

Vishinsky Derides Direct Plea To Communist China

Tells Assembly That Red China Wants Peace In Korea But It Must Come After Withdrawal Of United Nations Forces From That Country

Lake Success, Dec. 6—(AP)—Russia's Andrei Vishinsky today derided a 13-nation direct appeal to Communist China to halt its forces at the 38th parallel in Korea.

He said in the U. N. General Assembly that Red China and its people want peace in Korea but he added that it must come after the withdrawal of U. N. forces from the country.

The Soviet Foreign Minister told the emergency session of the Assembly that the 13 Asian and Middle East countries which appealed last night for the halt at the parallel were the same powers that supported crossing the 38th parallel when U. N. troops were advanced.

The Assembly went into its emergency session to discuss putting a six nation plea for halting Chinese intervention in Korea at the top of its program. This was advanced by the Big Three western powers and Norway, Ecuador and Cuba after a similar plea was vetoed in the Security Council by Russia.

Carlos P. Romulo, Philippines Foreign Minister and one of the signers of the 13-nation direct appeal, pleaded for quick Assembly action.

"The peace of the whole world may depend on what we do or fail to do here," he told the delegates. He scoffed at Red China's contention that only volunteers poured into Korea to send U. N. forces into retreat.

Vishinsky reiterated his old charges that the U. S. is guilty of aggression in Korea, called General Douglas MacArthur "the evil genius of our days, a war maniac," and denied that the Communist Chinese statements—which urged aid for intervention in Korea.

Vishinsky recited Communist Chinese statements—which outdid Russian attacks on the U. S.—as a guide to "peaceful settlement" in Korea.

He called on the Assembly to "ponder" the words of Peiping's Wu Hsiu-Chuan in its consideration of the Korea question.

He wound up with this statement: "The notion that armed forces of the Chinese People's Republic are fighting on the side of the North Koreans is a nightmare of fantasies to befuddle world opinion."

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All-America On Sports Page

The 26th annual Associated Press All-America football team, which appears on today's sports page, is divided into offensive and defensive eleven for the first time.

Three schools—Army, Oklahoma and Texas—placed a player on both lineups.

Geographical distribution of the first teams shows six players from the Midwest, four from the Southeast, three from the East, three from the Big Seven Conference, two from the Southern Conference, two from the Conference, two from the Southwest Conference and two from the Pacific Coast.

The star-studded offensive backfield is composed of Don Heinrich, Washington's record-smashing quarterback, Bob Reynolds, sensational Nebraska sophomore; Everett Grandelius, hard-running Michigan State back, and Dick Kazmaier, Princeton's brilliant tailback.

Complacent America

Maybe The Disaster In Korea Will Awaken Business-As-Usual People; We've Been Watching Communists Prepare For War For Five Years; The Price To Come

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—On Friday, Nov. 24, Gen. Douglas MacArthur ordered a "general assault" by the United Nations forces in Korea.

He said he expected the assault to end the war, if it was successful. But it wasn't successful.

No matter who's to blame, this assault was undertaken without knowing how many Chinese troops were massed and waiting.

They struck back, about 1,000,000 of them against 200,000 U. N. troops. The Chinese now are chasing the Americans and other U. N. troops in a catastrophic rout down through Korea.

No one can predict what they'll do. They may drive the U. N. troops into the sea and off the continent of Asia.

This is the worst disaster that has overtaken the United States since the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor Dec. 7, 1941, nine years ago tomorrow.

The size of the disaster is reflected in the mood of the people you meet around Washington: darkly gloomy, sometimes bewildered.

Ask Reds To Halt At 38th Parallel

Asiatic And Middle Eastern Nations Issue Appeal To China; Would Provide Time To 'Resolve' Conflict

Lake Success, Dec. 6—(AP)—Communist China is being asked directly by 13 Asian and Middle Eastern nations to halt its troops at the 38th parallel in Korea for a U. N. negotiations to avert a third world war.

The appeal was forwarded last night as powerful new proposals for an arranged truce piled up in the United Nations.

India, the Philippines and Pakistan sparked the move for the direct plea to Peiping, transmitted through Communist China's representative here, Wu Hsiu-Chuan.

The 38th parallel is the boundary between North and South Korea across which the North Koreans attacked last June 25. Declared aggressors by the U. N., the North Koreans were pushed back by U. S. troops across the parallel and in some places to the Korea-China border before hundreds of thousands of Chinese Communists poured into the fight. They forced a general U. N. retreat southward.

India's Sir Benegal N. Rau met the appeal group at his New York apartment last night and the appeal was drafted.

The Philippines, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Indonesia, Burma, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Syria and Yemen joined India after getting instructions from their governments.

The appeal was also directed at the communist regime in North Korea.

It said: "We X X X consider it our duty at this critical hour earnestly to appeal to the North Korean authorities and the Central People's Government of the People's Republic of China immediately to declare that it is not their intention that any forces under their control should cross to the south of the 38th parallel.

"Such a declaration will give time for considering what further steps are necessary to resolve the conflict in the Far East thus helping to avert another world war."

Officers Named By County Fair Board

Begin Plans For Expanded Program On New Fair Grounds; Contracts Already Made For New Attractions

Formulation of plans for a bigger and better Pitt County Fair next year on the new fair ground site across the river began last night at the regular annual meeting of the 30 directors representing the farms of the American Legion, owners of the fair, were present for the meeting held at the American Legion home here. Election of officers for the coming year was another feature of the session. The meeting was presided over by retiring president D. J. Wilchard, Jr.

Officers elected for the coming year were J. Howard Moye, president; A. F. Rowe, Ayden, C. S. Edwards, Farmville, and L. Walter Cherry, Greenville, vice presidents. James R. Worsley and Willard T. Kyser were re-named secretary and assistant secretary, respectively; Larry Averette was re-named treasurer and T. K. Fountain was named legal counsel.

The directors heard final reports on the operations of the 1950 fair and approved actions of the executive committee and others connected with the operations. Letters from Sam C. Winchester, county farm agent, and Misses Anne M. Parker and Helen Hic's, Agents, praised the progress of the fair from an agricultural standpoint, and promising the full cooperation of their departments in the future, were included in the records and photostatic copies were ordered sent to L. V. Ballew, State Commissioner of Agriculture.

Final action was taken in the purchase of the new fair grounds containing 15 acres, from Pitt County Post of the American Legion. The site is located on the north side of the river adjacent to the airport. Plans for the erection of necessary buildings on the new property were discussed and work will begin as early as possible on the main exhibit building

to be 40 by 200 feet. The plans call for all structures to be of a permanent nature and to be built over a period of time until all facilities adequate for a large fair are included.

Norman Y. Chambliss, fair manager, stated that contracts had already been made for the Lawrence shows to occupy the midway at next year's fair. He also stated that the famous Sally Rand, show dancer, had been procured for one of the feature free attractions. Records revealed that premiums paid out for exhibits at the 1950 fair were 30 per cent above 1949 and Mr. Chambliss stated that the county agricultural agencies are already giving attention to the greater 1951 fair.

The committee recently appointed by the executive committee to dispose of the old fair grounds near the Pitt Memorial Hospital, was urged to close the transfer prior to the end of the year if possible in order that funds for preparing the new fair grounds can be in hand by the time the work is started.

Final Organizing Of Adult Classes

Final organizational meetings of several adult-education classes at East Carolina Teachers College will take place this evening. Those who are interested in joining the classes are asked to be present in the Flanagan building at 7:00 o'clock.

Seven courses scheduled for final organization tonight include work in the departments of business education, science, and industrial arts. The classes will offer instruction in beginning typewriting, beginning shorthand, salesmanship, business law, federal tax accounting, radio electronics, and industrial arts for adults.

As a result of popular request, the science department is now offering a course in radio electronics, which was not included in early announcements of the adult-education series for the winter quarter at East Carolina. This class will be taught by R. M. Helms of the faculty. The work, says Mr. Helms, is planned to be of service to those whose business interests lie in radio. The principles of radio reception, with some attention to television, will be stressed. The course is to be given on a non-credit basis.

Several adult-education classes in the departments of art, business education, and English have already begun work for the winter quarter.

Night Marauder Slays Livestock

Princeville, Ill., Dec. 6—(AP)—A Peoria county farmer asked the sheriff's office for help today in tracking down a huge, mysterious animal that has killed more than 50 head of his livestock.

Fred Ferdelwitz said the marauder has an "awful roar" that sounds something "like a lion's" and that it has left tracks "as large as your hand."

He told the sheriff that since the animal first raided his farm several weeks ago, he has lost 42 pigs, four calves, several lambs and a dozen chickens.

Excess Profits Tax Bill Facing Drastic Changes

House - Approved Measure To Be Modified By Senate Says George

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—A huge excess profits tax bill bearing 378-20 House approval faced the prospect today of major operations in the Senate.

Senator George (D-Ga.), chairman of the tax-writing Senate Finance Committee, predicted some drastic changes for the measure in the Senate, but he voiced confidence that Congress still will send the measure to President Truman before the new year.

Lopsided House passage came late yesterday. The real test came over a Republican effort to substitute a GOP-drafted tax bill for that being pushed by the administration. Voting on party lines, the House beat down the GOP version 252 to 145.

The 20 who voted "no" on final passage were all Republicans.

The House bill would impose a 75 per cent tax on corporation profits which exceed 85 per cent of the average earnings in the three best of the four years 1946 through 1949. The levy would apply to earnings since last July 1.

The Senate Finance Committee is known to be taking a long look at the House formula. George said he has not changed his view that the excess profits tax should apply only to earnings above the full 100 per cent average for the 1946-49 base period.

Senator Millikin (R-Colo.), senior Republican member of the group, said there is growing question in the committee whether the 85 per cent provision would not in effect tax as excess the top 15 per cent of normal earnings.

The bill's backers have contended that 1946-49 earnings of most corporations were abnormally large and should be scaled down for excess profits tax purposes. The Treasury wanted the tax to apply on all profits exceeding 75 per cent of the base period average.

Nice Tax Slice When Teachers Get Pay Boost

Raleigh, Dec. 6—(AP)—Uncle Sam will pick up a nice chunk of change when Tar Heel teachers get their \$7,000,000 contingent pay boost next week.

Federal taxes will carve \$1,250,000 from the \$7,000,000 figure.

The State Board of Education reported the checks are slated to be in the mails next Monday to more than 25,000 eligible teachers who are taught during the last fiscal year.

The checks will be sent from 172 local school units. They are prepared by the local units and copied are sent to the State Board offices here where they are checked for accuracy.

Wish Fulfilled

Rochester, N.Y., Dec. 6—(AP)—"Mommy," said nine-year old Mary Ann Kawynski, on the way to the hospital yesterday in an ambulance, "I'm going to die. Put my picture in the paper so the kids at school will know."

Mary Ann was dead of a heart ailment before the trip was over.

The Rochester Democrat and Chronicle fulfilled Mary Ann's last wish this morning.

Eighth Army Digging In On New Line; Retreat Halted

Ruritan Presidents Awarded Plaques



Presidents of three Ruritan clubs in the Greenville-Goldsboro district were awarded plaques last night for achievement during the past year as the annual district meeting was held. The Winterville club won the attendance award and it was received by William R. May, president, standing at left. In the middle is Brantley Strickland, president of the New Hope club, which received the community service plaque; and at the right is L. C. Herring, Contentnea, the club that made the most expansion during the past year. (Staff photo by John Spinks, Jr.)

Child Is Victim In Grifton Fire

Blaze Believed Due To Explosion Of Oil Heater Unit

Grifton, Dec. 6—A year and a half old Negro child perished here yesterday afternoon, when the room in which she was sleeping, was engulfed by flames after an oil heating unit had exploded.

The child, Alice Faye Darden, was sleeping in a partitioned-off section of a three-room cinder block building which served both as a beauty salon and store. The building is located on Queen Street of Grifton, and was known as the Lone Star.

No one was in the structure at the time of the blaze and the owner, Bertha Harper, reported that the first she knew of the blaze was when she looked out the window of her house nearby and saw smoke pouring out of the back window and door.

Both the owner and the child's mother, Annie L. Darden, who were in the house, rushed to the smoking building, one trying to enter the rear door, the other by means of the front door. Intense heat and smoke forced the would-be rescuers back from the door. At this point, no flames were visible, it was reported.

By the time volunteer help arrived, fire had gutted the second room housing the beauty parlor, and was burning in the store.

The volunteer workers, using a bucket brigade, stopped the fire before it gained a headway in the store and all of the equipment was saved.

Coroner Griffin H. Rouse and Sheriff R. W. Tyson who investigated the tragedy, ruled that the child came to her death by accidental means. They stated that the child died of suffocation and no in-

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District Ruritan Holds Annual Convention Here

National Officers Present; Cullifer Elected District Governor For 1951; Lee Backed For National Post

Approximately 150 members of Ruritan National in the Greenville-Goldsboro District met in the first annual convention here yesterday afternoon and last night to elect the district governor and to hear reports on Ruritan activities during the past year. The meetings were held at Respass Brothers.

National officers present for both sessions were Curtis Old, president, St. Brides, Va.; Marvin L. Gray, executive secretary, and Moe Lee, Jr., treasurer, District Governor H. E. Hill, Factious, presided over the meeting which was attended by representatives of 13 clubs.

Spaight for the banquet session. Last night was Frank Jeter, agricultural editor at State College. Jeter emphasized the important part the

Ruritan clubs are playing in the rural life of North Carolina.

"One North Carolina and the entire South were the backward parts of the whole United States," Jeter stated. "But now you constitute the land of opportunity. Graduates of southern institutions are no longer going north to find their promised land but are remaining in the land of Anglo-Saxon people who have at last come into their own."

Ernest Cullifer, Pinetown, was elected district governor for 1951, succeeding Hill who has served for the past 12 months. Cullifer will be installed at the National Convention in Roanoke, Va., next January. After that four district lieutenant governors and a district secretary will be appointed.

During the afternoon business meeting the members voted unanimously to endorse Noel Lee Jr. for the office of national vice president. Lee has been national treasurer for the past year and is a member of the Factious club, one of the strongest in the Ruritan organization.

Also during the business session the clubs discussed the establishment of a district office which will get out reports of all activities in the Ruritan district. That recommendation was made by the resolutions committee.

Three of the clubs in the district received plaques for outstanding achievement during the past year. The New Hope club won the community service award which will rotate through the district, a club receiving it each year. The Contentnea club won the expansion award which was given for sponsoring the organization of two new clubs. The Winterville club took the attendance award for highest number of members present during the 12-month period.

During the night session, Cecil Ellington, popular saxophonist, and Bill Riggins, electric guitar player, both from Greenville, entertained the group with several songs and jazz selections.

Indeed, a statement by Gen. Omar Bradley, head of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, led a suggestion that while at least one evacuation move in northeast Korea was imminent the troops there might be shifted to help hold elsewhere on the peninsula.

See Cigarette Output Record

Raleigh, Dec. 6—(AP)—Production of cigarettes in the United States is heading toward another record. Tobacco Associates reported today.

It said that manufacturing during the July-September quarter was up 6.8 per cent over the same period of last year, and that this more than offset a drop of 1.3 per cent registered during the first six months of the year.

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Site Of New Stand Is MacArthur Secret; Gen. Collins Believes Troops Can Meet Situation; Besieged Marines Determined To Break Out

Tokyo, Dec. 6—(AP)—Allied Eighth Army forces halted their mass retreat south from Pyongyang today and dug in for a new western Korean stand against the onrushing armies of Red China.

General MacArthur's headquarters kept secret the locations of the new line. The Americans, South Koreans, British and Turks of the Eighth Army with their better transport had outrun the Chinese and every hour was vital in bulwarking their new positions.

A spokesman said only that the line ran from a point south of Pyongyang to positions south and east.

There were indications the new line might be somewhere near Parallel 38, the old border between Red North and Republican South Korea. South Korean forces swept into hill country to clean out guerrillas near Sibyon, a hamlet 70 miles southeast of Pyongyang.

Gen. J. Lawton Collins, U. S. Army Chief of Staff on a flying visit in Korea for a close range study of the military situation, said: "I think the Eighth Army is capable of taking care of itself."

At a news conference in Seoul, he told war correspondents morale was high among troops he had seen. He flew to the area just south of Pyongyang.

The Chief of Staff said he could see no worthwhile tactical use for the atom bomb in Korea.

Collins planned a flight Wednesday to the northeast front, where 100,000 Chinese were mounting a vast enveloping move around five scattered allied divisions of the U. S. 10th Corps.

One Chinese spearhead already had cut the main highway between the two major east coast ports of Hungnam and Wonsan. Hungnam is about 50 air miles north of Wonsan, 16th Corps headquarters. MacArthur's headquarters reported "decreasing pressure" against Marines at Hagaru and Koto, south of Changjin Reservoir.

AP Correspondent Tom Stone reported from Koto that Marines in their darkened tent city there appeared hopelessly trapped but were determined to make a fight for freedom. Stone flew into besieged Koto by special military plane and then flew out with his dispatch. He quoted Col. Lewis (Chesley) Fuller, commander of the First Marine Division.

"We will suffer heavy losses. The enemy greatly outnumber us. They have blown the bridges and blocked the roads. Our vehicles may not get through, but we will make it somehow."

Facing the Marines there and at Hagaru, six or seven miles to the north, was a fight down 50 miles of a river gorge road. Chinese Reds held hills flanking the road for much of the way.

X-Ray Analysis By Television

Baltimore, Dec. 6—(AP)—X-ray analysis by television with doctors in cities miles apart participating was demonstrated last night over a regular TV network (DuMont).

Four persons were examined under a special X-ray machine which fed the image directly to a television transmitting tube. Watching were thousands of TV viewers in five network cities—Chicago, New York, Washington, Columbus, O., and Baltimore.

Indochina Situation

An On-The-Spot Report Of Another Front In The Asiatic Battle With Communist Forces; Picture Isn't Quite Clear; Reds Encouraged By Recent Victories

By DEWITT MacKENZIE

The Korean crisis, because of its magnitude and ramifications, holds the center of attention in the Asiatic conflict with communism, but there are other danger spots in that vast area.

