

No New Firemen Seen Until July

Aldermen Postpone Action On Expanding Department Until Beginning Of Next Fiscal Year; Several Petitions Presented And Acted Upon At Meet

By JESS POINDEXTER
Reflector Staff Writer
Meeting for the first time in the new calendar year, the Greenville Board of Aldermen last night postponed any action on hiring extra firemen until a later date—probably until the beginning of the fiscal year July 1.

Insurance underwriters had previously demanded that the city add at least four additional firemen on each shift in order to keep its present insurance rate. Failure to comply with this demand would result in an increase in fire insurance rates for the city.

One fireman was hired at the beginning of the present fiscal year, and since the budget was already set up, the underwriters gave the city until July 1, 1952, to meet the other requirements. It was suggested last night that the city hire four additional firemen by April 1, despite the fact that no salary provision has been made in the present budget.

Mayor L. D. Page said, "I think it is a bad policy to change the budget in the middle of the year for the advantage of one department. During the next few months we should make plans to bring the Fire Department up to full strength next year, but since we have met with the underwriters' requirements this year, I feel that we should not go out on a limb in hiring extra men without having any positive funds set aside to pay them." Action was postponed.

Several petitions were presented by local citizens regarding various personal and community problems. The drainage problem came in for its share of criticism. The location of Evans Street lying between Ninth and Tenth Streets was described as "unsightly and unsanitary" due to poor drainage. Superintendent of Streets C. K. Beatty stated that to alleviate the situation, a new catch basin would have to be installed and connected with the line at Tenth Street. "It is a bad situation," he said, "but to make the desired change would necessitate going through a lot of paving and would be very expensive." The problem was referred to the Street Committee.

The narrow street known as Bonner's Lane was also termed very bad situation. Chief Langston reported that the traffic problem there is already under study, and said Bonner's Lane might be declared a one-way street after the investigation is completed.

The board voted to close the portion of Eleventh Street that runs behind the Greenville Tobacco Company plant. A spokesman for the company reported that the Atlantic Coastline Railroad has already built a warehouse across one end of the street, making a dead end. The tobacco company plans to erect its "cooper shop" across that street if and when they complete negotiations with the various property owners.

A new real estate project was presented to the board for study and possible approval. It was reported that the plans for the project have been approved by the Federal Housing Authority. The project is designed to accommodate a price range, and is located across the street next to the present Har-

Mass Of Tips

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Wiley (R-Wis.) said today he will ask a complete investigation of a "mass of tips" on multi-million dollar activities of the Allen Property Office.

The senator said in a statement he expects the inquiry to touch upon reports of fat fees and profits to some individuals and corporations, "grave mismanagement" and "considerable favoritism."

The Allen Property Office is under the Justice Department and has had control of more than a half billion dollars worth of German and Japanese properties seized in this country during World War II.

Wiley said the agency had control of about 565 million dollars of assets of which 200 million have been disposed of and 296 million remain.

Reports Cost Of Auto Accidents

Property Damage In City During Year Reached \$88,696

Police Chief Guy C. Langston, in his annual report, submitted to the Greenville Board of Aldermen at the City Hall last night, shows that the total property damage resulting from motor vehicle collisions is \$88,696.

The report also shows that more than 2,000 arrests were made during 1951 for motor vehicle and traffic law violations.

Following is a summary of the report:

Total complaints—3,404, total arrests for year—2,047, total miles patrolled—151,988.

Report on wrecks: total accidents—344, total fatalities for year—2, total injuries for year—74, total property damage—\$88,696.

Report on dogs: total dog complaints—306, total dogs impounded—1,008, average per month—84, total dog fines—\$290.75, total dog licenses—\$289.00, total income for licenses and fines—\$579.75, total licenses sold—232.

Investigation division: total cases—84, cleared by arrests—54, cases not cleared—30.

Murray Advises Delaying Strike

ATLANTIC CITY (AP)—President Philip Murray of CIO United Steelworkers recommended today that his union hold off a nationwide steel strike for 45 days until Feb. 21.

"The recommendation calls for a strike postponement until 45 days from the day on which the Wage Stabilization Board begins hearings on the steel dispute."

The board has scheduled a preliminary hearing for next Monday in Washington.

Stage Roundup In Drug Traffic

NEW YORK (AP)—Federal narcotics agents and local police swooped down on suspected drug peddlers and addicts in several of the nation's major cities today.

Raids in New York City, Buffalo, San Antonio, Tex., and Detroit were staged simultaneously. Officials called it "the biggest roundup of suspected drug peddlers and users" ever staged in some areas.

The crackdown started late last night.

Evidence Grows McGrath Slated For Resignation

White House Chill Toward Attorney General Indicated Thursday

By MERRIMAN SMITH
United Press White House Writer

WASHINGTON (UP)—Evidence mounted today that Atty. Gen. J. Howard McGrath is being groomed for resignation.

Much of the evidence, indirect as it was, came from President Truman himself, and his non-committal attitude toward McGrath's continuance as head of the Justice Department.

What appeared to be a White House chill toward McGrath started when the President fired T. Lamar Caudle as head of the Justice Department's tax division without even consulting McGrath.

Even after Caudle was rapped publicly by the President for "outside" activities and raked over the coals by a House Ways and Means subcommittee looking into tax scandals, McGrath still defended his former assistant.

Against this background, the President was asked yesterday at a news conference about a report that he had received written word from McGrath that the Attorney General wanted to quit.

The President, speaking from a prepared memorandum, said he was not going to answer the question because there had been so many rumors that he could not possibly answer all of them.

He recalled that only the day before he had announced the reorganization of the Internal Revenue Bureau and said that when he was ready, he would make further announcements.

Educated guessing in White House circles was that among these further announcements would be word that McGrath was out. This did not preclude some other assignment for McGrath, who served as chairman of the Democratic national committee in 1948 when Mr. Truman won his spirited reelection battle.

Mr. Truman's news conference reactions to questions about McGrath have been markedly different from his vehement defense of other Cabinet members.

Every time recently that reporters have tossed Mr. Truman the ageless question about whether Secretary of State Dean Acheson will resign, the President has said with obvious emotion that Acheson will remain as long as he is President.

Lloyds Bet On Skipper's Luck

LONDON (AP)—Lloyds of London made Capt. Kurt Carlsen a 7 to 2 choice today to reach harbor with his broken freighter Flying Enterprise.

The famed insurance brokers quoted a premium of 30 guineas (\$88.20) for each 100 pounds (\$280) of coverage to reinsure the freighter against total loss.

That means Lloyds gives Carlsen about 70 chances to make it against 22 to lose his ship—or in horse-player odds, something like 7 to 2.

Board Balloting Deadline At Hand

Tomorrow, January 5, is the deadline for returning the ballots for the election of directors of the Greenville Merchants Association.

The ballots were mailed last week to members of the association to select 14 members to serve on the board of directors.

But Joyce played the part of a poltergeist, a mischievous "spook," so well that she fooled her foster parents, a large number of other Fern Creek residents, hundreds of curious visitors and at least two other policemen.

"I threw a lot of those things, but I didn't move anything in the house," Joyce said. "The rest was her imagination."

Mrs. Thacker, 68, was the only person who said she actually saw an object move from its resting place. She said a comb on her dresser rose two feet then settled back.

Jefferson County Patrolmen Stanley Carriethers and John Colyer said a coffee can fell off its shelf while they were not looking but there was "absolutely no one near enough to have touched it."

Trapped UN Troops 'Missing'

No Trace Of Group Found By Avenging CP's In Recapturing Hill

8TH ARMY HQ, Korea (UP)—United Nations forces recaptured a snow-covered hill on the eastern front today, but found no trace of Allied troops who had been trapped there by the Reds a few hours earlier.

It was the fifth time since Christmas that the hill West of Mundung Valley has changed hands.

Chinese Reds had surrounded U.N. defenders of the height in a four-hour battle Thursday night and completed occupation of it an hour later.

Avenging U.N. forces counter-attacked soon after midnight. Intense Communist fire halted the Allies temporarily, but they rallied and pushed the Reds off the crest. The hill was reported secure at dawn Friday.

Although there was no indication of the fate of the Allied unit overwhelmed Thursday night, an 8th Army briefing officer said the troops might have filtered through the enemy ring and escaped.

Two light Communist probing attacks were repulsed elsewhere on the eastern front, an 8th Army communique reported.

In the air, American Sabrejets damaged one Communist MIG-15 jet fighter over Northwest Korea and Superfortresses dumped 90 tons of bombs on an enemy railroad yard.

The MIG was damaged in a dog-fight North of Anju between 25 Sabrejets and 30 Soviet-built jets. None of the American planes was damaged.

Nine B-29 Superfortresses using radar bombed railway yards at Chongju in the Northwest corner of Korea. Three others attacked an airfield at Ogyo. All B-29s returned safely.

Fear Attack On French Indochina

Red China Said Poisoning 200,000 Troops North Of Border

PARIS (AP)—French sources said today they have received unofficial reports that Red China has concentrated 200,000 soldiers with full battle gear in areas just north of the French Indochina border.

These sources said they did not believe Red China would attack Indochina while fighting continues in Korea. But they said they were gravely worried about an invasion whenever an armistice is reached in Korea, freeing masses of communist Chinese forces for action in south China.

The French fears were echoed by other United Nations delegates, some of them from Southeast Asia, who heard Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei V. Vishinsky mention the troubled areas of South China, Burma, Thailand and Indochina yesterday.

These delegates said they considered Vishinsky's veiled words as a direct threat of communist action against those countries sooner or later.

Food Budget Up, But Costs Down

WASHINGTON (AP)—If you think your food budget has gone up since the war, you are both right and wrong, says the Agriculture Department.

A department food price report said today that it is true, as every housewife knows, that it takes more dollars to buy a specified quantity of food today than perhaps ever before.

But the cost of that quantity of food represents a smaller proportion of the average consumer's income than at any time since 1945, the department said.

Americans were said to be spending at the annual average rate of \$375 for food. This was said to be 26 per cent of the average disposable income—money left after payment of personal taxes.

The department said food expenditures average \$346 in 1950, or 26 per cent of the average income. By comparison, food costs averaged \$338 or 27 per cent in 1947, \$350 or 27 per cent in 1948, \$329 or 28 per cent in 1947 and \$292 or 26 per cent in 1946.

The department said that toward the end of 1951, personal incomes were increasing more rapidly than were food costs. Evidence of this was shown by the fact, it said, that personal savings were at the highest rate since the end of World War II.

The department said many people overlook the fact that they are eating much better than they did back before the war, when prices were very much lower.

E. Merl Young Fails To Appear In Perjury Case

Arrest Warrants Issued For Three Involved In RFC Investigation

WASHINGTON (AP)—E. Merl Young, his brother Herschel and Joseph H. Rosenbaum, Washington attorney, failed to show up in court today to enter pleas to perjury indictments.

All three are under charges of lying under oath to a Senate subcommittee investigating favoritism and influence in Reconstruction Finance Corporation loans, to a federal grand jury, or to both the committee and the jury.

U.S. District Judge James R. Kirkland ordered arrest warrants issued, when they did not appear.

The names of Rosenbaum, Merl Young and Herschel Young were called out in that order. There were no answers.

"Issue a bench warrant," Judge Kirkland directed the clerk each time.

Robert W. Dudley, another Washington attorney, appeared before Judge Kirkland yesterday and entered a plea of innocent to a perjury indictment. He was released under \$1,000 bail and given 20 days in which to file motions attacking the indictment.

Testimony about a \$450,000 natural royal pastel milk coat which Rosenbaum financed for Merl Young's wife Loretta, was one of the highlights of the Senate investigation.

Young has said Rosenbaum, who had many RFC loan-seeking clients, lent him the money to buy the coat, and that it has been repaid. At the time of the testimony Mrs. Young was a White House stenographer. She left that job and the Youngs have moved to Florida where they operate a tourist court.

The issuance of bench warrants means that federal marshals will set out forthwith to bring in the Young brothers and Rosenbaum for arraignment.

Relates Story Of His Broken Ship

By CAPT. HENRIK CARLSEN
ABOARD FLYING ENTERPRISE (UP)—The wind was Force 12 (hurricane) on Dec. 27.

The ship cracked right across the deckhouse and down the side. When the wind veered I came too far north. I tried to steer South to get into the traffic lanes where we had a chance of being picked up.

We were doing all right until dawn the following day when another cyclonic storm came up with some terrific seas.

(Carlsen told this story in a radio conversation with the skipper of the U.S. transport Golden Eagle.

The conversation was recorded on tape by the transport's radio operator and was released last night.)

It was nothing but seas and water all over the place. One tremendous wave knocked her off course and it was then that the ship broke across No. 3 hatch.

No. 3 hold was full of water. With the broken ship I could not steer.

I must say everyone without exception took the situation very calmly. They did nothing until I told them. No one jumped until I told them.

I was very touching to see the way the boys took it on the chin. I only saw one man crying either through pain or fear because he had fallen down and hurt his arm. There were no serious casualties.

Everything went fine and dandy. After nearly 23 years at sea I guess we had it coming to us. We didn't want it to happen, we just couldn't help it.

You realize everything here is a problem because I have to crawl around everywhere.

Everything's all right. Nothing new or exciting.

I'm getting a little lonesome, but kind of getting used to it now.

Request Delay In NATO Meeting

PARIS (AP)—The French Foreign Ministry announced today it has requested a one-week delay in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) meeting to enable the French parliament to debate the European army project.

The NATO session is scheduled to open in Lisbon Feb. 2. France wants it to open on Feb. 9 instead.

Hoey To Oppose Ambassadorship

SHELBY (AP)—Sen. Clyde R. Hoey said today he will vote against the confirmation of the appointment of Gen. Mark Clark as ambassador to the Vatican.

Reds Accused Of Planning Air Build-Up In Armistice

Small Racketeers Hit By Tax Men

Agents Tap 5,000 Small-Timers For \$50 Millions In Unpaid Taxes; Closing In On Nation's Larger Hoodlums

WASHINGTON (UP)—Treasury agents have tapped 5,000 small-time racketeers for almost \$50,000,000 in unpaid taxes and now are closing in on some of the nation's most notorious hoodlums, it was disclosed today.

