God and destroy religious freedom.

THIRD PARTY ACTIVE

New York, Dec. 5—(AP)—A drive for a United Nations agreement to outlaw the atomic bomb and recognition of the Chinese Communist regime are called for in the Progressive party's 1950 congressional elections platform.

Pitt County Coroner Griffin H. Rouse said at 10 o'clock this morning the identity of the dead man still has not been satisfactorily established. Rouse said there was no identification on the body of the slain man, and his associate insists that he is known only as George Washington.

The investigation of the Creswell ABC robbery started last weekend, and the clues began to fit together when a 1941 Chevrolet coupe was found burned and abandoned in an isolated section of Beaufort County near the Craven County line last Monday. Williams said the car was traced and found to be the automobile used in the Creswell robbery. The week's investigation of the automobile and liquor theft in Creswell, and the 1941 Chevrolet which was stolen last night from Washington, Williams said, left a trail.

Sergeant C. R. Williams of the state highway patrol said shortly after noon today "other arrests are expected to follow within the next 24 hours" in the round-up of persons involved in the ABC store robbery.

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# One Negro Killed, Two Others Arrested; Series Of Auto Thefts And Probe Of ABC Robberies Lead To Ambush And Fight At Grifton ABC Store

A series of stolen automobiles and the investigation of ABC store robberies in eastern North Carolina during the past two weekends led to a gun battle in Grifton last night between two Negro men and two Pitt County law enforcement officers which resulted in the death of one Negro and the arrest of two others.

Members of the highway patrol, the State Bureau of Investigation and the sheriff and ABC departments of Pitt, Beaufort, Washington and Craven Counties last night cracked down on members of a ring who were attempting to rob the Grifton ABC store, and who the officers believe are responsible for the robbery of the Creswell ABC store on the night of November 26.

Pitt County Sheriff Ruel W. Tyson and Sergeant Williams of the highway patrol said the theft of an automobile from a Washington used car lot early last night gave law enforcement officers of the four counties reason to believe an attempt would be made to take a large quantity of liquor from a Pitt County ABC store later during the night.

Based on the investigations carried on during the past week Williams said, the officers guessed the robbery would be attempted either in Grifton or Grimesland. Acting accordingly, Tyson stationed two men in the Grimesland ABC store, and stationed Capt. S. B. Dorsey, city-county identification officer, Deputy Sheriff Loyd E. Manning, Grifton Police Chief Adams and Policeman Zeb Manning in a building adjacent to the Grifton ABC store.

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# Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 3388-8 A. M. to Room; 1 to 6:30 P. M.

Mr. G. H. Pittman of Falkland is a patient in Duke hospital. It was erroneously stated in Friday's paper that it was Mrs. Pittman who was in the hospital.

The condition of Mr. Arthur Corey, who has been critically ill in Pitt General hospital, is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber F. Worthington, of Winterville, have returned from El Paso, Tex., where they spent some time with their son, who is in the coast artillery. They also visited in Mexico.

Young Matrons Meet Tonight  
Young Matrons will meet tonight at 7:15 at the Eighth Street Christian church. Please remember to bring your Woman's Day offering.

St. Raphael's P. T. A.  
The regular meeting of St. Raphael's P. T. A. will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 7:30 at the school.

Show of Portraits at Art Gallery  
Georgia Fearsall Hearn will have a one man show of recent portraits at the Community Art gallery opening today and lasting until December 19.

Old Time Singing Convention  
There will be an old time singing convention next Sunday at the Sheldermine Pentecostal Holiness church at 2 p. m., sponsored by Sam Worthington and his Gospel Singers of Vanceboro.

Christmas Party For Registered Nurses  
The Greenville Registered Nurses' club will have its annual Christmas party at the American Legion home on Evans street on Tuesday, December 13, at 8 o'clock. All nurses and their guests are cordially invited. Nurses planning to attend are asked to notify Mrs. John Mayo Forbes.

Attention B. & P. W. Club Members  
The regular monthly meeting of the Greenville B. & P. W. club will not be held on the regular meeting date, December 8, because of the annual Christmas show at the Woman's Club building. The December meeting will be held on December 15 at 7 p. m. Dinner tickets will be on sale with the same members of the Reservation committee from Friday, December 9, until Tuesday afternoon, December 13, at 5 p. m.

Week of Prayer Observed at Memorial Baptist Church  
Week of prayer for foreign missions will be observed by W. M. & Memorial Baptist church from December 5 to December 9 at the church as follows:  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., led by Gohman circle.  
Wednesday, 10:30 a. m., led by Heck circle.  
Thursday, 10:30 a. m., led by Armstrong circle.  
Friday, 10:30 a. m., led by Mrs. J. B. Spilman.

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## 40 Years Ago Today

### THE DAILY REFLECTOR

December 5, 1909

Chicken roosters have begun their all night crowing, which the old folks say is always the forerunner of Christmas.

The total number of marriage licenses issued for the fiscal year was 377.

Miss Minnie Bagwell, of Raleigh, is visiting, Miss Frances Bagwell.

It is estimated that the sum of \$70,000,000 is spent annually in the construction of public highways in this country.

W. C. T. U. to Meet  
The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Leon Russell on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30.

End of the Century Club to Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary  
On Thursday, December 8, the End of the Century club will entertain at a tea in honor of its fiftieth anniversary at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ficklen. Guests will include the members of the book clubs, the Literature Department of the Woman's club, former members and guest members of the End of the Century club and the many friends who have helped to make its programs so interesting and enjoyable through the years.

Christian Science Service  
"God, the Only Cause and Creator" was the subject of the lesson-lesson in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, December 4.

Golden Text: Psalms 75:1. Unto Thee, O God, do we give thanks, unto Thee do we give thanks: for that Thy name is near Thy wondrous works declare.

Among the citations comprising the lesson-lesson are the following from the Bible: "For thus saith the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; he hath established it, he created it not in vain, he formed it to be inhabited: I am the Lord, and there is none else." (Isaiah 45:18).

And from the Christian Science textbook by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is individual, incorporeal. He is divine principle, love, the universal cause, the only creator, and there is no other self-existence." Page 351.

Study Course at West Greenville  
Miss Genevieve Burton, the State P. T. A. field secretary, will conduct a study course in Child Guidance at the West Greenville school on Friday, December 9. The hours for the course are from 2 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 o'clock at night.

A barbecue supper for 75c will be served at the school at 6 o'clock. Anyone desiring to attend should notify Mrs. C. B. West, Phone 2787, not later than Wednesday, December 7.

Miss Burton is an excellent instructor in this field, having conducted many courses of this type throughout the state. Anyone dealing with young people should derive much help from this course.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

### MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—Rotary club.  
7:00 p. m.—Lions club.  
7:00 p. m.—Wesleyan Service Guild Christmas dinner.

7:30 p. m.—Inter-denominational Council meets in Shepard Memorial library.

8:00 p. m.—W. S. C. S. circles Nos. 1 and 10 of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 8 of the Women of the Presbyterian church meets with Miss Elizabeth Deal.

### TUESDAY

10:00 a. m.—Women of Immanuel Baptist church observe week of prayer at the home of Mrs. R. H. Evans.

7:00 p. m.—Ada Cherry class dinner in Ellington Bible class room of Jarvis Memorial church.

7:30 p. m.—St. Elizabeth's chapter of St. Paul's church meets in the parish house.

8:00 p. m.—Chapter 149 of the Eastern Star will meet.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 4 of the Presbyterian church meets with Mrs. I. D. Koonce.

8:00 p. m.—Circle No. 6 of the Presbyterian church meets at the home of Mrs. W. M. Johnston.

1:00 p. m.—Altrusa club meets at Quinley Manor.

### WEDNESDAY

10:00 a. m.—Women of Immanuel Baptist church observe week of prayer at the home of Mrs. Charles Wilkerson.

2:30 p. m.—Regular meeting of St. Raphael's P. T. A. at the school.

3:30 p. m.—W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Leon Russell.

7:00 p. m.—City-wide P. T. A. meeting in Wright auditorium.

### THURSDAY

10:00 a. m.—Women of Immanuel Baptist church observe week of prayer at the home of Mrs. Harvey Dall.

4:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.—The End of the Century club will entertain at a tea at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ficklen in honor of its fiftieth anniversary.

8:00 p. m.—Buffet supper at Country Club for club members and their families.

6:30 p. m.—Dinner meeting for adult choir of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. R. T. Rogerson and Mrs. Jimmy Cobb entertain Miss Bratha Reagan, bride-elect, at dessert bridge at the home of Mrs. Rogerson on Summit street.

8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Fred Owens and Miss Mary Frances Owens will entertain at a bridge shower honoring Miss Jean Tucker, bride-elect of this month.

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2:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.—Christmas show at Woman's Club.

6:30 p. m.—Kiwans club.

6:45 p. m.—Exchange club.

7:30 p. m.—Meeting in Shepard Memorial library of committee in charge to materialize plans for bringing one or more displaced families to Pitt county.

7:00 p. m. to 9:00 p. m. Miss Genevieve Burton, state P. T. A. field secretary, will conduct a study course in Child Guidance at West Greenville school.

8:00 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Garner entertain Miss Bratha Reagan and Mr. Carl Abbe at bridge at their home on Eighth street.

## Named to Who's Who

Friends of John Clark, Jr., Guilford College senior, will be happy to know he has been named to "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges," also named for national scholarship honors.

Prior to spending nearly four years in the Army Air Corps, one year over seas, John attended N. C. State College and E. C. T. C.

Last year he was elected president of the Young Democratic club at Guilford College.

For three years he has represented Guilford at the student legislature at Raleigh.

Mr. Clark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Clark of Greenville, formerly of the Epworth community near Grifton.

## Annual Garden Club Christmas Show

Plans are rapidly being completed for the Christmas show sponsored by the Garden club to be held on December 9 and 10.

The Woman's Club will be taking on a festive air as the various book clubs of the city, Business Women and Altrusa's complete their assignments and vie with each other as to the appropriate decorations.

This yearly event creates keen interest among the home-makers since many suggestions effective at the show can be used in the home to "deck the hall," such as mantels, tables, sweets and an assorted supply of Christmas decorations.

The nearby towns look to Greenville each year to put on this show and it is expected that many outsiders will attend and help make this a most successful and purposeful event.

