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Considerable fog and cool tonight. Thursday increasing cloudiness and not much change in temperature with chance of rain.

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Adlai Suggests Unions 'Relax'

Asks CIO Convention Not To Regard Republican Victory A Disaster Or Misfortune For Labor; Declares Labor's Long Battle Is Largely Won

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. (UP) Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson asked the CIO convention today not to consider the Republican election victory a disaster or even a misfortune for labor.

The defeated presidential candidate joined CIO leaders in honoring the memory of the labor organization's leader, the late Philip Murray.

Stevenson's appearance and the tributes to Murray forced a truce in the fierce fight among CIO union chiefs over their new president.

But as the issue neared a showdown, Walter P. Reuther, chief of the auto workers union, seemed to hold an insurmountable lead over executive vice president Allan S. Haywood.

"Perhaps as the defeated candidate, whom you were good enough to support, I can be permitted to say that the election should not be considered a disaster or even a misfortune for labor," Stevenson said.

"What would be a misfortune and perhaps even a disaster would be to think so, and lose sight of labor's larger responsibility to a nation which is also groping its way into a new era."

He told the labor leaders, "Your largest task now... is the conduct of your relations with industry, always in the larger framework of the national interest."

Stevenson said "there are inequities and injustices in our laws that still demand remedy," but added that "labor's long battle for status and recognition has been largely won."

"Violence and ruthlessness by employers and unions alike are obsolete," he said. "It isn't, the doctrine that the end justifies the means should be a thing of the past in labor relations."

Stevenson said Murray's "life and work spanned a dramatic evolution in the status of labor and in our thinking about labor in this country."

Stevenson said that, in the lifetime of Murray, "I have had made great strides in terms of elevated wages and working conditions and warned 'you dare not gamble with these advances. Now there is too much to lose.'"

Since Murray's death 20 days ago, Reuther and Haywood had waged a bitter battle for convention votes, and Reuther appeared to be in the lead.

Haywood supporters, however, have pledged to fight it out on the convention floor to get their man elected. In a dramatic rally of wildly cheering backers, Haywood pledged he was "going to stay with you. As long as you stay, I stay."

The call to battle was taken up by the several hundred supporters who quickly passed a resolution that Haywood's "name will be placed in nomination and a roll call vote will elect Haywood."

The Reuther team, in turn, claimed still another backer in the Textile Workers union, which came out officially for Reuther late Tuesday after leaning in that direction.

If the battle continues, the CIO would elect its president by an open convention floor fight for the first time in its 15-year history. The CIO top brass is fighting to avoid such a fight for fear it would leave a lasting bitterness among the unions and might lead to a breakup.

However, the bitterness was already out in the open. At the Haywood rally, Michael J. Quill, president of the Transport Workers union, leveled criticism at CIO Secretary-Treasurer James B. Carey for "leaving his friends to support Reuther."

He said he just couldn't "understand Carey's motives" and urged his listeners to "reason with him and tell him to stay with the people who made him great." Quill said Haywood was a major force in building up Carey's Electrical Workers union.

Farmville School Bids Rejected By Education Board

Architect Authorized Confer On Revisions To Reduce Cost Estimate

Bids recently submitted for the construction of a six-room elementary school at Farmville were turned down by the Pitt Board of Education as the bids exceeded the amount of funds available for the project.

To remedy the situation, the board of education at its recent meeting authorized the architect to confer with the state director of school house planning to arrange to bring the costs of the school within the amount of funds available.

D. H. Conley, superintendent of the county schools, said the total bids submitted by the contractor, and heating plumbing, and electrical firms amounted to approximately \$104,000 which is about \$35,000 over the \$70,000 available for the project.

The following low bids submitted were: Contractor — \$75,000, Dixie Construction Company of Henderson, and \$75,398, W. G. Dunn Company of Greenville.

Plumbing — \$9,875, W. M. Wiggins Company of Wilson and \$9,310, Riddick Plumbing and Heating Company of Sanford.