A top official of the Internal Revenue Bureau said the drive against racketeers for tax-dodgers, coupled with enforcement of the new stamp tax on gamblers, may well break the back of organized gambling.

Simultaneously with the highly-publicized cleanup of the bureau itself, Internal Revenue Commissioner John B. Dunlap has assigned 2,300 agents to the racket squad under James J. Guthrie to dig into the tax records of every known or suspected racketeer in the country.

Guthrie indicated the back taxes and penalties already collected may turn out to be chicken feed compared with the sums his agents hope to recover from the underworld big shots coming under investigation.

Guthrie said the bureau has a file of 30,000 unfinished racketeering cases, of which 11,816 are under active investigation.

The bureau doesn't talk about cases under investigation. But Guthrie left no doubt that the list includes such reputed gamblers and underworld kingpins as Frank Costello, Frank Erickson, Joe Adonis and Ernest (Checkers) Smaldone, the Colorado gambling boss, and scores of others who have passed before the Senate Crime Committee last year.

Also on the T-men's trouble list is Harry Gross, the Brooklyn bookie who wrecked the corruption trial of 18 New York City policemen last fall.

Gross, now serving a long jail term, will have to explain whether he paid taxes on the \$20,000,000-a-year business he is said to have handled.

One of the biggest hauls in the drive thus far was obtained in the case of Louis E. Wolcher, San Francisco, said to be one of the country's chief distributors of coin machines. He was sentenced to three years in jail and a \$10,000 fine, and was forced to pay the Treasury \$953,151 in back taxes and penalties.

Tugboat Man Is Now On Ship Of Heroic Skipper

LONDON (AP)—The first mate of the British rescue tug Turmoil today succeeded in boarding the Flying Enterprise to join Capt. Kurt Carlsen on the crippled American freighter.

The U.S. destroyer John W. Weeks radioed that the tugboat man "managed to get aboard over the taffrail of the Enterprise and is now standing by with Capt. Carlsen."

Tugboat Captain Dan Parker was quoted as saying he is "confident I can get tow rigged if we get a break in the weather."

The message from the Weeks—timed at 2:30 p.m. (9:30 a.m. EST)—said fog was closing in and the wind had increased to 28-32 knots at times.

Libya Asks For Entry Into UN

PARIS (AP)—The new kingdom of Libya applied today for membership in the United Nations.

Observers believed that Russia, although opposed to Libya's military base treaty with the Western powers, might refrain from using her ever-ready veto, and let Libya in.

Second Day Of Fighting Flares Between British And Egyptians

CAIRO, Egypt (UP)—Fighting flared for the second straight day between Egyptian terrorists and British troops in Suez today and the British sealed off the strategic town with roadblocks. A dispatch from British headquarters in the Suez Canal zone said terrorists opened fire from rooftops at the water filtration plant of the British garrison. British troops returned the fire.

Egyptian government reports said 15 British soldiers were killed and 14 Egyptians wounded in a three-hour gun battle in Suez yesterday. However, a British spokesman said the only British injured were a lieutenant and a chaplain.

The British reported one Egyptian wounded and another arrested in the skirmish and two other Egyptians killed and one wounded in minor incidents elsewhere.

United Press correspondent Peter Webb reported from British headquarters that Suez, scene of some of the bitterest fighting of the Anglo-Egyptian dispute, was sealed off at 10 a.m. by an order from the commander of the 39th Infantry Brigade.

Egyptian sources said yesterday's flareup began when a British patrol infiltrated the no man's land near the railway shops on the outskirts of Suez.

Egyptian police rushed into the battle after 1,800 tank-supported

Big Tax Take

More money in taxes has already been collected in the first six months of this year by the city than the entire 1945 tax levy amounted to, City Clerk H. H. Duncan said this morning.

Through December, \$231,438.75 has poured into the city's coffers. This amount is 77.6 per cent of the total levy of \$298,278.35, and leaves only \$66,839.60 to be collected during the next six months.

Total delinquent taxes dating from 1940 have been reduced from \$28,144.83 at the end of November, to \$26,887.86 at the end of December. Collections for the current year stood at \$205,279.27 at the end of November, setting collections for the month of December at \$126,159.48.

Names Attorneys To Defend Miller

WASHINGTON—Superior Court Judge Chester Morris this week announced the appointment of two Beaufort County attorneys as counsel for LaFayette Miller, 21-year-old Negro parolee, charged with the shotgun slaying of a Beaufort County farmer and the kidnapping of his wife.

Named to defend the man, who is now resting in an undisclosed jail, were Hallet Ward, 41, former U.S. Representative and Superior Court solicitor, and James McMullan, 26, son of State Attorney General Harry McMullan. The combination brings the oldest and youngest members of the Beaufort County Bar together as a team to defend Miller.

Miller's case is scheduled to go before the Beaufort County Grand Jury when it opens a two-week session here on January 14. Provided a true bill is returned it will be known whether the case will be tried at the term or not. A backlog of cases are already booked for the two-week session.

Miller was arrested Thanksgiving Eve around 11 o'clock near Greenville by Highway Patrolmen H. M. Morrow and B. H. Jackson, when they stopped his car. The officers noted a loaded shotgun in the front seat of the car, and then freed Mr. Harvie Boyd from the boot of the car, where he had been imprisoned following the shooting of her husband.

Higher Prices For Ford Autos

WASHINGTON (AP)—The government today approved higher selling prices for Ford Motor Company passenger cars.

It refused, however, to grant the full rise asked by the company under the Capetart Amendment to the economic controls law.

The higher ceilings apply to Ford, Mercury and Lincoln automobiles. The Office of Price Stabilization said the company has not indicated whether it will put the increases into effect.

Drives Long Way For Education

INDIO, Calif. (AP)—Fifteen-year-old Hutton Adams drives 85 miles every day to attend school.

The high school sophomore lives with his family at an isolated desert water-pumping station. Until he was given a special driver's license last year, his mother had to make the 85-mile round trip twice a day.

Boxscore

RALEIGH (AP)—The Motor Vehicles Department's report of highway accidents for the 24-hour period ending at 10 a.m. today:

Killed—4
Injured—3
Killed to date last year—3
Injured to date last year—59
Injured to date last year—42

Pitt County March Of Dimes Starts; No Limit To Campaign

The opening of the 1952 March of Dimes campaign in Pitt County this week was announced today by Chairman James W. Butler.

The goal of Pitt County citizens is unannounced because "we need all the money we can get for the benefit of infantile paralysis victims," Butler said.

The drive will continue through the month of January and will be given the extension effort of the campaign leaders in the respective communities and school districts of Pitt County.

Paralysis victims will benefit financially not only from the drive, but also from the research which is conducted to make their lives more comfortable. Research is also being carried out on an intensive basis to perfect an anti-infantile paralysis vaccine.

An official of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis said that many leading medical persons who feel that a vaccine may be forthcoming in the not too distant future. Infantile paralysis is the last epidemic disease that has not been brought under control in America, the official said.

However, officials of the national foundation have stated that the

"March of Dimes is not keeping pace with the march of polio." They add that many hospitals are co-operating with the foundation by not asking payment of bills for polio victims until funds from the 1952 drive are available.

Locally, the campaign will be spearheaded by the school principals who are district chairmen. Initial gifts will be received from donors who want to make their gifts more than a dime or a dollar.

"I threw a lot of those things, but I didn't move anything in the house," Joyce said. "The rest was her imagination."

Mrs. Thacker, 68, was the only person who said she actually saw an object move from its resting place. She said a comb on her dresser rose two feet then settled back.

Jefferson County Patrolmen Stanley Carriethers and John Colyer said a coffee can fell off its shelf while they were not looking but there was "absolutely no one near enough to have touched it."

"I did it for fun and because I like attention," the girl confessed.

Little Girl Admits She Is 'Ghost Of Fern Creek'

FERN CREEK, Ky. (UP)—All the excitement about supernatural goings-on in this tiny community died down today with the unmasking of an 11-year-old girl as the "ghost of Fern Creek."

Little Joyce Sanders told two suspicious policemen last night she was the natural force behind the mysteriously moving objects in the Henry Thacker home where she and three other orphans board.

Joyce literally gave up the "ghost" by telling the officers she had been lifting such objects as pencils, boxes, combs, postcards and bottle caps and throwing them around the elderly farm couple's home for the past five days.

"I did it for fun and because I like attention," the girl confessed.

Junior Club Votes Donation Children's Home

On Wednesday night, January 2, the Junior Women's Club held its regular business meeting for January with Mrs. Kenneth Hite and Mrs. Norris Merritt as hostesses.

Mrs. Howard Grady explained briefly the Blood Bank program and the coming of the Bloodmobile to Greenville in January. She explained that club members would be asked to help along with six nurses at that time. She also asked for ten donors from the club.

Mrs. Tom Brown, president, called attention to the fact that the club would be called upon to contribute to the Children's Home Society in Greensboro. Mrs. R. C. Pearce, Jr., district vice president, urged that the club make a larger donation than previously, since the Children's Home Society is the chief project of the Junior Clubs of North Carolina. Following this discussion, Mrs. Kenneth Hite made a motion, which was carried, for a Sale Sale with all proceeds going to this fund. The club members also voted a donation to the Tuberculosis Sale Drive as there was no discussion of this in December, due to the cancellation of the business meeting that month.

Mrs. Kenneth Hite had as her guest Mrs. Jack Sowell of Lancaster, S. C.

Mrs. Tom Brown invited the executive board to her home at Elmhurst for a meeting on January 9. Food, drinks, nuts, potato chips and minis were served during the social hour which concluded the meeting.

Little Ladies

The Little Ladies Club will meet Saturday, 10 a.m., at the Recreation Department. Plans for Valentine Day will be made and also there will be folk dancing. All little girls who wish to join this club are cordially invited to join now as the new year begins.

Choice Western Steaks
Seafood — Sandwiches
Carolina Grill
24-Hour Service

Phone 4448 P. O. Box 544
DR. SAM T. WHITE, II
Optometrist
Hours For Eye Examinations
9:00 — 1:00 — 2:00 — 5:00
Wednesday Until Noon
106 E. Fifth St., Greenville, N.C.

FEEL AWFUL?
DUE TO COLD
MISERIES
666 gives fast
symptomatic
RELIEF



The Only Carton
Sterilized
At the Dairy

Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 3356-9 a. m. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 p. m.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
January 4, 1912

On Saturday evening from eight until eleven, Miss Annie Leonard Tyson, delightfully entertained a number of her friends on Greene Street. When the guests arrived they were welcomed by the hostess and the tables were arranged for the games of the evening. When the games were over, delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James have gone to housekeeping in the Smith house on Greene Street.

Miss Clara Hampton of Plymouth, who was visiting Miss Jamie Bryan, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. L. Hall and Master William Tyson returned Tuesday evening from Williamston where they have been visiting.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
January 4, 1912

On Saturday evening from eight until eleven, Miss Annie Leonard Tyson, delightfully entertained a number of her friends on Greene Street. When the guests arrived they were welcomed by the hostess and the tables were arranged for the games of the evening. When the games were over, delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James have gone to housekeeping in the Smith house on Greene Street.

Miss Clara Hampton of Plymouth, who was visiting Miss Jamie Bryan, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. L. Hall and Master William Tyson returned Tuesday evening from Williamston where they have been visiting.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club
6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club

SATURDAY
7:00 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse R. Moyer will be hosts at dinner to honor Mr. and Mrs. Thad Nobles.

Bobby Saunders Entertained On His 5th Birthday

AYDEN—Mrs. Velma Saunders entertained for her son, Bobby, on Wednesday, Dec. 26, on his 5th birthday.

The guests were entertained by watching television and also by games which were played.

The hostess invited the guests into the dining room where a beautiful birthday cake was lighted by Bobby and the children sang "Happy Birthday" to him. Toys with bubble gum and balloons were given as favors. Ice cream, cake and nuts were served.

The honoree received many nice and useful gifts.

Around twenty guests were invited.

First Presbyterian Announcements

The Sacraments of the Lord's Supper and Baptism will be observed this Sunday morning during the eleven o'clock church worship service.

The Young People of the Church will meet this Sunday evening, 6:30 o'clock, at the manse for vesper program and supper.

The Westminster Fellowship of College Students will meet Monday afternoon, 5:30 o'clock, at the manse for supper vesper program.

The Session of the Church will meet this Sunday night at 8 o'clock.

On Tuesday our church will be host to Albemarle Presbytery. Mr. Guy V. Smith is the commissioner for our Session. The pastor, a member of the Presbytery, is the moderator.

The Men of the Church will meet Thursday night at 7 o'clock for supper program and fellowship.

Circle No. 4, Mrs. W. W. Brown, chairman, will meet Tuesday, 8 p.m., with Mrs. Tom Forrest.

Circle No. 8, Mrs. L. W. Topping, chairman, will meet Thursday, 8 p.m., with Mrs. Bill Horne Jr.

Memorial Baptist Circles

The Circles of Memorial Baptist Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 as follows:

Ruth Swann Circle with Mrs. E. Hardaway.

Katherine Grant Circle with Mrs. J. B. Spilman, assisting hostess Mrs. Joe Smith.

Betty Compton Circle with Mrs. J. L. Winstead.

Mary Lee Ernest Circle with Mrs. W. L. Hall.

Mrs. Raymond Cox Entertained Bridge Club

AYDEN—Mrs. Raymond Cox entertained the members of her bridge club at her home on Friday night.

At the end of play aprons were given Mrs. Leslie Stokes for club high and Mrs. Wilbur Dunn as runner-up; table mats were given Mrs. Tucker Tripp for low; Guest high, a handkerchief, was given Mrs. Velma Saunders.

After cards were laid aside the hostess served sandwiches, potato chips and drinks to the following: Mesdames Stokes, Dunn, Tripp, Saunders, "Mac" Edwards, Clarence Hart, Chester Hart and Corey Stokes.