One of these is Indochina, where the French have sustained serious defeats by pro-communist forces. This complicated and threatening situation is dealt with by my colleague, Fred Hampson, AP Chief of Bureau in Hongkong, in a dispatch which I quote here. Under date of Hanoi, Indochina, Hampson writes:

The battle to keep communism out of Indochina—and southeast Asia—is concentrated north of this placid city, which looks like a French provincial town in the green ricefields of one of Asia's big deltas.

This situation has been described as a cork in the bottlehead of southeast Asia.

Recent French defeats at the hands of the pro-communist forces of Ho Chi-Minh, who is backed and supplied by Moscow and Peiping, are said to have loosened the cork.

whacked away the top of the cork and driven it deeper into the bottle-neck. It is still sliding down. If it slides too far it may be gnawed away and destroyed both by the communist forces pursuing it from the north and the communist guerrilla forces which lie in wait below.

The peril of the moment lies in the fact that victory begets victory. In this case the defeats of the French forces near the China border has been a shot in the arm to the procommunist guerrillas in the rear as well as the communist armies in front. On the other hand the morale of the weary French jungle fighters is sagging.

The situation looks extremely dangerous but there are reasons to think it may look a little worse than it really is. It is true the Red forces, lately trained and supplied by the Chinese communists, wiped out some 3,000 French fighters in the mountains along the border.

This forced the French to abandon defense positions along and near the border. As the French pull

That isn't quite right. They have

Advertisement for '15 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT!' featuring a woman and the text 'Buy Christmas Seals'.

### Service League Committees Present Encouraging Reports

The Service League of Greenville met at Sheppard Memorial Library on Monday, December 4th, at 10:30 a.m. The president, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, opened the meeting with a thoughtful Christmas greeting to the members.

The program chairman, Mrs. Bryan Brown, introduced the guest for the morning, Miss Peggy Martin, a pupil of Mrs. June Rose. Miss Martin gave a most appropriate and inspiring reading of a Christmas story, "Where Love Is."

Following the program, the secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the November meeting. Reports were heard from the treasurer and chairmen of the various committees.

The projects chairman, Mrs. W. L. Harrington, reported the success of the League in reaching the quotas set in the recent drives. The League has been asked to sponsor the educational program for the cancer drive. The feeling of the executive board on this matter was given and that the League wants to cooperate in every way possible with the cancer control program, but that at this time it should not undertake to sponsor anything else in view of the new hospital program which will begin soon after the new year.

Mrs. David Evans reported that on the TB bond drive the League raised over \$300 more this year than last year. Girl Scouts will sell bangles Saturday, Dec. 9, and TB seals will be on sale at the Guaranty Bank and at the post office the week beginning December 11th. Members were given an opportunity to volunteer for work on the seal sale.

The chairman of the Community Chest drive, Mrs. Erzell Webb, reported that the League exceeded the quota set for the house-to-house canvass. The total amount raised was \$572.34. Mrs. Webb extended thanks to all League members who worked on this drive and to other members of the community who helped the organization.

The chairman of the Finance Committee, Mrs. M. F. Hoot, announced the monthly committees for December and January. She asked that each member take one more cook book to sell or use as a Christmas gift. These sell for \$1.25, and money from them should be turned in to Mrs. Hoot as soon as possible.

The Thrift Shop chairman, Mrs. R. H. Evans, reported that very little response was received from the request for used clothing for the Thrift Shop. There is little clothing on hand and there seems to be a great need for warm clothing, especially for children. The money helps in the work and the clothing helps in the work. Each member was asked to contact four other people and attempt to secure at least one garment from each one in an effort

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### Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 A. M. will be published the following day. Dial 2364-9 A. M. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 P. M.

Drs. Joseph Smith, K. B. Pace and W. M. B. Brown are attending the Seaboard medical meeting in Elizabeth City.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Clark have just returned from Washington, D. C., where they visited friends and went sight-seeing. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton L. Clark also accompanied them on their trip.

Det. Lieut. M. E. Corbette, who has been a patient at Pitt General hospital for the past three weeks, has returned to his home.

**Birth Announcement**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Simon Corbett of Greenville, N. C. Route 5, announce the birth of a son on December 5, at Dr. Joseph Smith clinic.

**Memorial Baptist Prayer Service**  
 Prayer service will be held at Memorial Baptist church tonight at 7:30. The Coleman circle will present a missionary program with Dr. R. L. Holt as speaker. This program is a part of the week of prayer for foreign missions. You are cordially invited to attend.

**Turkey Supper and Harvest Sale**  
 A turkey supper and harvest sale at Bell Arthur in the school lunch room 5:30 to 9 p. m. Friday, December 8, sponsored by the Christian Woman's Fellowship of the Bell Arthur Christian church.

**Christmas Show in Wilson**  
 There will be a Christmas show in Wilson on Friday, December 8, sponsored by the Garden Department of the Woman's Club. The exhibit will be held at the Woman's club between the hours of 2 p. m. and 9 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

**Ayden High Glee Club To Give A Christmas Program**  
 Ayden - A mixed chorus of 72 high school voices will be heard in a program of Christmas music in Ayden High School auditorium on Wednesday, December 13, at 8:00 p. m.

**E. C. T. C. Alumni To Meet**  
 The Greenville Pitt County chapter of the Alumni Association of East Carolina Teachers College will meet Friday evening at 8 p. m. in the Alumni office.

**To Attend Convention in Dallas**  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chauncey of Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Winchester, Jr. of Greenville, will leave Thursday for Dallas, Texas, to attend the Farm Bureau convention.

**Mr. Chauncey won the all expense paid trip for writing more than 450 Farm Bureau memberships, more than any other man in the state.**

### 40 Years Ago Today

**THE DAILY REFLECTOR**  
 December 6, 1910  
 A little snow fell here about 10 o'clock Tuesday night.

With the beginning of the new fiscal year on Monday the officers of Pitt county go on a salary basis instead of fees as heretofore.

The old jokes about men going out to clubs have become back numbers. It is now the women, for they have three times as many clubs as men.

Ever since it became inhabited Eastern North Carolina has been an agricultural section, but the people are just waking up to what farming really is and learning that it is one of the most profitable vocations in which they can engage.

### Mrs. Tucker Tripp Entertains Club

Ayden - Mrs. Tucker Tripp entertained members of her bridge club at her home near Ayden on Thursday night.

Coca Colas were served during the game. At the end of play, earbobs were given to Mrs. Wilbur Dunn for high score, while a grease strainer was given Mrs. Chester Hart, runner-up.

The hostess served lemon pie, potato chips and hot coffee to the following: Meadams, Dunn, Hart, Joe Tripp, Mac Edwards, Velma Saunders, Leslie Stocks and Marvin McCormick.

### SOCIAL CALENDAR

**WEDNESDAY**  
 8:00 p. m. - Junior Women's club meets at the club house.  
 8:00 p. m. - Midweek service at Immanuel Baptist church. Miss Emelle Brooks guest speaker.

**THURSDAY**  
 2:30 p. m. - Talk by J. G. Gibbs on "Wood Inlays" at Art Gallery.

10:00 a. m. - Christmas bazaar at St. Paul's Episcopal church.  
 10:00 a. m. - Week of prayer program of Immanuel Baptist church at the home of Mrs. Charles Wilkerson.

4:00 p. m. - International Relations group of the Woman's club will meet at the club house.  
 7:30 p. m. - Charles Gray Morgan Post 7032, V. F. W. meets at the club house.

12:00 - 2:00 p. m. - Luncheon will be served at the Episcopal church Christmas Bazaar.  
 8:00 p. m. - 9:00 p. m. - Dinner will be served at Episcopal church Christmas Bazaar.

**FRIDAY**  
 10:00 a. m. - Week of Prayer program of Immanuel Baptist church at the home of Mrs. J. A. Neilson. Miss Venelia Cox, guest speaker.  
 6:30 p. m. - Kiwanis Club.  
 6:30 p. m. - Exchange Club.

**SUNDAY**  
 8:00 p. m. - Christmas music program by Eighth Street Christian church choir at the church.

### Allen Family Organize For Annual Reunion Gatherings

Ayden - On September 5, several of the heirs of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Allen of Pitt County met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Kittrell in Ayden for the purpose of discussing the organization of an annual family reunion of the Allen family. From this gathering the family named Mrs. Blanche Allen Kittrell as temporary chairman with Mrs. Max McLawhorn and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Allen to assist her.

The first reunion following the organization meeting was held in the Ayden Community Building on Sunday, November 26. The business session was presided over by the temporary chairman and officers were elected as follows: Mrs. L. L. Kittrell, vice president; Mrs. Tucker McGlohon, secretary; Mrs. Ned McGlohon, treasurer; Mrs. David G. Allen of Raleigh and Mrs. Max McGlohon of Ayden as historians. A permanent date for the annual meetings was set for the fourth Sunday in August.

After the business session, the group had dinner in a private dining room at Respass-James near Greenville.

Returning to the Community Building the families engaged in a social hour before departing.

Families attending from out of the county were Mrs. Maud Riddle, daughter and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. David G. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knight and family, Mrs. Alyce Allen, Miss Myerel Allen, all of Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson and daughter, Ashley Allen, all of Smithfield, Mr. and Mrs. Sol McGlohon of Wallace. There were 48 members attending the meeting.

Mrs. Maude Riddle presented the two oldest living members present, Mrs. Alyce Allen and Mr. Todd Allen, with a corsage and a boutonniere.

### Mr. & Mrs. Simmons Are Hosts At Buffet Supper

At 8 o'clock Friday evening, December 1, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lester Simmons entertained 18 friends at a buffet supper at their home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gower of Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil J. Satterthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Little of Fictulus, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Barnhill, Mr. and Mrs. William Tripp, Miss Elizabeth Simmons, Mrs. J. L. Tripp, Mrs. Bet Tighman, Mrs. Lizzie McLawhorn and Messrs. Bruce Tripp and E. R. Dudley.

**Pitt County Allied Church League**  
 The Pitt County Allied Church League will hold its quarterly meeting in Sheppard Memorial library on Thursday, December 7, at 7:30 p. m. One important item of discussion will concern the circulation of a petition calling for an election on the sale of alcoholic beverages. The public and especially all ministers and other churchmen are urged to come.

### Mr. and Mrs. Hardee Honored on Birthday

On Friday evening, December 1st, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Starling gave a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Starling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hardee. It was genuinely regretted that Mrs. Hardee was unable to attend.

As the honoree entered, he was overwhelmed with "Happy Birthday" greetings. After an appropriate response, an entertainment period followed. Songs, recitations and dance numbers under the direction of Mrs. Marie Wallace were enjoyed then at Mr. Hardee's request. Mr. Bill Drum proved himself an artist in a dance number. Mrs. B. L. Tyson, with accordion, led in group singing and then gave two humorous readings.

Two lovely birthday cakes were on the attractively decorated refreshment table, the Christmas note being emphasized.

Mrs. L. W. Cherry and Mrs. S. E. Tucker assisted in serving the cake, nuts, mints and punch.

A large collection of birthday gifts was then opened. The final conclusion, with Levi Evans and his orchestra to provide music for dance couples, then followed. It was most enlightening to see the guest of honor, now 75 years young, take part as well as numbers of others who are "pressing along." Many of them had almost forgotten the square dance but the genial spirit of everyone made the evening complete.

### Ayden Rotarians Enjoy Program; New Member Inducted

Ayden - Last Friday night Roy Turnage, Jr. put on a program for his father, Roy, Sr., and the other Rotarians, similar to the radio program entitled "Know Your Mate." Frank Peterson and Faust Johnson were able to win by a score of 4 to 1, while Will Bullock and Alton Rowe lost by a score of 3 to 2.

The program was immensely enjoyed by all Rotarians present.

Before the program began, Bill Cade introduced Stewart Tripp to Rotary and its objects and history. Bill Cade praised the work which Stewart Tripp had been doing in the high school as coach and told the Rotarians that it was a pleasure to welcome into the Rotary club a man who had done as fine a job as Stewart had.

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## White Shrines Co-Hostesses To Supreme High Priestess

Mrs. Claudia Finnegan, Supreme Worthy High Priestess of the Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, was guest of honor of Coastal Shrine No. 9 and Greenville Shrine No. 7 in a joint meeting held on Monday evening, Nov. 27th, at 8 p.m. in the Scottish Rite Temple, New Bern. This was the official inspection of the two shrines by the Supreme Officer.

The meeting was opened by W. H. P. Doris Scott and W. J. Gaskins, W.O.S. of New Bern presiding in the east. Following the formal opening Mrs. Finnegan, S.W.H.P., was presented and welcomed. Then Mrs. Jesse Biggs, District Deputy of Greensboro; Mrs. W. H. Scott, Supreme Page; Mrs. Luther Whitehurst, Supreme Page; W. J. Gaskins and H. J. Sawyer, Supreme King's guards. The following past worthy high priestesses and past watchmen of shepherds were presented: Mrs. Carrie Munford, Mrs. Emogene Duffin, Mrs. Blanche Jackson, Luther Whitehurst of Greenville and O. W. Matthis and D. M. Conner of New Bern.

Others presented were Mrs. Maude B. Foye, Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star; and Robert L. Pugh, senior deacon, and William J. Bundy of Greenville, past Grand Master of the Grade Lodge of N.C. Following the presentation Mrs. Finnegan honored the group with a gracious expression of appreciation and congratulations for the honors and courtesies rendered, and afterwards all visitors were escorted to the east for a welcome by the supreme officer.

Greenville Shrine then assumed all stations for the purpose of putting on the ceremonial. Those taking part from Greenville were: Mrs. Luther Whitehurst, W.H.P.; H. J. Sawyer, W.O.S.; Mrs. J. B. Jackson, N.P. proteem; Jasper Phillips, Associate W.O.S.; Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, W. Herald; Mrs. R. C. Duffin, W.M.; Albert Scott, 2nd W.M.; E. Boswell, 3rd W.M.; Mrs. Blanche Smith, W. Organist; Mrs. Mae Sawyer, 1st Handmaid; Mrs. Marie Clark, 2nd H.M.; Mrs. Jasper Phillips, 3rd H.M.; Mrs. Marie Scott, W. Guardian; Kelly Rowe, W. Guard; Mrs. Cynthia Lockhart, Queen; Mr.

cial hour was held in the dining room of the Scottish Rite Temple and coffee and cake were served.

## League Group Of Ayden Free Will Baptist Meets

Ayden — The Ayden Free Will Baptist League group met at the home of Billy Davidson last week in their regular business meeting. The business was transacted in the usual way, only for the fact that we always strive to do a little more each time for the Lord, and for the upbuilding of the Kingdom work. The meeting was largely attended although some of our members were unable to meet with us. After the business session was adjourned, games were played; afterwards hot chocolate and cookies were served. The next meeting will be with Boots Thomas in December.

## Miss McLawhorn Wed To R. Wainright In Ayden Ceremony

Ayden—Miss Daphne McLawhorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McLawhorn of Ayden, and Mr. Roscoe Wainright of Kinston, were married at the home of the Rev. Clifton Rice, Free Will Baptist minister, on Friday evening. The ceremony was attended by relatives and a few friends. The bride wore a navy blue suit with matching accessories and a corsage of red roses. Both the bride and groom were educated in the schools at Ayden. The bridegroom served two years in the U. S. Navy and is now awaiting call to return to the service.

## Christmas Play To Be Presented At Baptist Church

A play, "Christmas Love In Any Language," will be presented at Immanuel Baptist Church at 7:30 Sunday evening, December 10 by the Youth Fellowship of the church. This missionary Christmas play was written by Beverly Nelson and is being directed by Ralph H. Rives. Approximately 25 young people are in the cast, which includes the manger scene directed by Mrs. J. C. Paige. The Junior Youth Fellowship under the direction of Mary Frances Owens and Virginia Jones will sing carols for the play.

## Mr. And Mrs. Simmons Observe Silver Wedding Anniversary



MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH LESTER SIMMONS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lester Simmons on Sunday afternoon November 26, from 3 until 5:30 entertained at their home marking the 25th anniversary of their wedding. Approximately 150 guests called during the hours, and were received at the door by Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Satterthwaite, and introduced to the receiving line by Mrs. W. F. Little. The Simmons home was decorated for the occasion with bridal white and green floral arrangements in silver vases throughout the reception rooms which were lighted with white candles in silver candelabra. Standing in the receiving line with Mr. and Mrs. Simmons were Misses Terry, Rosalie and Judy Tripp, all nieces of Mrs. Simmons. Miss Elizabeth Simmons invited guests into the dining room, which was beautiful in its simplicity. The table was covered with a white satin cloth centered with a silver bowl of white brides roses, carnations and fern, flanked with tall candles in silver candelabra tied with orange blossoms, tulle, miniature silver wedding bells and white satin ribbon. Punch, bridal cake, mints and salted almonds were served by Mesdames Roscoe Barnhill and Jasper L. Tripp, assisted by Misses Jean and Lois Simmons, nieces of Mr. Simmons. Mrs. Thomas Gower received in the gift room. Mrs. William Tripp directed guests to the hall where Mrs. Bet Tilghman presided at the register. Goodbyes were said to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Satterthwaite.

## George E. Perry To Be In Concert December 12

George E. Perry of the faculty of East Carolina Teachers College will be presented by the Greenville Music Club in a recital of music for the organ Tuesday evening, December 12. The concert will take place at 8:00 o'clock in the Austin auditorium and will be open to the public. For his recital Mr. Perry has planned a program of Christmas music. The pipe organ installed during the summer months at the college will be used, and many of those who attend will have the opportunity of hearing it played for the first time. Included on the program will be selections by Bach, Brahms, and other composers. Mr. Perry has been presented by the East Carolina department of music in several recitals for the piano since he joined the faculty in 1948. He has appeared before civic and social groups in a number of eastern North Carolina towns. Last February he gave, with Elizabeth Drake of the faculty, a two-piano recital before the Greenville and the Raleigh music clubs, and in the spring was soloist with the East Carolina Concert Band at its annual spring recital. Mr. Perry is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, has done graduate study at the Wisconsin School of Music, and is a member of the American Guild of Organists. Christmas Favors To Be Given To Children At Bazaar Between the dinner hours of 6 and 8 p.m. at the Episcopal church bazaar on Thursday, a special entertainment has been planned for the children. Santa Claus favors on the Christmas tree will be given to all children present. There will be fun and gaiety for the whole family. Food, gifts and decorations will be on sale. Everyone is cordially invited to visit the bazaar any time between the hours of 10 a. m. and 9 p. m.

