

Claim Majority Of Crew Willing To Run Blockade

Only One Man To Leave Flying Arrow As It Prepares Shanghai Trip

Hong Kong, Jan. 2—(AP)—A spokesman for the Isbrandtsen line in Hong Kong said today a majority of the crew of the freighter Flying Arrow agreed to take the ship into blockaded Shanghai.

Only one man, an engineer, is expected to leave the ship, the spokesman said. He said all others are "indignant over false reports that the crew would not take the Flying Arrow into Shanghai."

The Flying Arrow's National Maritime Union ship delegate, Paul Joseph, said it was true that not one man on board was anxious to run the Chinese Nationalist blockade into the Communist port.

(In Taipei, Formosa, a Nationalist navy official said today the mining of coastal waters has been completed "with considerable effectiveness.")

(He said the nationalists sent a "bigger force" to watch the mouth of the Yangtze river off Shanghai for blockade runners. He warned that foreign vessels proceeded at "great risk" if they did not heed national warnings of the mining and blockade.)

Neither the United States nor England recognize the blockade officially although the U. S. State Department has warned American ships that the waters off Shanghai are dangerous. Ship captains have been advised by the State Department they may lose their license if they take their ships into Shanghai.

Joseph said "we are members of the National Maritime Union and will not break our contract or shipping articles by refusing to carry out our agreement."

A majority of the crew said they would like to sign off the ship in Hong Kong if they could do so legally.

The crew was to meet tonight to consider the statement of Joseph Curran, N.M.U. President in New York, that they had a right to be paid off and given passage home.

"A representative of the Isbrandtsen line said the company was trying to maintain the old open door policy of commerce with China.

Five officers of the ship sent reassuring cables to their families in the United States saying news reports were being held on ship at gunpoint or by force were false.

Hirohito Offers Bit Of Poetry On Missing Men

Tokyo, Jan. 2—(AP)—Emperor Hirohito, whose poetry and books on shells and marine life are sensations here, gave forth today with another bit of poetry.

It deals with the fate of 376,000 Japanese prisoners of war still in Russian hands.

Translated freely, it went something like this: "With the nation, I wait, my heart in pain For those for whom we wait in vain. Let's welcome back those who have come home After suffering so long on alien loam."

Disinherited Son Seeks Share

Los Angeles, Jan. 2—(AP)—William S. Hart Jr. goes into court tomorrow to bid for a share of the \$1,000,000 estate of his late father, the famed western film star of yesterday.

Young Hart, 27, was disinherited in his father's will. Most of the estate, including a ranch, went to Los Angeles County.

Lawmakers Returning Peace And Quiet Of Congressional Recess Is About To Be Shattered Again As Senators And Representatives Stream Back For Opening Tomorrow; The Work

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Jan. 2—(AP)—That noise you hear, starting tomorrow is Congress.

The blood-pressure of the regular Washington inhabitants has been down to normal for about two months or so.

Those were the months in which Congress, taking a recess here, had come back to buzz the home folks.

But Congress, the Senators and representatives, were streaming back here today.

And tomorrow at noon it will open its final session before next fall's elections pick a new Congress for 1951.

Then, meaning tomorrow, the wheels start grinding again, the orators cut loose, and Washington is kept jumping.

Lady Sheriff And The Mayor



Mayor James M. Curley of Boston (third from left) who has weathered many more serious situations in his long political career, seemed downright flustered when all his bodyguards were unable to block Deputy Sheriff Margaret C. Long, who sought to serve him with a restraining order against issuance of permits for two drive-in theaters. She failed in this attempt but served the papers later. The other men in the picture are unidentified. (AP Wirephoto).

Pitt To Boast Finest Medical Center In East N. C. Says Carr

Pitt County will have one of the best medical centers in eastern North Carolina when the new Pitt County Memorial hospital is completed this summer, according to a statement Saturday by C. Stuart Carr, chairman of the hospital board of trustees.

Carr in an interview with a Reflector representative asserted, "The Pitt Memorial hospital will be by far the best medical center of eastern North Carolina. It will be the largest single unit east of Raleigh with the exception of the James Walker Memorial hospital in Wilmington, and it will undoubtedly be the most modern."

The board chairman said construction work on the \$1,400,000 structure is progressing on schedule, and that the board members have been told by the contractor and the architect that the hospital building should be completed by early June. "We plan to carry out our opening date of July 1," Carr said.

The spokesman for the hospital trustees said in addition to giving

Pitt county one of the best physical plants for medical work in eastern North Carolina, the new hospital definitely will bring several new doctors into the county to establish practices. Carr said a number of doctors have indicated they are interested in coming to Pitt county where they may use the hospital facilities, and several have inquired for information about the hospital organization through the board of trustees.

Workmen today began completing the installation of piping fixtures on the first floor, and other workmen soon will begin petitioning of the rooms of each floor. Carr said the petitioning will take approximately one week for each floor of the hospital, and follow the petitioning the tile floors will be laid and the walls plastered.

Workmen from the Otis Elevator company are due here January 15. Carr said, to install the two 9x8 foot elevators in the hospital.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the hospital Friday, Carr appointed a committee to investigate

the possibilities of obtaining a paved road leading to the hospital from the intersection of the Ayden-Farmville highways. Carr pointed out that such a road would make it easier for traffic from the Farmville, Winterville, Ayden and Grifton sections of the county to get to the hospital, and added, "We feel like prospects of obtaining the road are good."

Twenty-foot drives already have been laid out on the hospital site and are being prepared for paving.

Deeper Bite For That Pay Check

Washington, Jan. 2—(AP)—Pay checks from now on will show a little deeper bite in the deduction for federal old age benefits.

With the beginning of the New Year the social security tax for old age and survivors' insurance jumped from 1 per cent to 1-1/2 per cent on the first \$3,000 annual pay for about 39,000,000 workers.

The matching contribution of employers jumped likewise. The increase amounts to \$15 a year on each worker on his first \$3,000 of income and the same amount from his employer.

Further increases are in sight. A House-passed bill awaiting action in the Senate would raise the taxable income maximum from \$3,000 to \$3,600.

Should that bill be finally enacted, additional workers would be included in the coverage and benefits would be increased. Also the payroll taxes would go up in subsequent years.

Blonde Beauty Is Honeymooning

Santa Barbara, Calif., Jan. 2—Marilyn Maxwell, blonde screen lovely, is honeymooning today with Anders McIntyre, Beverly Hills Cafe operator.

The 27-year-old actress and McIntyre, 31, were wed yesterday in a cottage of the Santa Barbara Biltmore. A Presbyterian minister performed the rites.

Safe Across China Border

Safe across the border in Indo-China, near Chimor, this smiling Chinese mother watches her baby take nourishment at the end of their flight before Communist armies. They are part of a group of 700 women and 400 children who fled their homes in China rather than remain under Red rule. (AP Wirephoto).

Sen. Byrd Seeks To Brake Quick Excise Tax Cut

Washington, Jan. 2—(AP)—Senator Byrd (D-Va.) sought today to slap the brakes on the expected drive in Congress for a quick cut in excise taxes.

The Virginian, a leader of the Capitol Hill economy forces, said he would like to see a reduction of the wartime excises—levies on such items as telephone bills, transportation tickets, furs, jewelry, luggage and cosmetics. He added that a decision ought to be put off until well into the new session of Congress which begins tomorrow.

Byrd told reporters it would be a mistake to pare excise before there is a clear picture of how high government spending will run for the fiscal year starting next July 1. That picture probably won't be available for at least four or five months.

President Truman reportedly plans to ask Congress to cut some excise taxes, then increase levies in some other fields in an effort to help ease a federal deficit expected to total around \$5,500,000,000 for the years ending June 30.

The president, it is understood, will sketch his tax views in only general terms in the state of the union message which he will deliver Wednesday. The detailed tax program is expected in a special message later.

Many Congress members are eager to get started on an excise tax cut, but there is virtually no real support for a tax increase of any kind.

There is a good possibility of a Senate showdown on excises in the first days of the session when a bill to repeal federal taxes on oleomargarine will be up for action. Rider amendments to reduce excise levies are regarded as certain to be offered to the House, also measure.

Byrd said the Senate would be wise to refuse to act on the excise issue at that time.

"It is much more important," he added, "that we find out first about what can be done to balance the budget."

Half-Day School Sessions Today At City Schools

Greenville city schools opened today on a half-day schedule for the first school day since December 16 when the Christmas holidays began.

Superintendent J. H. Rose said the full school day will be resumed tomorrow.

Students at the high school completed 70 school days before the Christmas holidays. Principal O. E. Dowd said, and have 110 more school days to complete before summer vacations.

"We had fewer transfers this year than ever before," Dowd said. The high school had three new students to enter classes this morning and five students transferred during the Christmas holidays.

Cars Collide On Pactolus Road

One driver was charged with careless and reckless driving and passing at an intersection, as the result of a two-car accident at an intersection on the Pactolus road.

A car driven by Seth B. Cherry, Route 1, Washington, ran into a car being operated by Betty Magill, 1045 Pine View Avenue, Goldsboro, as she attempted to make a right turn.

Cherry was tried in Police Court this morning and found not guilty of passing at an intersection.

Paul C. Whitley, investigating officer, made the arrests.

Truman Reaffirms Policy On Formosa

President Truman is reported standing pat against any use of American troops to try to block communists from the island of Formosa.

It is understood, however, that such a decision would not preclude continued economic help and political support, as well as advisory assistance, to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek in his fight against expected communist attempts to take over the island stronghold of the Chinese nationalists.

Mr. Truman's reaffirmation of his stand against the use of American troops in Formosa is said to have been made during a meeting of the national security council Thursday. Mr. Truman presided over the meeting at the White House.

Responsible informants said the council made no change in the American attitude toward Formosa despite many demands from members of Congress that the United States should in effect place the island under the protection of American forces.

There were rumors that some congressmen had proposed that the president seek a deal with Chiang whereby Americans would take over air bases on the island in exchange

for limited U. S. military aid. Formosa has a number of first class airfields which were taken over from the Japanese. Military experts say planes from these fields could destroy Clark air force base in the Philippines as the Japanese did in 1941. Formosa based aircraft could bomb U. S. air installations on Okinawa.

A report from Tokyo today said that General MacArthur and his top military planners believe the U. S. should make every practicable effort to prevent the Chinese communists from capturing Formosa.

However, the report did not say MacArthur has even talked about direct involvement of American forces.

The administration opposition to the use of troops is understood to be based on two points. One is the State Department argument that such action could be criticized in the Far East as an imperialist gesture and thus would cost the nation greatly in influence.

The other point is that the joint chiefs of staff have ruled that Formosa is not of sufficient strategic importance to warrant the use of American forces in holding it although it is important enough to try to save by other means.

Townfolk Back Country Doctor

Candia, N.H., Jan. 2—(AP)—A country doctor charged with murder in the mercy killing of a pain-racked cancer patient held a vote of confidence from most of his townfolk today as he awaited grand jury action.

Support for Dr. Hermann N. Sander, 40, came from Protestant clergymen, fellow physicians and neighbors in this small town.

Dr. Sander is charged specifically with injecting 10 cubic centimeters of air into the veins of Mrs. Abbie Borroto 59, as she lay near death from cancer. Hospital records show, officials said, that four such doses were injected in succession.

The doctor is free under \$25,000 bond awaiting deliberation of the case tomorrow by the Hillsboro County grand jury.

A statement signed by 608 of this town's 650 registered voters expressed "continued faith in the integrity" of the doctor and praised him as "devoted to the highest interests of human welfare at all times."

Presented the document by neighbors at the doorway of his home, Dr. Sander was moved visibly and said in a voice barely above a whisper: "Thank you. Thank you from the bottom of my heart."

The New Hampshire Academy of General Practice also gave the accused doctor its support.

The president of the Academy, Dr. George Brown of Concord, said after a board meeting: "We reaffirmed our confidence in Dr. Sander."

The arrest of Dr. Sander last Thursday resulted from his own signed medical records at Hillsboro County General Hospital.

Nation Fails To Meet Expected Highway Toll

By the Associated Press
The nation apparently took too heart advice that caution and care would be rewarded in the new year.