Dividend Paying Policies

Tadlock Mutual Insurance Agency

Save With Safety... Buy Mutual Insurance

FIRE, AUTOMOBILE and TORNADO

320 Evans Street, Greenville, N. C. — Dial 2397

Our Annual January

CLEARANCE

Offers Substantial Savings On

COATS — SUITS — DRESSES — HATS

SPECIAL GROUPS REDUCED

C. Heber Forbes

Kiwanians Install Officers Tonight

The Greenville Kiwanis Club will install new officers and directors for 1952 at the weekly supper meeting tonight at 6:30.

Frank Allen of Farmville, lieutenant-governor of the Seventh Kiwanis Division, will officiate.

Milo Smith is the new president, and Dr. Leo W. Jenkins is vice-president.

New directors are Henry L. Andrews, Ted Ashworth, Dr. J. M. Barrett, and J. C. Clifford, Jr. Hold-over directors are John T. Barnhill, Bill Drum, Dr. Davis L. Moore and Dr. John O. Reynolds. David C. Moore, Jr., is secretary-treasurer.

The Greenville Kiwanis Club was chartered October 14, 1921. It now has about 80 members.

Fountain News

Honored On Birthday

Don Jefferson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jefferson, celebrated his third birthday Friday afternoon, Dec. 26, at a party given in his honor by his mother at their home near Fountain.

The home was beautifully decorated throughout with the Christmas motif.

Mr. Jefferson made moving pictures of his son and his little guests during their stay at Don's party.

After the gifts had been opened the beautiful birthday cake, trimmed with three pink candles and pink and green decorations, was served with ice cream to the guests by the hostess.

Guests included Margaret Harris, Brenda Eason, Edna Beasley, Edward Bruce Beasley, Wanda Trevathan, Tommie Trevathan, Jo Johnson, Lynn Johnson, Sylvia Lamm, Jack Hardy, Mrs. G. E. Trevathan Sr., Mrs. Earl Trevathan Jr., Mrs. M. D. Yelverton, Mrs. George Eason and daughter Phyllis and Mrs. Bruce Beasley Jr.

Celebrates Birthday

On Friday evening, December 26, little Miss Anna Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Gardner, was honored at a party celebrating her third birthday by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Albert Mercer.

The little guests danced to music supplied by a phonograph, which was a gift from host and hostess.

Games were played, after which ice cream topped with cherries, birthday cake, toasted pecans and candies were served.

Miss Gardner received many nice gifts and birthday wishes.

Those attending the party were Misses Teresa Moseley, Wanda Trevathan, Jo Johnson, Dottie Newton, Mary Newton, Mary Paula Burnett, Lillian Gardner, Masters Charles Owens, Jimmie Dilda and Don Jefferson.

Ayden News

Mrs. Kathleen Caps of Durham visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Taylor and family during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. C. H. Allen has returned to her home in Kirklville, Mo., after having spent the holidays here with her mother and sister, Mrs. Sally A. McLawhorn and Miss Maggie Lee McLawhorn.

Col. and Mrs. Dale Brannon and little daughter, Dale Curtis, returned to their home in Falls Church, Va., after having spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Salsbury.

Mrs. J. J. Dixon has returned home from a visit with Mesdames Keith Brunson and Alton Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Taylor and children, Beth and Larry, of Fort Campbell, Ky., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams and daughter of Chapel Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Baldrée during the holidays.

Miss Annabelle Jackson has been visiting in Baltimore, Md.

Pfc. Ralph Sellers of Keesler Field, Miss., has been spending his furlough with Mr. and Mrs. Max McGlohorn.

Mrs. Mae Harper has returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harper and family in Hopewell, Va.

Miss Frances Armsfield of Raleigh was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Max McGlohorn.

Cpl. and Mrs. Marvin Baldrée have returned to their home in Rantolville, Ill., after having spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Baldrée.

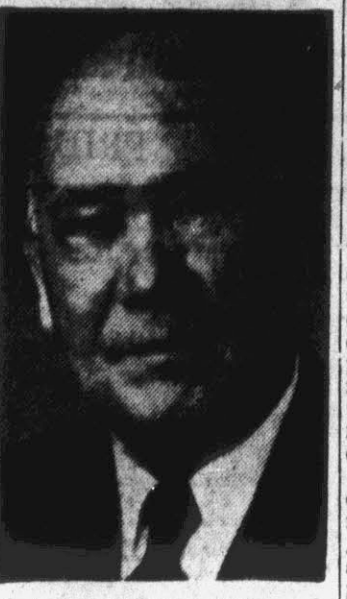
Quartet Sings For Meadowbrook Club

The Meadowbrook Men's Community Club were entertained by a quartet of boys at a meeting of the club last night.

The quartet included Charles Ray Ross, Dennis Bullock, Cabel Powell, and Curtis Patterson. The quartet sang several numbers.

Several guests were present at the dinner in which rock fish stew was served. Royce Honeysucker, president of the club, presided.

At Installation



HERBERT M. FOY

Officers of Greenville Lodge No. 284 will be installed Monday evening by Herbert M. Foy of Mt. Airy, Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina.

There will be a dinner in the dining room of the Masonic Temple here at 6:30 Monday which will be followed at 7:30 by an address by Foy and the installation of the new officers of the lodge.

Officers to be installed are: Harold E. Alder, master; W. E. Boswell, senior warden; George W. Smith, junior warden; W. Herman Hardee, treasurer; A. R. Rouse, secretary; Raymond Smith, senior deacon; Carey Joyner, junior deacon; Charlie P. Gaskins, steward; H. R. Phillips, steward; and Ed Austin, tiler.

C-O-C Meetings Set Next Week

Several meetings of various committees of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce are scheduled for next week in the office at Five Points.

The nominating committee will meet Monday afternoon at 4:30 to draw up a slate of 16 active members from which eight will be elected to serve on the board of directors for the term beginning February 1.

The ballots with the 16 names will be mailed out to members for them to select the new board of directors for the three-year term.

Two other meetings which are on schedule for the week. They are the executives of the fair committee which will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock and the committee for the newcomers' party which will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

W. T. Kizer, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said more committee meetings would probably be scheduled later on during the week.

Dean Jenkins To Act As Consultant For Regional Conference

Dean Leo W. Jenkins of East Carolina College will go to Washington, D. C., next week to act as consultant, January 11-12, during a regional conference sponsored by the National Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards of the National Education Association.

The East Carolina dean will serve as conference leader to a group of educators studying the topic "Maintaining and Improving Teacher Morale During a Period of Tensions." He will appear on the program of the conference through an invitation issued by T. M. Stinnett, executive secretary of the National Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards.

Two Cars Damaged In Collision On Albemarle Avenue

Considerable damage was done to two cars when they collided at Albemarle and Grande avenues yesterday morning about 10 o'clock. The occupants were not injured.

The investigating officer reported that the car driven by William Clark, Negro, 111 Meade street, made a left turn on incoming traffic, and was arrested. The car driven by Mrs. Pearl Waldrop Turner, 301 Summit street, collided with Clark's.

Pictures Tinted

If you are interested in having your pictures tinted in oil, call

Mrs. Ethel Baker

Owens Beauty Shop

Phone 3386

Twenty Traffic Cases In Wednesday Police Court

By CHESTER WALSH

In Police Court Wednesday, 20 of the 22 cases tried, were about violations of traffic and motor vehicle laws. The court was in session all day.

Judge Charles H. Wheedee found Robert B. Nichols, guilty of reckless driving, and gave him 60 days on the roads, sentence suspended on condition that he pay \$25 fine, no court costs. The judgment also provides that Nichols not drive a motor vehicle for a year, or until proper restitution for damage is made. The defendant gave notice of appeal to Superior Court.

Wiley Junior Anderson, Negro, operating to left of center of thoroughfare, fined \$25, no costs. The judgment provides that he not drive a motor vehicle for a year, or until proper restitution is made for damage.

Clair W. Stalls, operating a car to left of center of the thoroughfare and failure to yield right of way, \$10 fine. The judgment provides that she is not to drive a motor vehicle for a year, or until adequate restitution is made for property damage and personal injury.

John R. Ellison, Negro, failure to stop at a traffic red light, \$10 fine; having improper equipment, 30 days when he made the turn.

Damage to Clark's car was estimated to be \$100; damage to the Turner car, \$200.

Last Rites Saturday For Mrs. R. A. Bruton

Mrs. Mattie Hearne Bruton, 76, widow of Rev. R. A. Bruton, died at her home, 706 W. 5th Street, in Greenville, Friday morning at 8:20 o'clock. She had been in failing health for the last five years and critically ill for the past six months. Funeral services will be conducted at the Chapel of the S. G. Wilkerson & Sons Funeral Home Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and burial will be in Cherry Hill cemetery. The Rev. Robert W. Bradshaw, a former pastor of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church, will officiate.

Mrs. Bruton was born and reared in Greenville and had spent most of her life here for the past 50 years. Rev. Bruton died in 1940. She was a member of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Ada Hearne Smith of the home; a brother, W. A. B. Hearne of Greenville; three nephews, Marcellus B. Hearne of Greenville, William A. Hearne of Cuba, and Champ P. Hearne of Virginia Beach; and five nieces, Mrs. James Swanson of Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. C. B. Williams of Barger, Texas; Miss Ada J. Hearne of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. James Pentecost of Roxboro, and Mrs. Reedy Marcus of New York City.

Funeral Saturday For Infant H. W. Baker

Herbert Wood Baker, six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Heber C. Baker of near Vanceboro, died in Pitt Memorial Hospital in Greenville at 4:45 o'clock Friday morning. He became suddenly ill at noon Thursday and remained critically ill until his death.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and burial will be in Trinity Cemetery near Chocomaity. The Rev. Alton Hill, Methodist minister of Vanceboro, will officiate.

Surviving are his parents; four brothers, Heber Jr., Bill, James, Edward, and Robert Baker, all of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Robert Jones of near Vanceboro, and Mary Elizabeth and Lena Bell Baker, both of the home.

Dog Backs Up Story Of Bite

ATLANTA (AP)—Annette Evans, 15, told police she was walking along the street yesterday when a big dog ran from a yard and bit her on the left leg.

Set. W. D. Johnson went to investigate.

Woolf, a big German shepherd dashed out and bit him—also on the left leg.

The police sergeant and the girl went to a hospital for treatment.

The dog went to the pound.



BETTER VISION BETTER SHOPPING

Shopping is supposed to be one of woman's most enjoyable pleasures. But some women find it tiring. After a day of examining price tags and materials, a day spent in stores chock full of all kinds of merchandise—they arrive home headachy and tired and irritable.

Poor vision is often to blame. When eyesight defects are corrected, shopping returns to its place as a pleasure. Keen eyesight can buy better, too—bargains are really bargains.

FOR OUTSTANDING OPTICAL SERVICE, SEE...

Ridgeway's

OPTICIANS

PROFESSIONAL BUILDING

RALEIGH

FIVE POINTS—GREENVILLE

SALE

Continues

ALL

Girls

DRESSES

Sizes

1 to Subteen 14

• Cottons

• Velvets

• Corduroys

A Beautiful

Selection

First Federal

Savings and Loan Ass'n

Of Greenville

3%

Current Dividend Rates

on Insured Accounts

Assets Over \$2,000,000



BETTER VISION BETTER SHOPPING

Shopping is supposed to be one of woman's most enjoyable pleasures. But some women find it tiring. After a day of examining price tags and materials, a day spent in stores chock full of all kinds of merchandise—they arrive home headachy and tired and irritable.

Poor vision is often to blame. When eyesight defects are corrected, shopping returns to its place as a pleasure. Keen eyesight can buy better, too—bargains are really bargains.

FOR OUTSTANDING OPTICAL SERVICE, SEE...

Ridgeway's

OPTICIANS

PROFESSIONAL BUILDING

RALEIGH

FIVE POINTS—GREENVILLE



The Daily Reflector

Incorporated
Published Every Afternoon Except Sunday
Established 1883
DAVID J. WHIGHAM, JR., Publisher
Entered at the Post Office at Greenville, N. C.,
as second class mail matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
(Payable in Advance)
By Carrier Week 25c
(BY MAIL)
Three Months \$ 3.00
Six Months \$ 5.50
One Year \$10.50

**MEMBER ASSOCIATED PRESS
AND UNITED PRESS**
The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to use for publication all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited to this paper and also the local news published herein. All rights of publication of special dispatches herein are also reserved.

**NATIONAL ADVERTISING
REPRESENTATIVES**
Thomas F. Clark Co., Inc., New York, Chicago,
Atlanta.

All advertising copy must be received at least
one day before publication date.

Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLAS
TOUGH GOING FOR ALL
A little bit of grass is growing out of the crevice of a rock. Further up, on the ledge, a white pine has established itself in a small pocket of soil and has, apparently for a half-century, been assuming a majestic form. Between the flag stones of a terrace laid in sand, little clumps of vegetation are springing up.

This all resembles our existence here on earth. It is precarious at best. We find ourselves in a certain nation, community and family. Some things encourage our growth; others threaten us with destruction. From the moment we are born we begin a desperate struggle to dig ourselves into our environment and survive. For certain reasons, some lives will grow as did the stately pine. Other lives will be as lowly as a rose. Still others will be like weeds, and others will have a precarious existence, resembling the tiny blades of grass growing up between the crevices of a flagstone walk.

Let us be merciful on our contemporaries. They are all having a hard time of it. There is not one of us for whom life is not a daily struggle to exist, to keep healthy, to hold on to a job, to get the bills paid at the end of the month, to pay income tax, to live peacefully with our family and neighbors.

Be merciful. Be tolerant. It is hard going for us all.

**A New Challenge To
The Progressive South**
Although Governor Dennis Roberts of Rhode Island did not mean to compliment the South, his open "declaration of war" on Southern states is one of the greatest verbal tributes which has been paid to the industrial progress of the South.

Not only did the statement of the Rhode Island governor betray the grave concern in New England for the industrial progress of the South, but it should make the Southern states realize that they are going to have to fight tooth and nail if they are to continue to lure major industry south of the Mason-Dixon line.

Although Roberts did not name the South or any southern states, there can be no doubt that his words were directed against the progressive South when he told the Rhode Island General Assembly, his state must fight a "war against raids being made on our industries by certain states." Roberts recommended that Rhode Island set up a one million dollar rotary fund for the construction of modern industrial plants which would be leased to responsible companies.