## Will Conduct Forum At Baptist Student Center 7:30 Tonight

A forum on "Church Beginnings—Baptist, Catholic and Protestant," will be held at the Baptist Student Center, 404 East Eighth street, this evening at 7:30. Rev. J. M. Duncan of Murfreesboro, will lead this forum, to which students and interested townspeople are invited.

Mr. Duncan has the unusual record of having held the same pastorate for 20 years. He is pastor of the Union Creekville and Meherrin Baptist churches, near Murfreesboro. He received his education at Wake Forest college and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky.

Miss Helen Duncan, daughter of Rev. Mr. Duncan, is a member of the East Carolina Baptist Student Union Council.

## Shower Given To Fete Bride-Elect

Miss Bratha Reagan, whose marriage to Roy Carl Abbe will take place December 18, was honoree at a miscellaneous shower given Friday night by Miss Jane Broadwell at her home on Jarvis street.

The living and dining rooms were decorated with arrangements of gladiolus and ferns. The honoree's place was marked with a camellia corsage.

Several games of bingo were played and prizes won by Mrs. Billy Corey and Miss Dorothy Rawles.

Coca-Colas and nuts were served during the game and later lime punch, mints, and wedding bell cakes were served.

Miss Reagan received many lovely and useful gifts.

## Family Night Held At Woman's Club

Many members, their husbands, children and guests enjoyed the delightful music and arts program given by the Greenville Woman's club on Friday night, December 2, under the direction of Mrs. J. L. Fleming, chairman of the Music committee, and Mrs. J. K. Long, chairman of the Art committee.

After an address of welcome by the president, Mrs. R. R. Willman, a short business session was held at which time proposed amendments to the constitution were voted upon and passed.

Miss Gladys Reichard of the music faculty of E. C. T. C., accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Drake, sang "O Holy Night," "The Mystic Star" and "Sweet Little Jesus Boy," which were most joyfully received by everyone. Following her rendition, Miss Reichard led the audience in the singing of Christmas carols from many lands. A brief story of how the carols came to be written was given by the following children: Jimmy Perkins, Jack Clifford, Mary Will Long, Hannah Proctor and Ruth Topping.

The exhibition and description of her collection of madonnas given by Miss Kate Lewis was most interesting. Many were prints of old masters such as The Nativity, by Bernardino Luni, painted in the early 1500's and The Flight into Egypt, by Giotto. Included in the collection was "Adoration" by Lauren Ford, a modern American scene of the Nativity laid in a barn in Connecticut and The Birth of Jesus, by Lee Hung Nien, a modern Chinese.

At the close of the program Mrs. Willmann turned the meeting over to the hostesses: Mrs. H. L. Andrews, chairman, Mrs. C. L. Russ, co-chairman, assisted by Mrs. Alton Barrett, Mrs. Ed Batchelor, Mrs. George Clapp, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. Marie Clark, Mrs. Ed Flanagan, Mrs. Gus Forbes, Mrs. E. B. Ficklen, Mrs. Ralph Garrett, Mrs. J. L. Fleming, Mrs. W. W. Howell, Mrs. C. M. Jones, Mrs. J. G. Lautares, Mrs. W. E. Marshall, Mrs. Owen

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Pactolus Elem. School—2:45-3:00  
Pactolus Post Office—2:15-2:30  
Forbes Service Station—2:40-2:55  
Johnston's Service Sta.—3:00-3:15

## Masonic Notice

Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. & A. M. will hold a stated communication at 7:30 tonight. Supper will be served at 6:30. All Masons are cordially invited. Officers for the coming year will be elected as well as other important matters to be attended to. All members are asked to attend.

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### Farmers Of County To Hold Meet Wednesday

Pitt County farmers will meet in various communities all over the county Wednesday to nominate candidates for Community Committee men and for delegates to the County Convention, to be held here December 15.

Meeting places in the communities for Wednesday are as follows: Ayden A, City Hall in Ayden; Ayden B, City Hall in Ayden; Beaver Dam, Mack Smith's Store; Belvoir, Dupree Bros. Store; Bethel, Town Hall in Bethel; Carolina, School Building in Stokes; Chocod A, Mr. Eater Porter's Store in Simpson; Chocod B, Town Hall in Grimesland; Chocod C, Spencer's Store at Black Jack; Chocod D, L. C. Venters' Store; Falkland, K. R. Wooten's Store at Falkland; Farmville, City Hall in Farmville; Fountain, Town Hall in Fountain; Greenville A, B, C, D, Agricultural Building in Greenville; Pactolus, School Building at Pactolus; Swift Creek A, Quinerly's Store at Quinerly; Swift Creek B, Hugh Stokes' Store; Winterville A, Town Hall in Winterville; Winterville B, Town Hall in Winterville.

### Light Docket In Police Court Friday Morning

In Police Court last Friday, Judge J.W.H. Roberts disposed of the following cases:

Evelean R. Grant, colored, was charged with bigamy. The court did not proceed the case with leave.

Lela Slade, colored, larceny of clothing, was given two years in jail. Judge Roberts suspended sentence and placed her on probation.

John J. Erwin paid \$20 for speeding.

William Herder, charged with being drunk, assault and vulgar and profane language, was not guilty. The prosecuting witness was taxed with court costs for malicious and frivolous prosecution.

Drunk: Charles L. Wittfield Jr., \$15; John I. Henry, colored, called and failed to answer. His bond was forfeited.

I.H. Morris and Pernel G. Wilder, the last named colored, were not guilty of reckless driving.

All the meetings will be held at 7:30 with the exception of the Carolina community meeting. It will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, Highsmith said.

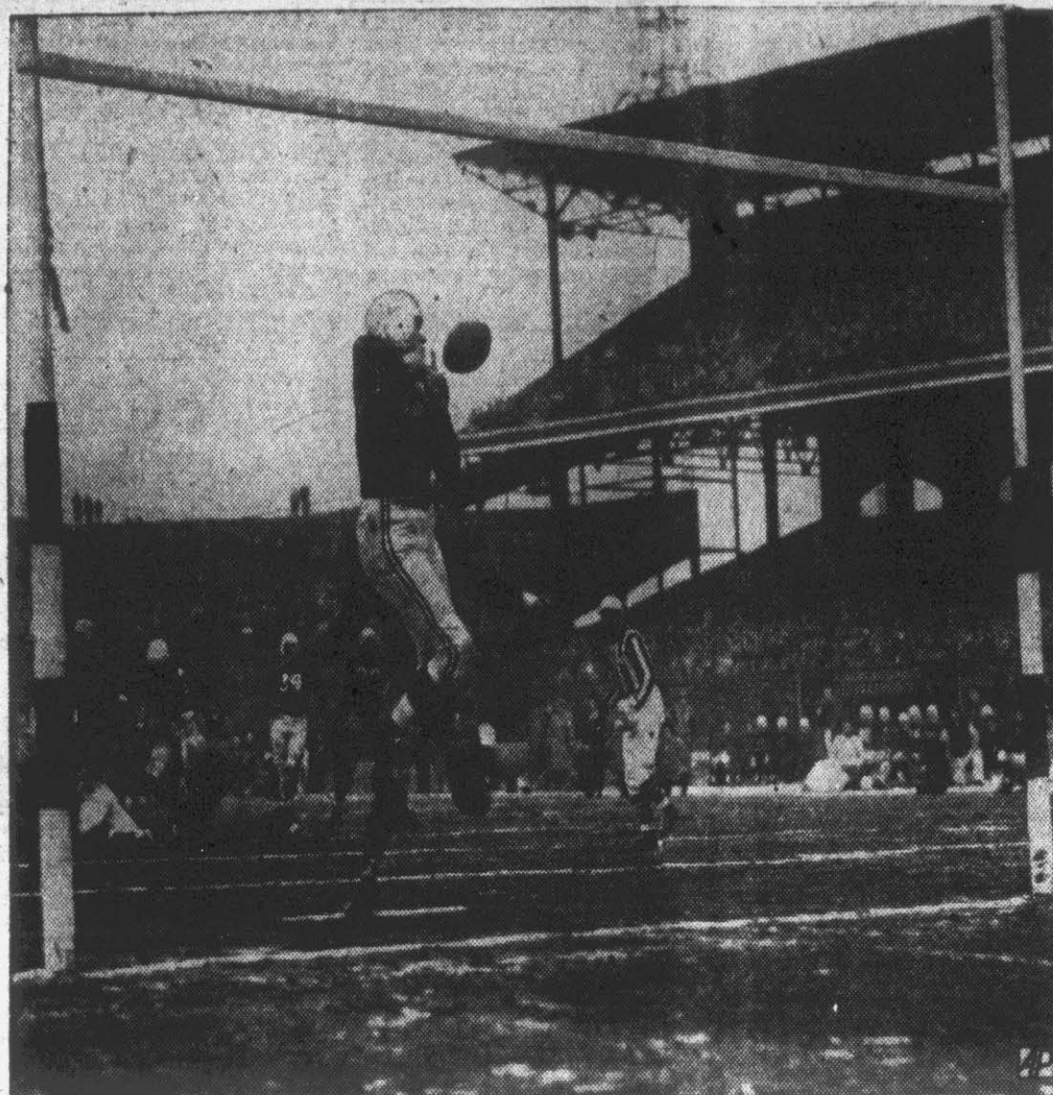
### Normal Autumn Weather Noted

By The Associated Press  
Virtually the entire nation had normal late-autumn weather today.

The only variances were snow flurries in Northern New England, upper and northern lower Michigan and scattered points along Lakes Erie and Ontario. Southern New England and the Northwest Coastal region reported rain.

Generally fair and moderate weather ruled in the south.

Indiana's motto is "The Crossroads of America."



**TOUCHDOWN PASS**—Chicago Cardinals end Mal Kutner leaps into the air to snatch a pass from back Jim Hardy under the goalpost in the game against Green Bay Packers in Chicago.

### Reach Twenty-Year High For Building In November

Baltimore, Dec. 5—(AP)—Southern construction last month was the highest for any November in the past 20 years, the Manufacturers Record reported today.

The trade publication said building in the 16 states below the Mason-Dixon line totaled \$267,566,000 a rise of 30 per cent above the October total and a five per cent increase over the figure for November 1948.

For the first 11 months of this year, the Record reported, monthly construction contract valuations were ahead of any comparable period in the past five years.

November's construction brought the 1949 total to \$2,759,905,000. This is 10 per cent above last year's total for the first 11 months and about 60 per cent greater than the comparable figure for 1947.