Americans made 1949 farewell and said hello to 1950 by dodging the violence which was expected to take an estimated 330 lives in traffic slaughter alone.

The extended New Year holiday was not without tragedy—death still reigned on the highway and fire and violence took a wicked toll. But the holiday weekend moved to a close with accidental deaths running considerably lower than predicted.

The National Safety Council, whose figures usually are an accurate forecast, forecast 330 persons would die between 6 p.m. Friday and midnight Monday (local time) in traffic mishaps. The council set no figure for other deaths.

As the last day of this New Year's observance progressed the number of traffic deaths reached 203 and it seemed unlikely that the final figure would approach 330. Fire claimed 40 lives, and 65 died in miscellaneous accidents. Total dead from all accidents were 308.

During last week's three-day Christmas holiday, the council said 431 would die in traffic tragedies. The toll, based on an Associated Press survey came to 413, with 187 dying in other accidents.

In last year's two-day New Year celebration, there were 309 violent deaths, 207 attributed to traffic accidents.

Finns Preparing Prompt Reply To Russian Charge

Accusation Of Harboring War Criminals Regarded Extremely Serious

Helsinki, Finland, Jan. 2—(AP)—Finland prepared a prompt answer today to Kremlin charges that this country is harboring more than 300 Russian war criminals in violation of the Soviet-Finnish peace treaty. It is abundantly clear here that the government regards the charges with the utmost gravity.

A government committee began a study of the Soviet note containing the accusations, which arrived in Helsinki last night. The Finnish reply is expected quickly, perhaps tomorrow, or even later today.

There are several factors which cause political quarters to regard the new Soviet thrust as extremely serious. In the first place, this time the charges are made directly by the Soviet Foreign Ministry to the Finnish minister in Moscow, not in the press as so often in the past.

In the second place, Finland has a presidential election coming up, probably next month, and there are those who believe the Russian action is aimed at influencing the voting. And in the third place, the Russian minister to Finland, Georgiy Savonokov, is expected to turn here tomorrow after a stay in Moscow.

The Soviet accusations include one that the Finnish government itself was furnishing the alleged Russian war criminals with names and documents.

It seems clear that whatever is made will contain a denial of the present government ever such a thing. But, there was a ruling shortly after the war was said military authorities had a Russian deserter fake document to help them get out of the country. The point the Finnish reply probably will make is that this government did not do such a thing, that it was done under a previous regime.

Shortly after the Finnish people heard news of the Soviet charges, President Juho Paasikivi told them in a New Year's message: "There must be no enemies of the Soviet Union in Finland, only friends."

Paasikivi did not refer to the Russian accusation, but in view of the Soviet charge his remarks took on unusual significance.

Finland desires "good and friendly" relations with our neighbors, and especially with our eastern neighbor, Paasikivi said. He added that the "main principle of our foreign policy is to observe agreements entered into."

Claim Soldiers Took Long Ride At Point Of Gun

Columbia, S.C., Jan. 2—(AP)—Two soldiers believed to be from nearby Fort Jackson were sought here today after forcing two Kannapolis, N.C., youths to drive them to Columbia at gun point.

William White and Ray McLenore told Detective Sgt. G. L. Lackey that the soldiers entered their automobile about two miles from Kannapolis at 9 p.m. last night, robbed them of \$6, and then forced them to drive to Columbia.

The soldiers, after threatening to shoot the youths if they moved, abandoned the automobile near the Columbia hospital when it ran out of gasoline, Lackey said the boys told him.

Wishing Hard Enough

Concerted Thinking, By Masses Of People May Bring Results Towards Adjusting East-West Differences; Can't Be One-Sided; Chances Nil As Reds Gain

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Director General Trygve Lie of the United Nations believes the time has come for East and West to get down to cases and try to settle their differences.

"If we have not made much progress during 1949 toward settling or adjusting the basic conflict that has delayed peace and hampered the United Nations since the end of the war," says Lie in his year-end statement, "we have at least moved forward to a point where the world has a right to hope for a step-by-step resumption of real negotiation between both sides."

It's hard to think of any finer idea with which to start our new year. Remember how, when we were youngsters, we used to believe that if we wished hard enough our wishes would come true? If we can't quite bring ourselves to believe that now, still we do know this: Concerted thinking by masses of people may bring results.

The director general doesn't offer any concrete plan for the step-by-step negotiations. He just puts forward the general idea, like the preacher whose business it is to preach against sin.

Lie says the Mexican resolution unanimously approved by the General Assembly in Paris in 1948 continues to represent the wish of the peace organization. This calls for the great powers to renew their efforts for peace. ... His idea appears to be to get any sort of settlement as a starting point for further progress.

Well, we can't go wrong if we always try for peace. But what real chance is there of reaching a settlement between the Communist and the democratic bloc?

This column still believes what it has said before: The chances of peace would seem to be nil so long as Moscow believes it is making progress in its world revolution for the spread of Communism.

After all, put yourself in the position of Moscow and say whether you would quit while you were meeting with success in the vast and important Asiatic theatre.

However, while the Communists have been doing well in the Orient, their drive in Europe not only has

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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 2388-6 A. M. to Room; 1 to 4:30 P. M.

Mrs. L. P. Hall and Miss Glenn Hall of Portsmouth, Va., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitehurst.

Miss Mary Andrews Whichard has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Whichard.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Gripp and little daughter, who have been spending the holidays with Mrs. Ruth Whichard, returned to Sioux City, Iowa today.

I. H. Bowles left Saturday for Lexington, Ky., where he will be on the tobacco market.

Miss Edith Bowles returned to Norfolk Sunday to resume her teaching in South Norfolk high school.

Ensign and Mrs. W. W. Lee, Jr., left this morning for Boston, where Ensign Lee is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hagler of Rocky Mount, Va., spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Hagler's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper L. Stanley.

Miss Lavina Prather of Charlotte, N. C., spent the week-end with Miss Prather's sister, Mrs. Jasper Stanley.

Miss Betsy Nobles returned to Sarasota, Fla., yesterday after spending the holidays here with her father, Mr. W. L. Nobles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Spell and children have returned to their home in Arlington, Va., after spending the holidays with Mrs. Spell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stroud.

Card of Thanks
I wish to thank all of those whom I have contacted during the past year for your splendid cooperation and I most heartily thank you for the kind words you gave the Daily Reflector and its management. May Heaven's blessings rest with all during 1950.

St. Raphael's P. T. A.
St. Raphael's P. T. A. will meet Wednesday evening, January 4 at 8 p. m. at the school. Dr. Fuller, of East Carolina Teachers College, will speak about relationships between parent and child. All mothers and fathers are cordially invited to be present.

Sans Souci Club Meeting Postponed
The meeting of the Sans Souci Book Club scheduled to meet tomorrow with Mrs. W. H. Dall, has been postponed until Tuesday, January 10.

Card of Appreciation
The family of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Skinner wishes to thank the friends for all kindnesses shown and for the sympathy expressed in their recent bereavement.

Announcement
Dr. Frederick P. Brooks and Dr. Davis Lee Moore announce their association in the practice of medicine.

Their present separate offices will be maintained until their new offices at 525 Evans street are completed.

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40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR January 4, 1910

The new year started off with a beautiful day.

The tobacco market will begin sales again on Tuesday.

The freeze has cut the water off in so many places that Greenville is almost a dry town sure enough.

Van Station went to Bethel and returned Friday.

Miss Lucy Brown, who has been visiting Miss Mary James, returned to her home in Greenville, Tenn., Friday.

Key Brown returned Thursday evening from Baltimore where he has been confined in a hospital for the past few weeks.

H. S. Ragdale left Friday evening for Maysville, Ky., where he will be engaged in tobacco business for some time.

Christian Science Service "God" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, January 1. Golden text: Psalms 77:13. "Who is so great a God as our God?"

Among the citations comprising the lesson-sermon were the following from the Bible: "No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father, he hath declared him." (John 1:18). And from the Christian Science Textbook by Mary Baker Eddy: "Father, Eternal Life, the one Mind, the divine Principle, commonly called God." Page 586.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.

7:00 p. m.—Lions Club.

7:30 p. m.—Girls' Auxiliary of the F. W. B. church meets with Miss Louise Gurganus, Ridge-way street.

8:00 p. m.—Circles 1 and 10 of W. S. C. S. of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

8:00 p. m.—Joint meeting of Wesleyan Service Guild circles of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church.

8:00 p. m.—Young Matrons of Eighth Street Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. James Keel.

TUESDAY

3:00 p. m.—The Lector club will meet with Mrs. Charles Flanagan.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. C. A. Bowen will be hostess to the Chatham Book club.

3:30 p. m.—The Ladies of the Round Table meet with Mrs. Charles Horne.

3:30 p. m.—Mrs. Dale Gidley will entertain the Cosmos Book club.

3:40 p. m.—Mrs. Wyatt Brown will be hostess to the Inter Se club.

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

8:00 p. m.—Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church meets in the parish house.

WEDNESDAY

1:00 p. m.—Mrs. E. B. Aycock will entertain the Thalian club at the Country Club.

3:30 p. m.—W. C. T. U. meets at the home of Mrs. J. N. Williams.

8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's club meets at the club house.

8:00 p. m.—St. Raphael's P. T. A. will meet. Dr. Fuller, guest speaker.

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.

6:45 p. m.—Exchange Club.

Tea Given To Compliment Miss Sammon

Hopkinsville, Ky.—On Monday afternoon from four to six o'clock Miss Mary Huggins entertained at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward Bogard on East Ninth Street, with Christmas tea honoring Miss Margaret Sammon, librarian at Bethel Womens College.

The guests were invited into the living room, which was festive with decorations of miniature silvered Christmas trees and lovely poinsettias. The mantel was banked with magnolia leaves.

The tea table was especially attractive with an embroidered linen cloth and beautiful center arrangement of red roses in a silver bowl, flanked by silver candlesticks holding red candles.

Mrs. E. B. Major, sister of the hostess, poured tea. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Eugene Turner, Mrs. Richard Freeman and Mrs. Bryan Foster.

Bookmobile Schedule

For Wednesday
Garris' Store on No. 11—9:30-9:45
Littlefield—10:00-10:15
Grifton Pharmacy—10:30-10:45
Grifton School—11:00-12:30
Quinners—1:30-1:45
St. Johns—2:00-2:15
Coxville—2:30-2:45
Gardnersville—3:00-3:15

Czech President Claims Victory Against Church

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Czechoslovakia's Communist President Klement Gottwald said in a New Year's Day message his government had won its fight with the Roman Catholic Church.

He charged that the fight was started by the nation's Catholic bishops, with foreign support, to overthrow the present regime.

All attempts by "hostile foreign capitalist countries" to sabotage the regime have been beaten down, Gottwald said.

He declared the bitter church-state struggle had been settled when the government put the clergy on the government payroll, making it possible "for them to devote themselves exclusively to their religious duties."

Although Gottwald said the government's fight with the church was over, Czech clisshops only a few weeks ago still proclaimed their defiance of the church-control laws which the president claims brought about the settlement.

Buffet Supper Christmas Party Given To Honor Mrs. Lee

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moore and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Skinner honored Ensign and Mrs. W. W. Lee, Jr., at a buffet supper on Saturday evening at the Lipscomb home on West Fourth street.

Guests were received at 7:30 o'clock in rooms festive with Christmas decorations.

The table in the dining room was spread with a beautiful lace cloth and centered with candelabra holding red candles and evergreenes filled with red carnations and narcissi.

Mrs. Moore and Mrs. W. W. Lee, Sr., were seated at the table to serve a delectable supper in two courses.

Punch was served by Miss Mary Leah Thorne, of Farmville, and Larry James, Jr.

Whites' Stores Christmas Party

By CHESTER WALSH

S. T. White, president of Whites' Stores, Inc., owners of stores in six Eastern Carolina cities, was host at a Christmas party last Friday night to the more than 70 employees of the Kinston store and numerous friends at his home, 130 East Seventh Street.

The home, attractively decorated and illuminated for the Yuletide celebration, was a brilliant scene where company officials, special guests and the employees mingled in "good neighbor" fellowship for several hours.