Industry in the South has been growing by leaps and bounds in recent years, and there can be no question that the southward movement of industry is threatening to cripple areas which have reigned as industrial centers for the past half century. The southern states have come under heated criticism of the old industrial centers as more and more companies have moved to take advantage of the better climatic, labor and transportation facilities the South has to offer in its areas which long have been virgin territory for industry.

We can not blame Rhode Island for doing everything in its power to keep its industrial empire from moving out, but by the same token, the people in the South must realize that their efforts to sell industry on the great advantages offered by the southern states must be increased rather than allowed to slacken.

A Start In The Right Direction

It is gratifying to note that statistics in the annual highway accident report for 1951 that the automobile drivers in Pitt County exercised more care during 1951 than during 1950.

Last year ten persons lost their lives in highway accidents in Pitt County. Obviously this unnecessary slaughter on the highways should have been prevented, but there at least is some consolation in the fact that the number compares favorably with the 1950 figures which showed 18 persons were killed in highway accidents in the county.

During 1951 Pitt County had more paved roads than the year before, and although we do not have the exact figures, it is safe to assume that the number of cars on the Pitt roads during 1951 was more than in 1950. In addition to the decrease in fatalities in highway accidents, highway officers also reported a decrease in the number of minor accidents in the county during 1951, and a decrease in the number of personal injuries resulting from these accidents.

It could be that the large number of fatalities on Pitt's highways during 1950 caused more careful driving in these parts during 1951. Or it could be that the drivers as a whole are realizing more and more that they are literally taking their own lives and the lives of others in their own hands when they get under a wheel and venture out on the highways. It could be that concerted activity by highway patrolmen is resulting in more careful driving by the general public.

Whatever the cause for the decrease in highway accidents and the decrease in highway fatalities in Pitt County during 1951, The Reflector hopes the people of the county will continue to be conscious of the highway perils during the new year. The 1951 death rate is still high compared with the five highway fatalities in Pitt County in 1947 and the three highway fatalities in 1949.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—The recently exhumed House Appropriations Subcommittee's report of its 1947 investigation of the Bureau of Internal Revenue reveals that this executive agency was far more interested in collecting money and votes for the Democratic Party than in collecting taxes. Its sixty-four regional offices were mere branches of the Democratic National Committee, which was then headed by Attorney General J. Howard McGrath.

Interestingly enough, most of these outrageous violations of the Hatch Clean Politics Act occurred in Mr. McGrath's own territory—New England. The report of the House Appropriations Subcommittee, which was chaired by Representative Gordon Canfield of New Jersey, dealt mainly with the Boston office. But it suggested that conditions were no better in the other sixty-four Internal Revenue districts.

Dennis W. Delaney, who was the Boston Collector during this period, is now under indictment. He was kept in office by Secretary Snyder for four years after the revelations of political activity outlined below.

DEGRADATION—The Canfield report showed conclusively that employees in the Boston office were coerced into contributing large sums to the Democratic State Committee, to buying \$50 and \$25 tickets to Jackson Day dinners and to kicking in for special receptions whenever prominent Democratic bigwigs visited the Athens of America.

On February 25, 1946, John E. Burns, then Assistant Collector, sent this note to Collector Delaney: "In considering promotions in the field, I thought you might like to have the list of employees who purchased tickets to the Hannegan reception."

The late Robert E. Hannegan was the man who landed Harry S. Truman in the White House. He subsequently served as Internal Revenue Commissioner, Democratic National Chairman and Postmaster General. He was the Administration's patronage boss. It is believed that Internal Revenue degradation began during his regime.

PROMOTIONS—Congressional investigators discovered that the payroll and promotion lists in the Boston office carried code symbols after the name of each employee showing how generous he had been with party contributions, and how heavily he should be tapped whenever necessity arose.

The letter "A" after an employee's name meant that he or she should be a prospect for a "reasonably good donation." The letter "B" indicated that the employee might be touched for a "fair donation." The letter "C" signified that "low salary and family responsibilities preclude a donation." The records showed that promotions invariably paralleled the code ratings.

PEP-TALK—But the prize Canfield testimony involved Frank Kraemer, Collector of Internal Revenue at Hartford. During the 1946 campaign he called a conference of top Internal Revenue officials for Connecticut, and gave them a pep-talk on the need for stirring up political activity and contributions in their respective offices.

Two Bridgeport deputy collectors refused to be coerced, and their complaints eventually reached the Treasury Intelligence Unit. Although Kraemer's violation of the Hatch Act was clearly evident, he was not punished by his superiors in Treasury.



Somebody Told Me

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

For a few weeks after years change, every writer is entitled to look back on the old year and talk about what happened. Like every year, 1951 was full of unusual stories. Here are a few:

A burglar broke into a Yonkers, New York, home and stole three pounds of sirloin steak, a pork roast and some chopped meat. He was a smart burglar; he took the meat and didn't notice the jewelry and silverware.

Roy Rogers of Baltimore woke up with a start early one morning to find everything he saw upside down. Then he realized that he was the one who was upside down. He was hanging head down from his apartment window dressed in his underwear. Only his right ankle caught by the window sash and saved his life. A drop to the pavement would have surely killed him.

There was a large crowd below watching him. Roy had to hang there for thirty minutes before the police were called, broke open his door, and unhooked him. In his nightmare Rogers said he had been chased by two men. The window seemed his only escape. As luck would have it, the saah-weight let the window down and saved his life.

To prove that people are honest, this story: A small town in Iowa installed parking meters early in 1951. As a service to the public, the banks in this town took fish-bowls and filled them with pennies and nickels so that customers could make their own change. At the end of a week, not a single one of the fishbowls showed a shortage. In fact, one was a nickel over.

In the 1951 news, it was proved that Texas has everything. The

civilian chief of the plating plant at Kelly Air Force Base, near San Antonio, was walking along one day last August when a rattlesnake bit him on the leg. The chief stood by while the rattler went into convulsions, crawled a few feet away, and died. The chief suffered no ill effects at all. In the plating plant where he worked his body had gradually built up an immunity to snake poisoning.

In the medical profession, a story came to light during 1951 that was bound to happen sooner or later. Last summer, a surgeon in Harrodsburg, Kentucky, had to operate on his patient for the second time. The first time, six months before during an appendectomy, he had forgotten to remove two sponges about the size of a baby diaper.

And I thank you.

Around Capitol Square

Reflector Bureau

By LYNN NISBET

Assoc. Afternoon Dallas

MARKETS—Improvement in methods and facilities for marketing agricultural products will be the main objective of the state department of agriculture for 1952. Personnel of the marketing division had a meeting Wednesday morning, at which general plans were discussed and every employee given a better idea of the whole program. Reports of progress made during 1951 justified pride in achievement, but the marketing folks didn't brag much about what they have done. There was too much acute consciousness of the big job ahead, or what still must be done to bring farm marketing up to standards recognized as necessary for profitable operation.

REVIEW—Some highlights of the past year should be noted in passing. Extension and expansion of the marketing news service, a federal-state cooperative project, afforded growers and small produce dealers up-to-date information on prices and market trends. General data on items as cotton and peanuts was adapted to the peculiar types grown in this state. More than 7500 carloads and over a million auction packages of fresh fruits and vegetables were inspected and certified before being shipped out to markets which the division had helped to locate. Livestock and poultry products were given closer attention than ever before, with resultant improvement in those phases of the total farm program. Encouragement and assistance was given in establishment of local curb and auction markets for fresh

vegetables and in the development of livestock markets and storage facilities for meats and grain. Some of these facilities were individually financed for profit, some were co-operatively developed for needed service. The record justifies pride, and the market folks are not ashamed of it. But at that meeting Wednesday morning Commissioner L. V. Ballentine, Assistant Commissioner Hugh Harris, Markets Director John Winfield, and the several specialists who spoke all emphasized the fact that the big job is ahead.

Three-sided—Obligation to improve farm marketing does not rest entirely upon state and federal government agencies. It is a three-sided proposition, at least. The government agencies are in obligation to do something about conditions. Then the business men who have merchandise to sell the farmer have some responsibility in providing better methods for the farmer to exchange his produce for the merchandise merchants have to sell, either through a direct barter and exchange system or by making more easily available the cash medium of trade.

UNFAIR—Commissioner Ballentine pointed out to the Raleigh Kiwanis Club last week that the Raleigh business community was not being entirely fair with their buying patronage without providing some facilities for them to sell their crops. The comment is equally apropos to most of the cities and towns in North Carolina. The situation is fairly well cared for in the tobacco belt for

that one crop, and in the cotton belt for the sale of baled cotton. There are some communities with adequate markets for poultry and milk; a few with markets for hogs, lambs and other livestock; still fewer with anything approaching adequate facilities for marketing vegetables, fruits and grains.

HABIT—Recognized as one of the chief handicaps in development of an efficient agricultural marketing program is the force of habit and tradition among farmers. It developed in discussion at the marketing division conference this week that farmers themselves must be educated in the importance of grading and packaging produce. Too many growers still think a bushel of potatoes is a bushel of potatoes, and a dozen eggs means twelve eggs, and that's that. Well, in these days of highly competitive merchandising of everything from airplane tickets and news stories to sprigs of asparagus and chicken giblets, "that" may not be "that." Discriminating buyers want all the potatoes and eggs in a given package to be of approximate size and quality. Those same discriminating buyers do not mind paying a bit more for premium produce bearing recognized grade stamps and quality labels, and put up in neat packages which inspire confidence. In that field the federal-state inspection service is doing a good job, but the job could be much more profitable for everybody if more producers would recognize the importance of inspection, grading and packaging.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

NEW TAXES FOR MOTORISTS

(New Bern Sun-Journal)

Special motorist taxes next year, due to recently-enacted Federal gasoline and automotive tax increases, are to cost the typical North Carolina vehicle owner a record-breaking \$118.81, the highest in the nation, says G. Gilmer Sparger, executive secretary of the North Carolina Petroleum Industries Committee. Tax rates are now at their peak.

The full impact of the heavier Federal taxes will be felt in 1952, when the motorist finds how drastically they add to his driving costs, Mr. Sparger continues. Under the new scale of Federal automotive taxes which took effect on

last November 1, the gasoline tax increased to two cents a gallon from the previous cent and a half. The excise tax on new passenger cars is up to 10 per cent, from seven per cent, and the former five per cent taxes on trucks, buses, truck-trailers, automotive parts and accessories have been boosted to eight per cent.

"Just the heavier Federal gasoline tax will mean that North Carolina motorists must pay nine and a quarter cents in state and federal taxes on every gallon of gasoline they buy," says Mr. Sparger. "This equals a 44 per cent sales tax on gasoline—the heaviest tax imposed on a non-luxury product in

our state." Further, the Petroleum Industries committee executive says, the Federal gasoline and automotive excise taxes are not connected with highway development, but are used for the support of the general government. These taxes were first levied as temporary measures in 1932 "to help meet a depression emergency." Not only have they been retained all these years, but they have been increased with each following emergency. He believes that, as world conditions clear up, the heavily overtaxed motor vehicle owners should be the first to receive deserved and long overdue tax relief from their Federal government.

Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER
Almost everything else has gone up in price—now it's money. Borrowed money, that is. The large New York banks, which set the pace for the rest of the nation, have increased interest rates to their most substantial customers from 2 3/4 to 3 per cent. Three months ago it was 2 1/2 per cent.

A New York savings bank has asked the state for permission to increase its interest on deposits above 2 per cent, which means it is willing to pay more for the money it borrows from savers.

Government bonds have weakened in price, which means that those who buy them are getting a higher return on their investment. There is talk of considering an increase in interest on U. S. savings bonds.

Part of the rise results from the world-wide demand for credit to finance expansion, largely military. Part comes from a slight change in the government's easy-money policy. For two decades the government has worked to keep interest rates down through cheap mortgage money to home owners and veterans and through Federal Reserve, Reconstruction Finance and Treasury policies. This has kept the cost of interest down on the enormous indebtedness of the nation. Now the Administration is letting rates rise a little.

Higher interest rates are deflationary, just as easy rates are inflationary. That explains why rates were forced down during the first Roosevelt administration. It amounted to a swing of inflation to help pull the country out of the depression. The rise in interest rates, therefore, may tend to slow down further inflation.

The new rates, however, create serious problems for many small business men. Few of them have been able to borrow at the lowest rates, even when money was most plentiful, because they did not have the required security. The 1/4 of 1 per cent increase on prime loans may mean an even greater increase for many of them. Those who have been paying 3 or 4 per cent on insurance loans may now have to pay 5 or 6 and those with less satisfactory security may have to pay more. And unless the money is to be used for defense or essential civilian expansion; they may have difficulty in borrowing.

The Federal Reserve has urged banks to avoid non-essential lending.

Some financial authorities are urging business men who will need borrowed money later to try to make arrangements now if they can find it at low rates.

U. S. SPENDS BILLIONS FOR FOREIGN FOOD

While the United States produces food in such enormous quantities that it is able to help feed its friends, the country is still a great importer of agricultural products. In the month of October alone it imported \$387,654,000 worth, which is at a rate of more than four billion a year.

Some of the imports are of products that do not grow sufficiently in our climate, including bananas, coffee, rubber, tea, jute, sisal, coconut oil, cane sugar, etc. Others are things that abound in America, such as cattle, cotton, tobacco, cheese and hides. Even little Iceland, short of food itself, sells food here for the high prices. It is sending 1,500,000 pounds of lamb out of its 1951 crop, getting 45 and 46 cents a pound for first-quality frozen carcasses.

75, TAKES PROMOTION

RATHER THAN RETIRE
Ernest P. Seixas, after 60 years as a salesman, thought he ought to retire on his 75th birthday. His employers Dorset Rex Products Corp., New York, talked him out of it. They made him general manager and assistant to the president.

"I find my new job more interesting than retirement," he said. He was born in New York in 1876, the descendant of pre-revolutionary settlers.

PLAN OFFERS EUROPEAN TRIPS FOR WORKERS

A vacation package plan for American industrial workers has been announced by a large Swiss travel agency. Under the plan, companies can send groups of workers to Europe and back by air for two weeks. During their stay visits to European plants in the same lines are to be arranged. The cost is \$396 a person. Companies can pay all the expenses, part of them, or merely make arrangements for employees.