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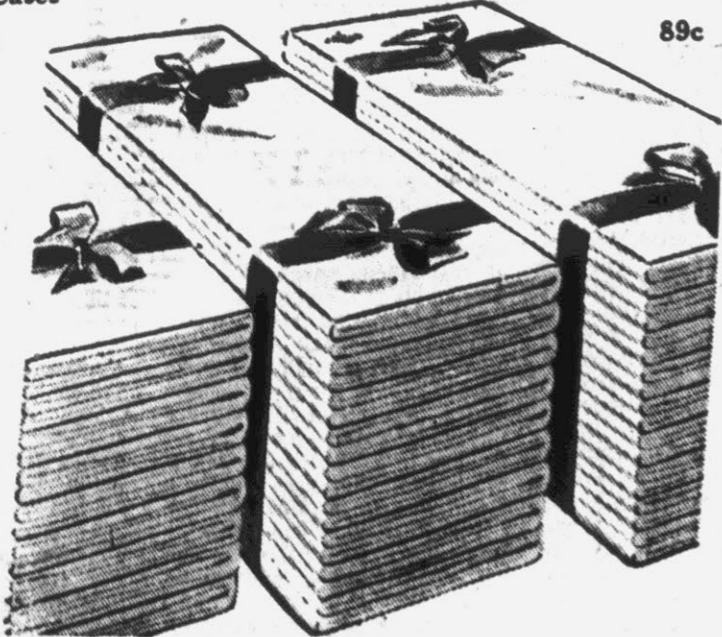
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The Darkness Before The Dawn

No one doubts that the situation in Korea is serious for the armed forces of the United States. Few people dispute the assertions that the conditions in Korea threaten to destroy practically all the trained ground forces the nation possesses.

The American casualties in Korea announced through December 4 were 31,785. The report from the defense department shows 4,789 American men have given up their lives in the Korean struggle; 5,018 are listed as missing and many of these may be presumed dead. Our wounded have mounted to 21,900.

If the Chinese Communist drive results in a Dunkirk for American boys on both the east and west coasts of Korea, we may expect our casualties to be boosted even higher. Our casualties in the withdrawal from the Manchurian border, which have not been announced, may be heavier than most people have realized.

The Korean campaign has been costly. Yet there may be worse days to come, and the people of the nation should prepare themselves for the shock which may come to this nation when the toll of the Korean campaign eventually is made known.

The picture will not be rosy. But the people of the United States have faced dark days before and have survived to see the dawning of peace. They will do so again.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—The name of former Senator Warren R. Austin of Vermont, principal United States delegate to the United Nations, has been advanced with substantial bi-partisan support for Secretary of State, now that President Truman has told friends definitely that Dean Acheson will leave the Cabinet soon after New Year's.

Mr. Truman has been thinking of replacing Mr. Acheson with Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson of the Supreme Court, who has served as a handy swing man for both Franklin D. Roosevelt and the present Administration. But it has been suggested to the White House that Justice Vinson has had no training or experience in foreign affairs and that he would start from scratch when the world may be facing another global conflict. It is no time for even an able amateur.

Moreover, the clamor over filling a Vinson vacancy on the high tribunal would exacerbate the domestic political situation when unity is needed in the current crisis.

Democratic conservatives and liberals would fall into a bitter fight as each faction strove for the appointment of a man representing their conflicting philosophies.

AVAILABLE—Mr. Truman's main reason for hauling the Kennebec off the bench, in Washington's opinion, would be to build him up and make him available for either the presidential or vice-presidential nomination in 1952.

He would make an ideal candidate, many Democrats believe, if the President chose not to run again, or if he needed another sidekick in place of the ageing Vice President Barkley.

Mr. Vinson is both a solid and versatile performer, and well-liked by both Republicans and Democrats on Capitol Hill. But the State Department portfolio is not a post that can be filled at this grave moment in history with a good-natured, easy-going individual simply because he happens to be both a personal and political pal of the man in the White House.

That is the verdict of key Democrats on both Congressional committees charged with "advising" the President on foreign affairs.

ACCLAIM—The favorable reception given to the mention of Mr. Austin as our next foreign minister, has been almost sensational, although that is an overused word. The reaction on Capitol Hill proves that he would be approved by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and confirmed by the full Senate without a dissenting vote or voice.

For one thing, Mr. Austin has had several years of hard experience as our spokesman at Lake Success. He has had to be kept informed on every diplomatic move, threat and possibility across the face of the globe.

His calm but convincing rebuttal of Russian screeching, as relayed over the radio and television, has won him popular acclaim among living room audiences who don't know whether he is a Republican, Democrat or vegetarian.

Moreover, he would improve relations between the White House and Congress on foreign questions, if anybody could. A rock-ribbed, Vermont Republican, although never a hidebound reactionary, few men ever enjoyed such popularity on Capitol Hill as Warren Austin.

VALUABLE—Mr. Vinson likewise has no enemy among the legislators, for his personality does not differ greatly from Mr. Austin's. But, as a veteran Democrat and a chore boy for both F.D.R. and Harry S. Truman, he would not win the confidence of Republicans and Democratic conservatives in the same way that the Vermontier could.

Mr. Truman may not appoint Mr. Austin (1) because he is too valuable in his present position, or (2) because he would feel more comfortable with a Democratic partisan as his principal adviser on foreign matters. But he will disappoint many of his own supporters if he misses this opportunity to kill a big bag of birds with one shot.

VOICE—A further reason for the Austin appointment lies in the important fact that he possesses a radio-television personality, force, fire and voice which both President Truman and Secretary Acheson lack woefully.

The White House is deeply disappointed in Mr. A's recent exposition of our Far Eastern policy and program. For a major diplomatic performance, it is regarded at Washington as a distinct dud.

Mr. Acheson's address was most excellent as a sermon, a commencement address, or as a lawyer's pleading before a friendly court. He marshalled his evidence in convincing form for those who need to be convinced that both the Russian and Chinese Communists had embarked on "brazen aggression."

But, as his own department colleagues concede, he did not stir or thrill or excite the 150,000,000 people who, either themselves or through their sons and brothers, fathers and husbands, will be the naked victims of that aggression. Nor did he tell us how we will meet this barbaric host.

CALL—Few men can arouse a people as F.D.R. did with his "day of infamy" declaration of war or as Churchill did with his "We will fight on the beaches." Not Truman or Acheson or Marshall or anybody else in high place.

Yet that is what America needs today—a bugle call to Armageddon.

It is all the more necessary because Stalin's cold, bleeding war does not have the high drama of Hitler's conquest of Western Europe within a few weeks.

Warren Austin, alone of the possibilities for Acheson's difficult post, has such a voice!

Would A New Waiter Help The Cooking?



Somebody Told Me

By I. J. (Jack) EDWARDS, JR.

The cheapest entertainment in the world is radio. The day when television will take over is not too far away, but for the time being radio is still the old standby, for Greenville people, anyway. Last night wife Rachel, Nancy and I listened to one of radio's favorite personalities, Bob Hope. Bob was broadcasting from Barkley Air Base, Louisiana, on the last leg of his tour to Army bases that includes Korea. Along with Songstress Marilyn Maxwell and Les Brown and his orchestra, Bob's show has given a boost to the morale of American GIs, both in this country and overseas. Bob's writers evidently travel about a week ahead of him, picking up information about the base. The script of the radio show always includes cracks that the radio audience doesn't catch, because it applies to the particular area in which the troops are located. Naturally, the troops eat up the localizations. Bob said that he asked the colonel on the base to treat him just like one of the boys. Two hours later, he finished mopping the barracks. Throughout the tour Bob has interviewed a GI on every program. Last night it was a mess sergeant, who looked at Marilyn Maxwell and said, "I wish I could stack trays like that." Speaking seriously for a change, Bob gave the army mess sergeants a pat on the back. "During our tour," he said, "we've eaten in quite a few GI mess halls, and the food has been excellent." My experience during WW II tells me that the mess sergeants knew Bob was coming. Marilyn Maxwell recommended finger bowls to the mess sergeant. "We tried that," he said, "and the boys drank the stuff, but didn't ask for seconds, so we cut it out." Bob's writers took advantage of the fact that he was broadcasting from Louisiana and part of the program was a take-off on the South. The misuse of "you-all" has been worn out on radio, but in spite of that, Bob's script was clever. Bob said, "People do own south take things easier. They're so happy go Chesterfield." The left-handed commercial probably helped Lucky Strike more than it did Bob's own product, Chesterfield. Bob always signs off with a serious thought. Last night he said something like this: "When we were in Korea our boys were talking about a White Christmas in the States, but things look differently now. The casualty list now is a triplicate of what it was then. In football you can kick on fourth down, but in this war when you get to fourth down you hand the other team the ball and run. Here's hoping the UN changes the rules in time." Of course Bob was referring to the UN rule which says we cannot cross the Manchurian border. And I thank you.

Around Capitol Square

Daily Reflector Bureau By LYNN HIBBET Raleigh, N. C.

FARM DRAFT—Commissioner of Agriculture L. Y. Ballentine is somewhat concerned about the attitude of selective service boards toward farm workers. Apparently, he says, there is no established policy either in Washington or in local SS boards about deferring vital workers in agriculture from military calls. The commissioner cited one case of his knowledge where a 23-year-old man, whose father is dead, and who has a 16-year-old brother. The two boys, with aid of improved machinery, are responsible for operating a 400-acre farm devoted to diversified food crops. The 23-year-old has been called up for examination preliminary to induction into the army.

IMPORTANT—Ballentine thinks that production of food and fiber for both civilian and military purposes is just as important as carrying a gun in the total job of winning a war. He further notes that only 17 to 18 percent of the people are engaged in the production of food and fiber on the farms, although a substantially larger percentage is engaged in processing and distributing farm products. Since the entire civilian and military economy of the United States depends upon the production of just a little more than one-sixth of the people the individuals who make up this one-sixth assume tremendously important status. Furthermore, it should not be overlooked that not only the United States, but a very large part of the world, depends upon American farms for food and clothing.

PURPOSE—The real purpose of selective service is presumed to be to determine where the manpower of the nation can be most usefully employed during the emergency of war. There are many jobs connected with the military establishments which can be handled just as efficiently by cripples as by able-bodied persons. It is common knowledge that healthy young men are performing duties which older men or women could perform just as well. There are also many jobs on the farm which can be just as well done by women, old men or cripples as by able-bodied youngsters. But some farm jobs, a great many of them, require as much physical stamina as any duty imposed by the armed forces.

SELECTIVE—In that connection an instance of deferment of a country doctor is appropos. All branches of the military forces are short on doctors. So are many segments of civilian population. A few weeks ago a young doctor, who had been educated at government expense and was deferred during World War II for completion of his medical education, was called by his local selective service board. When it was shown that this doctor was the only practitioner in an area of several hundred square miles, that he was performing a vital service to several thousand people who otherwise would be without any medical service, his call to the army was stayed for six months. At the end of that period the issue will be up again, and relative needs of civilian and military will be weighed. Commissioner Ballentine, as the man charged with major responsibility for productivity of North Carolina fields and pastures, thinks the same kind of reasoning should be applied to vital farm workers. In other words, that real study should be given each case to determine where the man would be most valuable—rather than what seems to be the policy that the army is entitled to every man physically able to function as a soldier.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

This One Thing They Should Do (Hertford County Herald) The upcoming 1951 Legislature is going to run its business just as it pleases and without advice from us. That we know, and we don't blame them one bit for so doing. Yet, we claim some little knowledge about one of the things this Assembly is supposed to deal with, and we break a rule to hand out a little advice to the lawmaking body. The subject is expenditures by candidates, and by their supporters, to get nominated and elected to office—all of it coming under the heading of advertising.

You don't have to be an expert in the advertising field to know that candidates for statewide office spend much more money to get their jobs than the law now permits. Our State laws on this subject are broken, ground under heel, and openly flouted much more, we think, than the old prohibition law ever was. We repeated that Amendment and all laws operating thereunder because people didn't have the heart to enforce it, or to abide by it. If North Carolina legislators

calculated it a better law than the one we now have, they should repeal it forthwith and start all over again. A better system than the present one ought not to be difficult to devise. For one thing, the 1951 legislators should build the new law on the premise that the present limitation of expenses is below the level of necessity, and then proceed from there. When new figures are set if there is to be an arbitrary figure at all the next order of business should be to clean up the types of advertising permitted, and then provide a method of a sunting which would require publication, in advance of voting, of courses and amounts of all money spent by candidates for office.

OF PUBLIC HIGHWAYS (Greensboro Daily News) The Daily-News confesses that it is shedding no tears over the RFC's turning down of a requested loan of \$2,750,000 for construction of a toll highway between Virginia Beach, Va., and Nags Head, N. C. Evidently the government agency went into the project more carefully and intel-

Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER The 5 1/2 per cent increase in steel prices resulting from the 11 per cent wage increases means, if not a full ride on the inflation merry-go-round, at least a little faster music on the calliope. It is not precisely true, as has been said, that "steel workers don't buy steel."

They buy coffee, which is roasted in steel ovens and ground by steel blades. They buy milk, which comes from farms in steel cans and steel trucks. They buy meat from cattle raised behind barbed wire and butchered with steel knives. They buy bread made from flour ground by steel and moved to market over steel rails. They buy food in tin cans, which are mostly steel.

They also buy steel. Few indeed buy an ingot to adorn the mantle. But they buy autos, largely steel, and houses, each of which represents about a ton and a half of the stuff. They buy appliances, largely of steel. With their railroad fares they buy steel cars. With their city tax payments they buy steel street lamp standards. And so on, endlessly.

The increase in the price of steel will eventually be felt in the price of almost every consumer article. It won't be an automatic 5 1/2 per cent increase. Some rises will be infinitesimal. Some will be slow in coming. But in the end, they will be there.

There's already talk about prospective rises in the prices of canned foods because paper and lithography of labels, as well as steel for cans, are costing more. And there's talk about higher auto prices, both direct and indirect, the latter making some of the things that are standard equipment now into "extras."

This is not to say that the steel workers are villains in the rise of living costs. Their gains are no more inflationary than the gains of other workers or the rises in profits. In fact, in the final analysis, wage and profit trends are more the consequence of inflation, rather than such purely inflationary things as government spending in excess of taxation. But because the steel price increase was so directly tied to a wage increase, and because the price of steel affects the price of so many other things, this provides an unusually clear-cut example of how inflation works.

REPORT MORE INTEREST IN VALENTINE'S GIFTS The idea of giving gifts on Valentine's Day will be promoted heavier than ever next year, the National Valentine's Day Council, 350-Fifth Ave., New York, reports.

FLATTERING: Fluorescent lamps with more red in their light, said to make most persons' complexions appear more attractive, are being produced by Solar Electric Corp., Warren, Pa.

PREPAREDNESS: A detergent for washing radio-active particles off the skin after atomic bomb explosions, is being packaged in a seal-shaped container which may be carried in the pocket by Flor-Bar, Ltd., 115 Fourth Ave., New York 3.

Hal Boyle's Column

Seoul—(AP)—In the last world war Paris was known as "The Silver Foxhole" to thousands of American soldiers. And they felt lucky if they could get a three-day pass from the front to visit there.

If there is a silver foxhole in the Korean campaign it is probably Seoul, although the city the troops want most to get back to is Tokyo. For in the field of entertainment this Korean capital hardly ranks as the Paris of the Orient.

Right now in particular Seoul is hardly a fun town for allied nations' soldiers. There is still too much misery around them. The biggest problem that most of the 1,500,000 people who live here must face every day is the problem of merely staying alive.

To keep from starving, to keep from freezing—these are daily worries in this war-battered metropolis that has yet to see any of the hoped for fruit of Democracy.

And along with the gnawing fear that the rice bowl may go empty is a new fear—a dread that the Chinese Reds may march on Seoul and launch a new blood purge.

This uneasiness is as yet chiefly noticeable in government circles and among others in a position to find out what is really happening. The masses still don't appreciate the full significance of the allied retreat—or what may result if it continues.

But some who fear a communist victory are already secretly planning to flee south toward Pusan as many did before. And a few of the wealthy are trying to amass funds to get themselves smuggled into Japan. This desire has again created a black market in American dollars and Japanese yen. Their go-between-agents trail soldiers in the street offering a premium for this sort of money.

This black market in money is small, however, for the average soldier here carries only military currency. At the army finance office he can exchange it at the rate of one dollar for 4,000 Korean won. But he is allowed to convert only \$10 at a time.

That ordinarily will buy him a day's flog in this tarnished silver foxhole. For in a wartime capital swept by hunger and political fears there are few pleasures open to him. The art of separating the soldier on leave from his money hasn't had a chance to develop into an industry here.

There are a few sordid dime dance joints where the soldier can jitterbug with Korean girls and drink beer at 80 cents a can. But they shut down at nightfall and few of the girls speak more than a phrase or two of English. The soldiers who patronize these joints usually leave them feeling more lonely than when they went in.

There are no extensive service recreation centers such as the Red Cross set up in Europe where the men can shower, get a chance to write home and find bunks for the night.

Most of the soldiers spend their time walking the streets looking for souvenirs. There isn't much to buy except cheap brass ash

Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLAS

Some years ago a man was walking along the street of an English city one night when he noticed a man approaching and carrying a lighted lantern. As they passed each other, the man was astounded to observe that the lantern bearer was blind. He halted abruptly and said, "Sir, are you not blind?" "Yes," replied the man. "Then why do you carry a lantern if you can't see?" "I carry the lantern," he replied, "to keep other people from bumping into me."