June H. Rose was master of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. White greeted the guests.

Mrs. F. B. Haar presided at the coffee table. William A. White and Mrs. Helen White Hawes presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Charles A. White and Mrs. F. J. Forbes presided at the buffet table.

Whites Stores, Inc., was established in Greenville in 1896 and the business has steadily expanded. Members of the firm are S. T. White, president, Mrs. Helen White Hawes, William H. White and Charles A. White.

Prizes were awarded winners in various contests and games. A singularly interesting feature of the Whites' Christmas party was the "democratic and cordial spirit prevailing among the store officials and the employees."

It was announced that some of the employees have been with the company more than a quarter of a century. Mrs. J. C. Paige, personnel manager, has been there continuously since 1923; Mrs. Clifton Stokes most of the time since 1924; Mrs. Leslie Humbles most of the time since 1925; Mrs. Pattie Clark and Mrs. George Wingate regularly since 1931. Many others of the more than 70 employees have been with Whites' Stores, Inc., for years. The company has an unusual record for "a small turnover in its employees."

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OLDTIMERS GET TOGETHER — Reginald Denny, Claire Windsor (left) and Mae Murray join movie stars of yesteryear who met in Hollywood to celebrate the anniversary of "The Man," the movie capital's first feature picture which Cecil B. DeMille said he started in 1913.

Daily Blinks Add Up To Big Total

New York—(AP)—Each time you blink, your vision is cut off for three-tenths of a second. All your daily blinks add up to a lot of no-seeing during a day. Since a short period of readjustment is needed after each blink, psychologists figure that you go about more or less unseeing for 11 to 20 per cent of your waking day, the Bette Vision Institute reports.

between a wink and a blink, besides intent. In a wink, the upper and lower lids share the job about equally, meeting over the pupil. But in a blink, most of the work is done by the upper lid, with the two lids meeting about at the base of the iris.

Mummers Delay Colorful Event

Philadelphia, Jan. 2—(AP)—Rain and cloudy skies today forced postponement of the traditional Philadelphia Mummers parade. Parade officials, at a last minute conference, decided to hold the gayly costumed march next Saturday in hopes of better weather. The 7,000 marchers, many carrying their string band instruments, were already to begin strutting up Broad Street when word of the postponement was received.

Marshall Plans 10,000 Mile Tour

Pinehurst, N. C., Dec. 31—General George C. Marshall celebrated his 67th birthday today "somewhere in South Carolina" with Mrs. Marshall, his residence here reported. The former secretary of state and army chief of staff during World War II is preparing for a 10,000 mile tour of the country in connection with the annual American Red Cross fund of which he is president.

Deeds Filed

John O'Geary to James J. Mills and wife, \$100.
Rossie M. Manning and wife to Guy Sutton, \$10.
J. T. Martin and wife to Robert L. Martin, \$10.
J. O. Pollard als. executors to W. C. Holston and wife, \$10.
Southern States Tobacco Co., Inc., to C. C. Harris, al, \$10.
R. L. Worthington to J. Alton Hill and wife, \$10.
J. W. Hutchens to Allen Fleming and wife, \$10.
Emily T. Monk et al to Herbert Moore and wife, \$10.
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Gracie Tyson to William Lee Tyson, als, \$10.
Ella McKay Galloway to Larry Nelson, \$10.
W. S. Thompson and wife to Charles O'H. Little and wife, \$10.
J. E. Dixon and wife to Richard E. Grimes, al, \$10.
Life Ins. Co. of Georgia to Franklin D. Richards, \$10.
Dennis I. Harris, al, to D. L. Turnage, \$10.
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John Moore, al, to Linnie Moore, \$10.
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Linnie Moore, al, to Mark Owens, \$10.
John Moore, al, to Charlie James, \$10.
James Robert Hodges, al, to Grover M. Hodges, \$10.
Farmville Oil & Fertilizer Co., al, to The F. S. Royster Guano Co., \$1,000.
Town of Ayden to R. L. Johnson, \$170.
C. M. Moore, al, to Jasper Leather, \$10.
Cliff Noble, al, to Joe Ormond and wife, \$10.
Fred Edwards and wife to Gentry S. Porter, al, \$10.

Farmer Is Jailed After Gun Fight

Sutton, W. Va., Jan. 2—(AP)—Farmer Otha Carder, 40, was in jail here today facing charges of felonious assault and malicious wounding as the result of a gun battle in which his 72-year-old mother was killed.

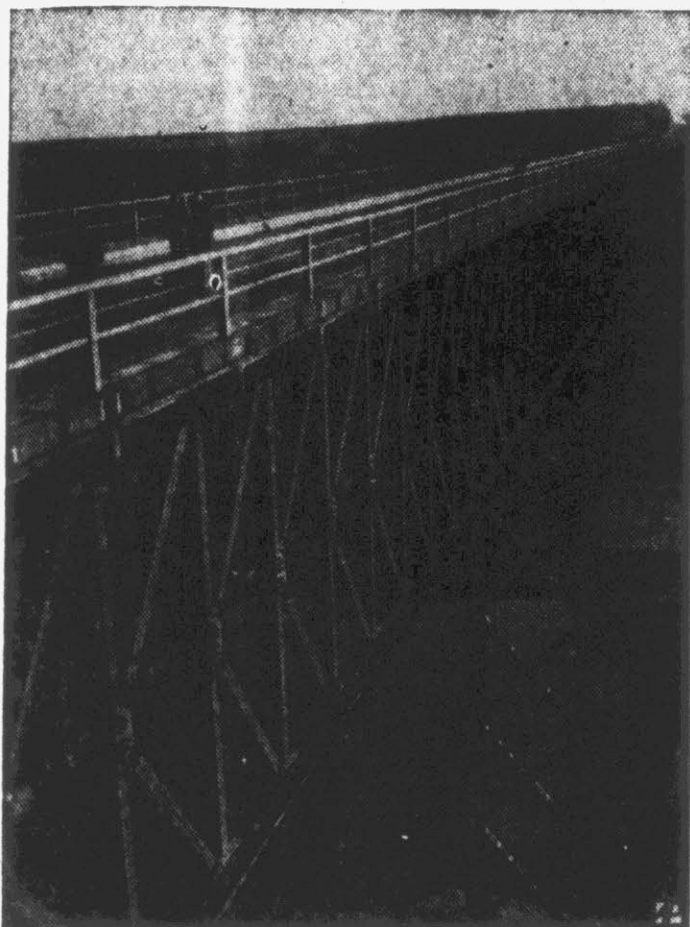
About 50 shots were exchanged between Carder and five officers who tried to arrest him Saturday night at his farmhouse on a complaint that he had threatened his wife with a knife.

The policemen retreated when one of their number, Corporal L. L. Gum, was hit in the leg. They came back early yesterday morning with reinforcements and searchlights.

But Carder had slipped away. Officers broke into the house and found the body of the mother, Mrs. Edna Carder. She had been struck by two bullets.

With the aid of bloodhounds, the posse traced Carder to his hiding-place, a fodder shock on his farm. He was unarmed and surrendered without resistance.

State Trooper Paul Swiger said when the officers first went to Carder's home they tried for 20 minutes to talk the farmer into submitting peacefully. When Carder refused, Swiger said Mrs. Carder was asked to leave the house but she declined.



NEW GERMAN SPAN — Workmen finish the new surface of the bridge across the Larn Valley near Limburg, West Germany, destroyed by retreating Germans in 1945. It connects autobahn traffic from southern Germany with the industrial Ruhr.

Stork-Delivery

Glendale, Calif., Jan. 2—(AP)—Little Baby Speigler — she only weighed a pound and a half—is one New Year baby who really was brought by a stork.

The baby was delivered yesterday by Nurse Margaret Stork in absence of a doctor.

The premature baby, only child of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Speigler, is doing "just fine," the hospital reported today.

Churches Cooperate While Work Is Done

El Paso, Ill.—(AP)—While the Federated Church was being redecorated, its congregation worshipped with the Baptists for three weeks. Then the Baptists redecorated their church and attended services in the Federated Church when the job was being done.

FIRMS ASK TARIFF

Kuala Lumpur—(AP)—Leading rubber goods manufacturers in Malaya and Singapore have warned the government that several hundred more workers may have to be thrown out of work if "steps are not taken to restrict the importation of such goods from ex-enemy countries."

Modern Version Of 'Goldilocks'

Florence, S. C., Jan. 2—(AP)—Authorities pondered a modern version of the goldilocks tale here today.

"Goldilocks" in this case, was identified by deputy sheriff Ed. A. McLeod as Pvt. John A. Alexander, 200-pounder from Shaw Air Force base, Sumter.

McLeod said Alexander was jailed here yesterday on burglary charges growing out of a New Year's eve foray through a local pharmacist's home.

The deputy said Dr. James B. Smith gave this account when he and wife returned home about 1:30 a. m. from a New Year's eve party:

Somebody had left the lights on. Somebody had broken a window pane and torn open a side door.

Somebody had entered the kitchen drunk two bottles of milk, eaten a four-pound roast, a slab of cheese and an orange.

Somebody had gone upstairs, climbed in Smith's bed, and, in fact was still there—awake.

McLeod, who arrested Alexander said the soldier had been drinking. He quoted Alexander as explaining: "I don't remember anything since I was in a dance hall with three buddies."

Goldilocks, in the children's tale, wandered unbidden into the home of Papa Bear, Mama Bear and Baby Bear. She sampled their porridge, chairs and beds—and was fast asleep when mama, papa and junior bear discovered her. She made a fast getaway and never returned.

Will Film Life Of Franz Lehar

Vienna, Jan. 2—(AP)—The life of Austrian Composer Franz Lehar will be filmed as a joint Austrian-American production.

Boris Morros, an American producer, has signed a contract to make the film with Viennese Producer Willy Forst, in both English and German versions.

Lehar, whose best known work was "The Merry Widow," died in Bad Ischl, Austria, last year.

BRIEF CAB STRIKE

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 2—(AP)—Red Top and Victory taxi cab drivers have returned to work after a one-day walkout here. They said they protested a new city law requiring them to use meters.

STARTING YOUNG

Los Angeles, Jan. 2—(AP)—Robert Smith has a traffic citation today—although he is only eight. A policeman ticketed him yesterday for crossing a street in the middle of the block.

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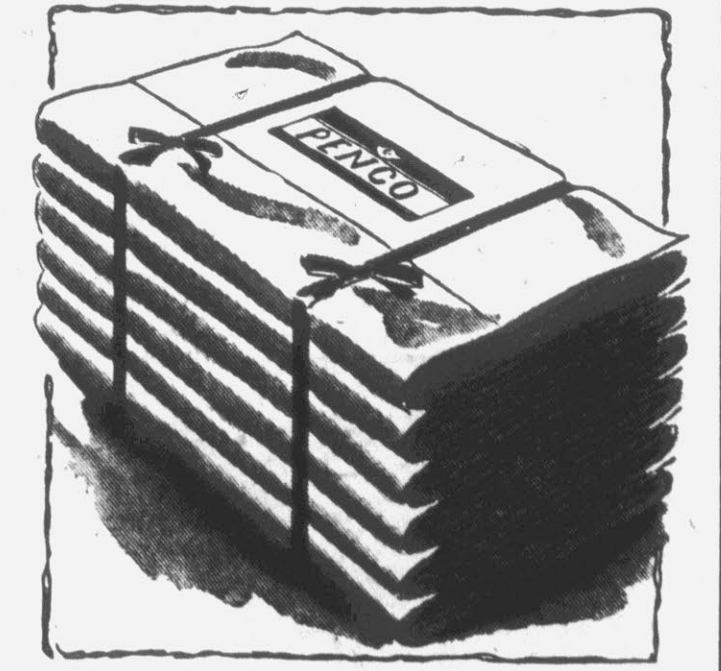
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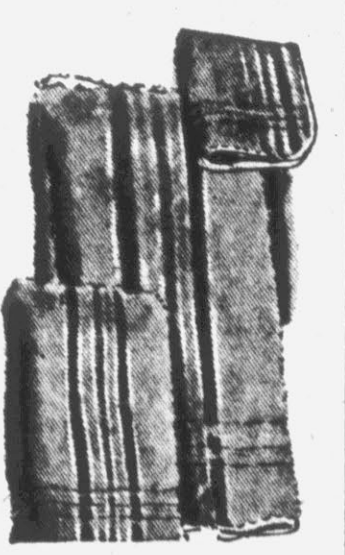
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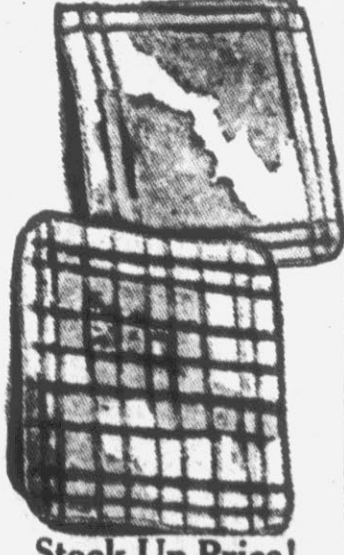
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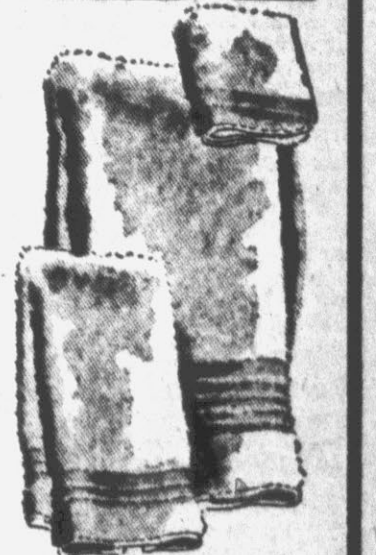
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Strength FOR THE DAY