It will probably increase European travel and may be the basis for some interesting union demands for "fringe" benefits.

Hal Boyle's Column

NEW YORK (—AP)—There is an old Leap Year saying that "H who hesitates is bossed."

With some 3 million spinster, over 25 looking for husbands, the proverb is particularly true of bachelors in 1952.

But how can any one man escape as this ring of 3 million iron-willed ladies closes in? Any direction he leaps it looks like he will land in some girl's lap.

Yet there are ways, there are ways. I have consulted several grizzled old bachelors, and here are their tips on how to stay free:

1. Don't try to be repulsive. The more repulsive you act to some women, the more determined they are to land you. Yes, even if you gose-grease your hair and use a toothpick in public.

2. Never borrow money from a single woman. A woman loves money second only to men. If she has a financial as well as an emotional investment in you, she will track you down through your den with polar bears.

3. When she asks you to her apartment to look at her knickings, bring along a couple of crocheting needles and start knitting yourself some socks. Women are leery of men who crochet for a hobby. But if she still tries to force her attentions on you, well—stab her firmly with the needle. Make her keep her distance.

4. Better yet, never go alone to a lady bachelor's apartment in the first place.

5. Don't tell a girl you don't want to marry her. Just say to your mother: "Mom, that girl is after me, but I just don't feel she's the type I want to bring home to you." Mama will handle the situation from there on out.

6. Ask your own father how he got caught. He'll be glad to point out his own mistakes—he's probably been mulling them over for years. Then avoid his errors.

7. Be romantic. Plant a century plant with the girl who has chosen you and tell her, "Dearest, when it blooms a second time, we must wed." She'll wait, and spend her spare time trying to cross-breed the century plant with morning glories.

8. Here is an almost surefire way to cure women of their affection for you: Propose to all the eligible gals you know and give each of them a dime store diamond engagement ring. Naturally they'll rush off to nearest jeweler to get an estimate on the value of the ring. After that, whenever they see you they'll say, "Hello, poison ivy."

9. Wear a wedding ring yourself, and tell them you are secretly married to a young lady you met on a South Sea island during the war. Explain that your faraway bride wears her wedding ring in her nose.

10. Finally, if you are just so darned irresistible to spinsters that nothing else works, go to Athens and take a year-long vacation.

monks in the 22 monasteries there quickly spotted her and she was sent away.

The outraged monks then cut off one point of land at which she was assured and built a stone wall around it.

If an American bachelor wants a peaceful Leap Year, he can't do better than to hibernate on Mount Athos.

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON—B. Y. Morrison, retiring director of the National Arboretum, is going to have a little arboretum of his own on a 20-acre plot he bought for himself on the Gulf, near Pass Christian, Miss.

For 34 years Mr. Morrison has overseen the development of the National Arboretum, which he describes as a "living museum of woody plants." It comprises 420 acres on the outskirts of the District of Columbia. The Arboretum, under the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, was started for purposes of research and education concerning tree and plant life. When completed it will boast some 5,000 varieties of woody things that can be grown outdoors in this part of the country.

Meanwhile, since 1945, he has been doing some plant-breeding of his own, nights and weekends at home, working with many rare species of azaleas, narcissi, day lilies, and several varieties of an oriental type of evergreen.

This was the outgrowth of some official work in collecting, varieties and experimenting in plant breeding that he did in 1929, and in the setting up of the government's famous Glenn Dale Plant Introduction Garden in nearby Maryland. Mr. Morrison has taken some of his rare species to the National Arboretum, including thousands of azaleas and narcissi plants to be used for decoration purposes.

At Pass Christian he's already started a regular plant-breeding program for his days of "retirement." His azaleas range in every color from white, salmon and coral to scarlet and from pale pink-lavender to grape purple. Others are white with stripes and flakes of color. Some have colored borders. This development he thanks the Japanese for.

"Currently," he said, "I'm busy untangling the things I've done all my life." This includes taking care of the huge correspondence he's built up over the years.

"People seem to think I know practically everything there is in the horticultural dictionary," he said. "They write to me about everything under sun and soil I try to give them an answer if I can."

Mr. Morrison is also retiring as editor of the National Horticultural Magazine, a job he's held for 27 years. He will continue to serve as consultant to the Arboretum. He will also contribute material to the magazine.

Finding the Christ

ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Scripture—John 1:1-51.

By Alfred J. Buescher



Priests from Jerusalem went to John the Baptist to inquire who he was. John answered them that he was "the voice of one crying in the wilderness. Make straight the way of the Lord."

Next day John saw Jesus coming toward him, and said to his companions, "Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world. This is He whom I said cometh after me."

Hearing John say that Jesus was the Lamb of God, two of his disciples followed Christ, and when He asked them why they inquired where He lived, Jesus said, "Come and see," and they did.

Philip found Nathaniel and told him the Messiah was Jesus of Nazareth, but Philip doubted, saying, "Can any good thing come out of Nazareth?"

MEMORY VERSE—John 1:41

Finding the Christ

JOHN THE BAPTIST TESTIFIES CONCERNING HIM

Scripture—John 1:1-51.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL
HOW ARE great men recognized? William Shakespeare wrote that "some are born great; some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them."

It would be interesting to list the world's so-called great leaders, and to classify them under Shakespeare's listings. Many of the greatest came from humble beginnings—as did our Lord—many others achieved fame when they were born into positions of power; still others had position and power apparently "thrust upon them."

Jesus of Nazareth was 30 or 31 years old before He began His ministry, but there was about Him that which proclaimed Him truly great. Like other men who are recognized as leaders, there was much controversy over Him. He was "despised and rejected of men," but 1900 years after He was on earth, millions follow and recognize Him as the Saviour.

This is the history of the very beginning of Christ's ministry—the threshold of Christianity.

John the Baptist's preaching had created such a stir in the

two, "Behold the Lamb of God!" The word "lamb" was prophetic. The Hebrews thought of the lamb as a sacrifice. The blood of lambs was smeared over the lintels of their doors in Egypt as a sign that the angel of death was to pass over them, and there are many other stories of the sacrifice of lambs. Jesus was indeed to be a sacrifice—a sacrifice for us all.

John's two companions followed Jesus, and when He turned and asked them why they were doing so, they answered, "Rabbi (which is to say, being interpreted, Master), where dwellest thou?"

"He saith unto them, Come and see. They came and saw where He dwelt, and abode with Him that day."

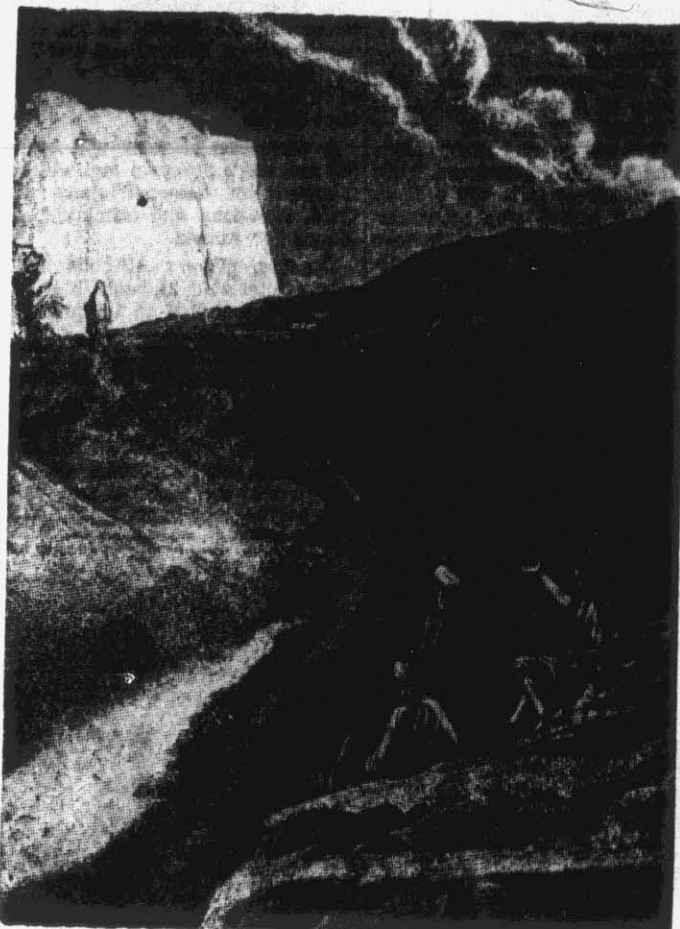
One of those who heard John speak was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, and he found Peter and told him, saying, "We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ."

Andrew brought his brother to Jesus, and "when Jesus beheld him, he said, 'Thou art Simon the son of Jona; thou shalt be called Cephas, (which is by inter-

MEMORY VERSE

"We have found the Messiah (which is, being interpreted, Christ).—John 1:41.

The Golden Text



Behold the Lamb of God.

"We have found the Messiah (which is, being interpreted, Christ).—John 1:41.

world, that the temple authorities in Jerusalem sent "priests and Levites" to question him. Who was he? Was he the Christ, the Messiah? Or was he one of the prophets come back—Elijah, for instance?

John denied he was either. Said he, "I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness. Make straight the way of the Lord, as said the prophet Elijah."

Then they asked him, "Why baptizest thou then, if thou be not that Christ, nor Elias, neither that prophet?"

Then John answered, "I baptize with water; but there standeth one among you whom ye know not:

"He it is, who coming after me is preferred before me, whose shoe's latchet I am not worthy to unloose."

He further explained that he had baptized Jesus of Nazareth and witnessed "the Spirit descending from heaven, like a dove, and it abode upon Him."

"And I knew Him not; but He that sent me to baptize with water, the same said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending, and remaining on Him, the same is He which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost. And I saw, and bare witness that this is the Son of God."

The next day John stood with two of his disciples and saw Jesus walking, and said to the

pretation), a stone."

The next day Jesus went forth to Galilee and found Philip, and said, "Follow Me." Philip, in turn, found Nathaniel, and said unto him, "We have found Him, of whom Moses in the law, and the prophets did write, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph."

But Nathaniel knew the bad reputation that the town of Nazareth had and he said, "Can there be any good thing come out of Nazareth?" to which Philip answered, "Come and see."

"Come and see!" call all the real Christians of the world, and let the Christ show you that if you follow Him you will be made more beautiful in spirit—a better husband, wife, parent, child and citizen, and you will be so much happier than you have ever been.

When Jesus saw Nathaniel coming to Him, He said, "Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile!"

Nathaniel said, "Whence knowest Thou me?" and Jesus answered, "Before that Philip called thee, when thou wast under the fig tree, I saw thee."

And Nathaniel's answer was, "Rabbi, Thou art the Son of God; Thou art the King of Israel!"

Thus Jesus began His earthly ministry. People had only to come to Him and talk with Him and they knew He was indeed the Christ. Then they went away filled with joy, to tell others and bring them to Him.

County Churches

ASPEN GROVE F. W. B. CHURCH
Rev. L. B. Manning, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, Mr. Clifton Gardner, superintendent
11:00 a. m.—Regular services each second Sunday.
7:30 p. m.—Regular services each

FALKLAND PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. Philip M. Corey, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, T. K. Fountain, superintendent
11:00 a. m.—Regular worship services first Sunday.
7:00 p. m.—Regular worship services second, third and fourth Sundays.



Saieed's

SHOE SALE

NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

FEEL ACHEY?
DUE TO COLD MISERIES
666 gives fast symptomatic RELIEF

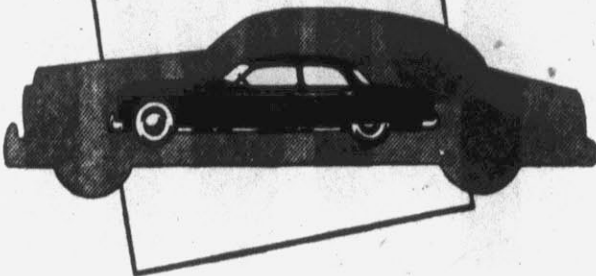
WHITLEY
Paint & Wallpaper
Company
'WE KNOW HOW'

Phone 4114
1804 Dickinson Ave.

Guaranty Bank and Trust Company
Member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
"The Guardian and Executor That Never Dies"
Established 1901 — Time Tested

That's the way it seems when you finance your purchase here—because your over-all cost will be so economical. Rates are moderate, terms are reasonable. See us about a low-cost auto loan.

MORE CAR
for Your Money



10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, David Nobles Jr., superintendent
Services each first and third Sunday mornings and second and fourth Sunday nights.

HICKORY GROVE F. W. B.
Rev. Clarence J. Little, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, Kenneth Manning, superintendent
11:00 a. m.—Worship service each third Sunday.
7:30 p. m.—Worship service each third Sunday.

FACTOLUS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. F. Laughlin, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, Carroll Whitford, superintendent
11:00 a. m.—Worship services first and third Sundays.
7:30 p. m.—Worship services second and fourth Sundays.

BLACK JACK F. W. B. HOLINESS
Rev. W. R. Kennedy, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, Van Mills, superintendent
6:30 p. m.—Youth Service
Preaching every first Saturday night at 7:30. Every first Sunday night at 11 a. m. Every first Sunday night at 7:30.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
Having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Payton Atkinson, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, or to J. H. Harrell, Attorney at Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 6th day of December, 1962, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 6th day of December, 1962.

JESSIE D. ATKINSON
Administratrix of the Estate of Payton Atkinson, deceased
J. H. Harrell, Atty.
Dec. 6-13-20-27 Jan. 3-10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF CITY PROPERTY
UNDER DEED OF TRUST
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust dated May 1, 1961, executed by John H. Howell and wife, Cleo E. Howell, Robert E. Howell and wife, Rena L. Howell, and recorded in Book B-26 at page 331 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, to which plan been made in the payment of the note thereby secured and the owner of the note having requested the trustee to foreclose thereon, the undersigned trustee will on Saturday, the second day of February, 1962, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, at the courthouse door in Greenville, N.C. again offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to wit:

HEAD STUFFY
DUE TO COLDS
TAKE
666 for fast symptomatic RELIEF

FOR SALE...