The 11-month total includes \$843,701,000 for private building, \$677,108,000 for public building, \$449,117,000 for highway and bridges, \$441,284,000 for industrial construction and \$348,695,000 for heavy engineering projects.

Increases were noted in the total value of contracts for private building, public building, and highway and bridge projects.

Industrial and engineering construction are lagging behind the 1948 pace.

Private building, which is 25 per cent ahead of last year's rate, includes \$548,706,000 for residential construction; \$106,664,000 for assembly buildings such as churches, theaters and auditoriums; \$102,352,000 for buildings and \$83,979,000 for commercial building projects.

### Beaufort ECTC Graduates Form Alumni Chapter

Graduates of East Carolina Teachers College living in Beaufort, North Carolina, have organized a chapter of the college Alumni Association, according to an announcement by Mrs. Ruth Garner, Alumni secretary.

The Beaufort chapter is the third branch of the alumni Association to be formed since September of this year. Graduates living near Littleton and alumni in Washington County organized chapters early in the fall.

At a meeting held last Tuesday members of the Beaufort Chapter chose officers to direct their activities during the coming year. William Sherman the elected president; Mrs. George Linometer, vice president; Gertrude Styron, secretary and Mrs. Jimmie Fodri, treasurer. Virginia Pearl Day of Beaufort was selected as mascot of the chapter.

### Engineer Claims Lightweight Car Now Developed

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 5—(AP)—An aircraft engineer announced today that he had developed a light but nearly standard size about-town automobile that could be sold for \$500 to \$686.

T. P. Hall, formerly chief development engineer for Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp., said the design would permit production without expensive plant tooling. This tooling problem has figured in failure of a number of cheap car projects.

Features include aluminum and plastic sections and a minimum of body curvature. Hall exhibited a model named the "Airway"—a roadster type weighing only 775 pounds and capable of 45 miles an hour with its 10 horsepower, air-cooled aluminum engine.

### Prankster Held Early Unveiling

Independence, Mo., Dec. 5—(AP)—President Truman's home town wants to know who unveiled—prematurely—its new statue of Andrew Jackson.

The statue was presented to Independence by Mr. Truman. It was placed in front of the courthouse, concealed with muslin, to await the official unveiling.

But a prankster evidently got the jump on Independence officials. The muslin was set afire and burned off Friday night, scorching the statue's granite base.

The statue will not be covered again.

**CONTRACT CHAMPION**  
Philadelphia, Dec. 5—(AP)—Sol Seidman of New York City today won the National Open Individual championship at the American Contract Bridge League's 23rd annual winter tournament.

### Guard Unit Now Only Two Shy Of Full Enrollment

The Greenville National Guard unit, which will undergo a federal inspection by Third Army officers here December 15, is just two men shy of its 93-men full strength complement, local guard officials announced today.

The Guard expects to complete its recruiting drive by the end of the week. Special awards for the guardsmen recruiting the most new men are being offered.

The federal inspection will be followed by a battery party, officials reported today. The party will include a chicken dinner and dance in the armory.

### ACTOR'S MOTHER DIES

Salisbury, N. C. Dec. 5—(AP)—Funeral services were held here today for Mrs. Walter Steele Blackmer, 77, mother of Sidney Blackmer, stage, screen and television actor.

### Motorist Fined In Police Court On Two Charges

In Police Court today, Judge J.W.H. Roberts found David A. (Dick) Wiggins, 17-year-old youth, guilty of reckless driving and driving without a driver's license.

Miss Ruth Whitford, driver of a Chocod school bus, testified that Wiggins speeded his car too close to the school bus and then would "screach his brakes" and frighten

the occupants of the school bus. She and another witness further testified that Wiggins passed the school bus on the wrong side.

Judge Roberts fined Wiggins \$25 and costs for driving without a driver's license and gave him sixty days in jail or pay \$18 for careless and reckless driving.

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As I write this article I hold in  
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It is a manuscript sermon of Phi-  
lips Brooks, the great Episcopal  
bishop who thrilled the city of Bos-  
ton with his preaching seventy-five  
years ago.

This sermon is written on the  
text, "And lo, I am with you al-  
ways, even unto the end of the  
world." It is a magnificent setting  
forth of that fundamental Chris-  
tian doctrine that Jesus is a living  
reality in the world today, pre-  
cisely as he was 3000 years ago.  
Phillips Brooks goes into great  
detail to show that we can bring the  
presence and influence of Jesus  
Christ into every situation of mod-  
ern life. There is nothing so over-  
whelming and complicated as to be  
beyond his power to control. There  
is nothing so apparently insignif-  
icant as to be outside the circle of  
his kindness and watchfulness.

Brooks likens Jesus to a great  
Captain who is not content just to  
give his sailors detailed charts of  
the voyage and have them sail ac-  
cording to his instructions. "I am  
going with you in the ship," says  
this Captain. "In every doubt you  
will have me to appeal to. You will  
not only have my commandments,  
you will have me. I myself will sail  
the ship. Lo, I am with you al-  
ways, even unto the end of the  
world."

The Christian message remains  
the same through the centuries.

**WE CAN'T DEPEND ON  
OUTWARD SIGNS**

Congressman Herbert C.  
Bonner has been busily en-  
gaged in reporting to the  
people of the First Congres-  
sional District the findings of  
his congressional committee  
on their recent European  
tour of inspection.

We can draw much satis-  
faction in his glowing ac-  
counts of how much our gov-  
ernment has accomplished in  
the rehabilitation and re-de-  
velopment of western Euro-  
pe since The Destroyer,  
Adolf Hitler, met his ignomi-  
nious end. Too, by American  
positive action—instead of  
words—the forces of Democ-  
racy have withstood the en-  
croachments of Communism,  
and incidentally, saved our  
own necks.

Mr. Bonner, and we feel  
safe in assuming the commit-  
tee of which he is a member  
has a similar belief, is of the  
opinion that the purpose of  
the Marshal Plan has been  
nearly accomplished. The  
lawmakers saw great progress  
in reconstruction and living  
conditions, they saw grati-  
tude among the people they  
visited and were satisfied  
that the job was well  
handled.

As a result of their find-  
ings, the congressmen be-  
lieve that a sharp decrease in  
ECA spending can be accom-  
plished with no harmful ef-  
fects to our friends. We hope  
so. We hope that the coun-  
tries which form the Mar-  
shal Plan group have adjust-  
ed their economies to the ex-  
tent they are self-supporting.

But there is a great differ-  
ence between the outward  
signs of reconstruction and  
the basic question of wheth-  
er or not their economies  
have been sufficiently re-ad-  
justed so they are self-sup-  
porting. It would be difficult  
indeed, to expend billions of

dollars towards the rebuild-  
ing of devastated cities, the  
development of despoiled  
farming areas and the re-  
placement of ruined indus-  
tries without seeing many  
outward signs of improve-  
ment.

Those small, overpopulat-  
ed countries of Western Eu-  
rope depend on a vast  
amount of imported raw  
materials and the exportation  
of finished products to  
survive. To many experts,  
the "flywheel" of that tre-  
mendous economic machine  
has not yet shown sufficient  
evidence of being boosted up  
to the pitch necessary to  
keep that machine going.

ECA expires in 1952.  
There is not much time left  
for the lagging Marshal Plan  
countries to put their houses  
in order. Much remains to be  
done, and to meet the final  
needs it will require more  
cooperation among those na-  
tions than has already been  
exerted. They must not be  
allowed to believe they can  
exist only through American  
charity... that would lead  
to their own destruction;  
nor can we afford to indefi-  
nitely bear the great cost of  
foreign relief.

Lawmakers who remind  
us that American spending  
abroad must soon be reduced  
are entirely correct. On the  
other hand, all that we have  
accomplished could be quick-  
ly wiped out should that fi-  
nancial help be ended too  
soon.

**Crossword Puzzle**

**ACROSS**  
1. Part of a  
backgam-  
mon board  
4. Juniper berries  
8. American  
Indian  
12. Liquor  
13. Bagpipe base  
14. New comb-  
form  
15. Japanese  
skunk  
16. Card game  
17. Loafers  
18. Back of the  
foot  
20. Drinkard  
21. Sheep  
22. Sufficient  
23. Three-toed  
sloths  
24. Complement  
of a bolt  
25. Malignant  
burning  
26. Bring into  
existence

**DOWN**  
1. City in Maine  
2. Mowing  
implement  
3. Fence of  
straw  
5. Final of a  
spire  
6. Demon  
9. Living in  
solitude  
10. Lower part  
of the face  
11. Kind of pigeon  
12. Card game  
14. Talked bom-  
bastically  
15. Black metal-  
lic alloy  
16. High; musical  
instrument  
17. Early stringed  
instrument  
18. Eternity  
19. Exclamation  
20. Idolize  
21. Matter; law  
22. DOWN

**Solution of Saturday's Puzzle**

1. On the side  
away from the  
wind  
2. Set free  
3. Amaze  
4. Rough and  
blunt  
5. Exclamation  
6. Feminine name  
7. Took the  
initiative  
8. Present  
9. Threw lightly  
10. Olden times  
11. Suspicious;  
slang  
12. External  
13. Come on  
the stage  
14. Implied but  
not ex-  
pressed  
15. East Indian  
tree  
16. Anger  
17. One who insists  
on something  
unimportant  
18. Unit of electri-  
cal resistance  
19. Coarser of  
wool fibers  
20. Local repre-  
sentative  
21. Football play  
22. Australian  
bird  
23. Finished  
24. Danish food  
25. Cruciate  
26. Circle of light  
27. To the inside  
28. Medial  
29. Large weight  
30. Epoch  
31. Connected  
water  
32. Buddhist monk

**Facts Of Life**

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DESIRES—

THE  
GIMME  
GROUPS

SAMMY CLAUS  
DOESN'T  
REALLY  
GIVE AWAY  
ANYTHING!  
SOME-  
BODY  
HAS TO  
PAY FOR IT!

YEAH?  
WHO?

UNO  
WHO

REG-MANNING

**Somebody Told Me...**  
By L. J. (JACK) EDWARDS, JR.

A reader of this column ap-  
proached me with the question,  
"Jack, do those things you write  
about actually happen to you?"  
"Certainly," I replied, "what do  
you have in mind?"

The reader remembered several  
columns that he thought had been  
dreamed up. As examples, he asked  
me if Wife Rachel actually went  
on a rummage sale, if my neigh-  
bor, J. D. Wilson, really caught  
me slipping my garbage in his  
can, if Dave Whiard actually  
has drawers with red ants crawl-  
ing on them, and if I actually  
ironed one of W. R.'s dresses.