THE WORST SELDOM HAPPENS As the Duke of Wellington lay on his death-bed in the year 1802, he said, "I am glad I shall not live to see the consummation of that ruin which is gathering about us all." Note the date—1802—and recall that some of the most illustrious happenings in the history not only of the British people but of the whole world, took place between 1800 and 1802. The Duke of Wellington was very sure, as he looked upon conditions in his day, that widespread destruction was just around the corner, and he thanked God that he was being spared the pain of seeing it ravage humanity. The Duke's state of mind was typical of a mood which men entertain in every age. We discover in the writings of those who have gone before, numberless prophecies of immediate doom. Most of them could be taken up and repainted in a modern setting, and we would find ourselves agreeing with these gloomy prophecies as men did generations ago. Yet they did not come true then, and all such dire forebodings will probably not come true now. We have much to discourage us today. Certain evil conditions are unprecedented. But let us never forget that our forebears expected ruin to overtake their generations, as we sometimes expect it to overtake ours. In other words, we can be too serious and too pessimistic about present world affairs. Let us be on our guard, but let us also bear in mind that in the past the worst has seldom happened.

Around Capitol Square

SATISFIED — Governor Kerr Scott is very well pleased with the first year of his administration. His comprehensive year-end report dealt with the 15-point program of his inaugural address on January 6 last year, in one or two instances confessed lack of full realization, but in nearly all showed some progress. He made it clear that achievements of the administration are not the work of one man nor of a small group of men. They resulted from teamwork, and it there was prominence for perpendicular pronoun it was because he was speaking as captain of the team for the whole group. CONTINUITY — The Scott report covered only the calendar year 1946, but it emphasized not only teamwork, and some members of the team perhaps did not approve the captain's policies, but the continuing progress of the state. Referring to the high place this state occupies he said "we built our supremacy by hard work and intelligent leadership through the first half of the century." Repeatedly he mentioned passages of progress not yet completed, but which must be carried on. (The governor strings along with those who think the first half of the century had only 40 years in it, when he refers to North Carolina's entry "solid and enthusiastic into the second half century.") TEAM — It may be significant that only two names of team members are mentioned. There are frequent references to the general assembly and congressional action, but the governor found opportunity to get in a couple of plugs for Senator Frank Graham. He says acquisition of ports facilities at Wilmington was direct result of negotiations by Senator Graham and Senator Hoey "and members of our congressional delegation." He adds: "Wilmington is also getting a huge navy floating drydock through the efforts of Senator Graham." It is that former Senator Umstead and Broughton and Representative Baynard Clark worked diligently on these projects is not mentioned. DIFFUSION — In his campaign last year Governor Scott made headlines with his promise to open the windows and let some fresh air in from the top. In his inaugural address he stressed need for broader representation of the people on various boards and commissions. His report shows almost 100 percent fulfillment of those promises. Of 428 appointments to boards and commissions made during the year only 89, or about 20 percent, were reappointments. He increased the ratio of women members from 7 percent to 15 percent; of farmers from 3 percent to 20 percent; of Negroes from less than 1 percent to 3 1/2 percent. He has recognized labor along with management in positions of responsibility in government. "The people have told



me time and again that they approve this policy of broader representation in our government," he said. NEWS—Most of the report was in nature of review and reminder, but there were some elements of real news. Activities of the conciliation service in the department of labor are necessarily confidential. It may surprise some people to learn that during the year 173 cases involving 50,000 workers were handled by this division. In 17 cases strikes occurred before the conciliation service was called in, but they were mostly of short duration and involved relatively few workers. Of the other 156 cases, 153 were settled by conciliation or arbitration. In only three cases was settlement impossible and only one—the Hart Mill at Tarboro—was of major proportion. MUNICIPALITIES—The governor's report devotes small space to relations between state and local governments, but in view of the popular interest in that subject and so much talk about arraying rural and urban interests against each other, his comment is significant. After briefly reviewing legislation increasing allocations of utilities franchise and gasoline road taxes to municipalities, the governor says: "I am fully aware that all this is not enough. Nor do I believe that the proper financial relationship between the state and its cities and counties can be established by such piece-meal approach. I shall continue my advocacy in the 1951 general assembly for a commission to make a thorough going study of complex problem."

Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE New York—(AP)—The Joneses have a country place on the moon—why can't we? That well may be the plan of your wife in the year 2,000 if science, as well as in the second half of the century as it has in the first. And sooning a down payment on a five-acre plot in some lunar suburb with the idea you will retire there and raise children. But who wants to be the man in the moon? Not me—and probably not you. I look with a jaunted eye on all the marvels promised by science for the next 50 years. This suspicion comes from an acquaintance with some of the eerie wonders the 20th century up till now—automobiles,

Somebody Told Me...

By L. J. (JACK) EDWARDS, JR. The other day around a dinner table the subject of dentists came up. Strange as it may seem, the dread of going to the dentist was not the topic of conversation. Rather, it was the characteristics of various dentists, local and otherwise. Everybody at the table had a different dentist, and therefore had a different story to offer. "My dentist," one of us said, "is a whiz of a conversationalist. He props my mouth open, shoves in the gurgler to keep it dry, puts

airplanes, radio, television, the atom bomb, psychiatry, and vitamin pills. It seems to me the Bunsen Burner brigade ought to stop for a while and ask themselves, "Whether are we trending?" So far their laboratory miracles have enabled man to go faster, smell nicer and live a bit longer. They've showed the world how to be sanitary. They put man on wheels and then gave him wings. They've presented gadgets that should make life better but don't. And the real task of scientific social engineering has hardly been touched—How to make man get along with his fellow man. They have learned to jet-propel bodies, but they haven't taken the first step in jet-propelling the human spirit.

What good would it do if some laborator Ponce De Leon found the secret of eternal life and gave it to mankind? A present it would be only a curse. As people grew older and older they would start biting each other to death from sheer ennui at seeing the same old faces. The real problems of life can't be solved with chromium-plated gadgets. What science should concentrate on is how to enable a man to marry the girl he wants and get the job he wants—and stay happy with both after he has them. It should come up with a General, all-purpose, happiness and kindness pill. If everybody took three H. and K. pills a day, divorces would end, boredom vanish and we would all look fair to one another.

That's the real challenge of the next 50 years for science—to invent something that will enable the human race to enjoy life in a sensible

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS Washington—The Capital's top ladies don't spend all their time giving parties and going to them. Many have talents that occupy part of their time. Mrs. Truman, for example, is an excellent cook. She doesn't do the family cooking these days, but she knows all about kitchen matters and does oversee the preparation of certain dishes and concerns herself with menus. Mrs. Dean Acheson, wife of the Secretary of State, is a recognized painter. Senora de la Colina, wife of the Mexican Ambassador, designs all her own clothes and makes many of her own costumes. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, beautiful young wife of the under secretary of commerce, is an accomplished musician. Mrs. Clark Clifford is also a painter, specializing in clowns, New Hampshire scenes and salt marshes. Mrs. Hugo Black, wife of the associate justice of the Supreme Court, and Mrs. Estes Kefauver, wife of the democratic senator from Tennessee, also are painters.

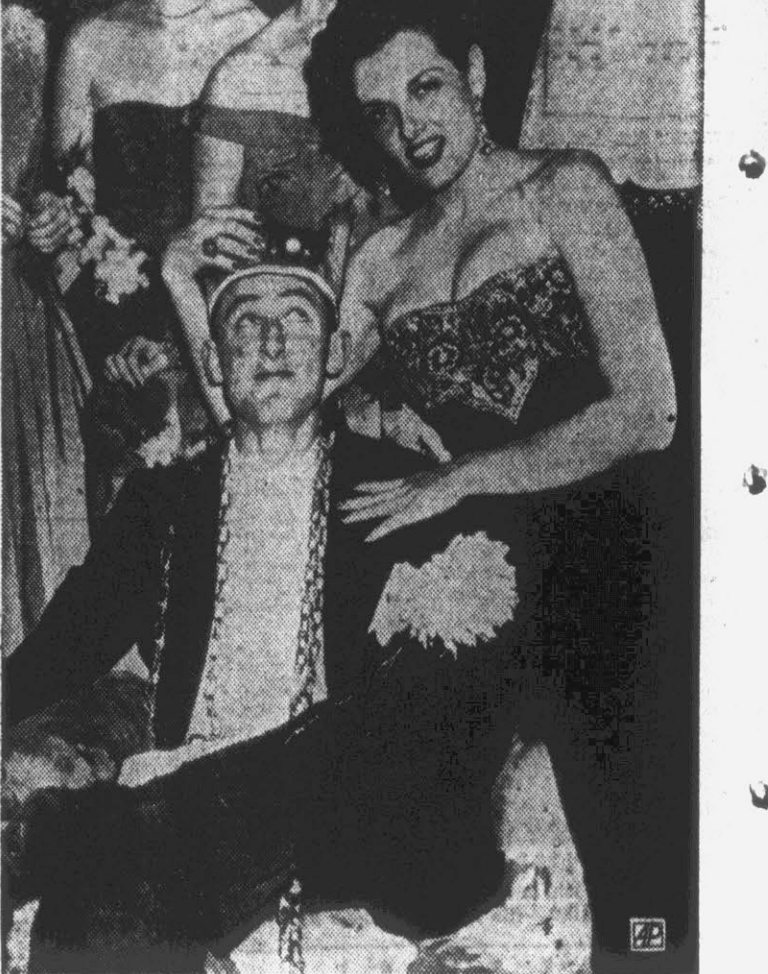
Handsome Gen. Patrick Hurley, former U.S. Ambassador to China, and his equally handsome wife, celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary the other day. Their beautiful residence on Massachusetts Avenue, Italian in influence, has magnificent tapestry-hung walls, and exquisite objects d'art, was the setting for the celebration. Such bigwigs as the Chinese Ambassador and Mme. Wellington Koo, the French Ambassador and Mme. Bonnet, and Mme. Pandit, Ambassador of India, were present to toast the popular couple. The United States' recently appointed Ambassador to Yugoslavia, George Venable Allen, and his attractive wife set sail for their new life abroad right after Christmas. The former assistant secretary of

Gets Divorce

Richard will accompany his parents to Yugoslavia. The two older youngsters will remain behind with friends, joining the family in June. They're looking forward to making the plane trip abroad all by themselves.