Concrete Blocks & Rocks

Washed and Screened Sand
Call 4000
For Prompt Service

Concrete Products Co.

Of Greenville, N.C., Inc.
HENRY W. MARTIN, Mgr.

Our New Year's Promise To You
We will continue to sell you highest quality food for less money.
'Nothing but the Best'



Fancy Turnip Greens
No. 2 Can 2 for 25c
Morton's Salt
26 oz. Pkg. 10c
Niblet Corn
12 oz. Can 2 for 35c
Log Cabin Syrup
Large Size 48c

Jello
Any Flavor 3 for 25c
Kaffee's Rice Krispies
Regular Size 15c
Lux Soap
Bath Size 11c
Fancy Prunes
1 lb. Pkg. 24c

FRESH VEGETABLES—Snap Beans, Collards, Turnip Salad, Squash, Cabbage, Cucumbers, Beets, Peppers, Carrots, Tomatoes, Celery, Lettuce, New Red Potatoes—Fruits, All Kinds.

AA BRANDED WESTERN STEER

U. S. Good Round Steak, lb. 98c	Morrell's Pride Smoked Sausage, lb. 49c
U. S. Good Chuck Roast, lb. 73c	Fresh Backbone and Spareribs, lb. 49c
U. S. Good Sirloin Steak, lb. 1.05	Morrell's Pride Sliced Bacon, lb. 69c
Good All Lean Ground Beef, lb. 81c	Cured Ham Sliced, lb. 69c

Fresh Oysters Daily — Siler City Hens and Fryers

GARRIS GROCERY
Greenville's Food Center
GRADE "A" MARKET
E. FIFTH CONTANCHE • DIAL 3168 • DELIVERY

House Of David Defeats ECC All-Stars 49-44

Allen Leads Scoring Hilburn Scores Nine

By JIMMY SLAY
Reflector Sports Writer

An almost full house of spectators was treated to an evening of full enjoyment last night as they watched the House of David touring basketball club down their way past a team of picked intra-mural stars at East Carolina College. The final margin of victory for the Davids was 49-44.

Playing good basketball when they had to do so, the bearded visitors were in the lead throughout the ball game. With little Bobby Roth handling the bulk of the ball handling, the House of David club built up a substantial lead quickly and were never seriously threatened.

The point scoring for both clubs was fairly well spread out. Big Bill Allen took scoring honors with 14 points but he was followed closely by Stan Karpinski with 12 and Ross Lebeck with 11. For the All-Stars, Jere Hilburn popped in nine points while George Graybill and Boyd Webb scored eight apiece. The Davids got six and Stone and Jack Pickett got four apiece.

The House of David players pulled just about all their tricks last night and with this added to Roth's running commentary on the game, the crowd was kept laughing for the length of the contest. Roth proved to be the real clown of the five men but the others had a definite part in the victory.

The clowns took full advantage of the disorganization of the recently formed All-Star and never had to extend themselves. They attempted a couple of times to slow down the night's action by a passing game in their own forecourt but after it was broken up by alert All-Star defenders, they gave up the idea completely. However, most of their shots were from close in with the height of Allen and Karpinski playing an important role.

The All-Stars were selected from teams entered in the Intra-mural League at East Carolina College. They were coached in last night's game by Vernon Morrison, Intra-mural director.

The box:

House of David (49)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Roth, f	2	6	3	4
Lebeck, f	4	4	0	11
Allen, c	6	2	1	14
Karpinski, g	4	4	1	12
Cohen, f	3	2	3	8
Totals	19	14	7	49

All-Stars (44)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Graybill, f	4	0	3	8
Hilburn, f	4	1	3	9
Oliver, f	1	0	2	2
Smith, f	0	0	0	0
Piner, f	0	0	0	0
Stone, c	2	0	2	4
Rhodes, c	1	0	0	2
Pickett, c	0	0	0	0
Gray, g	0	1	1	1
Webb, g	4	0	0	8
Crowley, g	0	0	1	0
Podrie, g	3	0	2	6
Totals	21	2	13	44

Halftime score: House of David—49; All-Stars—18.

HE'S FOR SAFETY
JACKSONVILLE, Fla. —(UP)—An 86-year-old retired jeweler, figuring his chances of living to an "old age" depends on his neighbors' safety-mindedness, has launched a one-man safety campaign. Instead of answering his telephone with "hello," he says "safety always."

Austin Nichols GREAT OAK
BLENDED WHISKEY

The Straight Whiskeys in this product are 2 years or more old; 30% Straight Whiskey, 70% Grain Neutral Spirits; 20% Straight Whiskey 2 years old, 5% Straight Whiskey 4 years old, 5% Straight Whiskey 6 years old. 86 proof.

Austin Nichols & Co., Inc. GREENVILLE, N. C.

FEEL AWFUL?
DUE TO COLD MISERIES

gives fast symptomatic RELIEF

666

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

Saieed's
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

1 C
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL PROGRESS.

UNC Ties State For Loop's First Place

By the Associated Press

North Carolina's Tar Heels and North Carolina State's defending champion Wolfpack were all tied up today for the Southern Conference basketball lead. Each had league records of four wins and no defeats.

The Tar Heels climbed up even with State last night by coming from behind to nip Maryland's Terps, 51-47, with Forward Al Lifson scoring 14 points for North Carolina and touching off the go-ahead rally with a long set shot.

But West Virginia's Mountaineers gave indication they may give both the Tar Heels and the Wolfpack trouble in the conference race. The Mountaineers invaded Madison Square Garden and came away with a stunning 100-75 triumph over New York University.

Harry Moore poured in 26 points for the Mountaineers and elongated Mark Workman was close behind with 24. West Virginia held a 13-1 margin before the Violets could find the range from the floor. The Mountaineers led by 58-35 at the half.

NYU spent the last minute freezing the ball in an effort to protect its Garden record of 103 points set a week ago against Arizona. The win was West Virginia's seventh against one loss.

Third-place South Carolina (1-0) faces Davidson (1-3) in a conference game at Davidson tonight. The Wildcats trimmed South Carolina by 87-63 in the Carolinas Invitational Tournament at Charlotte last week.

First Appearance For Ford Frick

BOSTON—(AP)—Baseball Commissioner Ford Frick will make his first Boston appearance as such at next Monday's formal dedication of the \$1½ million Jimmy Fund building.

That five-story structure will be devoted to research and the treatment of cancer in children. Funds for its erection were provided by three annual drives sponsored jointly by the Boston Braves and the Variety Club of New England, an organization of theatrical executives.

Most of the National League's top executives, Warren Giles, its new president, Lou Perini of the Braves, Fred Saigh of the Cardinals, Horace Stoneham of the Giants, Walter F. O'Malley of the Dodgers, Branch Rickey of the Pirates, and Bob Carpenter of the Phillies, will participate in the ceremonies.

The crater lake of Chubb Crater averages 9,100 feet in diameter.

City Basketball Leagues To Be Formed Next Week

All leagues within the city recreational basketball system will be formed next week, it was announced yesterday by Recreation Director Warren Carroll.

Players who desire to participate are asked to pick up their contract from the Armory. A signed contract is required before a player can take the floor to play in a game.

Current plans call for five leagues to be organized, one each for boys at the Training School, Third Street School, West Greenville School, Junior High School boys, and High School girls, respectively.

Carroll also released a temporary practice schedule for the leagues. According to the schedule, the Training School will have the armory court on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons at 3:30; Third Street will practice Tuesday and Thursday at 3:30; West Greenville on Tuesday only at 4:30; Junior High boys will practice at 4:30 Monday and Thursday afternoons, while the High School girls will drill on Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 4:00. All practices are to take place in the Armory, although outdoor equipment is being placed at available locations throughout the city for unorganized practice.

Participating players will also receive instruction in scoring, timing, and officiating. Students at East Carolina will assist Carroll in the instruction.

Women's Cage Clinic Set For ECC Saturday

Rules applying to basketball for women will be discussed and demonstrations of play will be staged at a clinic at East Carolina College Saturday morning of this week. The program will be held in the W. H. building and will begin at 10 o'clock.

Nell Stallings of the East Carolina health and physical education department planned the events included in the clinic and will be in charge of the meeting. Margaret Greene of the faculty of the Woman's College, Greensboro, and Doris Hutchinson of the University of North Carolina faculty will conduct the clinic.

A discussion of rules will begin the morning's program and will be followed by demonstrations of fouls, violations and officiating at games for women.

Coaches, players, officials and others interested in basketball for women are invited to be present.

DEER EASILY BAGGED
TILTON, N. H. —(UP)—When Mrs. Joshua Dean yelled "There's a deer outside," her son Dudley leaped from bed, grabbed his gun and, clad only in shorts, dashed out in freezing weather and bagged a nine-point buck.

Lull Continues In North State Basketball Play

By the Associated Press

The post-holiday basketball lull continued in the North State Conference today with all members idle. Action resumes tomorrow night when High Point plays at Catawba, Lenoir Rhyne entertains Appalachian, Elon plays host to Lynchburg and Guilford hits the road for a game with the McCrory Eagles.

In the only game last night involving a conference team, Elon was dumped by McCrory, 63-54. Ab Williams, a former Wake Forest star, scored 14 points for the Eagles, high for the night. Dee Atkinson, Elon's freshman center, led the Christians with 12 points.

Britain's Princess Elizabeth was given two beaver skins on her recent visit to Winnipeg, Canada.

HEAD STUFFY
DUE TO COLDS
TAKE 666 for fast symptomatic RELIEF

Announcing

Smooth New Power Flow
Newly designed combustion chamber adds an important new "plus" for Plymouth's mighty 97-horsepower engine with its high (7.0 to 1) compression ratio.

New Stopping Power
and long life for Plymouth brakes, already the finest in the lowest-priced field. New Cyclebond linings, without rivets, increase effective braking area, lengthen lining life.

New Tone-Tailored Interiors with luxurious new fabrics, trim and finishes. New color-harmonies. New Lustre-Tone instrument panels.

Advanced Synchro-Silent Transmission is quicker, quieter, and smoother than ever. Makes shifting simpler and more effortless.

Solex Safety Glass reduces glare, helps keep out heat of the sun. This is optional equipment at slight extra cost.

A Fresh New Look in exterior styling... an exciting new choice of gleaming colors... new moulding and new ornamentation.

Faster-Acting Electric Windshield Wipers. Speed stepped up 10 per cent. Unlike the vacuum type, they never slow down!

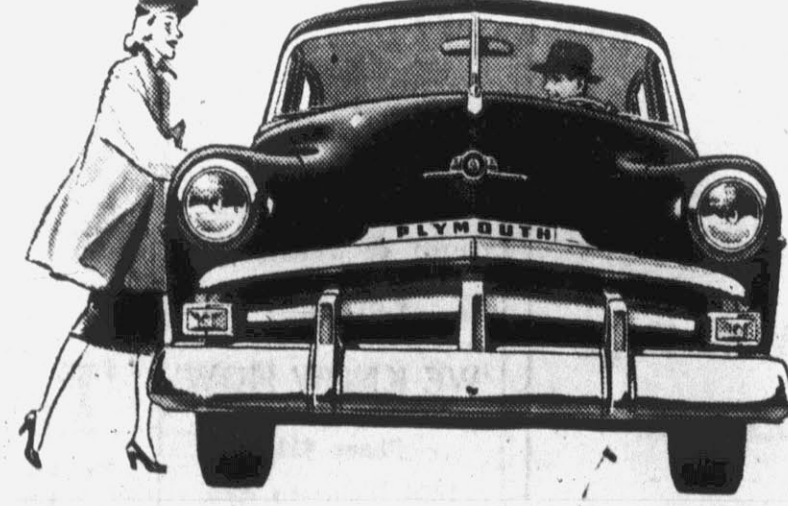
1952 Safety-Flow Ride includes refinements in the famous Onflow shock absorbers... and other new comfort features that make this ride even still smoother, even still safer.

'52 Plymouth

IT'S AT YOUR PLYMOUTH DEALER'S NOW—the finest of all fine Plymouths ever built! And the features described here only begin to tell you its value story. Plymouth designers, decorators, engineers have crammed still more quality into every part—have made it, more than ever, "the low-priced car most like the high-priced cars." See it yourself. Drive it yourself. Compare it with the others in the lowest-priced field, or even compare it with cars costing hundreds of dollars more. Then you be the judge of the car for the money—the car for you!

now on display

PLYMOUTH Division of CHRYSLER CORPORATION, Detroit 31, Michigan



YES

HILL'S

TWICE

YEARLY

SALE

NOW

IN

FULL

PROGRESS

WANT ADS

Rates 4c per word, minimum charge \$1.00 for first insertion of 25 words; two consecutive insertions, \$1.75; three insertions, \$2.25; four insertions, \$2.75; five insertions, \$3.25; six insertions, \$3.75; Month, \$14.00. Display Want Ads, \$1.25 per column inch per insertion; one week, \$6.75; one month \$23.00.

The Daily Reflector will be responsible only for the first incorrect or omitted insertion of any advertisement and then only to the extent of a make-good insertion. Errors which do not lessen the value of the advertisement will not be corrected by make-good insertions.

The publisher reserves the right to revise or reject any copy.

All ads must be received a day ahead of publication date.

EAST CAROLINA ROOFING CO
Jobs Applied and Financed
CLAUDE B. WEST, Mgr.
Office - Proctor Hotel
Office Phone 3151
Residence Phone 1883

Chiff Says-
See us for Myers Water Pumps, Corbin Hardware, Sherwin-Williams Paints and Wilson Sporting Goods.
C. E. EDWARDS
Hardware House

DR. R. L. SHELLE, FOOT SPECIALIST
121 State Bank Bldg. Office
open Mondays only of each week
Hours 9:30 until 5:30 7-11-12

WANTED-AN OPPORTUNITY to help you economize and be more comfortable. Call us about our door canopies, roll-up aluminum awnings, insulation, weather stripping and the one and only Ceramco asbestos siding. "Your comfort is our business." Terms if desired. C. L. Lupton Co., Greenville, N. C. Phone 2238. 18-17-42

Horses Cows Hogs
Dead or Alive
FREE REMOVAL
Phone Greenville 3101
Greenville By Products Co., Inc.