After assuring the reader that  
all of those columns came from  
actual experiences I told him that  
I can easily understand his suspi-  
cion. In fact, I read a column  
in the Charlotte Observer by Gus  
Travis that often strikes me the  
same way. Many times I have  
considered writing the columnist  
and asking him, strictly on the  
Q. T., if he doesn't stretch things  
a little. It really doesn't seem  
possible, though, because he al-  
ways includes the names of people  
who could disprove the happen-  
ings if they were false. But let  
me give you a few examples of  
things that Gus Travis writes  
columns about, to see how they strike  
you:

Gus' wife's grandmother from  
Florida visits him occasionally.  
The last time she was in Charlotte  
she was watching Gus clean out  
the furnace and he poured a  
stove-pipe full of soot on her—  
accidentally, of course.

Another of Gus' columns em-  
phasizes the fact that food prices  
are still up. Edna, his cook, gave  
him a list to get from the store.  
He returned with only half of the  
items and only a box token left  
in his pocket. It so happened that  
it was Halloween that night, so  
Gus joined his 15-year-old daugh-  
ter for a trick-or-treat mission,  
donned in a sheet.

At the first door his two com-  
rades wanted candy and apples,  
but Gus requested three or four  
slices of country ham, an item that  
he had left off the grocery haul.  
The reply from Mr. Gaines was,  
"Do you realize, sonny, that coun-  
try ham is worth its weight in  
gold?" This is what amazes me  
about Gus' tales. Not only does

he name the people involved but  
he quotes them directly. How he  
gets them to say the right things  
is beyond me.

To finish the tale, Gus finally  
got the ham, but was later dis-  
covered and had to give it back.  
One night Gus cleaned out his  
furnace, wrote his column, and  
was so weary that he decided to  
wait until morning to bathe. But  
the next morning he overslept  
and had to leave on a motorcade  
without the much-needed bath.  
That night he returned late and  
was scheduled to take his wife to  
a wedding, so he still didn't get  
the bath.

On his way home he had bought  
a new tux shirt, the paper kind  
that is thrown away after one  
wearing. Before leaving home a  
friend offered Gus a cigarette, and  
a light. In the process of lighting  
the cigarette his friend also lit  
the paper shirt. Gus yanked the  
shirt off, exposing his soot-covered  
undershirt, chest and arms.

"Ye gods!" Mr. Widener said.  
"The guy hasn't had a bath since  
the waterworks department was  
organized." You see, there's an-  
other example of using the name  
and a direct quotation.

As hard as it is to believe, these  
things must happen to Gus. Maybe  
he thinks up something that  
would make a good column and  
then makes it happen.

Anyway, I'm going to clip out  
this column and send it to Gus  
for his reaction. It might be a  
libel suit in the Mecklenburg  
County Courthouse. I hope not; I  
need a trip to Charlotte like I  
need a hole in my head.

And I thank you.

**Around Capitol Square**  
By LYNN NISBET

**BUILDINGS**—Availability of more  
than a hundred million dollars for  
school buildings—fifty million state  
money and more than fifty millions  
provided by local bond issues—will  
mean a lot of new school houses in  
this state within the next few years.

**YOU DON'T  
NEED  
THESE**

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BILLS BY CHECK**

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instead of sloshing  
through the puddles to  
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ACCOUNT HERE TODAY**

They will be different style buildings  
from the traditional school house.  
Observers have noted the increasing  
trend toward interior functional  
architecture instead of outside ap-  
pearance. Huge white pillars, elabo-  
rate cornices and other "embroid-  
ery" are being left off and the idea  
now is to arrange classrooms for  
convenience and efficiency with re-  
spect to lighting, ventilation and  
accessibility.

**GENERAL**—Similar trend is noted  
by other public buildings. The old  
idea of large rooms with high ceil-  
ings, and ill-arranged windows, is  
giving way to the new concept of  
smaller offices, low ceilings, indirect  
lighting and air-conditioning. There  
will be many arguments about whether  
the new type building is as  
good looking as the old, but practi-  
cally unanimous agreement that  
they are more efficient for func-  
tional purposes.

**SATURDAYS**—State office work-  
ers in Raleigh have just two more  
Saturdays to work before launching  
the experimental five-day 40-hour  
week plan. The offices will be closed  
on Christmas eve as usual, and all  
hands concede there will be very  
little if any work done on New  
Year's eve. Beginning in January  
for a six months trial, work hours  
will be 8:30 to 5:30, Monday through  
Friday with no work on Saturday,  
except in special cases where skele-  
ton staffs will be maintained. This  
raises the question of statutory re-  
quirement for offices of the secre-  
tary of state, state auditor and state  
treasurer to be open every day ex-  
cept Sundays and holidays from  
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Officials  
think there will be no serious ques-  
tion raised, in view of the much  
longer hours for five days, and the  
further fact that for many years the  
law has been ignored with respect  
to Saturday one o'clock closing.

**HOMESICK**—A few months ago  
Mrs. Anne Maley, state director of  
the school lunch room program, got  
homesick for her native Texas, and  
resigned her position and accepted a  
similar one in Texas. Now she is  
back in North Carolina and on the  
same job she has handled so well  
in the past. Mrs. Maley thought she  
was homesick for Texas, but when  
she got away from North Carolina  
she knew she was genuinely home-

sick for Tarheela. There is definite  
suspicion among her associates that  
she will root for Carolina against  
Rice in the Cotton Bowl New Year  
game at Dallas.

**EXPENSIVE**—Governor Kerr  
Scott, who attended the \$100-a-  
table Democratic dinner in New  
York last Friday night, said his near-  
ly as he could figure it that was  
at the rate of about \$27.50 a swallow.  
However, the dinner added some-  
thing like \$200,000 to the national  
party treasury as a starter for the  
1950 campaign.

**Boyle's Column**  
By HAL BOYLE

New York (P)—There ought to  
be a society to prevent the presen-  
tation of neckties as Christmas gifts.  
But there isn't. So again this year  
some 50,000,000 or more wearing  
American males will be showered  
with an unwelcome collection of  
tonsil muffers.

Women insist on giving men ties,  
and they pick them on one of two  
principles:

1. As if they were buying drap-  
eries, or
2. As if they were selecting a lin-  
ing for their husband's coffin.

What can be done about this an-  
nual misery?

Well, the cowardly way out is to  
go ahead and wear the things, slink-  
ing about like a self-conscious ver-  
sion of a marriage between a rain-  
bow and the northern lights.

But there are bolder ways out for  
men who still pride themselves on  
rugged individualism. A simple exit  
for the problem is merely to stuff  
the ties down the nearest incinerator.  
Or bribe the janitor to take them.

These techniques, however, show  
little imagination. A little survey I  
made disclosed several more original  
methods of dealing with this plague.

"I am saving mine up until I  
have enough to hang Santa Claus,"  
one angry gentleman reported.

Another man said he had found  
it easy to cure his wife of giving him  
neckties.

"I just started wearing them with  
my tuxedo," he said. "She didn't talk  
to me for a week (is that bad?) but

**RUSTY RILEY**

TEX, HAVE YOU SEEN  
FLIP? HE CHEWED HIS  
ROPE IN TWO AND GOT  
AWAY!

HE GOT AWAY?—HM—H!  
THAT'S BAD, RUSTY!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN,  
TEX? HE'LL COME BACK.  
HE JUST ISN'T USED TO  
BEING TIED UP.

OH, SURE. THAT ISN'T  
WHAT I MEANT. WOOLLY  
SMITH CALLED UP A  
MINUTE AGO. ANOTHER  
OF HIS SHEEP WAS  
KILLED LAST NIGHT!

I'D NEVER FIGGER FLIP TO BE A  
SHEEP KILLER. BUT GETTIN' LOOSE  
ON THE SAME NIGHT WHEN ONE IS  
KILLED—IF WOOLLY FINDS OUT, IT'S  
GON' TO BE HARD TO CONVINCE  
HIM FLIP DIDN'T DO IT!

**THIMBLE THEATER — Starring Popeye**

**BEGINNING**  
THE WILL  
OF THE WIMPY—  
OR  
YOU CAN'T EAT YOUR  
HAMBURGERS AND HAVE  
A FORTUNE LEFT BY  
AN UNCLE YOU HAVEN'T  
SEEN SINCE YOU  
WERE A CHILD.  
TOO!!

**WHO IS THIS MYSTERIOUS STRANGER?**  
WHEN WILL HE BE BACK??  
WHERE IS HE FROM??  
WHY DID HE ASK FOR  
POPEYE??

ALL I KNOWS  
IS I SAW  
'EM IN A  
DREAM!!

LAST NIGHT I DREAMED  
ME AN WIMPY WAS  
DIGIN' UP A BURIED  
TREASURE. SOME-  
BODY ELSE WAS THERE!!

A MAN WITH A  
QUEER LOOK IN  
HIS EYES!!

EVERY TIME I WHY, THE  
WE TOOKED LOW  
OUT A SHOVEL  
OF DIRT HE  
THREW A SHOVELFUL  
IN!!

I'LL WRING  
HIS NECK!!

**THE PHANTOM**

IT'S CLEAR NOW. THIS PHANTOM  
TOOK OLD TYDOR'S PLACE--

MESSAGE,  
KALI,  
SIRE.

HMM, OLD TYDOR'S RETURNED TO HIS  
PALACE GOOD! THAT MEANS HE'S NOT  
FAR AWAY. HE HAVEN'T ESCAPED  
US YET.

AS SOON AS I DISPOSE OF THIS  
PHANTOM, WE'LL TAKE CARE  
OF THE UNFINISHED  
TYDOR BUSINESS?

SO PRINCE TYDOR IS NEAR BY!  
IF I CAN ONLY FIND OUT  
WHERE THIS ISLAND  
IS AND WHERE  
HE IS.

**BLONDIE — By Chic Young**

**"I Married An Angel!"**

B-RRR-  
IT'S FREEZING  
THIS MORNING

IT'S YOUR  
TURN TO  
CLOSE THE  
WINDOW

IT'S AMAZING HOW  
YOU CAN GET OVER THERE  
AND BACK WITHOUT  
TOUCHING THE FLOOR

**OZARK IKE**

**WILDCATS  
VS.  
SHARKS**  
...AND AS WARM-UP  
FOR THE  
CONFERENCE  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
GAME...