If we want to keep people from bumping into us we had better make sure that we carry a light—the light of some strong principle, some overwhelming conviction, a faith in something above ourselves. We can be sure as we go through life that in this world's darkness a lot of people are destined to bump into us. The way to protect ourselves is by carrying a lantern.

There are families which go to pieces spiritually, morally, financially, because the members thereof have no light within their own souls, and the plunging circumstances of life bump into them and knock them off their feet. Many a boy or girl goes to college without having received any religious training at home, and the agnosticism of a teacher or the temptations presented by the campus social life bowls them off their feet.

Carry a lantern. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet."

A Profitable Loan For Government, Grower

Unlike the price support program for eggs and some other farm commodities, the support program for tobacco isn't costing the taxpayers the money some folks would have people believe. A concrete example of what the tobacco support program is doing was made this week with the announcement that the Flu-Cured Tobacco Stabilization Corporation will begin next month to pay dividends on the tobacco it purchased from the 1947 crop. And the dividend payments to the farmers for the tobacco from the 1947 crop which went into the stabilization pool will amount to more than four million dollars.

The stabilization corporation began operations in 1946 and has received under loan of 90 per cent of parity 580,000,000 pounds of tobacco since that time. But in receiving the tobacco, the corporation has found an increasing market value for the commodity it took in return for its 90 per cent of parity loan. It has found ready markets for the tobacco which has been taken in by the program, and has been able to dispose of the tobacco from the 1947 crop at a profit.

The program has afforded the tobacco farmers a better price for their tobacco than they would otherwise have been able to secure, and at the same time, it has not caused the government to lose large sums of money by purchasing huge quantities of a commodity for which there is no market. In the latter aspect, it differs widely from some of the other phases of the commodity support program.

Maybe A Little Extra For Higher Operating Costs

This business of the Post Office Department balancing its budget has come to the forefront again. This time it is with the proposal by Postmaster General Donaldson that the parcel post rates be increased 25 per cent.

The records of the department show clearly that the department for the most part is operating in the red every year. The parcel post division alone is said to have had a deficit of something like \$100,000,000 during 1949. The 25 per cent increase in the parcel post rates are expected to bring in an extra \$110,000,000 which will put the parcel post division out of the red... if... if it doesn't cause a substantial drop in volume of parcel post and if operating expenses don't go up.

The government agencies, of all organizations, should have a good idea that operating expenses of practically all business organizations are going up in the face of the new economy into which the nation is entering. While the department is making arrangements for an increase in the parcel post rate, would it not be wise to make the increase sufficient to take care of the division at least during the coming year?

It would be much better to add a little to the rate increase and make sure the par-

RULING MAY BE BLOW TO FAIR-TRADE

A decision in a New York court, if it is upheld at higher levels, may have deep significance in the 45 states which permit manufacturers of trademarked goods to fix the retail prices.

Columbia Records sought an injunction restraining a retailer from selling its long-playing records at less than fixed prices. After evidence showed Columbia had not objected to the sale of its 78 r.p.m. records at cut prices, Official Referee Isidor Wasservogel found that "such conduct by Columbia must be construed as an admission on its part that its trade mark does not need the protection it seeks."

If this theory is upheld, it will have wide effects on "fair trade" practices. Many of the larger appliance companies fix prices of some articles under fair trade laws but do not fix prices of others, although all bear the same trade mark. It is also a common practice for manufacturers to withdraw fixed prices before the introduction of new models to permit dealers to clear their stocks. Since the new models bear the same trade marks as the old, if the Wasservogel ruling prevails it may be difficult to maintain fixed prices on the new models. In fact, it could be one of the gravest blows to these fair-trade laws to date.

FURNITURE DEMAND EXPECTED HIGH

Despite the reduction in new housing starts, which would seem to affect demand for furniture, the Grand Rapids Furniture Exposition Association expects brisk buying and prices 8 to 20 per cent higher when its market opens January 8. Manufacturers report they have large unfilled orders.

NEW AND HOT

FLATTERING: Fluorescent lamps with more red in their light, said to make most persons' complexions appear more attractive, are being produced by Solar Electric Corp., Warren, Pa.

WASHINGTON LETTER

BY JANE EADS

Washington—Service men and war workers called the nation's capital a "good leave town" during World War II, when they used to come for weekends from a radius of about 350 miles around.

With the stepping-up of the national defense program and an increasing influx of service personnel, the city's aim is to regain the title and is reactivating the services which pleased tired, bored, lonely and homesick GIs in war years.

Already set up is an Information Center in the heart of downtown Washington. It will be open weekends to help service men and women seeking information on a thousand different problems... where to find a room, entertainment, good food, girls, and so on.

Mrs. William M. Galvin, executive secretary of Washington's Armed Services Hospitality Committee, which was appointed by the District of Columbia commissioners, tells me some 70 women volunteers are ready to assist at the center. These women, she says, need no training for the job, having received a wealth of experience in World War II. On the information center's opening about 90 men came in, a great many seeking a place to write letters, Mrs. Galvin said.

Mrs. Clifford Davis, wife of the Democratic Congressman from Tennessee, in charge of the Information Service, says the women are trying to do a good job of morale building.

"I find the boys much more bitter these times than in the past," said Mrs. Davis, who organized the service in World War II. "They all are ready to go right back home."

Mrs. Davis says "hat now, as in war days, service men and women want most to see the Capitol, then the White House. The Washington monument comes next in tourist sightseeing interest, the Smithsonian Institution and the FBI next. Unfortunately today they can see neither the Capitol nor the White House. Both are under extensive repairs and closed to the public.

"They want to know where there's dancing going on, and they don't want square-dancing," she told me. "They think square dancing takes too much effort—they want to be able to talk to their partners. The number one question, however, is 'where can we find a blow?'"

# Blizzard Took Big Bite Out Of Coal Stockpile; New Heavy Demands Seen

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—The great blizzard of 1950 took a big bite out of America's coal stockpile sooner than usual.

It is too soon to say how much. But further, a progressive boosting of industrial production and a forthcoming new demand for coal in Europe point to far greater needs in the next year than in this one.

Bluminous production this year has averaged 10,000,000 tons a week. The National Coal Association notes some things which it says will hold that average for some time to come.

As of November 25, the total dug in 1950 was 454,000,000 tons. If the 10,000,000-ton average holds, the year's production would be 504,000,000 tons, although it likely will be a little less.

It is 5,000,000 more tons than last year but 45,000,000 less than in 1948. And it's a far cry from the 619,500,000 tons dug in the peak year of 1944.

The country's consumption in October was 38,000,000 tons. In spite of some holidays when factories were down, the weather and the business upsurge probably will show a November consumption of

40,000,000 or better.

One industry source figures that the total to be used by the year's end will be around 470,000,000 tons. On a 504,000,000-ton production basis, this would leave a stockpile of 34,000,000 tons.

There were a few weeks this year when output got up to 12,000,000 tons but they represented peaks. In some previous years 12,500,000 tons weekly was the rule rather than the exception. One industry spokesman said it could be done again very quickly if freight car shortages weren't troubling various areas.

Aside from the demand created by industrial speed-up, Europe has started asking for more coal. The National Coal Association in its latest bulletin said:

"There is looming up a demand for coal to be exported—in fact, England is seeking coal here, and this is business that we have not heretofore enjoyed. X X X there are several other countries making inquiries about coal and some are in the market at this time.

"Our government defense program will soon be reflecting itself in a greater use of coal."

As an indication of what is hap-

pening to the export market, one industry source pointed out that prior to four weeks ago, shipments from Hampton Roads, Virginia, ran about 44,000 tons a week. In the last month, that has been stepped up to 67,000 tons a week.

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Also, about 2,000,000 tons was lost Thanksgiving week and there are other holidays before the end of the year.

3. The electric utility industry will add more than 6,000,000 kilowatts in 1951 and this will require a lot of coal.
4. The armed services draft will have some effect in manpower.
5. In some northern states industrial users of natural gas have been notified they will have to curtail demands for gas because there isn't enough to serve fully both industrial and household consumers.

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## Taft Says GOP Not Counseled On Korea Crisis

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said today the administration is not asking Republicans for advice on how to meet the desperate crisis in Korea.

Taft's statement came after Senator Hoey (D-NC) capped an outburst of Democratic and Republican advice in the Senate yesterday with a demand for withdrawal of all American troops from Korea.

Hoey said in a statement that "the supreme consideration now is to get our soldiers out of Korea and prevent a general slaughter."

## Prefers Warmer California Jail

Riverside, Calif., Dec. 6—(AP)—"Come and get me, sheriff," said the voice on the phone. "It's cold in this Maine jail and I want to come back to California."

Sheriff Carl Rayburn obliged. He dispatched a deputy to Holden, Me., to take into custody Everett George. George escaped from the Blythe, Calif., jail a month ago while awaiting trial on auto theft charges.

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## Better News Coverage Of Legislature Planned

Raleigh, Dec. 6—Plans being worked out by newspaper and radio reporters assigned to the next general assembly, in cooperation with presiding officers and members of the legislature, promise faster and more accurate news coverage of the 1951 session than has ever been possible before.

The newsmen have had several informal conferences among themselves and one attended by prospective presiding officers to discuss these matters. Committees have been working for sometime on such items as improved telephone service, more copies of bills when introduced so there will be no delay in getting summaries out to the people, and better facilities for radio and camera equipment. Physical inadequacies of the century-old capitol building have presented most serious problems. From the architectural and esthetic view the North Carolina capitol is a model of perfection. From the viewpoint of utility in mid-twentieth century, it is woefully built there were no telephones and practically no telegraph communication. Photography was in embryonic stages and radio had not been dreamed up. Half a dozen reporters attended the legislative sessions and got their stories out sometime within the week or month—it didn't matter much. Then one press table in each chamber with capacity for four or five reporters was sufficient.

Preliminary survey of requirements for the 1951 session show facilities will be needed for at

least eight daily newspapers, four news gathering and disseminating associations serving newspapers and radio stations, at least four radio stations on their own, and an undetermined number of cameramen and representatives of newspapers and services not requiring full time or space allocation.

Newsmen in 1950 work on split-second timing as contrasted with the leisurely week or two spread that prevailed in 1940, when the capitol was built. It is important now that newsmen get copies of bills immediately upon introduction instead of day after tomorrow.

Some progress is being made toward speeding up service. New press tables are being built for both senate and house chambers to provide seats for ten or twelve instead of four or five writing reporters. The press room is being equipped with more adequate working tables, desks, type-

writers and telephones. Provision is being made for better radio and camera service. Negotiations are underway to speed up delivery of copies of bills when introduced. Legislative officials and newsmen are interested in these matters for their own convenience. At the same time they are acutely conscious of the fact the 1951 general assembly will be one of the most significant in state history, and the people of the state have a right to know what is happening when it happens. If tentative plans work out the people will have that opportunity to larger degree than ever before.

The additional tables and other equipment will cut down space in the legislative halls for members to get together and interfere to some extent with their movements during sessions. That is unavoidable, and no protest is expected because members of the general assembly also recognize the importance of adequate news of their doings in the capitol.



BEGINNING OF BIG ROMANCE — Jimmie (right), a three-tonner, peeks at his new companion, Submarine, a 1,500-pound maiden hippo, in Philadelphia Zoo. Meeting was called prelude to year's biggest romance—pound for pound. Submarine came from Chicago Zoo, Brookfield, Ill.

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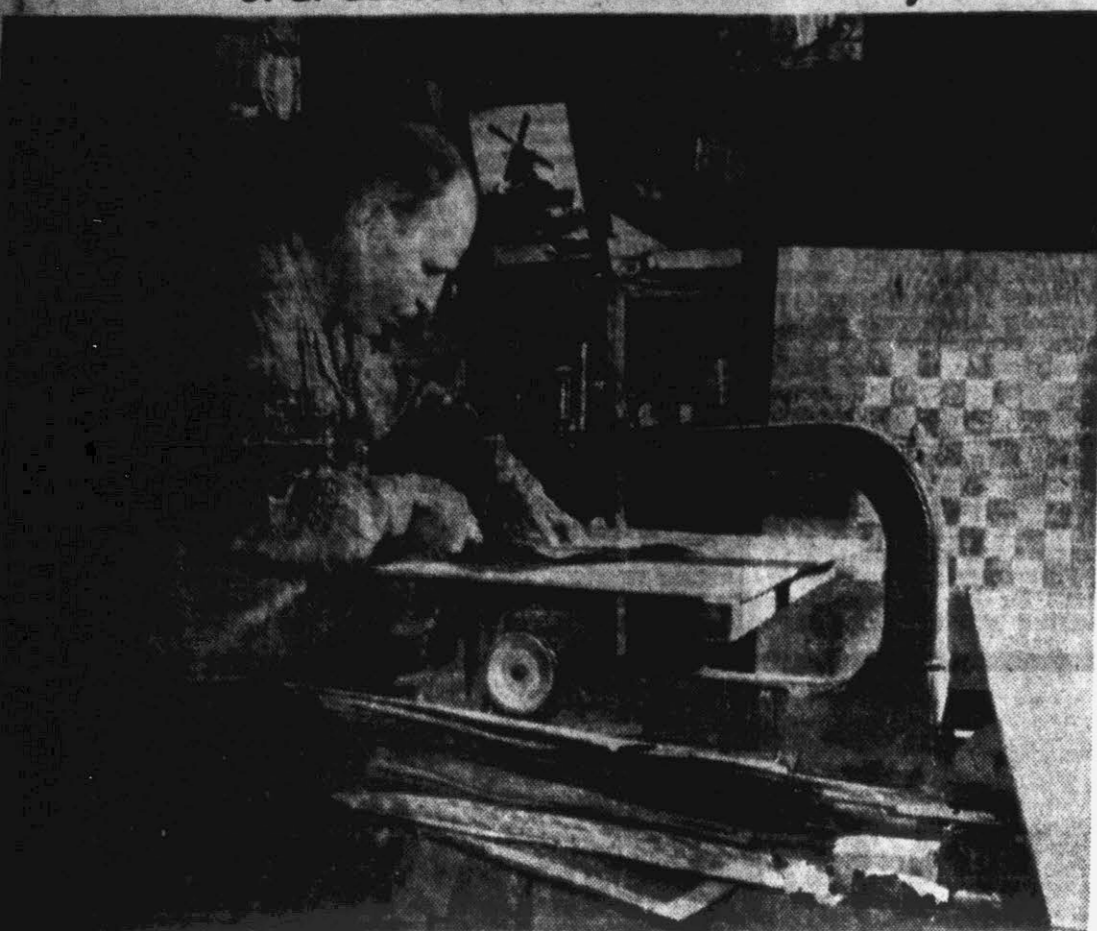
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### J. G. Gibbs At Work On Wood Inlays



On Thursday afternoon, December 7, at 2 o'clock, an exhibit of woods and wood inlays will open at the local art gallery. In the above picture J. G. Gibbs, highway engineer, of Greenville, is shown at work at this interesting hobby. Using a jig-saw and other tools he cuts out thousands of little pieces of wood to achieve the right colors and tones then fits them into mosaics.

### Early Sponsor Of Future Teachers Chapter



Emma L. Hooper, faculty member longer than any other person in the department of English at North Carolina and in point of service at Carolina Teachers College, is ranked third in the nation. The woman above, seated at right, has Robert H. Wright chapter at East Carolina faculty sponsor of a chapter of Carolina, chartered May 10, 1939, is Future Teachers of America the oldest active chapter in this

state and the seventh oldest in the United States. Miss Hooper, who is founder of the chapter here and has been associated with it since its beginning, is described in a recent letter from PTA national headquarters in Washington, D.C. as "one of our earliest, most steadfast, and delightful sponsors." She is pictured above chatting about chapter activities with student officers of the group (left to right): Carolyn R. Howerton, Woodsdale, program chairman; Evelyn M. Jernigan, Lewiston, of the membership committee; and Gertrude Watts, Whiteville, treasurer. (East Carolina News Bureau Photo.)

### Virginia Collection Of Paintings Now On Display At College

Water color paintings by a number of distinguished American artists are now on display at East Carolina Teachers College in the art gallery in the Austin building. Dora Clout, director of the department of art has announced. The collection, made up of twenty-one original paintings, is being shown at East Carolina through the courtesy of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts in Richmond. Those who are interested in seeing the pictures are invited to visit the college gallery, which is open Monday through Saturday from 8:00 in the morning until 9:00 in the evening. The exhibition will close December 14. Among artists whose work is included are Don Kingman, Karl Zerbe, Miron Sokole, Arthur Dove, and David Friedenthal.

**Hands.** Mrs. Zeb Whitehurst led the devotional which was followed by a play at 7:30 in the evening. The play that makes the difference was presented under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Smith. During the play reports were given by representatives of mission fields:

- China—Miss Agnes Quinley
- India—Mrs. James Moore
- Africa—Mrs. A. C. Turnage
- Mexico—(American Nurse) Miss Jean Moore
- Mexican boy—Paul Cox

American girl who has dedicated her life to missionary work—Miss Gayle Flanagan. Other characters were Mrs. Z. B. T. Cox, Mrs. Ted Albritton and Miss Elizabeth Moore. Special music was rendered by Mrs. Clarence Moye, Miss Ann Bynum, organist, Mrs. Henrietta Williamson, pianist, Mrs. W. A. Follard.

Following the play an offering was taken for missions, amounting to \$72.58. C. A. Mazingo, district manager for Southern Appliances Inc., has received an electric stove which he won in a contest sponsored during July, August and September by the Coolerator factory. Other prizes which have not yet been delivered to him include brass end table lamps, dog, swing set, two diamond rings and a wrist watch. He was second high in sales in the state during that period. In a contest sponsored by a sewing machine manufacturer he won a sewing machine.

Some men were burning trash Thursday on the Cobdale Farm, now owned by J. M. Smith. They were watching the fire when suddenly they detected a flame on top of the tobacco barn on the other side of the road. They managed to put out the barn fire, with only one side of the structure and shelter slightly burned.

**Mid-Week Worship Service** Mid-week worship service will be held at Jarvis Memorial Methodist church tonight at 7:30. The service will be conducted by the pastor.

The Board of Education will meet immediately following the close of the service.