Heating — \$9,530, H. W. Baker Company of Wilson, and \$10,228, McGirt Heating and Plumbing Company of Maxton.

Electrical — \$4,928, Finch and Caldwell of Raleigh, and \$4,945, Whitley Electrical Company of Wilson.

Ask Bond Issue One of the most important matters to come up before the board at its meeting Monday was a request from the Griffon School for the board to take steps to expand school facilities for rapidly increasing enrollment.

The school district committee at Griffon asked the board to take steps in bringing about a bond issue of \$110,000 through a vote of the people in the district to expand school facilities.

The board voted to employ bond attorneys in New York to guide the proposition through according to law. They will supervise the petition for a bond issue which requires the signing of 10 per cent of the voters for calling for a vote; prepare forms to be submitted to the county commissioners and the board of education; and approve the bond to see that it follows the law.

Additional Requests The board turned down a request from the Bethel School to take the title to a bus purchased by the school. The board was advised by the county attorney to refuse acceptance of the title as there is no law which permits the board to do such.

A request from the Ayden School to secure additional land for school expansion was discussed by board members. They agreed to explore the possibilities of securing additional land and bring the matter up for public discussion with Ayden citizens for approval of land to be considered.

The board approved the request of the white school at Fountain to underwrite a part-time public school music teacher, as provided by a special tax voted on in Fountain last fall.

Needed Armory To Hold Reunion SHENANDOAH, Iowa (UP)—Bert Funkhouser, 67, solved the problem of finding a place big enough for a family Christmas party by renting the Shenandoah Armory.

Funkhouser has 12 children, 31 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

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New Checking System



A security preparations neared completion in Seoul, Korea for the impending visit of President-elect Eisenhower, South Korean police and army introduced a new checking system at entrance to the capitol building. Two ROK guards operate mine detectors to check civilians entering the capitol grounds for possible hidden weapons. Sign in background reads 'Welcome President-elect Eisenhower. Drive away Chinese Reds.' (AP Wirephoto by radio from Tokyo)

Denies Right To Deter UN Hiring

State Dept. Says It Can't Tell UN Whom Not To Employ

WASHINGTON (UP)—The State Department says that even if a prospective United Nations employee is an American, it is "not in a position" to tell the U. N. who it should hire.

The department made the statement last night in reply to a federal grand jury charge in New York that it had cleared U. N. officials who were the "most flagrant and obvious cases of disloyalty."

The department noted that it had identified for U. N. Secretary-General Trygve Lie Americans on the secretariat of the world organization whom it "believes to be Communists."

"In response to a request from the grand jury, the department identified for the grand jury 28 persons previously departed from the U. N. or now suspended," it said. "In 24 cases out of the 28 the department had made an adverse comment."

The grand jury said the State Department, by refusing to name its officials responsible for the "facility evaluations," hampered its efforts to learn the reason for the department's "misleading evaluations" of American employees of the U. N.

Indicted Former Revenue Official Denies Shortage

NEW YORK (UP)—Joseph D. Nunan Jr., former top man in the Internal Revenue Bureau, denied through his attorney that he short-changed the government on his own income tax.

A federal grand jury in Brooklyn yesterday indicted Nunan on charges of evading payment of \$91,086 in income taxes between 1946 and 1950. He allegedly filed fraudulent income tax returns which failed to report \$127,251 of his income.

Nunan's attorney, Richard J. Burke, said "the charges against Mr. Nunan are without justification. He has never evaded the payment of any taxes. We are confident that he will be completely vindicated when the case is tried in open court."

Federal Judge Mortimer W. Byers ordered Nunan to appear for pleading Dec. 10. If convicted he faces a possible five-year prison term and a \$10,000 fine on each of five counts in the indictment.

Eleven One-Time Czech Red Leaders Executed

Lattimore Ready To Assist Probe

WASHINGTON (UP)—Former Eastern specialist Owen Lattimore indicated today he is willing to cooperate in the forthcoming grand jury investigation of perjury charges against him.