DINAH, US WILDCATS  
KIN SEAT 'EM IF N  
WE STICK TO  
MO LASSES,  
THEIR HIGH-  
SCORIN' PASS  
SNAGGUH!

THEN AH  
BETTUH  
MAKE SURE  
YUH DON'T  
FERGIT AN'  
LET HIM  
SNEAK IN  
BEHIND  
YUH!

(GULP) HOW  
TH FELLUHS  
WILL LOVE  
THIS!

MEANWHILE, IN THE SHARKS'  
LOCKER ROOM...

IT'LL ONLY  
WORK ONCE...  
SO S-A-V-E  
IT UNTIL  
WE REALLY  
NEED A  
TOUCH-  
DOWN!

REMEMBER,  
GANG... OUR  
NEW PLAY  
WHERE  
WE FAKE OZARK  
OUT OF POSITION  
IS CALLED  
NUMBER 77!

she hasn't given me a tie since."

A bachelor of my acquaintance,  
on the other hand, stoutly insists he  
wouldn't give up the pleasure of  
Christmas neckties for anything.

"I use the drab ones to line my  
closets," he said, "and I frame the  
bright ones and hang them up as  
pictures. You should see them—  
nudes, landscapes, hunting scenes.  
You have no idea what fine art is  
put on those ties."

Another fellow weaves them into  
skipping ropes for his daughters. One  
father I know saves the cheaper ties  
and uses them to dye eggs for his  
kids at Easter.

And a television fan suggested:  
"I get so tired of seeing those flick-  
ering tweed herringbone lines on  
my set I hang Christmas ties in front  
of my TV screen just to change the  
pattern."

An older friend said that for years  
he had found the most satisfactory  
system for getting rid of unwanted  
ties was to leave them with the  
neighborhood fish market.

"Then my wife came home with

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HIS NECK!!

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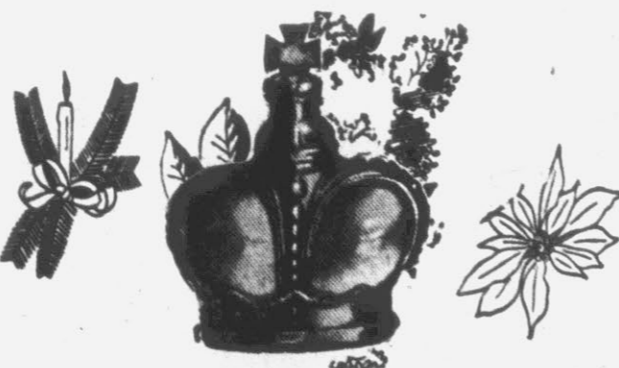
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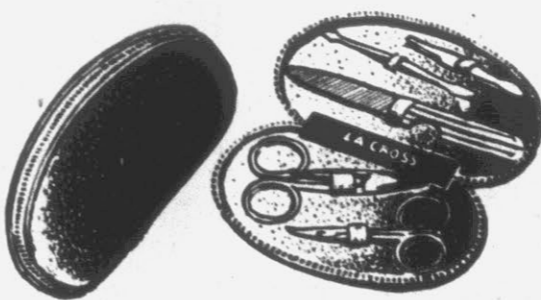
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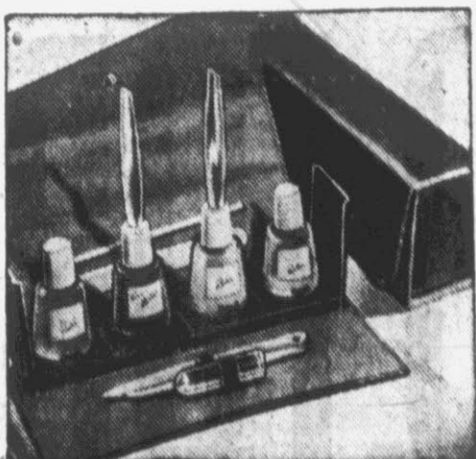
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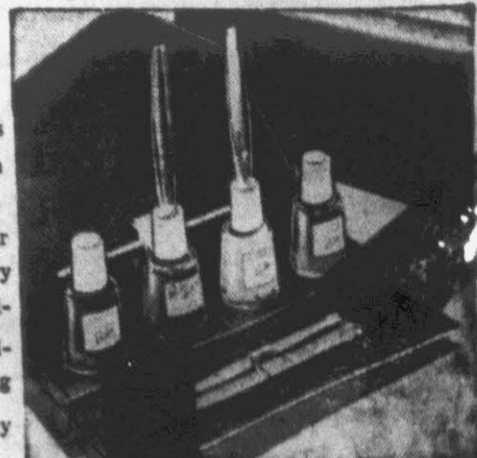
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Compact, clever and complete, this popular-priced kit contains Revlon Lastron nail enamel, Adheron, Cuticle Remover, Velvety Non-Smear Remover, nylon pusher, emery boards and orangewood stick. Easily packable, a choice of white saddle-grained leatherette with flag blue rayon faille lining or grey suedine lined in red.

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# Health Board Says 17946 Lives Saved In Last Year

Raleigh, Dec. 5—(AP)—The State Board of Health says there are 17,946 persons alive in North Carolina who would have died last year if the death rate for 1920 still prevailed.

Of this number, 5,403 are infants and 882 are mothers who gave birth last year.

Most of the lives were saved, the board said in releasing the figures yesterday, through preventive medicine, although curative medicine played a big role.

The board said "There are in North Carolina today 17,946 persons who would have died last year if the crude death rate and the death rates from certain specified diseases which prevailed in 1920 had continued."

North Carolina's infant death rate in 1920 was 84.9 per 1,000 live births and there were 6,809 deaths among babies under one year old. In 1948 there were 3,577 such deaths. There would have been 9,240 infant deaths if the 1920 ratio had held true.

The maternal death rate in 1920 was 10 per 1,000 live births. If the 1920 rate had continued, there would have been 1,088 maternal deaths last year instead of 206.

Other figures presented by the Board on the number now living would have died last year under the 1920 death rate:

Tuberculosis, 2,593; typhoid and paratyphoid fever, 465; whooping cough, 479; diphtheria, 413; dysentery, 461; malaria, 306; influenza, 4,219; pellagra, 430; and pneumonia, 2,590.

About 30 pounds of stainless steel is used for trim, scuff plates, grilles and other parts of the average modern automobile, experts say.

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# Winston Churchill Celebrates 75th Birthday



Winston Churchill (left), Great Britain's wartime prime minister, celebrates his 75th birthday anniversary in London with the help of Danish royalty and his successor in office. Washing him well at a birthday luncheon at Queen Astrid of Denmark, Prime Minister Clement Attlee (second from right) who defeated Churchill in election after the war, and King Frederick of Denmark (right). Later Churchill presided at a family birthday dinner. (AP Wirephoto via radio from London).

# U.S. Asks China To Stop Attacks

Washington, Dec. 3—(AP)—The United States has asked the Chinese Nationalist government to stop

any further attacks on American vessels passing through the blockaded area of the China coast.

The State Department made public the text of a strong American protest against the shelling of the Sir John Franklin in the Yangtze River approaches on Nov. 28.

In a wolf's tracks, the two rear tracks of each group of four foot-prints are made by the forefeet, and the two tracks in front are made by the hind feet.

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# Small Boy Takes Back His Apology

Philadelphia, Dec. 5—(AP)—The small boy and the telephone operator had a slight misunderstanding.

She couldn't catch the number he wanted and asked him to repeat it several times. Finally, he exploded: "You operators are so dumb."

The operator cut him off.

Fifteen minutes later, a woman's voice inquired if this was the operator who had cut her nine-year-old son off of the line. The operator replied it was and the woman said "Just a minute, please."

"My mother wants me to apologize to you for what I said," declared the small boy.

The operator accepted his apology and connected him with the number he had been trying to get.

Final scene a half hour later—the small boy and the operator on the phone again. The small boy speaks: "My mother just went out of the house. I still think you're dumb."

# Spent 60 Hours Trapped In Tub; Finally Rescued

Council Bluffs, Ia., Dec. 5—(AP)—Mrs. Marie Turnquist was sure today that her prayers had been answered.

Recapping the 60 hours she spent imprisoned in a tiny bathtub 36 inches long, 19 inches deep and 19 inches wide, she explained: "I just kept praying to get out. I said 'Lord, why don't you answer? You have always answered my prayers before.'"

It wasn't long before neighbors became aroused when she didn't answer the telephone. They broke into the house and rescued her.

Mrs. Turnquist said she was staying at the home of a friend, who was a midget. The home is widely known for its miniature furnishings.

Goldenrod, bane of hayfever victims, can be made to yield a sweet oil that imparts a licorice flavor to candy and chewing gum.

The state flower of Florida is the orange blossom.

# Grass Lot Fire; Call Said House

The Greenville Fire Department was called to 1314 Myrtle Avenue yesterday afternoon about 2:10 when a grass lot caught fire. The firemen received a telephone call which stated "that the whole side of a house was on fire" and to send up the fire trucks but when the firemen arrived they found that only a lot was on fire. The grass fire was put out by the booster truck.

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# Production Credit Stockholders Meet Here December 7

According to an announcement made by F. L. Little Jr., secretary-treasurer of the Greenville Production Credit Association, the stockholders of this association plan to have their annual meeting in the Municipal Auditorium here Wednesday, December 7, at 10 a.m.

This is the sixteenth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Greenville Production Credit Association. Two directors will be elected, financial reports will be presented and other business will be transacted at this meeting.

A large number of farmers is expected to attend this meeting.

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# Graham Is Named To Peace Panel

Lake Success, Dec. 5—(AP)—Five Americans have been named to a

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**ASSISTANTS TO SANTA** — William P. Dwyer, founder of the Kansas City Santa Claus Club, which renovates toys for distribution to poor children, looks on while 22-month-old Bobby Bergnes, son of a club worker, tests a rebuilt horse.

# Dr. Lewis Gray New Associate With Drs. Irons

Dr. Fred C. Irons and Dr. Malene Irons of Greenville announced today that Dr. Lewis Gray, a native of Huntington, West Virginia, has come to Greenville to be associated with the Drs. Irons in their medical practice.

Dr. Gray attended Marshall College at Huntington and was graduated from the Medical College of Virginia at Richmond. He interned at Charity Hospital in New Orleans and later served as a navy medical officer in the Pacific theatre during World War II.