Actress Jean Parker takes the witness stand in Los Angeles to obtain a divorce decree from Dr. Kurt Grotter, motion picture industry financial advisor. She testified that his "extreme jealousy and unfounded accusations" brought her three nervous breakdowns and cost her theatrical jobs. They were married in 1942. (AP Wirephoto).



Douglas S. Burns, 20, of Boston, has been acclaimed winner of the title "Dub of the Year" at a cotillion held in a Boston hotel by six young men who were annoyed at debutantes in general. Placing the crown on his brow is movie actress Jane Russell. (AP Wirephoto).

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Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues. ACROSS: 1. Asters, 4. Icelandic tales, 13. Edge, 15. Title of a baronet, 18. Share, 19. Old French coin, 20. Measure, 21. Rob, 22. Love story, 23. English letter, 24. Destroy, 25. Circuit, 26. Ancient Venetian magistracies. DOWN: 2. Feminine name, 3. Tip, 17. Helmsman, 19. Pronoun, 20. Cooked with water vapor, 24. That for which a thing may be bought, 46. Ailack, 47. Stuff, 48. Public lodging house, 49. Moved to and fro, 51. Have obligations, 53. Oriental, 54. Biblical priest, 55. Finish, 56. Musical composition, 57. Letter.

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Solution of Saturday's Puzzle. DOWN: 1. Snake, 2. Evergreen tree, 3. Figure of speech, 4. Amounted to, 5. Powder, 6. Female deer, 7. Near, 8. Capital of Oregon, 9. Income, 10. Solid water, 11. Milk, 12. Snare, 13. Oil of rose petals, 14. Variant representation, 15. Season, 16. Characteristic, 17. Stiff, 18. Pertaining to a city, 19. Growing out, 20. Castles, 21. Arranged in folds, 22. High voice, 23. Story, 24. Snare, 25. Of the cheek, 26. Drive, 27. Dressed, 28. Garden implement, 29. Possess, 30. Fleh's organ of motion, 31. Old musical note, 32. Burrow, 33. Thus.

No School Bonds In Anson County

Wadesboro, N.C., Jan. 2—(AP)—Anson County voters Saturday defeated a \$940,000 school bond proposal by better than a 2-1 majority. Complete unofficial returns showed the bonds lost 2,170-961. Most of the money would have been for two new consolidated high schools, one for whites and the other for Negroes.

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Classmates Offer Thanks For 'Blue Boy' Campaign

Ayden—Members of the third grade of the Ayden school who were classmates of Walter Heath, Pitt County's blue boy who is recovering from an operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore recently, wrote open letters to the people of Pitt County who contributed to the fund which paid Walter's hospital bill.

Below are the letters of three members of Walter's class to the people of Pitt County:

Dear Friends,
We appreciate the money you gave us to help Walter Heath pay for his operation. It was nice for you all to have such kind hearts. It would be nice if we could raise enough money to help all the blue babies. The third grade is very thankful that Walter Heath has recovered from his illness and will again be back with us.
Sincerely yours,
Joyce Jolly

Dear Friends,
Thank you for paying Walter's hospital bills. We think it was such a fine thing for you to do. More than anything in the world we wanted Walter's hospital bill paid.
Bobby T. Williams

Dear Friends,
Well to thank everyone who helped make Walter well. We miss him so much and we will be so happy to have him back and able to play with us.
John S. Craft



FIRST PREMIER—Dr. Mohammed Hatta (above) has been appointed by President Soekarno as first Premier of the newly-formed nation, the United States of Indonesia.



A GENTLEMAN AND HIS DOG—Lester Langston, four, and his pet, Brownie, English bulldog, go into a huddle at a Canine Christmas party in Greenwich Village, New York City.



AIRMATES—R. Marlin Perkins, director, Lincoln Park Zoo, holds chimpanzee Heinie II, and stewardess Ellie Roman holds orangutan Ling-Wong as the Zoo additions arrive by air in Chicago.

Vice-President Enjoyed Visit In Washington

By CHESTER WALSH
Residents of Washington are still talking about the "surprise visit" of Alben W. Barkley, vice-president of the United States, and his Kentucky bride in the "City on the Pamlico" last Friday, on their way to Norfolk, Va., and the National Capital.

The distinguished visitors registered temporarily at the Patrician Inn and then went to Club Saleebv, 15th and Market streets, for dinner. Congressman Herbert C. Bonner, Mayor L. H. Swindell, Editor Furtelle of the Washington Daily

News and other prominent persons called on Vice-President and Mrs. Barkley and extended courtesies of the town, which was named after the country's first president, George Washington.

Vice-President Barkley appeared to be in the best of health after his honeymoon in Georgia. He made no comment on the political situation, but "said some pleasant things about Congressman Bonner's home town."

The vice-presidential party, while dining at Club Saleebv, were surrounded by some of Washington's prominent people.

Nick and Eli Saleebv, owners of the restaurant, and Miss Martha and Miss Emma Saleebv, provided a dinner "in the good old Kentucky way. Vice-President Barkley said when he and his bride were about to resume their journey from Wilmington toward Washington, D. C.

A "roving reporter" for the Greenville Daily Reflector, and his wife and Jack Kilgo of Greenville happened to arrive at Saleebv's about the time of the distinguished couple's departure.



VICTORY TOAST—Robert Villemain, French boxer, who defeated middleweight champion Jake La Motta in a New York non-title match, celebrates with his wife (left) and mother in Paris.

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Find Dead Man In Parked Auto

Goldsboro, Jan. 2—(AP)—A 25-year-old Negro, Joseph Allen McClarin, was found dead in the rear seat of a parked automobile early Sunday morning near Goldsboro. Deputy Sheriff Roy Percise said the man had been dead several hours. No cause of death had been determined, and no marks were found on the body.

Proper distance for viewing a 16-inch television set is declared by the experts to be six to ten feet.

Kiwanis Club In Unique Meeting

By CHESTER WALSH
The Kiwanis club observed "fellowship night" at its weekly supper session last Friday night. President Arthur Tripp presided. Ed H. Wilford, chairman of the Attendance Committee, had charge of the program. John C. Clifford, Jr., led the singing of Christmas songs. President Tripp, who will be succeeded as president next week by Tige Gardner, popular star in the Kiwanis minstrels, reviewed his administration. He expressed thanks for the cooperation of the officers and directors, committee chairmen and others for their loyal support of the club's activities.

On motion of Publicity Chairman Chester Walsh, and seconded by everybody present, a rising vote of appreciation was given to retiring President Tripp.

At the next meeting, President Gardner will be inducted as president; Dr. H. Glenn Haney, vice-president, and the retiring president automatically becomes a member of the board of directors.

Four new directors to be inducted are James Ray Pittman, R. W. Shiplett, Dr. Leo W. Jenkins and Don H. Conley. The retiring four directors are W. H. Woolard, Dr. Melvin P. Hoot, Wyatt R. Highsmith and Hunter B. Keck. The club gave them a rising vote of thanks.

A feature of the meeting was the recognition of Secretary David C. Moore, Jr., for 19 years of perfect attendance at Kiwanis meetings.

Ed E. Rawl for six years, Dr. J. M. Barrett and V. A. Merritt, five years; Eli Bloom, Wyatt Highsmith, Judge Jimmy Roberts, Archie Rogers and Milo Smith, four years, and others for three, two and one year's perfect attendance.

NEW ARMY CHIEF
Damascus, Syria, Jan. 2—(AP)—Col. Anwar Bannoud was appointed acting chief of staff of the Syrian army today. He succeeds Gen. Sami Hennawi, who was imprisoned by a group of his fellow officers on Dec. 19, accused of conspiring against the regime he established.

About \$1,000,000,000, it is estimated, had been invested by the public in television receivers up to the end of 1949.

Confirm Taking Over Big Part Of Palestine

Amman, Hashemite Jordan, Jan. 2—(AP)—Although no formal proclamation has been made, roughly a fifth of what once was Palestine has been made a part of Arab King Abdullah's kingdom of Hashemite Jordan.

An Arab news agency dispatch last Friday said the formal announcement of the incorporation of the 2,300 square miles of Jordan-occupied Palestine into the Hashemite kingdom would be published in the official gazette Jan. 1, but no announcement appeared yesterday.

The incorporation was confirmed, however, by an official declaration that the people of that territory will elect their own representatives—probably in mid-April—to the new Hashemite Jordan parliament.

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Possible Showers Face Bowl Games

Odds-Makers Follow AP Rankings In Establishing Favorites In Four Headline Attractions

New York, Jan. 2—(AP)—Five of the top ten college football teams of 1948 seek to add lustre to their national standings today on far-flung, rain-menaced bowl battle fronts.

Clouds hovered over the bowl zone from Honolulu in the mid-Pacific to the tip of Florida, with showers threatened for eight of the 12 post-season extravaganzas.

The odds-makers followed the Associated Press rankings right down the line in establishing Oklahoma, California, Rice and Kentucky favorites in the four headline attractions.

Of these, only Kentucky didn't place in the first ten, missing out by a gasp. Oklahoma and California were picked over foes who also rated the select bracket in the final AP poll.

Here's how the four big games were figured:

Oklahoma, ranked second behind Notre Dame, an eight-point favorite over Louisiana State, No. 9, in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans.

California, No. 3, six points over Ohio State, No. 6, in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif.

Rice, No. 5, seven and a half points over North Carolina, No. 16, in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas.

Kentucky, No. 11, five and a half points over Santa Clara, No. 15, in the Orange Bowl at Miami.

The only reversal of 1948 form is seen for the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla., where Missouri, 20th in the standing, rates a one-point edge over Maryland, No. 14, in fluctuating odds.

Georgetown and Texas Western meet in the Sun Bowl at El Paso with the Washington, D.C., Hoyas slightly favored.

Completing the day's activities were the Cigar Bowl at Tampa, Fla. (Wofford vs. Florida State); Pineapple Bowl at Honolulu (Stanford vs. Hawaii); Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla. (Emory and Henry vs. St. Vincent, Pa.); Oleander Bowl at Galveston, Tex. (McMurry vs. Missouri Valley); Salad Bowl at Phoenix, Ariz. (Arizona State vs. Xavier, Ohio); Prairie View Bowl at Houston, Tex. (isk vs. Prairie View).

East-West Grid Stars Attending Rose Bowl Game

San Francisco, Jan. 2—(AP)—Most of the players in Saturday's East-West Shrine football classic were in Pasadena today to watch the Rose Bowl game.

They left by plane after a Saturday night dinner-dance that followed the East's 26 to 6 defeat of the West.

The 63,000 fans who jammed Kezar Stadium got thrill after thrill from the array of stars, which included several All-America players. Most of them were arrayed with the East—and that made the difference.

The boys from the East had too much talent for the Westerners.

Convict Czechs As U. S. Spies

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Jan. 2—(AP) A former leading Czech politician has been sentenced to death and his wife to 25 years in prison following their conviction on charges of spying for the United States, the Slovak newspaper Pravda reported yesterday.

The newspaper said the condemned man, Karol Polta, former member of Parliament and leader of the now-outlawed Slovak Democratic party, was one of 32 persons arrested as spies last Nov. 9.

Soars To Record Glider Height

Bishop, Calif., Jan. 2—(AP)—John Robinson, Arcadia, Calif., glider pilot, has broken the world's altitude record by soaring 33,800 feet above sea level in his single place sailplane.

Robinson's feat, announced yesterday by official timers Harland Bose, was 800 feet higher than the previous record set a year ago on the same airport.

Robinson held that one, too.

Saturday Scores For Basketball

- San Francisco 82 Niagara 48
- Siena 57 William and Mary 50
- Brown 55 Rochester 48
- Cornell 47 Canisius 43
- Rutgers 55 Mount Union 43
- Harvard 72 Western Reserve 68
- Northwestern 68 Princeton 49
- UCLA 68 Marquette 52
- Davidson 90 Hanes Hosier 87 (overtime)
- St. Louis 54 Navy 46 (Cotton Bowl championship)
- Southern Methodist 61 Baylor 37 (3rd place Cotton Bowl tourney)
- Texas Christian 48 North Texas State 43
- Colorado College 47 Colorado A and M 44
- Idaho 45 Gonzaga 35

Invaders Enliven Track Prospects

New York—(AP)—For the second consecutive season, the eastern indoor track season will be enlivened by the presence of foreign track stars.