WANTED
Boys age 12 and older to carry The Daily Reflector in Greenville.
Apply Circulation Dept., Daily Reflector

1951-FORD 4 DOOR, DARK BLUE finish. Only 1700 actual miles. Folger Buick Co. Inc., 10th and Washington Streets. 1-11

Scott Motor Sales
Your Studebaker Dealer
219 E. Fifth Street
Greenville, N. C.
3824 - Tel. - 4346
Special Bargains

1940 Pontiac 2 Door Sedan **\$395**
46 Ford 2 Door, Heater **\$750**

47 Champion 4 Door Sedan, overdrive, new motor **\$995**

49 Plymouth 4 Door Sedan, radio and heater **\$1195**

48 Chevrolet 5 Passenger Coupe, radio and heater **\$1095**

49 Ford 5 Pass. Coupe, radio and heater, 52 License **\$1295**

50 Studebaker, 2 Door Sedan, radio and heater, overdrive **\$1395**

47 Studebaker 1/2 Ton Pick Up **\$795**

48 Ford 1 Ton Stake Body **\$850**

49 Mercury 5 Passenger Coupe, heater **\$1695**

1-2 Ton Gronite Trailer **\$150**

41 International 1 1/2 Ton Stake Body, new tires **\$395**

47 Jeep, 4 Wheel Drive, Power Take Off, heater **\$595**

48 Ford 1/2 Ton Pick Up, heater **\$750**

One-Third Down
Balance Financed

A limited number of 1952
Studebaker 1-2, 1 1/2 and
2 Ton Trucks for immediate delivery.

FOR SALE-NEW SIX ROOM house on Eastern Street. One and one half baths. Call 2150. Dec. 31-11

WANTED-A RELIABLE QUALIFIED while cleaner. Modern plant, good working conditions. Blue Star Cleaners, Williamston, N. C. 31-61a

TOMORROW Jan. 5th
Is Somebody's Birthday. Have you ordered your birthday cake?
PEOPLE'S BAKERY
CALL 5251

FOR RENT-STORE ON DICKINSON Ave. Store No. 921 has approximately 2000 sq. ft. floor space. Modernistic front. Convenient to railroad side track. K. W. Cobb. Dial 3847. Dec. 4-11

FOR RENT-UPSTAIRS APARTMENT. Three rooms and private bath. Hot and cold water furnished. Can be seen at 212 W. Eighth St. Call 3108 between 7:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. 1-61a

PEANUTS WANTED-FOR TOP market prices for your peanuts bring them to Keel's Warehouse Keel Peanut Co., phone 2240. Nov. 12-11

WANTED-PARTS MANAGER FOR Ford agency. Salary and commission. Good working conditions. Experience preferred. Jenkins Motor Company, Ayden, N. C. 1-61

1948-PONTIAC 4 DOOR, RADIO and heater. Hydramatic drive, good tires. One owner car. Folger Buick Co. Inc., 10th & Washington Sts. 1-11

TENANT WANTED-CROP CON- sists of six and one half acres tobacco and other crops. Good land. D. S. Spain Jr., 2011 East Fifth St. Greenville, N. C. Telephone 4622. Jan. 1-11

FOR SALE - FARMALL CUB tractor with the following equipment: 14 in. turning plow, cultivators, double hopper planter, fertilizer attachments, 10 blade disc harrow. Call 4537. 1-51a

FOR SALE-GROCERY STORE doing good business. Owner will sell below inventory cost for quick sale. E. M. Gibbs Insurance & Real Estate Agency, 4805 or 5207. 2-31

Draglines, Bulldozers, Trucks, Motor Graders Available For Farm Work
Phone 5059
For Estimates and Prices
WHITE Construction Co.

HOMES FOR SALE
One five room two bedroom home in second block, Jarvis St.
One four bedroom home East Third St., close in.
One four bedroom brick veneered home, East 5th St.
If you want to buy or sell contact us. Phone 2715.
D. L. TURNAGE
L. E. TURNAGE JR. 2-41a

DOES YOUR NEIGHBOR HAVE a new dog? Picked up Monday brown male cocker spaniel. Weighs about 20 pounds. \$20 reward to anyone giving information leading to his return. Write to L. H. Lee, Greenville, Route 5. All information will be kept secret. 2-51

WANTED AT ONCE-BOOKKEEPER and general office worker for part or full time work in Greenville. State experience and what you are able to do. Address replies "General Office Worker," Box 408, Greenville, N. C. 3-61

FORD - 1947 SUPER DELUXE club coupe with radio, heater, spotlight, backup light and other accessories. A real clean jet black car. Easy to park and handle in town. Sold with a written guarantee at Flanagan's for just \$996. 3-21

WANTED-MAN OR WOMAN to sell famous wear. Ever health method of cooking. Must have car, good character and be willing to work. Write "Wear-Ever," Box 408, Greenville. 3-31

FOR SALE-TOP SOIL, GOOD FOR gardens and lawns. Will also fix lawns and sow grass. Call 4623. 29-61a

HOMES FOR SALE
One eight room frame house, bath and half, Elm St.
One five room frame house, Village Grove, down payment \$1250. Immediate occupancy.
One five room frame house, Hillside, reasonable down payment.
E. M. GIBBS
Insurance & Real Estate Agency
Phones 4805 or 5207 2-31a

ATTENTION LADIES - TO MY many friends and customers. I wish to announce I am now working at home. Will be glad to serve you there. 1008 Evans St. Phone 4745. Call me for appointment. Mrs. Hazel Sawyer. 2-31

FOR RENT-TWO LARGE FUR- nished bedrooms. Next to bath. At 214 Greene Street. Phone 4532. 31-11

WANTED
Man or woman interested in earning \$40 or more in evenings in addition to regular job.
Can also use college students who qualify. Must have car and be willing to work.
Contact
Mr. Bowman at Proctor Hotel
Monday Evening, January 7 8:00 P. M.

FOR RENT-ONE PRACTICALLY new four room duplex apartment. 3 blocks from Post Office. Available immediately. Dial 2724. 3-31a

FOR RENT - ONE TWO-ROOM and one three-room unfurnished apartments. Call at 505 East Eighth Street. 3-21

WANTED - AN EXPERIENCED beauty operator at Owens Beauty Shop. 2-61

DANCE - WHICHARD'S BEACH Washington, N. C. every Wednesday and Saturday night. Combination round and square dance. Music by Bob Jones and his orchestra. Admission, ladies 50c, men 75c. Jan. 2-4-8-11-15-18-22-25-29

GROW YOUR OWN FRUIT-COM- plete line of fruit trees, nut trees, berry plants and grape vines offered by Virginia's largest growers. Also extensive assortment ornamental plant material. Write for free copy 56 page planting guide in color. Salespeople wanted. Waynesboro Nurseries, Waynesboro, Va. 18-11

ATTENTION DOG LOVERS - Have you tried "Wayne" dog food? So economical and easy to feed. One pound equals three pounds of moist food. Only 12c per pound. We deliver. Drum's Hatchery & Feed Store, West End Circle. 10-17-eod-11

Attention Farmers! PITT FCX is buying corn, wheat, oats and soybeans at -
McGowan's Warehouse
No. 2
Yellow Corn, bu. \$1.75
White & Mixed, bu. \$1.65
Monday Thru Saturday Noon
From 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
All Kinds of Corn in the Ear Is Being Bought.
All bags are returned to the farmer.

WANTED-YOUNG LADY FOR general office work. Good hours, good pay room for advancement. Apply to P. R. Masten, Reserve Life Ins. Co. Friday and Saturday. 3-21

WANTED - BEVERAGE COOLER and small cash register, or combination register and adding machine. Good used ones preferred. Call H&M Radio Shop. Dial 4603. 3-31

FORDS-THREE 1950 MODEL LOW mileage cars. One custom six tudor with overdrive. One deluxe tudor and one extra clean deluxe ford sedan. Priced from \$1295 at Flanagan Ford. Serving Eastern Carolina since 1866. 3-21a

WANTED AT ONCE - EXPERIENCED saleslady in ladies ready-to-wear shop. Good starting salary. Williams, "The Ladies Store." 3-31

1947 FORD-TON AND HALF with body. A good truck ready to go to work for just \$550 at Flanagan's. Call 4636. 3-21

WANTED-COLLAPSIBLE BABY carriage in good condition and cheap. Phone 2668 during daytime. 3-21

Money To Loan On Farm Lands
See
N. C. Brooks
19 East 3rd Street or
Phone 2923 or 3466
Quick Appraisals, no bonus and Reasonable Interest Rate

ANNOUNCEMENT
The Western Auto Associate Store, 527 Dickinson Ave., Greenville, North Carolina, has been transferred from Mr. R. C. Duffin to Mr. L. M. and P. D. Boyd. The date of transfer was effective January 2nd, 1952. Boyd and Boyd, a partnership, will not be responsible for any indebtedness in connection with the business prior to the transfer date. Any indebtedness which may be outstanding prior to this date should be sent to the Western Auto Associate Store, Boyd and Boyd, owners, on or before January 9th, 1952. Jan. 2-3-4

FOR SALE - ONE SIX-ROOM frame house, weatherstripped, insulated, hot water heater, closet in each of three bedrooms, venetian blinds, double garage, paved drive. Lot 55 by 105. Eastern St., about two blocks from college. E. M. Gibbs Insurance & Real Estate Agency. 4805 or 5207. 2-31a

FOR SALE-THREE ROOMS OF furniture. Kevlar, large gas stove, bedroom suite complete, dinette suite, living room suite and other miscellaneous household items. If you buy furniture you can rent the apartment. Must sell immediately. Phone 4812. 2-31

WE ARE CLOSING OUT ALL flower bulbs at greatly reduced prices. Dial 3735. J. A. Watson Seed & Hardware. 2-41a

FOR SALE-NICE HOMES, SMALL or large, city or suburban; also some farms. Cash or terms. We buy or sell. If it's real estate see J. Hicks Corey Agency. Dial 2615. Greenville, N. C. Tues. & Fri.-11

Income Tax Service
J. Nat Harrison
603 E. 9th St., Dial 3001

Weatherstripping
Stop that cold air from sneaking in around your windows and doors. It pays for itself in fuel savings and gives additional comfort. Call us for a first class weather stripping job by men with years of experience. "Your comfort is our business."
C. L. Lupton Co.
Phone 2238

AVON COSMETICS NEEDS THREE energetic women for immediate placement. Call 5584 from 7 to 9 mornings and evenings for full information. Not obligated.

FOR SALE - EVERBEARING strawberry plants, peach, apple and trees. Shrubs and evergreens, catalpa trees for fish worms, at discount at my home. George Kittrell, Winterville.

OPPORTUNITY FOR EXPERIENCED shoe person-man or woman-to manage shoe department in Greenville or out-of-town. Salary and commission. Wonderful opportunity for right person. Apply in writing to "Shoe Salesman," P.O. Box 408, Greenville. All replies strictly confidential. 4-31

FOR RENT-2 ROOM FURNISHED apartment with bath. Very nice for couple. Also nice bedroom for rent. Close in. Dial 5076.

"REB" MONEY MADE USEFUL PARKERSBURG, W. Va. - (UP) - A local laundry official reports that the White Star Laundry used the back of Confederate \$100 bill or laundry tickets in 1898.

WANTED-4 OR 5 ROOM HOUSE or apartment. Call 5122 between 8:30 and 5:30; 8466 after 6 p.m. 4-31a

WELDER-EXPERIENCED IN ALL types of welding. Top pay. Good working conditions. Call C. R. Sumrell at 4978. 1-4-11

DRAGLINE OPERATOR - TOP pay for experienced, sober man. Michigan, air controlled dragline, on a good working two months job now. Call C. R. Sumrell, 4978. 1-4-11

IS YOUR CAR JUST RIGHT FOR the new year driving? More cold weather is on the way. Let us service your car to be sure with Pure. Ricks Service Center, cor. Evans and 9th Sts. 4-61a

GOT A COLD TAKE 666 for fast symptomatic relief

TOM & JERRY

BLONDIE

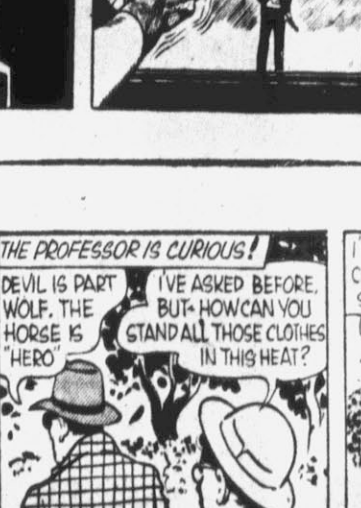
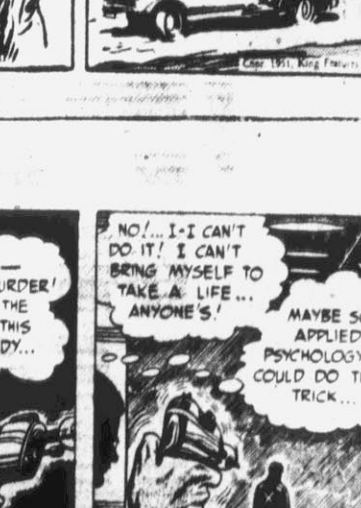
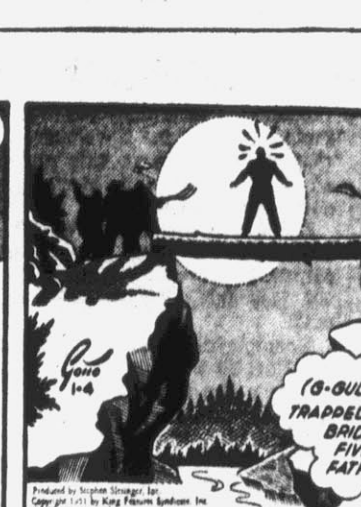
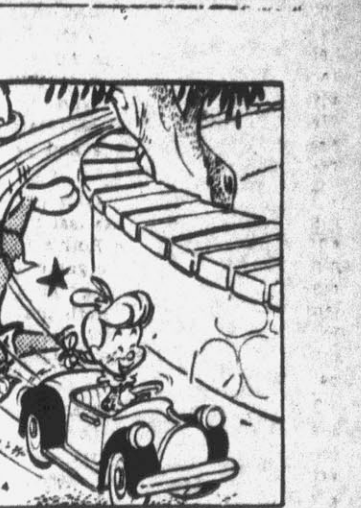
OZARK IKE

RUSTY RILEY

FLASH GORDON

THE PHANTOM

THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!