### Ayden News

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bealand of Washington, D.C. were local visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitaker of Conover are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mumford announce the birth of a daughter on Friday, December 1 in Pitt General Hospital, Greenville. Mrs. Mumford is the former Lenora Haller of Hopewell, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McLahorn announce the birth of a son, William Michael at General Memorial Hospital, Kinston. Mrs. McLahorn is the former Miss Katherine Dawson of Ayden.

Billy Edwards of Raleigh spent the weekend with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Edwards.

Mr. W. E. Hooks of Raleigh was a local visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Tripp spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Davis in Snow Hill.

Mr. Joe Whitaker is a patient in General Memorial Hospital, Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Baldrice spent the weekend in Richmond, Va.

Mr. G. I. Bullock spent the weekend in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Steve Eure of Lake Waccamaw was a local visitor last week.

Misses Maud Moore, Susie Dupont, and Mrs. C. R. Tyndall spent the weekend in Richmond, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Noble and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holton and son of Greensboro spent last weekend with Mrs. Mattie Holton.

Mr. Wendell Dixon of Fayetteville spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. H. Dixon.

Mrs. F. D. Prevatt of Washington, D.C. spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Paddison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hubbard and son Billy of Raleigh spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stell spent the holidays with Mrs. Stell's parents in Atlantic.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burrey of Chapel Hill spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burney.

Mrs. Viola Smith, formerly of Conway, S.C. is making her home in Ayden with her sister, Mrs. Martha Holland.

Friends of Harrell D. Copeland, Jr., of Roxabel, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Copeland, will be glad to know that he is rapidly recovering from

severe burns about the right arm, and side which he suffered from an overturned coffee percolator. He has been a patient in the Ahooskie Hospital.

Miss Peggy Steed spent the weekend in Warsaw, where a miscellaneous shower was given in her honor Saturday evening by a former class-

mate. Mr. and Mrs. James J. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Edwards have returned home from Mississippi where Mrs. James J. Edwards went for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Sauls and family returned to their home in Hagerstown, Maryland, after having

spent some time with Mrs. M. M. Sauls.

Old time sailors threw coins at Halfway Rock in Massachusetts Bay for luck on leaving Salem and Marblehead.

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### Farmville News

Mrs. Pete Carson, Mrs. Luther Deal were Greenville visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Skinner Willoughby and Mrs. Pete Allen visited their grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Willoughby, of Greenville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kittrell of Raleigh visited Mr. Kittrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kittrell, for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Lee Corbett and daughter Linda spent Sunday with Leslie Smith of Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aswell drove to Raleigh Saturday night to see the Christmas decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riley and family of Chapel Hill spent the weekend with Mrs. Riley's mother, Mrs. C. R. Towsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Maclefield visited relatives in Farmville Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Corbett was a Greenville visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Ellen Leggette of Washington spent Tuesday with her brother, Jack Smith.

**Seniors Stage Comedy Friday Night** "Oh Promise Me," a comedy in three acts, will be presented next Friday, Dec. 8, in the high school auditorium by the Farmville Senior Class. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dunn are directing the production. Tickets are 50c for students and 50c for adults.

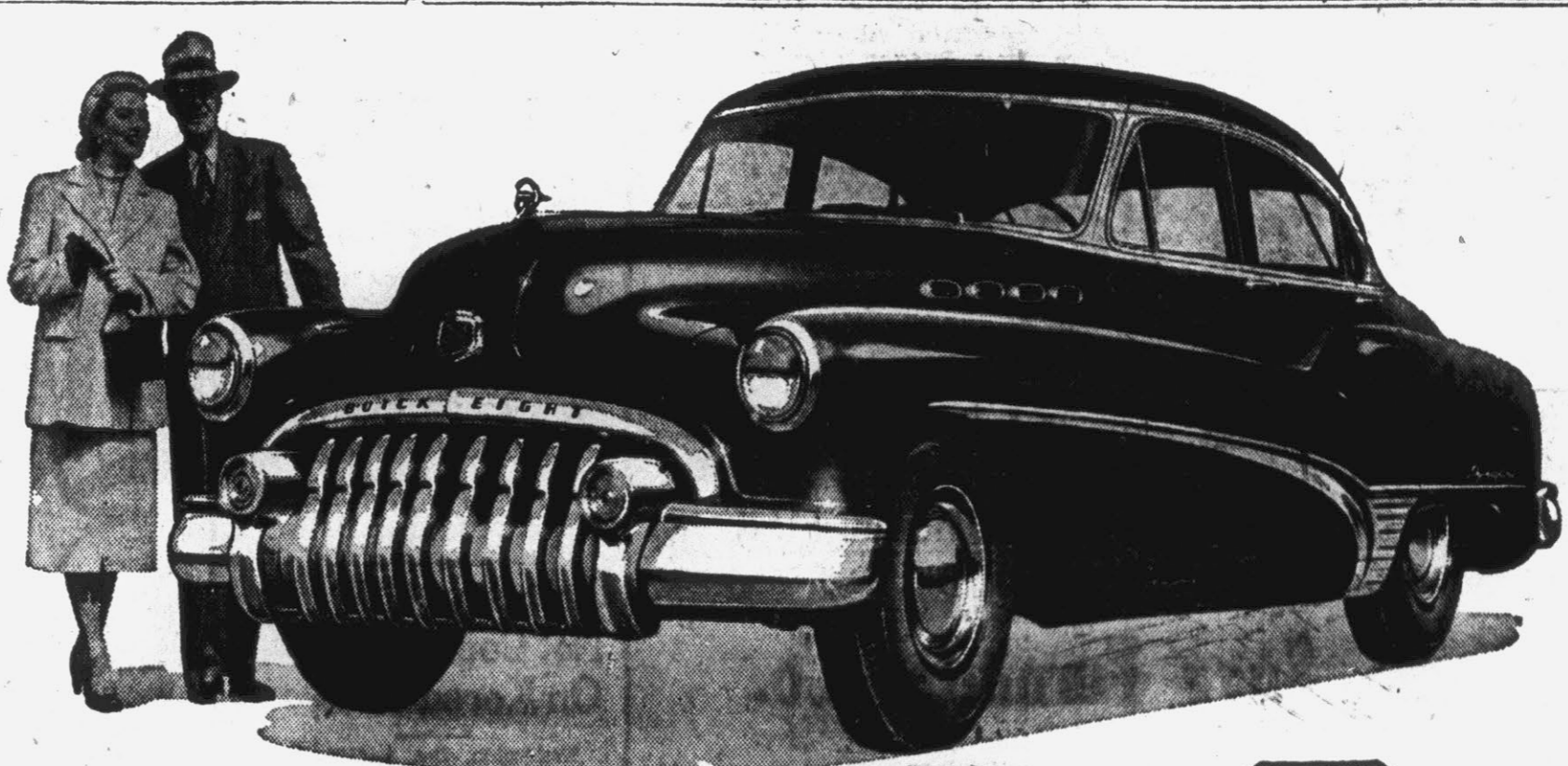
The Bell Arthur Christian Church is sponsoring a turkey supper next Friday night, Dec. 8, from 5:30 to 7:30. Plates for adults are \$1 and for children under 12 years of age 50 cents.

**Announce Engagement** Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Lilly announce the engagement of their daughter, Alma Gray, to James Joseph Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wood of Asheboro. The wedding will take place on Christmas day in the Farmville Christian Church.

Miss Lilly is teacher of distributive education in the Hickory Schools.

**Woman's Day Program** Sunday, Dec. 3, was observed in the Farmville Christian Church as Woman's Day by the Christian Women's Fellowship.

At the 11:00 o'clock service the pastor, Rev. Z.B.T. Cox used as the topic of the sermon "These Honored



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# Rotary Gets Preview Of March Of Dimes Needs

By WYATT BROWN

The March of Dimes Campaign for 1951 was given a preview Monday night to the Greenville Rotarians by the 1951 Drive Chairman Dr. E. R. Browning and local chapter chairman, J. H. Rose. Both the local and national experience and need was presented together with an urge that the Rotarians support the coming drive.

Dr. Browning made the point that 35 percent of the cases were now occurring in late teen-agers and adults causing greater expense in supplying respirators — mainly in getting them quickly to needed areas.

In giving the local record Dr. Browning said that besides the carryover from 1949 there were fourteen new cases in 1950 — ten white and four colored. He assured that none had died in Pitt to date nor was the disease found in any one sector of the county. The demand on local resources finds the local group operating at a deficit.

Sixty-six payments were made in 1950 running from \$2.50 to \$900 each payment, totalling \$5,207.

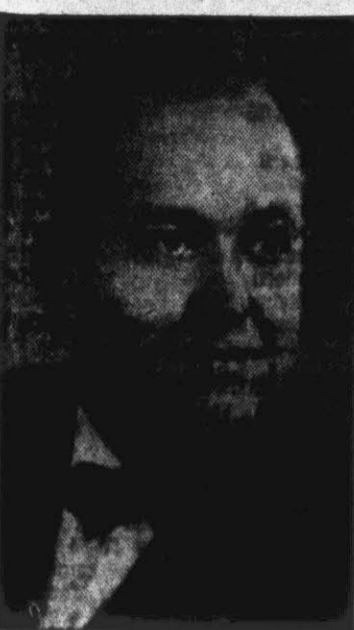
The number affected was greatest in 1949 nationally and the last three years found more cases than the decade preceding. Though research has progressed with National Foundation funds to finance it, the battle has not yet been won as with TB and small pox.

He related that the start of the epidemics was in Hickory, North Carolina in 1944. The worst outbreak was next in Minneapolis in 1945 and Los Angeles in 1948. The pattern now is that it reoccurs in the same areas. Areas aided do not pay their own way but have help from the National Foundation. \$4,000 were aided in 1950 nationally. Four out of five polio sufferers are helped by the March of Dimes. Most all those having polio in Pitt County were in the poor class and non-well-to-do.

Then Mr. Rose told how cold weather was supposed to end polio but that now-a-days it does not even hesitate in striking in Alaska. In North Carolina polio started in Hickory and worked down to Raleigh and then along the Southern Railway. Finally it came to Pitt and was worse than ever last year here. With all the expense Pitt County has had Mr. Rose said with the drive to come off soon that it was hoped it would not be necessary to borrow any money.

Tom Mewborn and Frank Williams of the Farmville Rotary Club were visiting Rotarians last night. Charite Mitchell of the Greenville High School was greeted as the Junior Rotarian. Alfred Thirilsen was presented as the newest Rotarian last night. Charlie White, vice-president, presided. J. H. Rose, Chairman of the Program Committee presented the program. It was decided to hold no meeting December 25th. Plans for Christmas for the needy in the Community are to be announced next week.

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WRITE ON YELLOW

# Scene Of Fire In Which Child Died



A large crowd gathered yesterday afternoon soon after the reporting that a one and one-half year old Negro child had perished, when fire razed the combination store and beauty parlor in Grifton shown above. The fire which was believed to have started when an oil heating stove exploded, had such a head start when first noticed, that rescue of the child which was sleeping in one section of the building was impossible. (Reflector Staff Photo By Ray Hardee).

## Fountain News

Rev. Philip M. Cory was installed as pastor of the Grace Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock services. Installation services were by Dr. Harold J. Dudley, pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Wilson. Dr. Dudley pronounced the constitution question and delivered the charge to Rev. Philip M. Cory, the pastor. Rev. Robert Hough, pastor of Memorial Presbyterian Church of Tarboro, preached the sermon on the Church. Mr. R. A. Fountain, elder of Fountain Presbyterian Church, delivered the charge to the congregation. Rev. Hough pronounced the benediction.

The members of the Fountain First Baptist Church are observing a week of prayer by holding Foreign Missionary meetings for four afternoons of this week.

The Fountain Presbyterian Church choir practice will be held at the church Friday, December 8, at 7 p.m.

The Falkland Presbyterian Church will have its Christmas program at the church Sunday, December 24 at 7 p.m.

The Falkland Presbyterian Church members are having a meeting at Falkland School lunch room, December 14 from 8 to 9 p.m. Rev. Philip M. Cory is to review the book, "The Changing South and the Presbyterian Church," written by Dr. E. P. Thompson. Each lady will bring a covered dish and supper will be served at 6 p.m.

The Fountain Ruritan Club will have Ladies Night at Fountain School lunch room Wednesday, December 6, at 7 p.m. The club members will bring their wives and a special invitation has been extended to the Fountain school teachers to attend the meeting. A special program has been planned.

The Fountain Keyboard Club met Saturday, December 2. The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Ernestine Moseley. The club hymn, "A Mighty Fortress Is My God," was sung by all. Miss Betty Sue Dail led the devotional. Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Barbara Bids. After a short business session Mrs. Emily S. Walston, the music instructor, gave a short talk on purpose and advantages of the Keyboard Club. After a short program of which each member took part, the hostess, Miss Fay Moore and Miss Fannie Moore, served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Owens of Macclesfield were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Owens. The Fountain School float won first prize in the Santa Claus parade at Farmville Saturday morning.

Mrs. Martha Bunda spent Sunday in Wilson visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Whitley of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thigpen of Beaulieu were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Walston.

Mrs. J. C. Kelley, Mrs. Roy Galloway and Mrs. Lloyd Galloway of Wilson were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lum Jefferson.

The Fountain Presbyterian Church Circle meeting was held at the home of Mrs. R. A. Fountain Tuesday night. Eleven members and two visitors were present. Mrs. G. E. Trevathan was chairman of the program. Rev. Philip M. Cory gave a very interesting talk on the "Lord's Prayer." The hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Nannie F. Hearne of Macclesfield spent the weekend with her

sister, Mrs. W. S. Newton. Mrs. George King of Washington, D.C. Saturday visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Newton. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown of Macclesfield, Mrs. G. A. Newton and son, Bob of Farmville were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Newton.

Mrs. Robert Hinson returned Saturday after a week's visit with her husband, Mr. R. Hinson of Roanoke Rapids.

Mrs. Carrie Jefferson and daughter Jean, and granddaughter Linda Kay spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Rebecca Wooten of Macclesfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Abrams and family spent Sunday in Rocky

Mount visiting Mrs. Abrams' brother, Mr. Robert Wooten, a patient of Rocky Mount Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Owens and son spent Sunday at Bethel visiting Mrs. Owens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Edmondson.

Mrs. Kattie Owens Friday returned to her old home after having spent two years with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown of Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Owens and daughter, Judy, spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. T. B. Heath of Greenville.

Mrs. L. Owens and son, Tommie, are near Bethel on an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Edmondson.

## Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

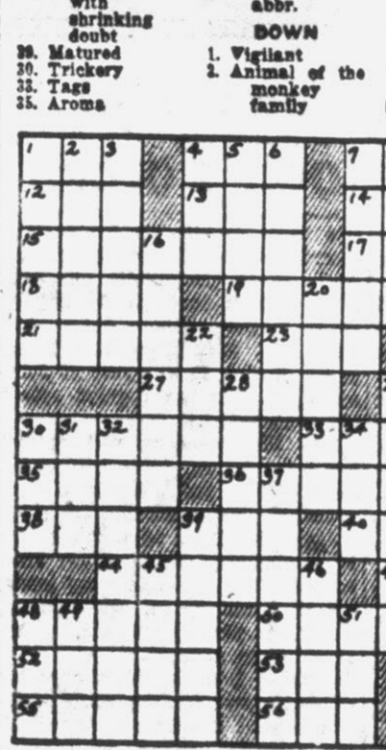
1. High mountain  
2. The candlestick  
3. Factious  
4. Meadow  
5. Joke: slang  
6. Principal part in a piano  
7. Comets with  
8. Stratagem  
9. Incense in a box  
10. Deal with  
11. Canine  
12. The turner's  
13. Anticipate with shrinking doubt  
14. Matured  
15. Trickery  
16. Tass  
17. Aroma

**DOWN**

1. Momentary halt  
2. Turkish title of respect  
3. Comrade  
4. Things to be done  
5. Small log of wood  
6. Flower  
7. Differ from the standard  
8. Feminine name  
9. The sun  
10. Conductor  
11. Simmer in water  
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13. Long fish  
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27. Falstuf  
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29. Mark of duplication  
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**PAC ABLE MAIL**  
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**PANS WORST**  
**FOLLY TERNE**  
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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



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# Irv Holdash Placed On AP All-America Defensive Team

## AP Picks Two-Platoon Elevens For First Time

By TED SMITS  
Associated Press General Sports Editor

New York, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Associated Press All-America football team for 1950, for the first time, is divided into offensive and defensive squads in key with the modern style of play. Oklahoma, Army and Texas each placed two men on the first teams.

Probably as a direct result of the spread of the two platoon system, football offense reached a new peak in 1950. A survey of the teams in The AP's top ten rankings showed that 15 years ago the nation's leaders averaged 17 points per game. This year with a baffling variety of plays sustained by fresh waves of players, the average exceeds 30. A new high mark in offensive fury in a game between major schools was reached when Ohio State beat Iowa 53-21.

The offensive backs who stood out in this orgy of ground gaining were Don Heinrich, Washington's tricky passer and field general; Bobby Reynolds, sensational Nebraska sophomore who led the nation's major schools in scoring with 157 points; Everett Grandelius, big Michigan State back who gained 1,023 yards against tough opposition; and Dick Kazmaier, mainspring of Princeton's undefeated team.

They had only the slightest margin, however, over the second team offensive backfield of Babe Parill of Kentucky; John Bright of Drake; and Kyle Rote of Southern Methodist.

Rounding out the first offensive team were Dan Foldsberg of Army and Don Stonesifer of Northwestern at ends; Jim Weatherall of Oklahoma and Bob Gain of Kentucky at tackles; Bud McFadin of Texas and Bob Ward of Maryland at guards; and Bill Vohaska of

Illinois at center. The All-America defensive squad that could contain the foe and pave the way for this formidable offensive array is composed of Frank Anderson of Oklahoma and Don Menasco of Texas at ends, Al Carapella of Miami and Al Wahl of M. at tackles, Les Richter of California and Ted Daffer of Tennessee at guards, with two linebackers to make up the second line of defense—Elmer Stout of Army and Irv Holdash of North Carolina.