Viljo Heino, Finland's world record holding distance runner, and John Joe Barry, Irish mile and two mile champion, are the scheduled invaders for 1950.

Heino holds the world records for six miles, ten miles and 10,000 meters and also has the universal standard for covering the most distance in one hour—12 miles and 29 yards. He will compete in two and three mile races on the boards during the winter, and Heino's times indicate he should break nine minutes for two miles here.

Barry ran the third fastest mile in the world last summer, a 4:08.9 effort, and is expected to stage some sterling duels at that distance and also two miles.

Last season Gaston Reiff of Belgium, Willem Slykhuys of Holland, Eric Ahlden and Ingvar Bengtsson of Sweden and Marcel Hansene of France campaigned with success here.

The Last Words

Dallas, Jan. 2—(AP)—Cotton Bowl coaches comment: Carl Snavely, North Carolina: "We didn't come down here to get beat. Even if we get behind we'll still be after a victory."

Jess Neely, Rice: "I think we'll give 'em a good ball game."

Drinking water is distilled from the sea at Baku, U. S. S. R.

Meeting The Cash Customers



Ford Nadherny, Yale's six-foot, 193-pound guard, lands in the third row of spectators, seats after vainly trying to stop New York University's Joel Kaufman from scoring in basketball game in Madison Square Garden in New York. Nadherny (arrow points to his head), plays fullback on Eli's gridiron team. NYU won the game 72-62. (AP Wirephoto).

Sport Slants By Pap



Student Star... By Pap

Ernie Vandeweghe, whose brilliant basketball feats over a four-year period at Colgate University won him All-America rating is playing with the New York Knickerbockers of the National Basketball Association. A medical student at Columbia University, he has contracted to play all Knickerbocker home games and as many road games as possible.

Gambler Shot, Talks Of Taking Law In Own Hands

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 2—(AP)—Gambler Herber Noble said from his hospital bed he may take the law into his own hands and get whoever is trying to rob him out.

He was shot Saturday night as he stepped from the door of his modest Oak Cliff home. The bullet ripped through his left forearm, chipped off a section of his hip bone as it plowed through his body and lodged against his spine.

It was the sixth reported attempt on Noble's life. Last Nov. 29 his wife was blown to bits as she stepped on the starter of Noble's automobile. Police say the bomb was meant for Noble.

Groggy from sedatives and in great pain, Noble yesterday told Dallas news reporter Harry McCormick:

"I am afraid I am going to have to take the law into my own hands. I can't go on any longer like this. I am at the end of the road. I have held off because of my daughter Freida and because I have tried to live right. I am a gambler and have been, that is true, but I have never done anything to deserve these attacks, not only on myself and my dead wife, but the danger it might bring to others."

Noble in the past has blamed the attacks on a gambler he would not name. He has said the gambler was in the west. After his wife's death, Noble said the man responsible was "1500 miles away."

The latest attempt on Noble's life came one week after Hollis DeLois (Lois) Green, tagged as a leader of Dallas' underworld, was shot to death as he left a Dallas night club.

Green had been questioned in the explosion death of Mrs. Noble. Noble was questioned in Green's murder.

Duke Hoopsters Face Two Strong Conference Foes

By the ASSOCIATED PRESS Duke's Blue Devils are the hot-and-cold basketball team so far in the Southern Conference.

When they're good, Coach Gerry Gerard admits the Duke are capable of beating any team they play. When they're cold, Gerrard quickly points out, the Dukes are likely to be beaten.

To date, the Blue Devils have won five and lost five. Their losses have come from the Hanes Hosier, Wake Forest, South Carolina, North Carolina and Penn State. They had a tough time beating Wake Forest, a team able to win only once in nine contests, and had to go into overtime before they conquered Washington and Lee.

The Dukes, currently boasting 2-1 conference record, face two strong foes this week. After playing host to Maryland Tuesday night, the Blue Devils turn their attention to Saturday night's big test at Durham against North Carolina State, the conference leader with three victories and no defeats.

This week's program which includes nine league tussles opens today with Maryland's invasion of North Carolina. Both clubs have won one circuit clash and lost two.

Clemson's Tigers, runnersup to N.S. State in the standings with a 2-0 mark, play at Furman Saturday night in their only game this week. The No. 3 quintet, South Carolina, goes to Furman Tuesday night and to Wake Forest Friday night. The Gamecocks surprised two weeks ago by upsetting Duke in their only league outing.

Outside the conference, the big battle will be State's game Tuesday night with touring San Francisco University at Raleigh. San Francisco, winner of the National Invitational tournament last year, trimmed the Wolfpack during the last campaign.

In games Saturday night, Siena remained unbeaten by downing William and Mary, 57-50, and the Davidson Wildcats won an overtime tilt with the Hanes Hosier, 90-87.

High Point Wins Holiday Tourney

High Point N.C., Jan. 2—(AP)—High Point won holiday basketball tournament among the eight North Carolina Class AA high schools, defeating Wilmington 45-33 in the finals here Saturday night.

The score was tied 21-21 at halftime. The height and speed of Coach A. J. (Tony) Simeon's host team was too much for Coach Leon Brogden's lads after intermission.

Jack Powell of High Point was the leading scorer with 22 points. Charles Niven was best for Wilmington with 16.

Basketball Race Resumes For North State Circuit

By the ASSOCIATED PRESS The North State Conference basketball race resumes this week after a Christmas suspension.

Only two conference meetings are on the slate, however, in the hardwood action that will get under way tomorrow night with Elon at McCrory.

The loop meetings will send Appalachian against Lenoir-Rhyne at Hickory, and High Point against Catawba at Salisbury. Both games are Saturday night.

Here is the week's lineup: Tuesday—Elon at McCrory. Wednesday—Wofford at Lenoir-Rhyne. Thursday—Appalachian at East Tennessee State. Catawba at McCrory. High Point at Eastman's (Greensboro). Elkin "Y" at Elon. Saturday—Appalachian at Lenoir-Rhyne. High Point at Catawba. Guilford at McCrory. Elon at Hanes Hosier. Western Carolina at East Tennessee State.

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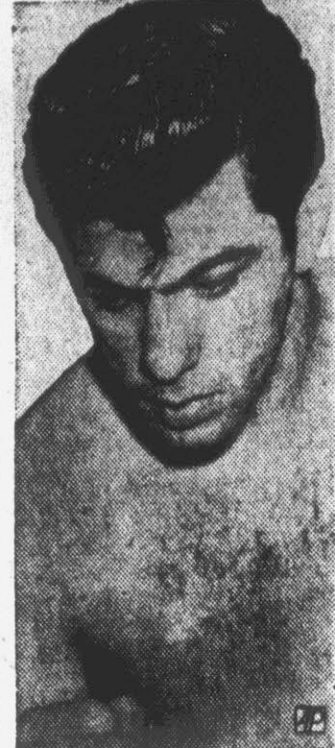
New York, Jan. 2—(AP)—Carmine Vingo, the New York heavyweight who was injured critically in a knockout at Madison Square Garden Friday night, is showing improvement.

But Dr. Vincent Nardiello, State Athletic Commission physician, said the 26-year-old fighter's condition still is critical.

Nardiello said Vingo suffered a brain hemorrhage when he was knocked out by Rocky Marciano of Brockton, Mass., in the sixth round of the ten-round bout.

Purchased iron and steel scrap consumption in the U. S. totaled 21,250,000 gross tons in 1949, 27 per cent less than in 1948.

Death His Foe



Carmine Vingo (above), 26-year-old Bronx boxer, who was knocked out Friday night by Rocky Marciano in the sixth round of their New York bout, is fighting for his life. His condition was slightly improved today "but still definitely on the critical list" in St. Claire's hospital. (AP Wirephoto).

Wolfpack To Play West Coast Rival

Blue-Gray Game Going Big Time As Crowd Grows

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 2—(AP)—The South's slam bang 27 to 13 victory over the North Saturday definitely put the annual Blue-Gray football classic on a permanent big time basis.

"Until now," says Champ F. Enns, the man who originated the Blue-Gray game, "there has been some skepticism as to whether the Blue-Gray meeting would receive support. The enthusiastic reception of the idea proves otherwise."

Proceeds from the annual event go to charity.

Last winter, the Yanks won 19 to 13 before an attendance of about 16,000. This time about 21,500 persons were present, a capacity crowd for Cramton Bowl.

Travis Tidwell, Auburn quarterback who was voted the most valuable player in the Southeastern conference this year, sparked the South to its victory.

Tidwell, also named by sports writers the outstanding player in the game, scored one touchdown on a beautiful 74-yard punt return and passed 33 yards to halfback Randall Clay of Texas for another.

Tulane's Eddie Price and Clay, who intentionally booted three extra points, tallied the other Southern touchdowns on line smashes.

Bernie Krueger of Illinois sparked the Northern attack which was good enough for a 7-6 halftime lead before the Grays started rolling in the last two quarters.

Krueger scored the first touchdown on a quarterback sneak early in the opening period and then passed to Notre Dame halfback Ernie Zaleski for the other Blue tally.

War Prisoners May File Claims

Washington, Jan. 2—(AP)—The first payments to former American prisoners of war and civilian internees are expected to be made in March or April this year, the war claims commission said today.

Their claims may be filed, beginning tomorrow and not later than March 1, 1951.

The commission now has only \$19,000,000 in liquidated enemy assets with which to pay an estimated \$120,000,000 of claims. Most of the enemy property vested by the office of alien property (OAP)—about \$500,000,000 worth—is still tied up in claims brought by former owners of the property. When additional funds might become available is uncertain.

The war claims act stipulates that all POW and interned claims must be paid with proceeds of this vested enemy property.

Claims forms for the 140,000 former POWs and internees (internees of the Japanese only) have been sent to all veterans administration regional offices.

Forty-nine countries now are actively engaged in soil conservation practices, government statistics indicate.

The Whitney Reservoir on the Brazos river in Texas will flood more than 60 old Indian habitation sites.

Preliminary studies by the Smithsonian Institute have shown that central Texas was long inhabited before the arrival of known Indian tribes.

Tackle San Francisco Dons, Winner Of Last Year's Nat'l Invitational Tourney, In Raleigh Tomorrow Night

Raleigh, Jan. 2—(AP)—Another inter-sectional foe is on the program for N.C. State this week following its triumphs last week in the Dixie basketball classic.

The talented Wolfpack quint will tackle San Francisco's Dons, winner of last year's National Invitational tournament, in a game to be played in State's Coliseum here tomorrow night. A near-capacity crowd of 11,000 is expected.

State has won over five inter-sectional foes this season, including Rhode Island State, Georgia Tech and Penn State as it capped the championship in the first Dixie Classic. Previously, it boasted victories over Loyola of Los Angeles and Michigan. A loss to Michigan is the only black mark on its season record.

The Dons won over Niagara University Saturday night for the first victory in their eastern tour. Previously they had lost to St. John's of Brooklyn, Long Island University and LaSalle of Philadelphia.

On Saturday night, State will continue defense of its Southern Conference title in a game with Duke here.

Pre-season speculation had State and Duke running one-two in the Southern Conference. However, Duke just managed to defeat Wake Forest—after losing to North Carolina—to fall down seventh place in the Dixie Classic.

Another big-five game pits North Carolina against Davidson at Davidson Saturday. The Wildcats, who have lost to both Duke and State, have been improving steadily. Saturday night they defeated Hanes Hosier 90-87 in an overtime affair.

FERTILIZER—2c24t

Raleigh, Jan. 2—(AP)—A meeting will be held in the Agriculture Building Wednesday to discuss a serious fertilizer shortage facing the state.

"It will be an open meeting," Agriculture Commissioner L. Y. Ballentine announced yesterday. Invitations have been sent to farm organization leaders and representatives of the Extension Service, the Experiment Station, and the fertilizer industry.

Ballentine said the shortage is being caused by a strike of potash workers in New Mexico. The month-old strike, according to Ballentine, was called at two plants in Carlsbad where about 85 per cent of domestic potash is produced.