The Johns Hopkins University professor was apparently undisturbed by Atty. Gen. James P. McGranery's announcement that a federal grand jury here will begin an inquiry tomorrow into Lattimore's testimony before the Senate Internal Security subcommittee.

In a telephone interview from his Baltimore, Md., home, Lattimore declined to say whether he will ask for a chance to testify before the grand jury.

But he recalled that he issued a formal statement last July after the subcommittee had accused him of testifying "untruthfully" and had called upon the Justice Department to let a grand jury determine if he committed perjury.

At the time, Lattimore dismissed the perjury charge as "fantastic and insane." But he said he was "quite prepared to assist any inquiry that may be considered necessary by any responsible authority."

Referring reporters to his July statement, he said today: "It is still very appropriate."

Lattimore, a one-time State Department consultant on Far Eastern affairs, has been one of the main targets of Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.).

McCarthy accused Lattimore in 1950 of being the top Soviet agent in this country. A Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee, headed by former Sen. Millard E. Tydings (D-Md.), investigated and dismissed the charge. McCarthy promptly labeled his action a "whitewash."

The Wisconsin Republican told reporters today that he thinks any comment from him on McGranery's announcement would be "unnecessary." Then, with obvious sarcasm, he added:

"Lattimore is one of the 'innocent people' smeared by McCarthy and one of the persons the Tydings committee said there was no evidence against."

Nam II Protests Wounding POW

PANMUNJOM, Korea (UP)—North Korean Gen. Nam II protested today the wounding of a Communist prisoner of war on Kojie Island last Saturday.

In a letter to chief U.S. truce negotiator Lt. Gen. William K. Harrison, Nam accused the U. N. of "persecuting and slaughtering prisoners of war." It was his usual propaganda line following incidents in PW camps.

Nam's letter was delivered to Col. Earl H. Robinson by Col. Tsai Cheng Wen at a liaison officers' meeting.

The U. N. announced the incident yesterday. It said the prisoner was shot when he tried to pick up a message tossed into his compound from another prisoner enclosure.

ROKs And Chinese Again In Savage Battle For Crest Of Strategic Pinpoint Hill

Gov. Stevenson, Truman To Talk

Will Get Together Late Today For First Meeting Since Election; Will Plot Party Strategy For Rebuilding Power

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Truman and Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson get together late today to plot strategy for rebuilding their party, which soon will be out of power for the first time in 30 years.

It will be the first meeting between the two top Democrats since the election in which Stevenson was swamped by Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The Illinois governor was scheduled to arrive in Washington late this afternoon after addressing the CIO convention at Atlantic City, N. J. He will be a White House guest until Friday.

He will have a quiet dinner with President and Mrs. Truman tonight and attend a "farewell" dinner Mr. Truman is giving Thursday night for his cabinet and staff members.

The main political conference will take place during the day Thursday around the President's desk. Democratic National Chairman Stephen A. Mitchell will participate.

After conducting the inevitable post-mortem on the reasons for their defeat, the Democratic leaders are expected to devote most of their time to planning a party comeback in the 1954 Congressional elections.

Stevenson, who will retire to private law practice in Chicago next month, has said he wants to have a hand in "strengthening some of the weak spots" in the party. Mr. Truman is known to have ideas of his own on that subject.

Mr. Truman announced in advance that he regards Stevenson as head of the party, and the man to take charge of rebuilding for the future.

The main challenge to Stevenson's position as chief Democratic spokesman comes from Congress, where Sens. Richard B. Russell (D-Ga.) and Burnet R. Maybank (D-S.C.) and other southern Democrats already have served notice they intend to make Democratic policy during the next four years.

Mitchell made it clear at a press conference late Tuesday that he recognizes it will be the Democrats in Congress who will make the real party record and policies—by their votes on the Eisenhower program during the next four years.

He said Stevenson will, of course, make some policy statements of his own from time to time, and work with Democrats in Congress and at the state level on a program aimed to restore the party to power.

Mitchell, a Chicago lawyer who was put into the post by Stevenson without any previous experience at the national political level, also said he intends to continue as party chairman for some time.