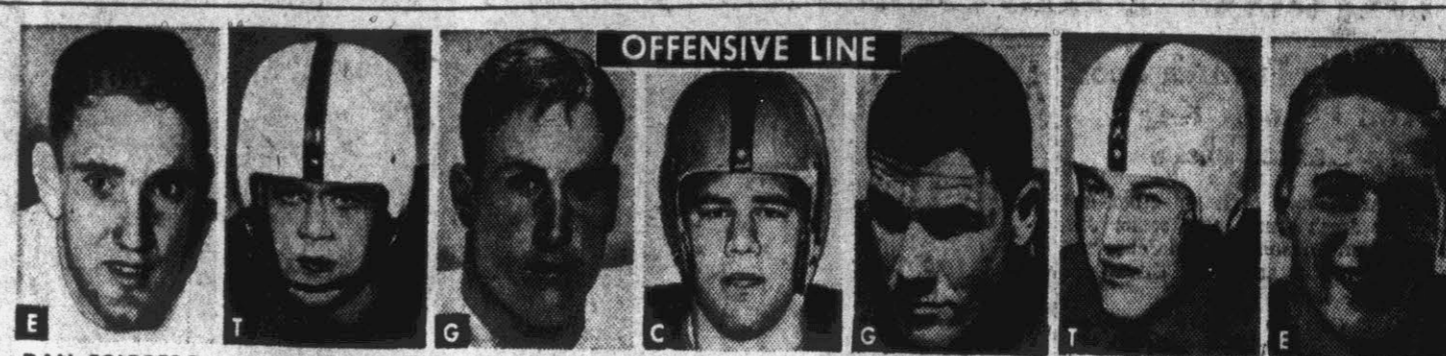
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Carbon League's Penlites strengthened their league lead Monday night, winning two games from Nine Lives while losing one. This series served to increase the Penlites' lead to three and one half games over the Blackcats and Nine Lives.

The Blackcats moved into a two-way tie with Nine Lives during the night's play, as they defeated the Evereadys two games to one. These two teams are now deadlocked for second place in the standings with 15-15 percentage.

Francis Whelan, Penlite bowler, moved up in the league's individual scoring leaders, posting a single game high of 209 pins, second only to B. Wells of the Evereadys, and rolled a three-game score of 523, which is runner-up to Brooks of the Blackcats.



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AL CARAPELLA (Miami) AL WAHL (Michigan)  
BOB WILLIAMS (Notre Dame) VIC JANOWICZ (Ohio State) EDDIE SALEM (Alabama)  
ELMER STOUT (Army) IRVIN HOLDASH (North Carolina) LES RICHTER (California) TED DAFFER (Tennessee)

## Bethel's Indians Score Astounding Victory, 44 To 20

Bethel, Dec. 6.—Coach Walter Latham's defending Pitt County champions stunned Elizabeth City's Class AA Yellow Jackets last night, routing the visitors 44-20.

John Nelson led the point-getting for the Indian quint with 15 points with White and Manning following up with nine points apiece.

Bethel's defense was tight last night, as the visiting Yellow Jackets were able to garner only three field goals the entire game. Putrell and DeMoregue led the losers, with five and four points.

Manning was the standout on defense for the Indians.

In a preliminary game, the Elizabeth City J.V.'s defeated the Bethel Papooses by a close score, 28-24.

These two teams will play again tonight at Elizabeth City.

Bethel  
J. Nelson 15  
Keel 8  
Manning 9  
White 9  
Johnson 5  
Anderson 1  
Whitehurst 2  
McLawhorn  
J. Whitehurst  
Halftime score: Bethel 21, E.C. 7

## Appalachian Stages Late Rally For Win

Johnson City, Tenn., Dec. 6.—(AP) Appalachian State surged from behind late in the second half to defeat Milligan College 79-64 in a non-conference basketball game here last night. Hunt, center for the Mountaineers, sparked the winners with 20 points.

CATAMOUNTS WIN  
Cullowhee, N. C., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Western North Carolina Teachers opened its 1950-51 basketball season here last night with a 56-51 victory over Carson-Newman of Jefferson City, Tenn. Paul Taylor paced the winners with 16 points.

baseball survive in daily competition with the top performers of the profession? The answer, in my opinion, is 'No.'  
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## Pythian Bowl Fans Will See Three-Platoon Force

Salisbury, Dec. 6.—The West Liberty Hilltoppers, co-champions of the West Virginia Intercollegiate Conference this season, will introduce something new to Southern football Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock when they meet the Appalachian Mountaineers here on Shuford Field in the second annual Pythian Bowl classic.

The unbeaten, untied Hilltoppers will probably unveil a three platoon system when they tangle with the unbeaten, one-tied Mountaineers.

This three-team system used on occasions this season by the West Virginia school is composed of one defensive unit and two offensive elevens—a single-wing. The result of the three-platoon system in the last four years can be seen in the club's outstanding record of only one loss in the last 42 contests.

In eight contests this season the Hilltoppers scored 254 points with their rugged defensive unit held opponents to only 39 points.

Coach Joseph A. Bartell, a graduate of the University of West Virginia, attributes the success of his teams primarily to the use of the better plays of both formations. The single wing is the main formation of the Hilltoppers, however, and they may limit their offensive to that system here Saturday.  
Coach E.C. Duggins uses only one offensive unit and one defensive team to pile up his enviable record. His Mountaineers are North State champions this year after rolling through 10 regular season games without defeat. The Apps lost to Emory and Henry in the Burley Bowl game at Johnson City after the regular season was completed.

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11:03 A. M.	Ar Fayetteville	Lv 5:08 P. M.	
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## Television Comes Into Minor League Convention

St. Petersburg, Fla., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Transfer of the Jersey City International league franchise to Ottawa today brings the radio-television threat into sharp focus as the minors began their "fight for survival."  
President George Trautman, in his annual report to his National Association of Minor Leagues, warned that "both the majors and the minors are at the crossroads."  
"Unrestrained broadcast and telecast of major league games from stations located in minor league territory has contributed much more to the decline of attendance than all other factors combined," Trautman said.

More than 2000 stations located from coast to coast engaged in 1950 in broadcasting major league games.  
Trautman cited other factors that contributed to the 19 per cent attendance drop in his speech to the delegates from 57 leagues at the opening business session of the convention. He acknowledged that some decrease in the turnstile count could be blamed on poor weather conditions, fewer recreational dollars and the unsettled international condition.  
"The question is simply this," Trautman said. "Can minor league

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# East Carolina Has Young, Seasoned Squad This Season

## Russell, Huffman, Hodges To Furnish Scoring Punch; Bauer And Fennell Key Floor Men; Play Two Games Here

By BILL LLOYD  
Reflector Sports Editor

A young, but seasoned squad, with a definite scoring punch, will be featured by East Carolina's Pirates in this season's 23-game state schedule.

Coach Howard Porter's quint looked highly impressive in their two pre-season tilts, although they lost both games to George Glamack's professionals and a highly-regarded Naval Air Station club.

The Purple and Gold Buccaneers have already put their first conference victory on the hook, routing Guilford, 61-35; while losing a non-circuit overtime scrap, 63-62, to Camp Lejeune.

Sparkplug of the East Carolinas hoopsters is All-Conference, Sonny Russell, 6'3" sophomore forward from New Bern, who has racked up 49 points in four games thus far this season.

Russell, in addition to being a consistent scorer, is a smooth ball-handler, which brings such quips from other coaches as "that Sonny Russell is great."

Following Russell in the offensive department is Freshman Charlie Huffman. This towering Thomasville Terror stands four inches over six feet, and was placed on the All-Piedmont team in North Carolina last year. Huffman has scored 44 points in four games and has played a major role in getting rebounds.

Another reason for the Pirates' recent success is heralded Bobby Hodges, big 6'5" Kinston High School All-Star last year, who has joined the basketballers since football has been concluded.

In his first game for the Bucs, Hodges tipped in six field goals for 12 points against the Marines. Hodges is also a rebound specialist, and is already being considered as replacement for last year's scoring star, Jack Evertson, who has played out his eligibility.

Len Bauer, a senior from Norview, Va., who has been a work-horse guard for the Pirates for the past three years, teams with steady Toddy Fennell, a junior from Wilmington, as the play-makers for the Pirate point-getting punch.

East Carolina, with more height, also has more experienced and capable reserves for their 1950-51 campaign.

Such players as Lou Collie, a nifty set-shot artist, John Postas and

Richard Blake, both up from last year's frosh squad, and senior Jim Blake and freshman Paul Jones will see plenty of action in this year's 23-game state schedule.

East Carolina opens its home schedule here Friday night, playing hosts to Wilson's Teachers of Washington, D.C., and following up on Saturday night with McCrary's top-flight semi-pro outfit.

The Pirates' four-game scoring summary:

	G	FG	FT	PPM	FT	TP
Russell	4	23	3	2	14	49
Huffman	4	19	6	9	5	44
Collie	4	11	5	7	10	27
Fennell	4	10	6	5	12	26
Bauer	4	8	8	6	11	24
J. Blake	4	7	4	4	9	18
Hodges	2	6	3	11	10	15
Postas	4	5	4	4	14	14
Jones	4	3	3	0	1	9
Blake	4	0	0	1	0	0

## Winterville Girls Gain Fifth Game; Wolves Post Win

Winterville, Dec. 6.—Winterville's Wolves and Wolverines made another clean sweep last night, triumphing over Stokes in two one-sided affairs.

Winterville's girls won 44-11, while the boys posted a 50-27 victory.

Anne Speir gathered in 14 points to lead the Wolverine sextet, with Betsy Castelleo runner-up with 12 points. Janice Taylor made 10 of the 11 points for Stokes.

Alice Thompson led the Wolverine defensive stars, who have now won their fifth straight game.

E. C. Averette combined with Bobby Cole to lead the Wolves in their third win, 50-27. Averette scored 14 points and Cole had 10.

Thomas Nobles and J. N. Riggs stood out on defense for the Wolves. Corey was the spark of the Stokes quint with 11 points.

Chicod and Winterville play at Winterville in a doubleheader Friday night.

## Ayden Opens Up With Double Win Over Chicod Club

Ayden, Dec. 6.—Ayden's Tornadoes scored a double victory last night, whipping Chicod in their opening games, 22-19, in the girls' tilt, and 57-32 in the boys' scrap.

The girls' game was the close one for the night, as the lead changed continually in the third quarter, before Alice Jean Cox tied the count, and then Ayden staved off a Chicod rally to come out on top.

Cox, who sprained her ankle in the closing minutes of the game, was the scoring leader for the Ayden sextet with 16 points, while Dot Jackson, June Stokes and Margie Davenport stood out on defense. Cox, captain of this year's team, is expected to be out until after Christmas.

Shirley Gaskins with eight points led the losers.

In the boys' tilt, everything went about as expected as Mac Whitehurst led the Tornadoes scoring with 20 points, while Delano Cox dipped in 13, and L. J. Griffin had eight, to lead the boys' onslaught, 57-32.

W. L. Willis, with 16 points, led the Chicod eagles.

Outstanding defensive men for Ayden were Teedy Bullock, Troy Jackson and Manuel Harrington, while Ken Mills and Sam Cox led the losers.

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## Tee-Off Today In Miami Tourney

Miami, Fla., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Sixty-four of the nation's top ranking professional golfers tee off today in the first round of the five-day \$10,000 Miami International four-ball golf tournament.

Sammy Sneed, leading money winner of 1950 and winner by five strokes in the Miami Open Tournament concluded Sunday, and his Australian-born partner, Jim Ferris, now of San Francisco, are classed as the twosome to beat.

## Princeton Gets Lambert Trophy

New York, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Princeton's Ivy League champions were awarded the Lambert Memorial trophy today as the best college football team in the east.

The unbeaten, untied Tigers were a heavy favorite among sports writers and broadcasters who participated in the annual poll.

They received 55 to 75 first place votes compared with 19 for Army, winner of the trophy for five of the last six years. Army lost favor because of its 14-2 defeat at the hands of Navy last Saturday.

## Blames Lack Of Personnel For Break At Prison

Yadkinville, Dec. 6.—(AP)—State Prisons Director John M. Gold has blamed a lack of personnel for the two breaks at the Yadkin State Prison camp here.

In the latest break Sunday night, six prisoners escaped, and two are still at large. About six weeks earlier another group of prisoners escaped their way out of the prison camp.

After an inspection Monday, Gold said there was no evidence of carelessness on the part of the guards. Yesterday, however, he said the camp needs an assistant supervisor and he will seek a man for the job.

## Sport Slants By Pap

### Michigan's Might



Plagued by early-season injuries Ohio's 15-yard line, and the Buckeyes failed to fight their way out of the hole at any time.

Ortmann has established himself as a great all-around football player. He has shown aptitude at every attack spot, and at one time or other has played every backfield berth. He paced the Western Conference backs on offense for two years. With ample time to recoup his physical forces, Ortmann is likely to be ready to cut loose when Michigan meets California in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. With set up the game-deciding break, Ortmann punted out of bounds inside for a full and exciting afternoon.

## Farmville's Red Devils Sweep Two From Grimesland in Opening Games

Farmville, Dec. 6.—Farmville's girls' and boys' teams made a clean sweep of a doubleheader with Grimesland last night in their first games of the season, with the sextet winning, 32-13, and the boys triumphing, 35-13.

The girls had little trouble in gaining their first victory as Ila Wooten led the scoring parade with 14 points, and Mittie Rouse, converted forward from her guard position last year, followed with 13 markers. Mary Clark and Peggy Daniels each had four points for Grimesland.

Defensive standouts for Farmville were Cella Walston, Joyce Morgan and Phoebe Webb, while Taylor and White were the top guards for the losers.

In the boys' game, the Red Devils waited to the final quarter before they exploded to triumph over the visitors, 35-13.

The Farmville quint experienced some trouble in gaining their shooting eye through the first three quarters, the halftime score reading 11-7, and Grimesland pulling within two points in the third quarter, 15-13.

## Grifton Boys Win Fourth Straight Game, 54-40; Sextet Post Victory

Ft. Barnwell, Dec. 6.—Grifton's boys' team won their fourth straight victory last night, defeating Ft. Barnwell, 54-40, while the Grifton sextet made a clean sweep of the year, 38 to 26.

Rex and John Lewis formed the scoring combination for the Grifton five, as Rex sank 16 points, and John followed up with 15 counters.

Rex Lewis also came in for his share of the defense, along with Hooten, Adams and McLawhorn.

Skianer was high for the losers with 24 points, and had to be closely guarded throughout the ball game, because of his scoring ability.

In the girls' game, despite a deficit at halftime, 14-12, Grifton's sextet scored at will in the second half to post their third win, 38-26. Edna Earl Braxton with 11 points, lead the winners, followed by Nell Mum-

## Pack Roms To Third Victory

Raleigh, N.C., Dec. 6.—(AP)—N.C. State College won its third straight basketball game of the young season by romping over Davidson last night, 87-53, before 7,500 fans. The win was the Wolfpack's second conference victory.

Tomorrow night the Pack faces its stiffest test to date by playing highly-rated George Washington at Washington.

## Ez Charles Scores Knockout In Eleventh

Cincinnati, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Erzard Charles, the heavyweight fistic crown fitted more firmly on his head after last night's 11th round knockout over Nick Barone, looked around today for new foes to fight.

The champ admitted he needed more work, despite a better-than-fair punching job on the stocky Syracuse ex-Marine who forced the fighting from the opening gong until a ringing right blasted his hopes in 2:06 of the 11th session.

Tom Tannas, co-manager of the Cincinnati Negro, had a confab on tap today with Al Weill of New York, matchmaker for the International Boxing Club—and there was a chance a new title scrap was in the making. Tannas and Weill said last night there was nothing definite on the next bout for Charles but that it might be held in Detroit against an opponent still to be selected.

A gross gate of \$53,334.50 was paid by 10,085 home town fans to see Charles in his first appearance here as champion. The crowd almost tore down the Cincinnati Garden Arena as the king of the heavies

handed Barone his first knockout and knockout in 53 fights.

Barone, a sterling scrapper at close range, beat a tattoo on Charles' ribs in the early going—but the champ finally found the way to beat his stock foe at his own game. Barone, his favorite style ineffective against the classy champ, finally tried to out-box Charles and that led to the startling finish.

After Barone had weathered blows of all kinds, his knees were buckled early in the 11th by a stout right to the chin. He hung on until Charles pushed him away and then battered him to the floor with a flurry of rights and lefts climaxed by a "this is it" right to the chin.

Barone hit the canvas, turned on his side at the count of six, and stayed there until counted out.

Charles, at 185, had a 6 1-2 pound edge in weight.

The champ was unmarked by his fifth title defense in a year and it took almost a half hour to get him up and on his feet, and a badly battered nose.

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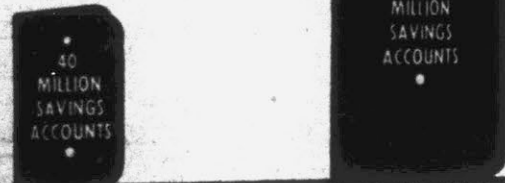
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## MILK RIVER RANGE

by LEE FLOREN

Chapter 5  
After eating at the Steerhorn, Buck McKee and Tortilla Joe rode with Jim and Mart Tuttle toward the Lazy N-S.

When they were a few miles out of Beaverton, Buck noticed that instead of heading northwest to the Lazy N-S, Jim was leading them along the rim of the foothills, heading almost due west.

"Where you taking us?" asked Buck.

"Taking you out to look at the dam."

"What dam?" he demanded.

Tuttle pointed down at the valley stretching to the north. "We're bringing water to those farms down there," said Tuttle. "We aim to irrigate and turn this valley into farming land."

Buck asked, "Who's crazy here? Me or you, Jim?"

"The old man's dream, Buck," said Mart.

Jim Tuttle's eyes were thoughtful. "I tried to fight them at first, Buck. The sodbusters, I mean. But then I got some sense. They came in on my range. I've got eyes. The writing on the wall was there, and I could see it. The trouble with Cavanaugh is that he can't read."