He said the strike already has resulted in a 14 per cent cut in commercial fertilizer supplies for North Carolina. He added that the industry plans to increase their production an additional two per cent each week for the duration of the strike.

January Clearance Prices

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- 2 John Deere No. 12 Two Horse Turn Plows, 1 P. & O. Two Horse Turn Plow, Cotton Plows and single Turn Plows, 1 New Used Smoothing Harrow, 1 Cole Corn Planter, 1 Foster Cotton Planter, Hoes, Pitch Forks, Shrugging Axes, Iron and Wood Singletrees, 1 Wire Fence Stretcher and Other Small Items.

In the meantime see me at my office, 511 Evans Street, for a pair of good, sound mules.

Reason for selling, I have sold my Pactolus Farm. Don't forget the time and place—12 o'clock Noon Wednesday, January 4th.

D. L. Turnage

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USE McNAIR'S YIELD-TESTED tobacco seed grown on McNair farms. In recent years fine-cured growers have been producing more tobacco per acre and there has been a definite trend toward the use of more carefully selected seed. McNair's yield-tested tobacco seed will insure crops of quality to bring the highest dollar on the market. For sale in Greenville by
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EGGS — FRESH COUNTRY eggs at Pitt FCX. 11-16-17

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WANTED — 2-HORSE FARM on thirds, 6 or 7 acre tobacco allotment, and peanut allotment. Can furnish team and farming equipment. Can furnish self. Lee Hardee, Stokes, Route 1, home with lights, one mile from Johnnie Lee's service station, between Greenville and Stokes. 23-6

FOR SALE—75 TABLES originally used for hand stemming. Can be bought cheap. Good condition. Call 2171 or 2172. 21-17

SWEET POTATOES—WE NEED several thousand bushels of cured sweet potatoes each week. Call or phone us before selling. Carolina Produce Distributors, 800 Clark Street, Phone 2617. 11-22-17

CUSTOM MADE VENETIAN blinds three day delivery—buy direct from factory, save the difference. We measure and install. Write for representative to call at your convenience, no obligation. Acme Products, 424 Gold St., Rocky Mount, N. C. 12-14

FOR SALE — HARLEY-DAVIDSON motorcycle. Can be seen at Pitt St. Taxi. Call for Early. 28-6

FOR SALE—BEAUTY SHOP ON North Main Street in Farmville. Call 5986. 28-6

WISHING YOU A JOYOUS NEW year. Merle Norman Cosmetics, 212 State Bank Bldg. 12-1-17

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LOST—LADIES NIGHT AT ELKS club, Sable Blend Squirrel Coat, size 10 with label. Jean's of Raleigh. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of this coat call the Elks club. Dial 3221. 31-2

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By LYNN WESTLAND

Chapter 1
Valse lounged in the saddle, surveying the fence, his eyes lifting to the roof grass which lay beyond it. Behind him pushed the twenty-five hundred head of Texas cattle restless and impatient after the long trail.

To find wire fence where all had been open range when he had last seen it on the morning when he had ridden away to war! Any fence to a cattleman, was abomination. But then, he reflected with a sort of patient acceptance of life which he had lacked half a decade earlier, change comes with the years.

A decade before he had come in here. That had been in '36 and he had been eighteen then, but a man grows and hardened three years already.

He had located the Gun here knowing that this was home range for him the moment he had set eyes on it; choosing for his brand the replica of the new Colt's six-shooter. Likewise he had brought in the first herd of cattle ever to graze this grass, where the buffalo had been newly crowded off.

Pride relaxed the weariness of his face a little as he turned to look at the big herd still pushing up from behind. Twenty-five hundred head of longhorns. Not the best beef cattle by any means, make a big addition to the Gun. Now, at long last, and despite five years' delay he'd be able to make some of his dreams come true.

Valse straightened in the saddle. He was a big man, thin of face and straight of jaw, lean, fit. He turned, sweeping an arm in signal to keep the big herd coming. Then he swung down from the saddle and opened the wire gate.

Bart Sharkey, who had ridden point from the first mile, came up and paused beside him, viewing the herd, the fence, and the country with watery blue eyes. He too, was thick-coated with the dust of the

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MILK RE-DISTRIBUTOR — Bob, a retriever, of Fort Atkinson, Wis., is caught with the evidence after neighbors found bottles of milk missing from the stoops of their homes.

Denmark To See Arts Exhibition

Copenhagen —(AP)—By special benevolence of King George the British council in Denmark will stage an exhibition of the best British painting covering the period from 1730 to 1850. The exhibition will be at the Danish National Gallery.

Paintings have been chosen from public collections in the United Kingdom as well as from private collections. Many of the paintings will be seen outside the United Kingdom for the first time.

Finds More Baldness In Rightist Politics

Paris —(AP)—Rightist politicians are more inclined to baldness than those of the left, according to Monsieur Jules, official barber of the French National Assembly. Jules, who reckons he has cut the hair of about 35 per cent of the deputies during the year, says that the old Chamber of the Third Republic showed about 20 per cent less baldness than the present National Assembly of the Fourth Republic.

Hong Kong Is Buying Malayan Charcoal

Penang —(AP)—Price of firewood and charcoal in Penang has been boosted and Hong Kong is blamed. Hong Kong is buying big quantities of it from Malaya. Supplies from the mainland of China have stopped since the Reds occupied the coastal regions. This unusual demand has created a shortage here as well as price increases.

The Wagh Valley is a mile-high plateau in New Guinea.



MARINE MEMORIAL FOR VIRGINIA — Sculptor Felix Wechs de Weldon (on ladder) works on Marine Corps memorial based on noted wartime AP picture of Iwo Jima flag-raising taken by Joe Rosenthal. The bronze group will stand on a hill between Washington and Mount Vernon.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the business recently conducted in the name of Charles Rumley's Grocery and Market on Dickinson Avenue in the City of Greenville has been sold. The undersigned will not be responsible for any debts hereinafter contracted in the name of said business and all persons indebted to said business will please make settlement to the undersigned for debts due the said business prior to December 10, 1949.

This December 10, 1949.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having this day administered on the estate of D. N. Branch, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned at the address given within twelve months from this date or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.
This the 17th day of December, 1949.
D. W. BRANCH, Administrator
D. N. Branch, Route 2, Greenville, N. C.
S. O. Worthington, Atty.
Dec. 19-27 Jan. 2-9-16-23

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
Having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of S. M. Burton, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned on or before the 12th day of December, 1950, or this notice will



YOUNG CARD COLLECTOR — Donald Penfield, Jr., and his mother, Mrs. Donald Penfield, of Chicago, display some of 16,000 playing cards he has collected from 34 countries.

be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This December 9, 1949.
MRS. RUTH M. BURTON, Administratrix of the estate of S. M. Burton.
Dec. 12-19-27 Jan. 2-9-16.



The firm of Bostic-Sugg Furniture Company wishes you all a Happy, Healthful and Prosperous New Year. We thank you one and all for the kind favors during nineteen forty-nine and hope you will continue to favor us with your valued patronage the coming year of nineteen fifty.

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Expanded Social Security May Be Big Contribution

Washington, Jan. 2—(AP)—A broad expansion of social security benefits may be the chief contribution to President Truman's "Fair Deal" program from the session of Congress opening tomorrow.

Mr. Truman goes to Capitol Hill in person Wednesday to outline his mid-century year's program, with strong indications he won't get action on several of the major proposals he will lay before the lawmakers.

Those apparently marked for the shelf include his expected recommendations for compulsory health insurance, Taft-Hartley Act repeal, the Brannan plan of farm subsidy payments and any tax increases he may suggest.

In fact, Congress seems set to wipe out some wartime excise levies on such things as transportation, luggage and cosmetics, whether or not the President suggests such action.

There are battles in the offing on some portions of the President's re-turbished "Fair Deal" program, such as a proposed middle-income housing plan, civil rights legislation, aid to education, continuation of rent controls and any river valley development authorities he may suggest.

Even Republicans seem likely to go along, however, in pushing

through the Senate a House-approved bill adding 11,000,000 persons to the social security rolls and increasing pension and death benefits.

Representing a viewpoint of one who is often opposed to Administration proposals, Senator Martin (R-Pa.) said he will work for the broadening of social security.

Chairman George (D-Ga.) has given the measure priority before the Senate Finance Committee.

Democratic Leader Lucas of Illinois has predicted its speedy passage.

Montana . . .

(Continued from page one) eastern Montana again today and tonight.

It will remain cold tomorrow, he added.

Great Falls 32 below was the lowest temperature reading in the nation early today. Cut Bank reported -31. Havre -25, Lewistown -23, Helena -21, Miles City and Billings -11, Livingston and Broadus -1, Kalspell -3 and Butte -3.

Missoula and Superior—both in western Montana—were the only Weather Bureau stations in the state reporting above-zero temperatures last night. Missoula was the warmest with 9 above.

Mexican Peso Is Stronger; Repay U. S. \$22 Million

Mexico City, Jan. 2—(AP)—Mexicans heard today the country's financial situation is so good that money borrowed to stabilize the peso is being returned.

The Treasury Department said \$22,222,222 has been returned to the U. S. Another \$15,000,000 is owed.

The government said the new peso rate of 8.65 to the dollar had enabled Mexico to build up her dollar reserves by \$93,000,000 since the rate was fixed last June 17. Part of this was returned to the U. S.

\$8,000,000 was paid to British owners of expropriated oil properties and \$2,000,000 went for revolutionary damages claimed by U. S. citizens.

The U. S. offered Mexico \$50,000,000 in 1941 and another \$12,000,000 in 1949 for stabilization. With these dollars, Mexico could sell when the demand for dollars was high and thus keep the price down.

Between October, 1947, and May, 1948, Mexico took \$37,000,000 to sell and avoid wide fluctuations in the peso.

It is part of this money which is being returned.

The treasury statement said the partial repayment is proof of the efficacy of the measures taken to protect the peso value at 8.65. These included prohibitions on many imports. Also, the rate made foreign goods expensive here and cheapened Mexican exports in foreign markets. This meant that more dollars came in and fewer went out, thus increasing the country's dollar reserves.

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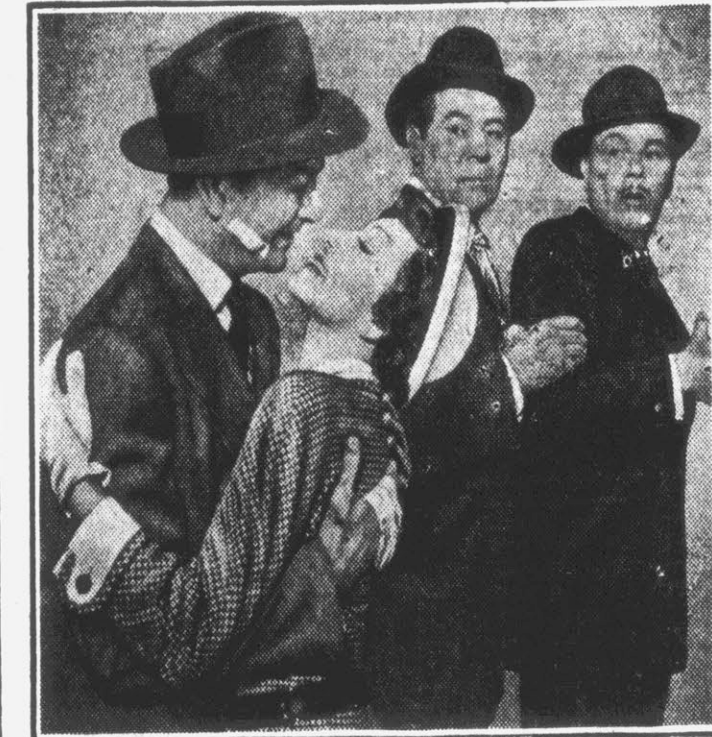
There are approximately 19,000 moose in the United States, 7,000 more than in 1944.