After returning from service, Dr. Gray did graduate work in pediatrics at Charity Hospital, and just prior to his coming to Greenville he completed a post graduate course in pediatrics at the Medical College hospital in Richmond.

Dr. Gray married the former Miss Roberta Shaw of Beaufort. Dr. and Mrs. Gray and their son and daughter are making their home for the present at Quinery Manor in Greenville.

# Admits Hammer Slaying Of Girl

Evansville, Ind., Dec. 5—(AP)—A 22-year-old law student yesterday confessed the hammer-slaying of his Evansville high-school sweetheart who he said had entreated: "Let's die in each other's arms."

The body of pretty 16-year-old Mary Ellen Harmon, five months pregnant, was found beneath leaves and bushes in a deep sinkhole near Hopkinsville, Ky.

Franklin Thomas Slay of Griffin, Ind., a student at Florida State College, made a written statement to Evansville police and then drew a map showing where the body was found.

Evansville authorities went to Hopkinsville and were joined by Kentucky state police. The map was so accurate that searchers went directly to the spot where the body of the girl had lain since her head was split open on the afternoon of Nov. 26.

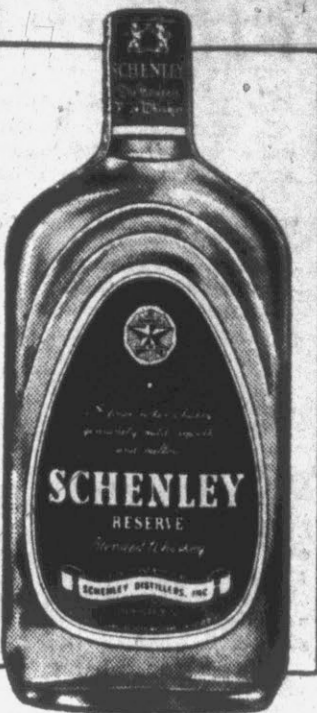
Deer are an important item in the wolf's diet.

William O'Dwyer is New York's hundredth mayor since 1665. The American Museum of Natural History, New York, houses the largest study collection of birds in the world, numbering 750,000 specimens.

There are about 27 different kinds of stainless steel in common use. Big gray wolves once used to follow the buffalo herds.

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United Nations "peacemakers panel" to serve as conciliators in any future conflicts that threaten to spread war. Senator Frank P. Graham (D-NC), a member of the U.N. commission on Indonesia, is one of them.

Each U.N. member nation will name up to five representatives on the panel. From the list of panel members, the U.N. Secretary General will pick future conciliation and inquiry commissions to settle international disputes.

The United States was the first to name her conciliators. Besides Senator Graham they are:

Dr. Phillip C. Jessup, U.S. ambassador-at-large who started the negotiations that lifted the Berlin blockade last summer.

Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, who directed the Israeli-Arab armistice talks as U.N. mediator after Count Folke Bernadotte was assassinated last year.

Mark F. Ethridge, publisher of the Louisville Courier - Journal, who served on U.N. Balkans and Indonesian commissions.

H. Merle Mochran, a State Department career official with the rank of ambassador. He served on the U.N. Indonesian commission.

# Fire Trucks Called To Many Grass Fires

The Greenville Fire Department was called to a grass fire in the Fleming Crossroads section Saturday afternoon, when grass under a truck caught fire. Firemen reported that there was no damage.

During the past week the fire department has been called to numerous grass fires in the city. Those planning to have a lot burned off should first contact the fire department, so that they may send a small truck to the scene to stand and make sure that the fire does not get out of control.

In the late summer, the striped skunk eats many grasshoppers and crickets.

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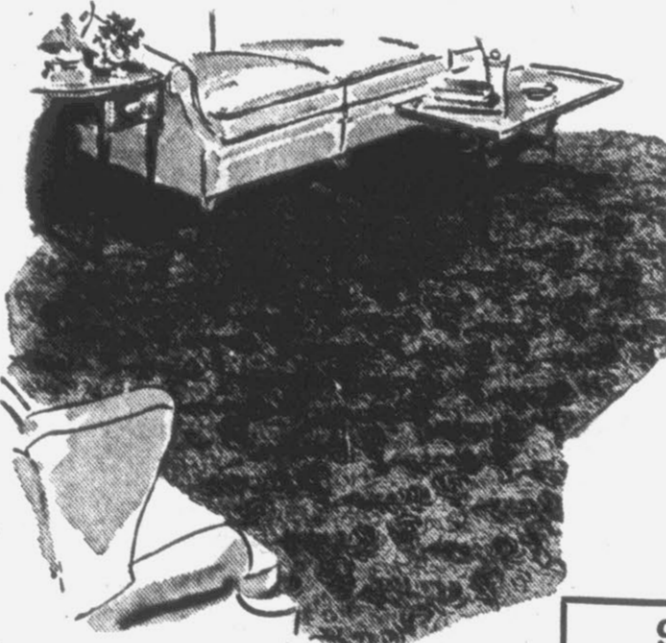
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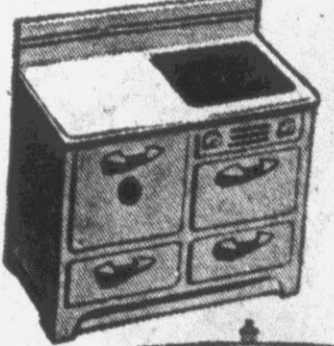
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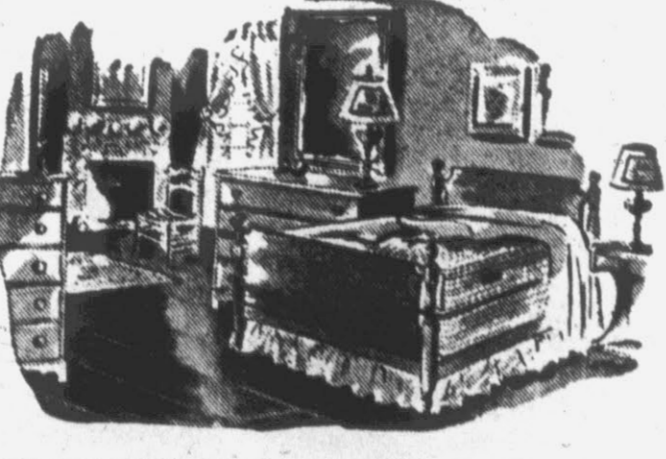
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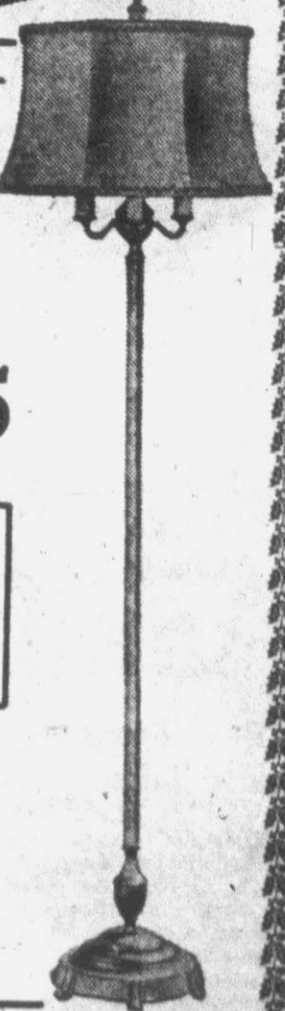
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# Pirates Out To Avenge Only Setback Of Season Tonight

Seeking to avenge its only loss thus far of the season the East Carolina Teachers College basketball team will play host to the hot Camp Lejeune Marines here tonight.

In their initial encounter the Marines stopped the Buccaneers 61-57 to snap an early two-game winning streak. Since then the Bucs have bowled over Guilford College in the fast North State Conference.

Camp Lejeune met its superior last Saturday when Villanova's freshman team walloped the Marines 77-41.

Tonight's game with the Leathernecks will mark the first appearance of Coach Howard Porter's Pirates before the home folks. They

began their schedule with a four-game road trip.

Tonight's game is expected to attract an overflow crowd to East Carolina's Wright auditorium when basketball enthusiasts and student supporters converge on the gymnasium for a first look at the 1949-50 edition.

The team, tagged to be good for 60 points on the home court, will boast the services of one of the most outstanding forwards in last year's North State Conference and who is expected to be one of the leading candidates for all-conference honors this year. He is six foot, seven inch Jack Everton, one of two seniors playing with the Buccaneers.

Another of last year's standouts, Lou Collins, who won all-tournament honors at Elkin as a freshman forward, will be seen in action tonight along with three-year letterman Len Bauer, a ball hawking guard.

Sonny Russell, regarded locally as one of the most promising freshmen to don the purple and gold of East Carolina, will make his first appearance before a Greenville audience tonight.

The game will be one of two scheduled here this week. The Bucs entertain the Wilson Teachers of Washington, D.C., here Saturday night.

# Take It From Leahy, His Team Has A Dark Future

Dallas, Dec. 5 — (AP) — Notre Dame's gridiron champions are on the way home boasting the greatest four-year record in Fighting Irish history—but take it from Coach Frank Leahy, they accomplished it in the nick of time.

Next year, laments that rugged individualist among pessimists, his team can't hope to be half as strong as the 1949 outfit which he called "the greatest team I ever coached."

From this year's great team—ranked No. 1 in the nation and called national champion of collegiate football—Leahy loses nine and one-half starters. And from the remainder of his first string squad 10 more depart.

That one-half starter comes about in this manner: Bob Lilly and Fred Wallner divided time at one guard position. Lilly is through but Wallner has another year.

Notre Dame is swept clean of All-Americans. Giant Leon Hart, that peerless wingman; Jim Martin, that tremendous tackle; and Emil (Six-Yard) Sitko, that blasting fullback, now belong to Fighting Irish gridiron history.

Others lost from the starting team are end Bill Wightkin, tackle Ralph McGeehee, guard Frank John-

son, center Walt Grothaus and backs Francis Spaniel and Larry Coutre.

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# Sport Slants By Pap

**TRUCK IN ACTION**  
The Greenville Fire Department's rescue truck was called into action again Saturday afternoon about 1:00 when a Negro man, known as Frank Worthington, was taken ill in a barber shop on Atlantic avenue. The man was taken to the Pitt General hospital.

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# Conference May Act On Athletic Merger Tuesday

High Point, N.C., Dec. 5—(AP)—The North State Conference may act on a proposed athletic merger with four of South Carolina's smaller colleges at its winter meeting here tomorrow.