Dairies Serving Area Graded By Health Dept.

The milk grades of pasteurization distributors and producers serving this county was announced this morning by the Pitt County Health Department for the last grading period.

In accordance with the U. S. Public Health Service Milk Ordinance and Code, as adopted by the Pitt County Health Department, specific grades of milk and milk products being sold for consumption in the fluid state are announced once every grading period. The recent grading period began July 1, 1951, and ended December 31, 1951.

The following dairies received the grade of "A" as pasteurization distributors: Carolina Dairies, Inc., Greenville; Gardner's Dairy Products, Wilson; and Southern Dairies, Inc., Wilson.

Producers which received an "A" rating were: B. W. Baker, Route 5, Greenville; J. T. Clark, Route 4, Greenville; J. F. Congleton, Route 1, Stokes; Norman Coward, Route 4, Greenville; Dal Cox, Route 2, Greenville; T. H. Fleming, Route 1, Stokes; C. A. Forbes, Route 1, Stokes; and Greenhill Dairy, Route 1, Greenville.

W. H. Gurganus, Stokes; Harvey's Dairy, Greenville; Little's Dairy, Route 3, Ayden; Pecan Grove Dairy, Farmville; H. B. Randolph, Route 4, Greenville; J. W. Rawls, Stokes; Rodman's Dairy, Pinetown; Spain and Coggins Dairy, Route 4, Greenville; Stedman's Dairy, Pinetown; and H. M. Tyson, Route 1, Greenville.

All legitimate milk producers have been issued permits in accordance with the milk ordinance, and the announcement of grades is intended to inform the public.

Have A Warrant For Napoleon

CHICAGO (AP)—Police have a warrant to put Napoleon Bonaparte under a peace bond.

Bonaparte, a mailman, is charged with hitting his wife, Yvonne. She told Municipal Judge Harry Beam she wanted her husband arrested and put under a peace bond. He agreed and issued the warrant.

EAT
A Delicious
77c
Dinner This
Sunday At
PROCTOR
Coffee Shop

DON'T MISS THIS
COOKING VALUE!



ONLY Florence
OIL RANGES

Have this EXCLUSIVE
Wickless-Type Oil Burner

Florence Wickless-Type Oil Burners give clean—dependable—“Focused Heat.” Spacious insulated oven with scientific ventilation and double-bottom heat spreader distributes heat evenly for uniform, dependable baking. Porcelain-enamel finish is so easy to clean. Florence Ranges are backed by over 70 years' experience. See this famous Florence Range today.

J.A. Collins & Son
Dial 4010

What Will They Find On Mars?



HAS SCIENCE CONQUERED THE UNIVERSE? COLONY Sun. Mon

Smuggling

MANILA (AP)—A Philippine congressional committee was told yesterday there has been large-scale smuggling of strategic war materials from the Philippines to Communist China.

Rep. Cipriano S. Allas, chairman of a committee studying income tax evasions, said he would ask Congress for authority to make a full investigation. A reliable source said the Philippines National Bureau of Investigation (NBI) reported on the smuggling, most of which has been carried on through Hong Kong.

Allas told newsmen some Philippine government officials were reported involved but he refused to name them.

After Nine Days They File Pleas

RALEIGH (AP)—The three men now being held on murder charges in the death of Mrs. Luna Beddingfield claim they are being illegally detained.

Nine days ago they were picked up and held in jail without charge. They were booked for investigation only, until five days ago when they were formally charged with murder.

In petitions for writs of habeas corpus filed in Wake Superior Court yesterday, the three said their imprisonment and restraint is illegal because "they have been held in Wake County jail since Dec. 31 without being granted any hearing or granted any bail."

The three men, all from Wake Forest, are: Carl Baker, 40, a grading contractor; Sanford Wright, 29, a painter; and Pleas Dean, 46, a cotton mill worker.

Police say all three admit they were in the woods drinking with Mrs. Beddingfield the day before her body was found. But they claim they left her without harming her.

Mrs. Beddingfield, 45, mother of seven and wife of a cotton mill worker, was found dead in a muddy road near Wake Forest Christmas Eve morning.

Heavy Rate For Factory Layoffs

WASHINGTON (AP)—Factory layoffs in November, for the fifth straight month, continued at one of the highest rates reported for the seasons during the past decade.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics, releasing the report today, said many of the laid-off workers soon found new employment.

BLS also said, however, that factory hiring in November remained at the lowest rate recorded for the season in over a decade, with the exception of 1949.

Despite these findings, overall factory employment rose to 15,851,000 in November from 15,813,000 last July, a BLS statistician said.

Unemployment for the week ending Nov. 10 was 1,828,000, up 208,000 from the month before.

The lay-off rate in November increased slightly over the October rate from 14 to 16 workers per 1,000.

The hiring rate average 37 per 1,000 in November, down seasonally from October.

The low level of hiring, the survey reported, was a result of both cutbacks in the output of many types of civilian goods, particularly those using metal, and somewhat "slackened rate of employment expansion in defense-related industries following the rapid gains of late 1950 and early 1951."

Colored News

Jasper Brown, 501 West 14th St., died at Pitt County Memorial Hospital Wednesday night after a brief illness.

The funeral will be held at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Burial will be in the Brown family cemetery in Greene County.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Jesse Mae Brown of the home; eight brothers, Rufus Brown of the home, Richard, Sam, J. C. Robert, William and Allen Brown of near Greenville; five sisters, Carrie, Annie Lee, Mabel, Rosa and Esther Mae Brown.

The members of Local 25 Club are asked to meet on Monday at 5:00 at the home of Mrs. Harding on Greene Street.

Coming
TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
First Greenville Showing

The tender and dramatic story of a G.I. and his lovely war bride... who finds hate, not love, in the hearts of her in-laws!

M-G-M's
Teresa
(THE STORY OF A BRIDE)
Starring
PIER ANGELI - JOHN ERICSON
with Patricia Collinge - Richard Bishop
Peggy Ann Garner - Ralph Meeker
and Bill Mauldin

Admission
This
Attraction
Adults - 44c
Child - 9c

President Still Keeping Political Plans Secret

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman kept everybody guessing today whether he plans to run for another term.

And the question whether Gen. Eisenhower will bid for the Republican presidential nomination apparently was delaying campaign decisions on the part of at least two already announced GOP candidates.

At his news conference yesterday, Mr. Truman repeated he has made up his mind whether to seek re-election. But he again refused to disclose the decision. He said he would announce his plans when he gets ready.

Meanwhile, Senator Taft, an avowed candidate or the Republican presidential nomination, reportedly was standing by his tentative decision last October to enter primary contests only in his home state of Ohio and in Wisconsin.

Friends of the senator said, however, that he was awaiting with much interest an announcement here Sunday by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, campaign manager of an Eisenhower-for-president Republican group.

Lodge has promised good news for those who would like to see the General nominated. So far, Eisenhower himself has had nothing to say as to whether he is available.

Taft was said to be putting off some decisions regarding his campaign strategy and itinerary until after the Lodge announcement.

Pioneer Repents Waste Of Trees

PALESTINE, Tex. (UP)—An Anderson County pioneer who can remember when pine trees six feet in diameter were common in this area plans to plant a forest of his own to make up for the loss of timber he helped to waste many years ago.

William Travis Todd, a 70-year-old farmer, already has set out 40,000 pine seedlings on his 2,000 acres of sandy soil, and he plans to start sowing seeds he gathered by hand. "I have ruined and wasted enough timber in my lifetime to have lasted us a long, long time," Todd said.

He will keep only a small patch of land clear for farming, Todd said. All the rest he hopes to cover with pines.

The convert to reforestation said the days of trees more than a hundred feet high won't come back unless men restore what they have wasted. Before he dies, Todd said, he is determined to do his part. "I don't expect to ever benefit from them," he said, "but the trees will be there for my son and grandchildren."

Largest Piano Is Slated For Fair

LONDON (AP)—What is described as the world's largest piano will be shown next May at the British Industries Fair.

The instrument weighs one ton and is 11 feet 8 inches long. Claimed to have exceptional quality and tone, the bass notes having great depth because the strings are twice as long as those of a normal piano.

37-Degree Drop

Cooler weather followed the prolonged warm period here during the past week. The temperature in the Greenville area dropped 37 degrees between 3 p.m. Thursday and 3 a.m. today (Friday).

Highest temperature yesterday was 68 degrees. Lowest last night, 31, and at 8 a.m. today the mercury stood at 35. Cloudy during today's forenoon. Yesterday a year ago, the highest temperature here was 68. Lowest that night, 53.

GOT A COLD

TAKE
666 for fast symptomatic RELIEF

No New ...

(Continued from page one)
rington project. Plans for the project were referred to the Planning Board for study.

A blanket insurance policy covering volunteer and regular firemen was presented to the board for consideration. It would cost the city \$346.50 per year, and would cover both volunteer and regular firemen "going to a fire, while at the fire, and returning from a fire." If a fireman is killed, the policy would pay \$5,000 to his next of kin. If injured and totally disabled, a fireman would receive \$40 a week for two years and all his medical expenses would be paid. The board referred consideration to the insurance and fire committee.

Dance permits for Easter Monday, May 30, and July 4 were granted by the board. It also authorized the use of the aldermen's room the second Wednesday of the month.

Greenville police are going to strictly enforce the city ordinances concerning dogs and their roaming about city streets, damaging flower gardens in winter, attacking people on streets, and nuisance barking at night.

Many complaints about dog nuisances are made to the police nearly every day, the record shows. Members of the Garden Club and other Greenville women who plant bulbs of tulips, hyacinths and other spring flowers have complained about big dogs scratching up bulbs.

Householders regularly complain to police and the street department about big dogs running at large and turning over large garbage barrels, emptying the contents on the ground. Dogs appear in the nuisance column in various parts of the city when they chase and bark at passing automobiles.

The city ordinance provides a fine on owners of dogs for allowing them to run at large. A state law requires dog owners to have canines inoculated against hydrophobia. J. Gus Stokes, 1109 West Third Street, is the official appointed by the Board of Health to inoculate dogs. He is allowed to charge a nominal fee. A state law provides a penalty for dog owners who refuse to have their dogs inoculated against hydrophobia.

Police Chief Guy C. Langston said, "We are soliciting the cooperation of citizens who own dogs to keep their dogs on their own property and not allow them to run at large. Police have orders to take up all dogs running at large on the streets. Incessant complaints from citizens require stricter enforcement of the dog law."

The city ordinance requires owners to register their dogs. The license tax fee is \$1 for males and \$2 for females. Dogs are required to wear the license tags on their collars, the chief said.

GRATEFUL FOR HELP
GAINESVILLE, Fla. (UP)—A freshly-baked pie and a nickel for a cup of coffee were delivered to the police station here by a thankful woman to express her appreciation for a policeman's helping hand when she became ill downtown.

FLYING MADE EASIER
BOSTON (UP)—Boston has the most accessible airport of any metropolis in the nation, a subway extension, which cost \$17,000,000, provides rapid transit service to Logan Airport and brings that field within 10 minutes of downtown Boston.

SAIT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

Box Office Opens 6:30
Phone 36637
FRI. NITE — Last Times
"Rio Grande" with
John Wayne — Maureen O'Hara
Southland News
Color Cartoon

SAT. NITE — Double Feature
HIT NO. 1

each month for conducting the state examination of insurance underwriters. A fee of \$5.00 will be paid for each use of the room. Two "curb and gutter" projects were approved. With the property owners paying cash for the service, the board voted to curb and gutter Maple street from Fifth to Tenth Street. It also approved the same type project for Sixth Street range, and is located across the street next to the present Har-medical expenses would be paid. An invitation from the Woman's Club was read. The Greenville Woman's Club invited Mayor Page, City Clerk H. H. Duncan, and the Board of Aldermen to attend a meeting Friday, January 4, at 4 p.m., at which time a "History of Greenville" will be presented, by club members. The mayor said he would be unable to attend, but several of the aldermen expressed plans to be present.

FEEL AWFUL?
DUE TO COLD
MISERIES
666 gives fast symptomatic RELIEF

STATE
DON "RED"
BARRY
in
"WYOMING
WILDCAT"
Plus
"Pirates High Seas" No. 2
2 Cartoons

PITT
TODAY & SATURDAY
"TEXAS
RANGERS"
In Color And
Starring
Geo. Montgomery
Gale Storm
Color Cartoon — Comedy

Saieed's
SHOE SALE
NOW IN FULL
PROGRESS.

ONLY 2 DAYS LEFT
SAVE MONEY ON THIS BIG
Combination Deal

NEW 1950 SPEED QUEEN
Latest model Speed Queen with full-size porcelain tub and submerged type aluminum agitator. Standard capacity. No oiling. Includes massive, streamline wringer that locks in 8 positions and is equipped with infinite safety release. Machine-cut gears throughout. 1/2 H.P. special electric motor. White baked enamel finish. Carries full Speed Queen guarantee.

24 PACKAGES OF SOAP

"WASH DAY MAID"
Clothes basket and carrier. Saves stooping when hanging up clothes. Folds flat.

60 HARDWOOD CLOTHES PINS

ALL FOR ONLY
\$99.95
LIBERAL TERMS

Some Deal with IRONER
Here's another big money-saving opportunity. You can buy this 1950 model Speed Queen Ironer, plus the Rinse Tub, 24 packages of soap, "Wash Day Maid" Clothes Basket, Clothes Pins and Clothes Line. All for only \$79.95

SPEED QUEEN

Garris Supply Co.
RICHARD GARRIS, Owner
Dickinson Avenue — Off Five Points