"This farming business," said Buck, "is new stuff to me. Now who owns those houses and farms down yonder?"

"The government still owns most of the land," explained Jim Tuttle. "You see, we haven't—I mean my riders and the farmers—settled on the land long enough to prove up on it. But most of the people down yonder will get their homestead papers soon."

"Riders?" asked Buck. "You mean you got cow-punchers on farms?"

Tuttle nodded. "That's the size of it. Of course, they don't intend to hang onto the farms after they prove up on them. They're still on my payroll, and they'll deed the land over to me when they get their papers."

"Then you'll turn it into cow range, huh?"

"No," Jim shook his head. "That's not it, Buck. The day of the cowman in Milk River Valley—as far as free range is concerned—is over. This land is too valuable to waste for cow feed. This is farming land. But above all that, it's hay-raising land. And you need plenty of hay in this country."

Buck agreed with that statement. According to what he had heard southern cattlemen had driven huge herds into Montana. And the N Bar N, one of Montana's biggest spreads, had driven in from the west, coming from Oregon.

But these cowmen, used to mild Oregon winters and snow-free southern range, had run into howling blizzards and lost their herds, or the greater percentage of them. Lost them to freezing weather and snow-covered ranges.

There was only one way to run cattle in Montana, and that called for feeding hay in the winter.

Buck leaned back in his saddle. "I see," he murmured. "So you aim to run cattle back in the foothills and the rough country, where a man can't irrigate and where the land is only fit for grazing, and use the bottomlands for raising feed for the dogs in the winter."

"But we're missing one main thing," continued old Jim, ignoring his son's remark. "It takes water to grow alfalfa and there's not much rain in this country. So I'm building a dam."

"Consarn that dam," exclaimed Mart. "That's going to get us into trouble."

Jim Tuttle smiled. "Take it easy, kid," he said. "We were bound to get in trouble with Len Cavanaugh, dam or no dam." He looked at Buck. "Maybe there's range for both of us, maybe there's not."

"There's not," said Mart.

Buck nodded. "Looks that way to me, too."

"There it is," said Tuttle.

They had halted at the lip of a steep cut. Below, Beaver Creek tumbled through a ravine. On the bed of the cut, teams and fresnos were laboring.

"Level stretch of land right behind the dam, too," Buck pointed out. "You can impound a heap of water there, Jim."

They rode down slope, broncs sliding in shale. Jim introduced them to his dirt boss Jensen—a square-jawed, big-shouldered Scandinavian. He shook hands and his grip was firm.

"Where do Tortilla and I fit in?" asked Buck.

"You're goin' to take up a homestead," said Jim.

"Not me," announced Tortilla Joe.

Old Jim bristled. "Where do you think you'd fit in, Buck?"

"I've got guns," said Buck slowly. "Two guns. I know horses and cattle. And I think I know something about men. That's four things I know something about, Jim. Which is it?"

Jim Tuttle leaned back against his stirrups, and said, "The wages are two hundred and found, men. How does that strike you, Tortilla Joe?"

"Between the eyes," said the Mexican.

Old Jim had to grin. "And you, Buck?"

"Cut it to fifty and beans," murmured Buck. "Then tell me what the first chore is."

"Got some dogies back in the hills to gather. Fact is, they haven't been gathered for about two years."

"They're wild stuff," said Mart, grinning. "Plenty wild, Buck. And the country's rough—slants and cut coulees—"

"That's it," said Jim.

"But where are these fire-eating critters?"

"Over yonder," Jim Tuttle pointed to the north. Fully ten miles away the northern hills. Then those hills drifted off into the clear distance of space—and finally, Buck's eyes could see no farther.

"Fifty miles to the Canadian line," said Tuttle. "Rough country, wild cattle—stiff slants. How about it, Buck?"

Buck felt the challenge of it stir his blood. Coldly, his eyes touched the terrain. He read in it a gesture of defiance that tingled through him and whetted his desire.

"The cows," said Buck, "are as good as in your corral, Jim."

(To be continued)

**NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY BY ADMINISTRATRIX**

Pursuant to General Statutes Sec 28-73, I will, on Friday, the 15th day of December, 1950, beginning at 10:00 o'clock, A. M., at the home place of the late John R. Overton, deceased, in Pactolus Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described personal property:

13 mules, 1 hay baler, 1 bean harvester, 4 carts, 1 International truck, 2 mowing machines, 1 hay rake, 2 smoothing harrows, 9 tobacco trucks, 2 tobacco transplanters, 2 disc harrows, 1 stalk cutter, 2 walking cultivators, 1 trailer, 35,000 tobacco sticks, 6 two-horse turn plows, 4 one-horse turn plows, 2 corn planters, 3 grand sowers, 1 peanut duster, 1 top dresser, 1 lime spreader, 1 Ayers peanut planter, a quantity of corn, a quantity of hay, hoes, rakes, pitch forks, gear, and other miscellaneous farm tools and implements.

This the 21st day of November, 1950.

Annie N. Overton, Administratrix of the estate of John R. Overton, deceased.

Nov. 22-29, Dec. 6-13.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY TRUSTEE**

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed on the 28th day of January, 1949, by Aaron Baker and wife, Rosa Lee Baker to J. R. Jackson, Trustee, recorded in Book L-25 at page 201, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured and the owner of said indebtedness having called upon said Trustee to advertise and foreclose said land under the power contained in said deed of trust, the undersigned Trustee will, on Saturday, December 16, 1950, at 12:00 Noon, at the Court-house door in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property in Chicod Township, Pitt

County, North Carolina:  
Known as part of the Grimes land, containing 31 acres, more or less, owned by Aaron Baker and wife, Rosa Lee Baker, adjoining the lands of J. C. Boyce, North; Daniel Smith, South; Walker land, East; and L. F. Taylor, West. For a more accurate and particular description reference is made to that certain deed recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, in Book L-25 at page 203, Book J-24 at page 412, Book H-24, at page 574, Book E-24 at page 673.

This the 13th day of November, 1950.

J. R. JACKSON, Trustee.  
J. H. Harrell, Atty.  
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**NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY**

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me by the Superior Court of Pitt County, as Administrator of the estate of Robert Lee Hardee, I will on the 7th day of December, 1950, at 10:30 a. m. at the G. W. Hardee Home Place, RFD Ayden, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, the following described personal property:

One Ford tractor, one cultivator, one disc, one corn planter, one fertilizer sower, one terrace grader, one stalk cutter, one scoop, one two-bottom turning plow, one transplanter, one weeder, 7500 tobacco sticks, one cub tractor, plows and harrows, one mowing machine, one 1948 KD-51 International truck, one tobacco curer.

This the 18th day of November, 1950.

R. P. Hardee, Assistant Trust Officer of Guaranty Bank and Trust Company, Administrator of the estate of Robert Lee Hardee.

P. W. H. Roberts, Attorney.  
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**NOTICE**

As Executors of the Estate of W. H. Manning, deceased, we will offer for sale at public auction for cash at the W. H. Manning Farm, two miles south of Hassell, N. C., Martin County, on the Goldpoint Road, at 10:00 A. M., on Wednesday, the 20th day of December, 1950, various articles of personal property, livestock, farming machinery and tools, hay and corn, including the following: 6 mules, 5 horses, 8 sets of curers, 5 wheel plows, 5 carts, 3 wagons, peanut picker, hay baler, 26,000 tobacco sticks, several sets of tractor cultivators and other tractor drawn equipment, 1 Case tractor, 1 Massey-Harris tractor, a large quantity of corn and hay, and many other items of farm equipment.

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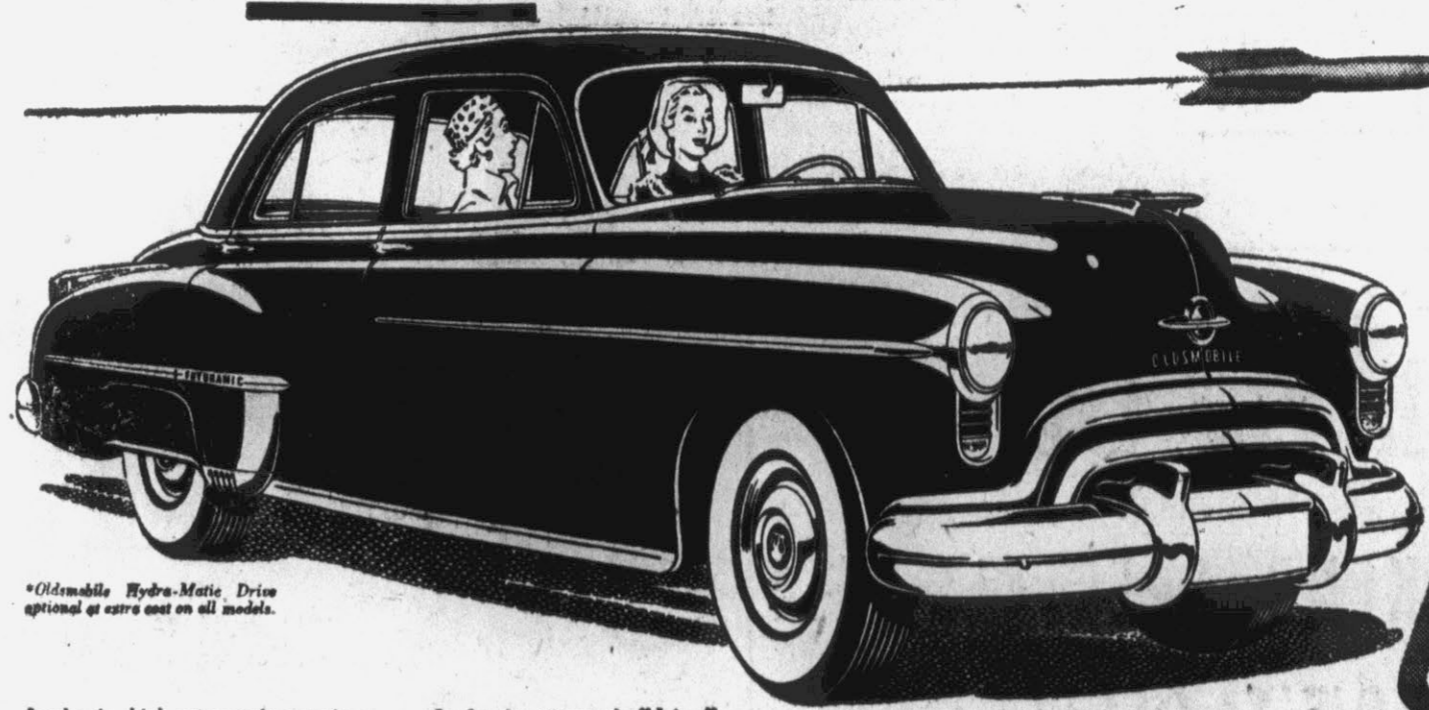
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Will pay 60c a pound. Mrs. Mor-  
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for sale, 5 weeks old, just right  
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equipment. Good opportunity for  
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of love and sympathy. Our flow-  
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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
North Carolina  
County of Pitt  
The undersigned, having qualified  
as Administrator of the estate of  
Mrs. Pattie Lewis, deceased, late of  
Pitt County, North Carolina, this is  
to notify all persons having claims  
against said estate to present them  
to the undersigned Administrator,  
Fountain, North Carolina, on or be-  
fore the 22nd day of November, 1951,  
or this notice will be pleaded in bar  
of their recovery. All persons in-  
debted to said estate will please make  
immediate payment to the under-  
signed Administrator.  
This the 20th day of November,  
1950.  
B. F. LEWIS, Administrator.  
L. W. Gaylord, Jr., Attorney.  
Nov. 22-29 Dec. 6-13-20-27.

**BE SURE YOU CAN SEE WHERE**  
you are going. Come by, let us  
clean your windshield. Don't take a  
chance. Ricks' Service Center, Cor.  
9th and Evans Streets. 6-6

**WANTED AT ONCE - OLDER**  
man not subject to military  
service for good Raleigh business in  
southeast Pitt County. Stop working  
for others. Be your own boss. Good  
profits. If interested, write at once.  
Rawleigh's, Dept. NCL-443-AA,  
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**HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER -**  
Five room house in excellent  
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heating system, fenced in back yard.  
A nice home for a small family.  
Terms can be arranged. See owner  
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brick, prompt delivery, call H. P.  
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furnished apartment. Call 3376. 6-3

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Proctor Hotel. Can be used to store  
your car either day or night or  
for storing merchandise. \$5.00  
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**FOR SALE - OIL CIRCULATOR,**  
very reasonable. Phone 2681. Mrs.  
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**FARM FOR LEASE - 1951 FOR**  
\$1,000, 21 acres of good land, 5.6  
tobacco, 2 barns, oil burners, pack-  
house, 5,000 sticks, all farm machin-  
ery to with farm, 1 nice mule for  
sale, 45 bales of hay, 1 1/2 miles from  
Greenville on Washington highway.  
See M. H. Cannon. 6-2

**FOR SALE - 1 SOFA BED WITH**  
new slip cover and 1 chrome and  
red plastic dinette suite. In excellent  
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**FOR RENT - 3 ROOM FURNISH-**  
ed house in College View. Phone  
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**GET THE BEST - GET SEALTEST**  
Milk and Dairy Products. 5-4

**FOR SALE - 1950 CUB FARMALL**  
tractor and equipment. May be  
seen at Ira Smith's home near  
Greenville Fire Tower. May be  
bought at a reasonable price. 5-3.

**FOR RENT - GARAGE 45x55 FT.**  
and all equipment. City water and  
lights. Will rent with or without  
equipment. D. W. Branch, 43 high-  
way leading to Vanceboro. Just out-  
side city limits of Greenville. 5-3

**HOUSE FOR RENT DECEMBER**  
15. About 2 miles from Greenville  
on Falkland highway, 5 rooms and  
bath, with hot and cold running  
water. Heat with oil. Heater furn-  
ished. See C. E. Manning, Phone  
3640-8. 5-4

**IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE**  
whether you're one or one hun-  
dred and one, you'll always enjoy  
the delicious milk shakes, sundaes  
and ice cream at John's Snack  
Shop. 5-6

**NOW ON SALE - SEALTEST MILK**  
and Dairy Products at your near-  
est grocery. 5-4

**NOTICE**  
In The Superior Court  
North Carolina  
Pitt County  
In the matter of Frances Gaston  
and husband, J. P. Gaston, Julia  
Isachelor and husband, P. F. Batch-  
elor, G. G. Woodard and wife, Inez  
Woodard, W. J. Woodard and wife,  
Evelyn Woodard, Lucille Windley  
and husband, W. C. Windley, Made-  
line Shreve and husband, W. C.  
Shreve, and Guaranty Bank and  
Trust Company, Administrator of  
the estate of J. H. Woodard, de-  
ceased, ex parte.

Under and by virtue of an order  
of re-sale made in the above en-  
titled proceeding, by D. T. House,  
Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt  
County on the 21st day of Novem-  
ber, 1950, the undersigned Commis-  
sioner will, on Friday, the 8th day  
of December, 1950, at 12 o'clock  
noon in front of the courthouse  
door in the Town of Greenville,  
County of Pitt and State of North  
Carolina, offer for sale to the high-  
est bidder for cash, the following  
described real estate, to-wit:

The J. H. Woodard farms lying  
and being in Greenville Township,  
Pitt County, North Carolina, and  
more particularly described as fol-  
lows:

(a) That certain tract or parcel  
of land lying and being in Pitt  
County, North Carolina, on the  
North side of Tar River and on the  
Northeast side of Great Swamp,  
and beginning at the Southeast cor-  
ner of the Sifax Fleming, deceased,  
and K. H. Fleming lands, in the line  
of W. J. Manning, and running  
Westwardly with the line of the said  
K. H. Fleming to the lead ditch run-  
ning through the Sifax Fleming,  
deceased, lands; thence Northward-  
ly and up said lead ditch to the  
fork where the second ditch flowing  
from the East into said ditch em-  
plies into said lead ditch; thence up  
said ditch which runs into said lead  
ditch to the line of the lands of W. J.  
Fleming; thence with the line  
of the lands of W. J. Fleming to  
the beginning, and embracing the  
two pieces of Sifax Fleming lands  
commonly known and called the  
"House Piece" and containing by es-  
timation 11 acres, more or less, re-  
serving however, the graveyard up-  
on said tract, and being the same  
tract conveyed to J. B. Kittrell and  
J. C. Lanier by Charles E. Plummer,  
Conservator, by deed of record in  
Book B-20, at page 191 of the Regis-  
ter of Deeds Office, and being the  
same conveyed to J. H. Woodard by  
J. B. Kittrell and wife, and J. C.  
Lanier and wife, by deed dated Jan-  
uary 2nd, 1934, recorded in Book  
B-20, page 321.

(b) (First Parcel): Known as part  
of the Shivers place, adjoining  
George Mooring and W. J. Fleming  
land, containing 2 acres, more or  
less, and being the same tract or  
parcel of land conveyed by W. H.  
Lanz, Commissioner, to Randolph  
Brothers by that deed dated April  
23, 1912, duly registered in Book  
B-10 of the Register of Deeds Of-  
fice, at page 413.

(Second Parcel): Known as a part  
of Lot No. 5 of the Ivey Fleming  
land division lying on the South side  
of the road containing 22 3/4 acres,  
more or less, for a better and fuller  
description see Ivey Fleming Land  
Division in Land Division Book No.  
2 at pages 135-136. In the office of  
the Clerk of Superior Court, and al-  
so deed by Kenneth Stator and  
wife, to Randolph Brothers, dated  
January 31st, 1912, recorded in Book  
B-10 at page 289.

(Third Parcel): Adjoining the  
lands of Eureka Lumber Company,  
and containing 52 acres, more or  
less, and further being one of the  
tracts of land allotted to W. J. Flem-  
ing in the Ivey Fleming Land Divi-  
sion as set out and described as Lot  
No. 1, in said division as recorded in  
Book J-5, at page 70 of the Register  
of Deeds Office of Pitt County. Ref-  
erence is also made to deed from  
W. J. Fleming and wife to Randolph  
Brothers, dated November 1st, 1914,  
duly recorded in Book I-10 at page  
235 of the Pitt County Registry.