A proposed merger of the nine teams in the North State Conference, with Wofford, Erskine, Presbyterian and Newberry of South Carolina came up last spring. No official action could be taken then because of a provision in the North State constitution.

Since then representatives of the two groups have met and drawn up a new constitution which has been submitted to the schools involved.

The conference also will elect officers for the coming year. Dr. E. G. Purdom of Guilford College now is the president.

Art Byrd, little All-America guard from Western North Carolina Teachers College, will receive the conference award as the most outstanding player. Wallace Wade of Duke, Southern Conference coach of the year, will address the presentation banquet.

# Dodger Hopeful Is Tops At Bat

New York, Dec. 5—(AP)—Bob Morgan, Brooklyn's bright infield hopeful, today officially was crowned the international baseball league batting champion for 1949.

The 23-year old Montreal shortstop, who is figured to make the shift to third base for the parent Dodgers, next spring, finished the season with a .337 mark.

# State Basketball Tempo Increases

By the ASSOCIATED PRESS  
North Carolina State's defending champion Wolfpack runs into Davidson and North Carolina faces Virginia Tech tonight as basketball action in the Southern Conference increases its tempo.

The Wolfpack, victorious in its only start to date, entertains the Wildcats at Raleigh, State started its season last week by spanking Washington and Lee's Generals, 67-47.

North Carolina, likewise, has a conference victory to its credit. The Tar Heels downed the University of Richmond Spiders Saturday night, 58-50. They meet the Gobblers at Blacksburg, Va.

In other games tonight, Maryland travels to Tennessee and the Quantico Marines invade George Washington for non-circuit clashes.

Virginia Tech, after suffering three straight defeats outside the loop, surprised Maryland Saturday night, 63-57. Washington and Lee overcame Wake Forest, 61-54. The Hanes Hosiers five edged Duke's Blue Devils, 53-52, and Georgia thrashed Clemson by 59-40.

# Ike Williams To Defend Title Against Dawson

Philadelphia, Dec. 5—(AP)—Ike Williams, with everything to lose and very little to gain, defends his lightweight boxing championship tonight in a 15-rounder with Chicago's Freddy Dawson.

Williams is risking his crown against a guy he already has licked twice in non-title engagements and for a share of the cheapest priced title fight in recent years. Top price for the Phil Glassman sponsored bout is \$5.50. Some 10,000 fans are expected at Convention Hall for the 10 p.m. (EST) bell.

In previous matches between the two contestants, Williams knocked out Dawson in four and won a disputed 10 round decision. Dawson earned a draw in an earlier 10 rounder.

# Greenville Elks Hold Memorial Service Sunday

Greenville Elks Lodge No 1645, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, held memorial exercises in honor of deceased members of the lodge Sunday afternoon. Exalted Ruler Charles E. Blair presided.

Judge J.W.H. Roberts of City Recorder's Court delivered the memorial address in tribute to the memory of deceased Elks. They are Charles F. Manning, who died last September 21; and A. L. (Roy) Barrett, Norman O. Warren, J. B. Lane Jr., John Flanagan, Jack Netherland, L. B. Garris, Dall Laughinghouse Sr. and C. B. Rowlette Jr.

It is the custom of Elks lodges all over the country to hold memorial services for their departed members on the first Sunday in December each year.

The Greenville Elks Lodge, organized about seven years ago, has more than 200 members.

**OLD ITALIAN GUN**  
—Allan Anderson holds an 18th century Italian Bombard flintlock at the exhibition in Harding Museum, Chicago, illustrating the evolution of firearms.

# Saturday Scores For Basketball

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- Appalachian 79 Kannapolis YMCA 45
- Lenoir-Rhyne 61 Wofford 63
- Georgia 59 Clemson 40
- Guilford 83 Eller's Blue Jacket (N. Wilkesboro) 43
- Yale 73 Rutgers 60
- Temple 66 Vanderbilt 35
- CCNY 76 Lafayette 44
- Cornell 72 Gettysburg 54
- Long Island 72 Puerto Rico San Germans 38
- Villanova 83 New York AC 83
- Mississippi 61 Birmingham Southern 46
- Florida 63 Miss. State 46
- Hanes Hosier 53 Duke 52
- Tennessee 69 Tenn. Tech 62
- American Univ 62 Brooklyn Poly 41
- Virginia 61 Randolph-Macon 63
- Washington & Lee 61 Wake Forest 54
- Kentucky 84 Indiana Central 61
- Louisville 69 Kentucky Wesleyan 44, first game
- Louisville 57 Georgetown (Ky.) 47, second game
- North Carolina 58 Richmond 50
- Virginia Tech 63 Maryland 57
- Georgia Tech 84 Chattanooga 39

# Ragazzo Named Scoring Champ

Richmond, Va., Dec. 5—(AP)—Vito Ragazzo of William and Mary is the 1949 individual football scoring champion of the Southern Conference.

Ragazzo, who made all of his points by taking touchdown passes, crossed the goal line 15 times for a total of 90 points. Second best was Al Dugoff, George Washington fullback, who tallied 66.

# Farley Believes Phantoms Are Better; Play Opener Tuesday

Greenville high school, boasting a higher scoring potentiate than last season, will swing into its non-conference basketball schedule tomorrow night when Coach Bo Farley and his Green Phantom aggregation journey to Rocky Mount for a game with the Class AA Black Birds.

"You can't tell too much from our inter-squad scrimmages but it looks like we'll have a higher scoring team than last year," the gray-thatched Greenville high mentor said today on the eve of the Phantoms' opener.

The Phantoms captured third place in the Northeastern Class A conference last year and played some Class AA high school teams some ball games.

Rocky Mount, the team Greenville plays tomorrow was one of the AA teams the Phantoms threw a scare into last season in non-conference games. The Black Birds edged the Phantoms by four points.

Coach Farley's hopes of a higher

scoring outfit are backed by a host of varsity newcomers who last year sparked the Greenville Jayvees to a seasonally successful season. They lost but one game, defeating a number of Class AA Jayvee teams and suffering their lone loss by a slim margin to a AA Junior varsity.

At least three of last year's Juniors will probably start with the varsity against Rocky Mount Tuesday, Coach Farley said today.

Sid Briley, one of the sparkplugs of the Greenville JV's last season, will get the starting role at center for the Phantoms tomorrow night. At six feet, he is the tallest man on the Greenville squad.

Jim Dillingham and Virginius Haynes, both of whom were outstanding on last year's history making Junior Varsity, will probably start at forward positions for Coach Farley. The forwards will be bolstered by Bobby Fyfe, a letterman.

The Phantoms' guard positions will be handled by three capable ball players, one of them another member of last year's Jayvees. He is Johnny Aman who may be a starter tomorrow. Lettermen guards are Jimmy Cox and Joe Sawyer.

Three consecutive games are on the card for the Phantoms this

week. They play their opening home game here Wednesday night against Wilson and play at Wilson on Thursday.

**BEER SALE VOTE**  
Smithfield, N. C., Dec. 5—(AP)—Smithfield will vote tomorrow on the question of re-legislating beer sales. Legal beer sales here ended Nov. 19 following a county-wide vote against the beverage, along with wine, on Sept. 19.

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## Short of Murder

By Tom T. Ness

Chapter 14

Why, it was less than an hour before that he had heard of The Eighth Gable for the first time! And not since his arrival in Plymouth—no since last night, in fact, when he had jotted down Virginia Lambert's name—had the notebook been out of his pocket.

The newsman turned over the fragment.

"Well, I'll be!" he murmured, staring at the word "Blacksmith" and, under the letters, the numerals 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0.

He recalled that on the previous night, Myron Scott, looking for poster on which to write Daniel's code word, had found the scrap on the spinet in the room of the antique shop.

The paper was pulpy, yellow with age, triangular in shape, and had been torn from the upper-right corner of the fly page of an old book, unmistakably. The words "Eighth Gable" appeared at the top of the strip, the letter E bleeding off the torn edge; and several inches lower there was written the word horn, but this word, with the letter h also bleeding off the paper, might have been the last syllable of a word. Time had faded the pristine hue of the writing fluid.

Agitated, Hackett rose from his chair, then sat down again. He'd wager his last dollar that the segment of paper had been torn accidentally from the fly page of "Fanshawe," and the words on it were part of an autograph by the same hand which long ago had written the immortal tale, "The House of the Seven Gables." He'd also wager that at one time or another, prior to the murder of Eben Daniels, the

write magazine articles. At present I'm interested in the subject of country estates. I understand there's a fine one called The Eighth Gable, a mile or two out of Plymouth.

"Sure—Franklin Sayre's place, only it's not what you might call a fine estate—just fair to middlin'—no high iron fence round it."

"Where did it get its name?"

Stockham shook his moon-like head. "I don't know. Funny, come to think of it, it ain't got any gables, nary a one."

"Sayre one of your customers?" asked Hackett negatively.

The garageman nodded his head emphatically. "One of my best."

"I might interview him. Yes, I think I shall. How does one get to The Eighth Gable?"

"Well, I'll tell you—And Stockham, his buttocks against the front fender, proceeded to do so.

Egged on by the newsman's adroit questioning, the garage proprietor presented him a rough sketch of Franklin Sayre posed against a background of local tradition. Completing the mental picture himself, Hackett visioned an austere, ascetic recluse, the sole male survivor of the locally illustrious line of Sayres, whose hobby was horticulture and whose pastime was books.

The garrulous garageman went on to say that Franklin Sayre was unmarried, lived alone at The Eighth Gable, "excepting" the servants, of course, and his niece Florence Sayre who's not to home much of the time, these days." Stockham added that the master of the old manse, though not engaged actively in any business, was heavily interested in a local glove manufacturing plant that reputedly had suffered a great loss of capital during the pre-war depression.

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The Community club will meet at the home of Mrs. Hattie Shields, 804 Imperial street, Monday night, December 5, at 8 o'clock. All members are asked to be present.

Disciples Dollar club will meet at the home of Cora Belle Stephenson, W. 14th street, tomorrow night at 8:30. All members are urged to be present.

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## Favors Federal Protective Law

Washington, Dec. 5 — (AP) — Rep. Chelf (D-Ky) wants the Federal Bureau of Investigation to be given a part in protection of children from sex crimes.

Horried by what he called "ever-increasing" crimes of this nature, Chelf announced yesterday that he will try to make it a federal offense to molest a child sexually. He also proposed setting penalties of from ten years to death.