Red Landings Off China Coast Are Reported



Chinese Communist operations against Nationalist islands off China coast are reported as the Nationalists claimed that a determined assault against Matsu Island (A) Christmas night was smashed. First reliable reports that Reds had begun infiltration of Formosa (B) told of Red troops making small, isolated landings and vanishing into the interior. Another landing operation against Hainan (C) also was reported smashed. At Hong Kong (underlined) the governor was given virtual war powers to meet the threat of a general strike. Approximate area of Communist control is shaded. (AP Wirephoto).

LAUGHS GALORE IN "BRIDES FOR SALE"



George Brent, Max Baer look on while Robert Young embraces Claudette Colbert in scene from the lively comedy "Brides For Sale" Pitt Tuesday-Wednesday.

Greenville Elks Lodge Hosts At Christmas Party

The Greenville Elks' Lodge Christmas party, an annual event at the Elks' Home, 568 Evans street, was held last Thursday night. It was an elaborate affair. More than 200 guests attended.

Charles E. Blair and other officers of the lodge welcomed the guests.

Tige Gardner was master of ceremonies and provided the program. Cecil Ellington's orchestra, with Christine Smith at the piano, provided the music for dancing. The Kiwanis Quartet, James Ray Pittman, Aubrey Tilley, Kervin Conway, and Tige Gardner entertained with some of the old songs.

Manager Hermon L. Norris, club manager, arranged the buffet supper and refreshments.

NEW POLICEMAN ON DUTY

Kervin Conway, well known sign painter and decorator, who was recently appointed to the police force, assumed his duties Sunday. He succeeds Roscoe Tripp, who recently resigned to take a position at the Greenville postoffice, Chief Lester D. Page announced.

ADDS TO PEERS

London, Jan. 2—(AP)—King George VI swelled the ranks of Britain's peers by six new members today and extended his annual New Year's honors to many other selected by the Labor government.

Rats destroy or contaminate 200-300,000 bushels of grain in the U. S. every year.

Coal Strike Talk Again Spreading

Washington, Jan. 2—(AP)—John L. Lewis' soft coal miners are due back at work tomorrow after the New Year's holiday, but talk arose of possible strikes against key companies.

However, President George H. Love of Pittsburgh Consolidation—one of the firms mentioned in the talk—said he had "absolutely no information" about a possible strike.

"The miners work whenever they want to," Love commented at Pittsburgh. "We'll have the mines ready to work just as usual on Tuesday."

Love has led the almost solid opposition of the operators to the demands of mine leader Lewis. Another firm mentioned as possibly a special target of Lewis was the Island Creek Coal Company of West Virginia.

Lewis has had his miners on a three-day work week, but last and this week the miners planned to work only on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Major groups of operators have brought charges of unfair labor practices against Lewis, before the National Labor Relations Board. They allege that the short work week amounts to coercion on them to agree to Lewis' contract demands.

COMEDY QUEEN DIES

London, Jan. 2—(AP)—Kate Carnegy, 80, Cockney comedy queen of the British music halls in the days before World War One, died last night in a London hospital. She was on the stage 50 years.

Urges . . .

(Continued from page one) reaffirm at least the major portions of the 1948 platform.

"I have always been at a loss to understand why the Republicans haven't backed up that platform by uniting behind such measures as the Taft housing bill, the Taft aid to education bill and some of the other Taft proposals based on the sound principle of federal aid to the states."

Lawmakers . . .

(Continued from page one) long lines form in the cafeterias.

And then, of course, there are the people, always the people, from the 48 states, parading through the Capitol, through the office buildings, over the laws, up and down the steps, taking pictures, stretching their necks, being amazed or impressed, or disappointed.

And—I almost forgot—there's the

endless singsong of the professional guides in the capitol itself, pointing out the wonders and ancient glories of the place, for so much a tour around.

All in all, life picks up here tomorrow.

Wishing Hard . . .

(Continued from page one) been brought to a halt but has received setbacks in some spots. There is the revolt of Yugoslavia, and the loss of ground in Italy and France. There also has been a loss of ground in many other European countries.

Thus we have the peculiar situation that, if Europe alone were concerned, a point might have been reached where Russia would be willing to negotiate peace. There seems to be little more she can gain in Europe by strong-arm methods. She has reached a point where consolidation of her gains is in order if she is to preserve them.

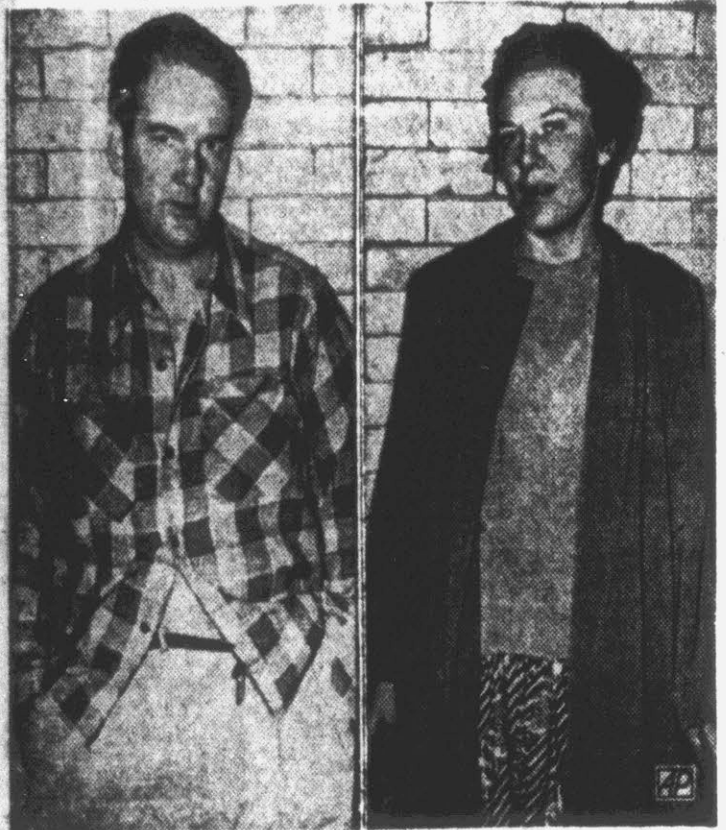
The Far East presents quite another picture. China has been overrun by Red forces. Communism is reaching for Burma, Indo-China, Indonesia and other key positions.

Asia is the crucial theatre of the moment, and the United States reported to be developing a vigorous new policy to halt the spread of Communism in that vast area. It's said this policy will be backed by a strengthened naval fleet in Asiatic waters.

Would it be possible to negotiate peace in Europe while the cold war continues in the Far East? Maybe so. It's anybody's guess.

In any event, it's possible that at least small gains could be achieved here and there, and a lot of small gains would make a big one.

Couple Held In Jewelry Thefts



Roy D. Hicks, 40, (left), and his wife, Bobby Ann Hicks, 34, (right) are being held by police in Winston-Salem, N. C., for investigation in connection with a series of jewelry thefts recently in several southern states. They denied knowing anything about the reported thefts, recently in several southern states. They denied knowing anything about the reported thefts. Capt. W. R. Burke of the Winston-Salem police said they were wanted in Georgia, Tennessee, South Carolina, North Carolina and Florida. (AP Photos).

Fire Cuts Short Holiday Party At Country Club

Pittsburgh, Jan. 2—(AP)—The swank Westmoreland Country Club is a mass of charred wreckage today after a fire that cut short a gay holiday party.

The New Year was less than five minutes old when flames roared through the three-story structure, burning it to the ground with an estimated half million dollar loss.

Three hundred socially prominent guests had moved their celebration to the lawn a short time earlier while employes battled a fire in the kitchen.

C. A. Chisolm, president of the club, said the flames apparently spread from the kitchen up a flue to the third floor before firemen could reach the scene.

There are approximately 19,000 moose in the United States, 7,000 more than in 1944.

Plunge No Joke

Havana, Cuba, Jan. 2—(AP)—Harvey Karl Butzoki, Detroit merchant, was reported in critical condition at Anglo-American Hospital today after a plunge from a hotel room window at midnight New Year's eve.

Police said Butzoki was celebrating at a year-end party with friends in a room on the fifth floor of the Hotel President. They said he telephoned relatives in New York, then turned and said:

"Now I am going to jump out the window."

His wife, the former Dorothy Wallace Buskery of Arlington, Tex., and friends thought he was joking. But police said he opened the window and leaped, falling atop a second floor shelter housing air conditioning equipment.

Benson's Mayor And Banker Face Labor Charges

Winston-Salem, N.C., Jan. 2—(AP)—The mayor of Benson and the president of the First National Bank of Benson have been charged with unfair labor practices by the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America (CIO).

The National Labor Relations Board said yesterday that Mayor L. L. Levinson and Bank President W. R. Strickland were charged with interfering with efforts to organize the Southland Manufacturing Company of Benson, a shirt making concern.

The union alleged that the two told employees that the plant would close if the union succeeded in organizing them.

The union charged that the pair are connected with Benson Development Company, owner of 70 per cent of the property occupied by the manufacturing plant.

Report Deaths By Police Guns

Bombay, India, Jan. 2—(AP)—The Socialist party's central headquarters here said today it had received a report from Rewa that four persons were killed and 26 injured in a police firing there. Rewa is in the north, not far from Lucknow and Calcutta.

The party has called a general strike in Rewa to protest the merger of Rewa with the United Provinces of Vindhya Pradesh, the post-independence union of princely states. The Indian government decided to abolish its provincial status because of corruption.

Colored News

The City Union Usher Board will meet tonight at Sycamore Hill Baptist church, at 7:30. All members are asked to be present.

Zeno Telpner has returned to Booker T. Washington high school in Norfolk after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents.

License Expire, Driver Is Nabbed

If your last name starts with L or M and you have not had your driver's license renewed, then you better not be caught on the highway by the State Highway Patrol.

Last night, State Highway Patrolman Paul C. Whitley, as he patrolled the area around Greenville, came upon a truck which did not have proper tail lights. The patrolman stopped the truck and prepared to give the driver an equipment ticket, requiring him to have the lights on his truck repaired.

When Whitley asked for the man's driver's license, he found that the man, Willie Jones Murchison, Negro, Route 5, Greenville, had a driver's license, but it was no good. Why? Well, Murchison was one of those drivers who was supposed to have gotten new licenses before December 31. The deadline for obtaining new licenses occurred at 12 o'clock. The time of the arrest was around 8 o'clock, or only some 20 hours after the man's license expired.



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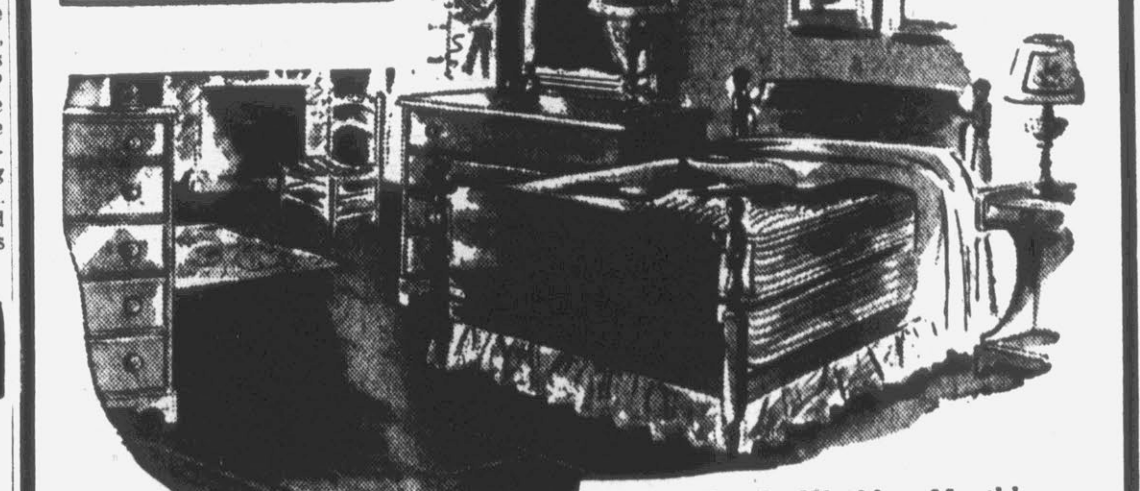
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