The foregoing three parcels being  
the same designated as parcels 2nd,  
3rd, and 4th in that deed from the  
Greenville Banking & Trust Com-  
pany to Rosa Ella Briley, dated May  
27th, 1931, recorded in Book A-19,

at page 80 of the Register of Deeds  
Office, to which reference is made.  
And said three parcels being the  
identical tracts conveyed by Rosa  
Ella Briley and husband, John H.  
Briley, to J. H. Woodard, as ap-  
pears of record in Book B-20, at  
page 261, to which reference is made.  
The successful bidder at said sale  
will be required to make a deposit  
of 10% of his bid.  
On this 21st day of November,  
1950.  
ELBERT S. PEEL, Commissioner  
Nov. 29 Dec. 6.

**ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE**  
Having qualified as adminis-  
tratrix of the estate of Johnnie Edgar  
Wynne, late of Pitt County, North  
Carolina, this is to notify all per-  
sons having claims against the es-  
tate of said deceased to exhibit them  
to the undersigned, or J. H. Harrell,  
Attorney at Greenville, North Car-  
olina, on or before the 1st day of No-  
vember, 1951, or this notice will be  
pleaded in bar of their recovery. All  
persons indebted to said estate will  
please make immediate payment.  
This the 31st day of October, 1950  
ANNIE ELIZA WYNNE, Adminis-  
tratrix of the estate of John-  
nie Edgar Wynne, deceased.  
J. H. Harrell, Atty.  
Nov. 1-8-15-22-29 Dec. 6.

**HERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!**  
By FAGALY and SHORTER

**POPS GOT MORE EQUIPMENT FOR TAKING PICTURES THAN A CAMERA STORE**  
"HOLD IT! I WANT TO CHANGE THE LENS. THE LIGHT ISN'T JUST RIGHT!"  
"ABOUT 6-600 WORTH!"  
"I'M GONNA SHOOT MORAY WITH MY LITTLE BROWNE!"

**AND WHEN THE FILMS ARE DEVELOPED -**  
"Thank to MR. H. V. PARK HURST, 1304 MORSE AVE., DES PLAINES, ILL.!"

**TOM & JERRY**  
More Than One Way...

"TOM, WALLY WANTS ME TO COME OVER TO HIS HOUSE AN' PLAY - OK?"  
"OH, BUT PUT YOUR BOOTS ON - IT'S WET OUT!"  
"GEE WIZ!"  
"GOSH, I GUESS I LEFT 'EM AT SCHOOL - GUESS I JUST WON'T BE ABLE TO GO."  
"I DON'T HAVE MY BOOTS, BUT CAN I GO ANYHOW IF I DON'T GET MY FEET WET?"  
"OF COURSE - BUT HOW?"  
"OH, GOLLY! THOUSANDS AND THOUSANDS! THAT ONE HAD THE MAKIN'S OF A GREAT RACE HORSE! WE DON'T OFTEN RANSE ONE LIKE THAT!"

**RUSTY RILEY**

"SKINNY, YOU YOUNG POOL! YOU'RE RUN THAT HORSE TO EXHAUSTION! GET OFF THIS FARM!"  
"GEE... I... I'M SORRY, MR. MILES."  
"SKINNY DIDN'T MEAN TO HURT THE HORSE, MR. MILES! HE DIDN'T KNOW!"  
"DON'T MIX INTO THIS, RUSTY, OR YOU CAN GO, TOO!"  
"WHAT'S A NAG LIKE THAT WORTH, RUSTY?"  
"OH, GOLLY! THOUSANDS AND THOUSANDS! THAT ONE HAD THE MAKIN'S OF A GREAT RACE HORSE! WE DON'T OFTEN RANSE ONE LIKE THAT!"

**THE PHANTOM**

"I HOPE THE MEN WON'T BE BORED WITH MY TALK AND FILMS, UNCLE DAVE."  
"NOW STOP WORRYING, DIANA. YOU'LL BE FINE."  
"AND THIS IS MY NIECE DIANA PALMER, WARDEN."  
"WE'RE HONORED TO HAVE YOU HERE, MISS PALMER. THE MEN ARE GOING INTO THE ASSEMBLY HALL NOW."  
"WHAT'S FOR TODAY?"  
"GOME DAME WITH MOVIES. I SEEN HER PICTURE IN THE PAPER. SHE'S A DISH!"  
"TODAY'S THE DAY! YEAH, WE'RE ALL SET. NOW IF ONLY WE GET THE BREAKS!"  
"BULLETIN BOARD: MISS DIANA PALMER, FAMOUS EXPLOSER TALK AND MOVIE STARS, COME MOBY LAY TODAY!"

**THIMBLE THEATER - Starring Popeye**

"WIMPEY SAID HE WAS MISS OLIVE POPEYE WAS BUT HE IS GONE!! HERE DR. FULLPAGE!!"  
"HE WAS, MISS OLIVE BUT HE IS GONE!!"  
"DR. FULLPAGE SAID COME HERE AN' PUT 'EM ON. I TRIED ONCE AN' DIDN' SEE ANYTHING! I'LL WIPE 'EM OFF AN' TRY AN'!"  
"THE OCEAN LOOKS THE SAME!! YES, JUST LIKE IT LOOKED RIGHT HERE WHEN I WAS A LITTLE BOY!!"  
"AHOO, YA BIG LUS! THIS IS MY FISHIN' PLACE!"  
"I BEG PARDING?"  
"WHO ARE YOU?"

**BLONDIE - By Chic Young**

"I CAN'T FIND COOKIE ANYPLACE."  
"SHE'S BEEN USING THE PHONE... ICKY!"  
"AND SHE'S BEEN READING MY MAGAZINES."  
"THEN SHE WENT UPSTAIRS... UGH."  
"THERE'S YOUR MISSING DAUGHTER, AND I DON'T MIND SAYING THIS IS THE STICKEST CASE I EVER SOLVED."

**OZARK IKE**

**FIRST QUARTER... A SAFETY IN THE WILDCATS' END ZONE... AND THE DRAGONS TAKE A 2-0 LEAD!**  
**SECOND QUARTER... A FIELD GOAL... AND THE WILDCATS FORGE AHEAD 3 TO 2!**  
**THIRD QUARTER... A SUSTAINED DRIVE OF EIGHTY YARDS WITH WHIP LASH RIPPING OVER FOR A TOUCHDOWN!**  
**(SOB...) THEY BEEN A-WORKIN' ON PO OZARK IN TH' CLUBHOUSE EVUH SINCE HE BANGED HIS HAID AGAINST THAT MEAN OL' GOAL POST IN TH' PUST STANZA!**  
"HOW YA FEELIN' KID?"  
"WOAN!"

**SEE THESE BEFORE YOU BUY**

**1948 Oldsmobile 68 -**  
2 Door Sedan, Radio, heater, original green finish, perfect tires, low mileage, good for thousands of economical more miles. Priced Right.

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2 Door Sedan, radio, heater, beautiful upholstery, hydraulic drive, traded-in from original owner, low mileage, a car that you can be proud of for several years.

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4-Door Sedan, beautiful black finish, radio, heater, white side wall tires, the famous Rocket engine. Low mileage.

**1947 Oldsmobile 66 -**  
4 Door Sedan, black finish, perfect tires, drives like new and priced right.

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1937 Dodge Sedan  
Priced to suit your budget.

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### Success Marks Second Offering Of Little Theater Guild Last Night

Greenville's Little Theater Guild presented "Return Engagement" to an Austin Auditorium crowd of 200 last night and from the title took their own cue for the production of other plays next year.

Under the direction of Kip West, the Guild presented the second play since it was recently organized, amassing a wealth of heretofore unknown talent which, together, appears to constitute the nucleus of a dramatic group in Greenville that promises to go far in dramatic offerings that can be adapted for small groups.

The cast of 13, including experienced players, proceeded to romp through Lawrence Riley's description of a summer stock company operating on a shoe string. While a good bit of the timing and cues were off and a few of the actors were guilty of committing the unpardonable crime of the stage in laughing at their own laughlines, the individual actors performed with the verve and humor that made the play a popular "longrun" on Broadway in the 1940 season.

Leading the cast were Anne Askew and Dr. M. W. Aldridge, both of whom under-acted throughout the three acts, giving the other members of the cast their share of plaudits. As Elizabeth Emerson and Geoffrey Armstrong, respectively, former stars of the Broadway scene, Miss Askew and Aldridge became reunited in the play after an unsuccessful stint at marriage.

Backing them in the lesser roles, but which constituted much of the underlying humor of the production, were Donna Taber, Elizabeth Savage and Jim Savage. Mrs. Taber, as Ruth Conway a troupier of the never-say-die school, carried the brunt of the comedy lines while she lounged around the one set in vari-colored slacks and in various positions of relaxation, whether at the make-shift bar or on a chaise longue that substituted for a loveseat in the play-within-a-play.

Ruth Meeks, as Carlotta Faulkner, a sarcastic patroness of the stock who was out to "get" Armstrong, supposedly a Hollywood star, played her role in the manner in which it was written and succeeded in thoroughly souring the company in her efforts to make off with Armstrong. The turning point of the ill-fated romance was the theft of Armstrong's dental files by Miss Emerson, who wanted him for herself, just as he was embarking on a yachting cruise with Mr. Faulkner.

Mrs. Autumn Hetherington, played by Elizabeth Savage, was constantly in and out of the scene, serving as a flighty but nonetheless devoted servant of things theatrical. She gave the best description of her own characterization when she told the stock company's playwright, after he had inquired whether dancing London Bridge was for his play. "Oh, we wouldn't think of desecrating your play with such light divertissement, that's for Chekhov."

Claude Taylor, as the playwright, and Carolyn Clapp, as the company's ingenue, carried the secondary romantic roles and presented convincing performances of stage-struck novices looking for a future in the theater.

Jim Savage performed the role of Baldy Bemis, Broadway director roped into a summer of stock productions, and typified the role with the gamut of light invective directed at child prodigies.

### No Longer On Staff

J. E. Keziah, circulation manager for The Daily Reflector, today announced that Clarence Vincent, rural circulation solicitor, is no longer associated with The Daily Reflector and unauthorized to act further in that capacity.

eral Home in Robersonville, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by her pastor, Dr. George Cutrell, Christian minister of Dunn, and the Rev. J. M. Perry, Christian minister of Robersonville. Burial will be in the family cemetery near Robersonville.

Mrs. Ross, daughter of the late Abram and Laminia Baker, was born in Pitt County. She was married to Lemuel Ross, who died 34 years ago. She had made her home with her daughter in Dunn for a number of years. She was a member of the Hood Memorial Christian Church in Dunn.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Mayme Ross Jeffers of Dunn; two brothers, Will Baker of Bethel and Dr. J. H. Baker of Baltimore, Md.; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

### To Head County First Aid Group

Henry L. Brown, Red Cross chairman for Pitt County, has appointed Eugene King, county sanitarian, on the Pitt County Red Cross Executive Council and chairman of the First Aid Committee.

Objective at this time is to organize in Pitt County the schools, firemen, police and civic clubs into first aid classes. Plans also include establishment of a first aid library to be available to the public.

"Although our people hereabouts do not consider Greenville and Pitt County a disaster area, we should think in terms of its becoming a disaster area. This precaution," King stated, "is taken so that we can apply first aid principles when and if they are needed in an emergency."

King came to Greenville last October. He formerly was sanitarian in Edgecombe County. He served 3 1/2 years in the army as technical sergeant and specialist in first aid.

While in Tarboro he took the first aid instructor's course and afterwards taught in the Tarboro schools as chairman of the Tarboro Red Cross First Aid Committee. He attended Mississippi State College, University of Alabama and graduated from the University of North Carolina.

### Complacent . . .

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home for five years in not being prepared.

Already there seems to be some division among the western allies. The Europeans, closest to Russia, don't want this country or themselves involved in a full war with China, since that would leave them an easier pushover for Russia, which has a vast land army in Europe.

Whether or not we have to jump into the sea and abandon Korea, this country is going into a great arms program.

If the Russians are polite enough to wait, that program may take two years or more before our western allies feel they can stand off a Russian attack.

But will Russia sit back and wait until the West has time to

### Colored News

Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor of York Memorial church, wishes to remind the members of the special church conference tomorrow night at 7:30, at which time the presence of every member of the church will be asked to share in its yearly program.

There is much to be done, and it will be left to you and every other member of the church to put it over.

Notice to all members and friends of F. T. A. union, there will be a membership meeting Thursday night, December 7, at the Church of God in Christ, the Holiness church in New Town. It is important that you be there at 7:30.—C. A. Simmons, chairman.

For years inside and outside congress there have been unending protests against government controls. But strict controls will be necessary if this country is going on a real war-footing.

So, to survive, this country which dislikes government controls—so much will have to submit to them. That seems certain now, with living costs going up, for if they go up unchecked the country will be wrecked anyway.

But if this country has to become a military state, with wide controls, and stay that way for years, there is the simple question ahead: Will the economy ever get back to what it has been?

### Funeral Thursday For Mrs. L. Ross

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Baker Ross, 74, who died Tuesday night at the home of her daughter in Dunn, N.C., will be conducted at the S. G. Wilkerson and Sons Fun-

### Accident Ruled In Shotgun Death

A 26-year-old Negro farm tenant, was killed yesterday afternoon around 3:30 when a shotgun which he was removing from a horse and cart accidentally went off with the charge striking him in the head.

Coroner Griffin H. Rouse and Sheriff Ruel Tyson, who investigated the shooting, stated that the man, James Webster Wilson, who lived on the Z. N. Tripp farm about seven miles from Greenville, came to his death by accidental means. The man was entering his back yard, with a load of timber which he had just cut in the woods and had stopped to take off his shotgun and saw at the time the accident occurred.

Neighbors living nearby who heard the shot, hurried to the scene where they found the body of Wilson, who was still alive. A doctor from Bethel arrived soon after, and it was reported that the man lived for about thirty minutes.

Coroner Rouse said that it was his belief that the man pulled the gun from the cart with the trigger striking some object causing it to fire.

No inquest will be held into the death.

### Juveniles Held In Theft Of Car Here Last Week

At Maysville, in Jones county, yesterday, a State Highway patrolman recovered a Hudson 1941 automobile reported to have been stolen in Greenville last week. The officer took into custody three Greenville boys, just entering their teens and notified Greenville police.

Greenville police said Hugh Sutton, owner of the car, farmer of the Bell Arthur community, was ill, that he sent a friend in his car to Greenville to purchase some medicine; that after the driver parked the car on Dickinson avenue and left the keys in it, someone stole the vehicle.

The three juveniles played hooky from school yesterday and went touring in the stolen car towards Jones county, they said. Among them they had \$1.01. They spent this for gasoline, and traveled until they arrived near Maysville, when the gasoline gave out. That was when the law stepped in. The car was stored in the Ford garage at Maysville.

When the boys were returned to Greenville they were booked at police headquarters for larceny of a car and aiding and abetting in larceny.

### STATE TODAY - THURSDAY

D. W. Griffith's Masterpiece BIRTH of A NATION Plus CARTOON

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- Whatnots
- Dinette Sets
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For Him

- Lounge Chairs
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### Recreation Body In Regular Meet

The regular meeting of the City Recreation Commission was held last night at Sheppard Memorial Library with Chairman Heber Tripp presiding.

A discussion was led by June H. Rose on the further use of city school buildings for carrying on the program of the Recreation Commission, aimed at reaching more and more children on holidays, in the summer and after school.

The main item discussed at the meeting last night was the possibility of employing a full time Recreation Director next year. No direct action, other than discussion was taken on the matter.

### Child Is Victim . . .

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quest will be held.

No fire fighting equipment was called in from Greenville or Ayden. One reason given for this came from Griffin's Police Chief Herbert Adams, who stated that trucks would not have been of any assistance because the town has only five fire hydrants and these are located in the business section of the town.

It was the third fire in the past month to strike in the small community.

There was no insurance on the building and the exact amount of damage done to the building was not known, although it was heavy. The entire roof and interior of two rooms of the small black structure were destroyed.

### Mrs. C.R. McLawhorn Funeral Thursday

Mrs. Lena Thomas McLawhorn, 48, died following a heart attack in Wilmington, Delaware, Tuesday night. Funeral services will be conducted at the chapel of the S. G. Wilkerson and Sons Funeral Home Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by the Rev. Leonard W. Topping, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. McLawhorn was born and reared in Wilson. She attended Wilson schools and also attended Atlantic Christian College. She was first married to Paul J. Horne of near Wilson and of this marriage a daughter, Mrs. Ray Smith, survives. In 1938 she was married to Charles R. McLawhorn, who survives. Mrs. McLawhorn came to Greenville in 1938 and lived here until she went to Wilmington, Delaware, in 1943 and had made her home there since that time.

Surviving are her husband, Charles R. McLawhorn of Philadelphia, Pa., a daughter, Mrs. Ray Smith of Greenville; three sisters, Mrs. Hugh R. Barnes of Wilson, Mrs. Maggie Brinkley of Durham and Mrs. Minnie Boyette of Washington, D.C., and two brothers, Hilton Thomas of Raeford and John Thomas of Wilson.

### Indochina . . .

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back to defense lines around the delta heartland, they continue to smash at Red strong points in a campaign to try to get the Reds off balance and delay the moment when they can strike in strength at key points around Hanoi and Haiphong.

This seems to be an interim lull. The Reds seem to be trying to push on to a more decisive battle while the French hustle to erect new barriers.

French military officers here think the key question is whether the Reds, with the help of the Chinese communists, have been able to train and supply enough positional forces to make a full scale assault on the flat lands. The French don't think the Reds at this point have enough such forces. Other observers who have been here a long time think the French are wrong.

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Kenneth Younger, British Minister of State fresh from the Truman-Attlee conferences in Washington, said there was no chance of solving the problem in the Security Council.

"We cannot close our eyes to events in Korea and what is happening to U. N. forces simply doing their duty in carrying out U. N. resolutions," Younger said.

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