The Kentuckian, a member of the House Judiciary Committee, said he believed such action would be as effective at curbing degenerates who prey on children as the

Lindbergh anti-kidnap law has been in controlling kidnaping.

Noting that it may be necessary to amend the Constitution to place such crimes under FBI jurisdiction, Chelf said he would propose such an amendment if that is needed.

The congressman said in a statement that he has been shocked to read "horrible accounts of the ever-increasing brutal slayings of this nation's children."

"Apparently," he continued, "the state laws are insufficient to cope with this great menace to society."

He proposed penalties of 10 to 20 years where an attacked child survives, and penalties of imprisonment, if the child is slain. He also would bar the defense of insanity to persons accused of attacks on children, but allow mental treatment of those convicted and sent to prison.

## Jenkins Announces College Catalogue Is Available Soon

Dean Leo W. Jenkins of East Carolina Teachers College has announced that the catalog for the 1950-1951 school year has gone to press and will be available in the near future. Dean Jenkins has acted as editor of the new catalog, and in the work has been assisted by directors of departments of instruction and others at the College.

Several additions to the curricula offered at East Carolina will be outlined for the first time in the 1950-1951 catalog. Among these are work leading to a major in distributive education, a new curriculum in special education, and a master's degree in physical education. In addition, various changes in individual courses will be described in the new catalog.

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Betty: "But wouldn't temperatures change a little in between times when the furnace isn't going?"

Ann: "No, 'cause a Lennox works most all the time, gives you constant temperature. It doesn't vary more than a teeny fraction of a degree!"

Betty: "Sakes alive! Wait'll Frank gets home! No supper for him till he calls the Lennox dealer!"

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### Girl Scout News

The past few weeks have been full of exciting things for the Scouts. Now that Halloween, Thanksgiving, and all the parades are over, you will have time to prepare for the most thrilling time of all, Christmas. All the troops seem to be very busy making gifts and plans for the parties that are a part of this season.

We saw a letter that came to the office for the Senior troop No. 12 this morning. I am sure you will be interested to know that it was from the U.S. Naval Hospital at Camp Lejeune thanking them for the favors they made for Thanksgiving. The troop spent two meetings making pine cones into very real looking turkeys to brighten the dinner tables, refreshment table,

and bedside tables of patients" in the hospital. Mrs. Taylor, the local Red Cross executive secretary, was responsible for packing and mailing the favors. We are sure the troop will greatly appreciate the nice note of thanks they have received.

We shall be looking in on some of the activities that will keep you both happy and busy the next few weeks.

Scoutingly,  
Susie Scout and Katie Kamper

### Over \$9 Millions In Kent Estate

Los Angeles, Dec. 5—(AP)—A water Kent, Philanthropist and radio manufacturer, left an estate valued at \$9,130,971.11, the executors say in their first accounting submitted to Superior court.

The executors said yesterday that they now hold \$4,004,921.07 in cash, \$5,116,153.94 in stocks and bonds and \$9,896.10 in sundry assets.

### Lots Of Damage By 'Free' Wheel

The left rear wheel of a truck-trailer rolled down the Farmville highway this morning and struck a passing car with resultant damage estimated at around \$300.

State Highway Patrolman Paul G. Whitley said the freak accident occurred some seven miles from Greenville. The car was operated by Alynus B. Campbell, of Wilmington. The truck, property of the Sanford Brick and Tile Company, was driven by Levi C. Hipp, of Sanford.



### MUNITIONS HEAD

—Hubert E. Howard (above), 60, former Chicago industrialist, was named by President Truman as Munitions Board chairman of the Department of Defense.

### Arthur Conan . . .

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shoulder. He said that was a spirit picture of a dead son who had been killed in the first World War.

Sir Arthur told me he personally bought the plate on which that picture was taken. He said he himself put it in the camera and, after a friend had snapped it, Sir Arthur himself removed the plate and developed it. No other hand had touched it before the print was made. With tears in his eyes he exclaimed:

"How can anyone look at that picture and not believe?"

Conan Doyle knew Harry Houdini very well. He told me that the late magician performed his amazing feats through Spiritualism. He said Houdini was able to dematerialize himself (take on spirit form) and that it was in this manner he escaped from locked steel trunks and from prison cells.

After Sir Arthur died I became acquainted with Lady Conan Doyle, his charming wife, who also was a firm believer in Spiritualism. She told me that she was receiving spirit messages from her husband.

One time she told me Sir Arthur had warned the family in a spirit message that there was a defect in the machinery of a racing car owned by one of the sons. She said the message was correct and that the boy might have lost his life if he had driven the car without repair.

### To Make Picture On Paul Robeson

Moscow, Dec. 5—(AP)—The Soviet Union is going to make a motion picture about Paul Robeson.

An official announcement said the scenario is being written by Anatole Surov, author of the currently popular play, "The Mad Haberdasher," which satirizes President Truman.

### Grifton Woman Died Kinston Hospital

Ayden—Mrs. Annie P. Fleming, 81, of Grifton, widow of Heber Fleming, died in a Kinston hospital Sunday after a long illness. She was the daughter of the late E. E. and Mae Powell of Pitt County and an active member of the St. Johns Episcopal Church near Grifton.

Funeral services will be conducted from St. Johns Episcopal Church Tuesday at 11 a.m. by Rector Jack Roundtree of Kinston, and burial will be in the church cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Wilbur of Grifton and Harry C. Fleming of Washington, D. C.; two daughters, Mrs. K. E. Price and Lucy Fleming of Grifton; a half-sister, Mrs. D. H. Conley, Greenville; 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

### DIED OF HEART ATTACK

A message was received at the Daily Reflector office today that Mrs. Theresa Smith Anderson, 75, died of a heart attack at her home on Myrtle Avenue at 2:30 a.m. today. Funeral arrangements had not been made, it was stated.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. W. L. Greene Jr. of Greenville; three sons, James Sidney Allen of near Greenville and John Kirby and Joe Jenkins Allen, both of State College; five grandchildren;

### James Allen Died Veterans Hospital Richmond Yesterday

Mr. James Allen, 56, a well-known farmer of the Red Oak community, died at McGuire's Veterans Hospital in Richmond, Va., Sunday at 10:40 a.m. following two weeks' critical illness.

Funeral services will be held at the Red Oak Christian Church, near Greenville, Tuesday at 2 p.m. by the pastor, Rev. Harold Tyre. Burial will be in the Allen family cemetery, near the home.

The body will be taken to the church one hour prior to the time of services.

Honorary pallbearers will be members of the Layman's League of Red Oak Christian Church and Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion.

Mr. Allen, son of the late John Thomas and Minnie Stocks Allen, was born, reared and spent his entire life in the Red Oak community. He was a veteran of World War I and was stationed overseas in Germany and France. He was married to Lucy Gray Jenkins of near Greenville in 1920. He was a farmer and a member of the Red Oak Christian Church. He was also a member of Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion.

### Hog Market

Raleigh, Dec. 5—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady to slightly stronger. Tops at \$15.50 at Kinston; \$15.25 at Tarboro; \$15 at Rocky Mount; Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro and Washington; \$15.75 at Richmond.

### Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Dec. 5—(AP)—(NCDA)—Fryers and broilers steady to slightly weaker at 27 to mostly 29; eggs weaker, A large 50.

### N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 5—(AP)—Quiet prevailed today in the stock market which rested after reaching an average 13-month high point. An active early morning attempt to extend last week's rally faded away within a short time, and the entire list turned in a mixed performance.

A great portion of the irregularity was ascribed to profit-taking among issues which had a substantial following on the upside during the advance last week.

### N. Y. Cotton

New York, Dec. 5—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 20 to 50 cents a bale higher today.

Noon prices were 20 to 70 cents a bale higher than the previous close. Dec. 30.28, March 30.28 and May 30.18.

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### FHA Clarifies Policy Ruling

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—The FHA says the new anti-discrimination policy on government financing of homes will not bar a property owner from picking the tenant he wants.

Nor will it attempt to control the owner in selecting a buyer if he chooses to sell the property.

The new rule is expected to go into effect in about 60 days. It will ban federal home mortgage guarantees where written restrictive covenants are placed on record after the effective date.

### Squadron Virginia Planes Stop Over At Local Airfield

A squadron of 24 planes from Patrick Henry Airfield, near Newport News, Va., with about 50 men and women aboard, landed at the Greenville airfield Sunday about 11 a.m. to spend a few hours in Greenville. The Virginians breakfasted at Respass Brothers' barbecue stand, on the Bethel highway, near the airfield.

The air tourists were impressed by the facilities at the airfield and pleased at the reception accorded them by Greenville people. A spokesman for the group said they plan to make another mass flight to Greenville in the near future.

Tommy Sellers, head of Greenville Aviation, Inc., operator of the local airfield, said the fliers made the trip here without mishap.

### Pitt Law . . .

beries.

which led officers in the Grimesland and Grifton areas to be alerted for an attempted ABC store robbery.

Williams said Ellison and Smith, who are being held by the Pitt County officers, probably will be charged with breaking and entering and larceny of an automobile and whiskey in Washington County, and that Ellison also will be charged with larceny of an automobile from Beaufort County and breaking and entering and attempted larceny of whiskey in Pitt County.

The officers were questioning Smith and Ellison today and said the investigation will be continued.

### Scientific . . .

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\$42,000,000 . . . this goes into research for public health, including cancer, heart disease, infantile paralysis.

General Services administration, \$31,000,000 . . . This includes building laboratories for other agencies.

National advisory committee on aviation, \$70,000,000 . . . This committee is made up of civilians and military men. Almost all of this work is being done in government laboratories.

Tennessee Valley authority, \$24,000,000 . . . This includes development of fertilizer.

Agriculture department, \$55,000,000 . . . This goes into government experiment stations all over the country, livestock, crops.

Commerce department, \$19,000,000 This includes the national bureau of standards and the weather bureau, better air navigation systems.

National defense, \$750,000,000 . . . This includes research on weapons by Army, Navy, Air Force.

Interior department, \$46,000,000 This includes geological surveys in search for minerals.

All others, including maritime commission, state department, reconstruction finance operation, veterans administration, \$23,000,000 . . . This ranges from development of cultural relations with other countries, particularly Latin America, to synthetic rubber and the making of artificial limbs for veterans.

About \$425,000,000 of the money is being spent in non-government laboratories, going to Universities and industry for various purposes.

Federal research in colleges and Universities is costing about \$100,000,000.

Tuesday — Wednesday

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