Predict 'Below Normal' Month

WASHINGTON (UP)—The weather bureau said today that its 30-day outlook for December calls for temperatures to average below seasonal normals over most of the nation except for near or slightly above normal in Florida and in the northern tier of states from the Dakotas eastward through New England.

"Precipitation is expected to exceed normal over the southern half of the country," the bureau said, "while northern portions should get about normal amounts."

NO-KISS COMPLAINT

DETROIT (UP)—Mrs. Carolina Grzeszczykzynska sought a divorce today from her husband, Mike, a factory worker. She charged he never kisses her.

NY Crime Commission Hopes To Pry Lid Off Harbor Rackets

NEW YORK (UP)—The New York State Crime Commission today opens what promises to be a long and tumultuous series of public hearings into conditions on the racket-ridden New York City waterfront.

The commission hopes to pry the lid off dockside criminal activity which is reported to range from extortion and kickbacks to outright theft and murder.

The hearings begin at 10 a. m. e. s. t.

Officials of several shipping companies stood first on a lengthy list of witnesses to be called. Leaders of the AFL International Longshoremen's Association, whose law is on the waterfront, also will be questioned.

The hearings are expected to last into the 1953, including recesses for the year-end holidays.

The investigation is aimed at finding out why shippers lose an estimated \$60,000,000 worth of insured cargo each year in unsolved thefts and why food prices in New York are jacked up a reported 5 to 10 per cent by unnecessary charges for freight handling.

The commission turned to the waterfront after completing a series of hearings on tie-ups between underworld characters and Tammany Hall politicians. This inquiry produced testimony that appointments to municipal judgeships were being "sold" by Tammany district leaders.

Even before the waterfront investigation began it touched off trouble among dock workers, their union leaders and the shipping companies.

About 1,000 longshoremen staged a one-day strike last week in what union officials described as a protest against the forthcoming investigation. A union spokesman said the cargo handlers couldn't work if their leaders were called away to testify.

Rumors were heard this week that serious dissension had broken out between the workers and their strong-arm union bosses, and among the bosses themselves. Joseph P. Ryan, president of the Longshoremen's union, issued a statement Monday denying there was any "rift" among ILA leaders.

In a court action Tuesday the Jarka Corporation, a stevedoring concern, asked that the Crime Commission be restrained from revealing any testimony which the company's officials gave to the commission in previous closed sessions.

The company, which employs Anthony Anastasia, a well-known underworld figure, claimed that it would be exposed to "obloquy and public distrust" if the testimony were made public.

South Koreans Recapture Sniper Ridge Height For Eighteenth Time In Six Weeks; Sabres Shoot Down Two MIGs As New Air Battles Flare Over Korea

SEOUL, Korea, Thru. (UP)—Tough South Korean rifle men scrambled up the icy slopes of Sniper Ridge last night and recaptured the crest after hours of savage hand-to-hand fighting against Chinese Communists who had held it for less than a day.

American Sabre jets shot down two Communist Mig-15 jets as new air battles flared in northwest Korea's clearing skies.

Republic of Korea troops, battered off dominating Pinpoint Hill on Sniper Tuesday night, launched a powerful counterattack at 2 p. m. surged back to the top after four hours of battle in freezing weather.

It was the 18th time in six weeks that ROKs have recaptured Sniper after losing it to massed Red attacks. Yesterday was the first time since Nov. 15 that they had lost the crest, a vital central front height guarding the invasion route to Seoul.

Allied artillery and warplanes threw a crushing avalanche of bombs, shells and flaming jellied gasoline at the Chinese to soften up their defenses. Then the dogged ROK troops, struggling up the ice-covered slopes, began their counter-attack.

The South Koreans drove to within 75 yards of the crest while the Chinese rolled grenades and TNT charges down on them. Finally, they made their way into the Chinese trenches, fighting at close range until they drove the Reds to the northern tip of Sniper.

The Chinese holed up in the maze of tunnels and caves. It is from this area that they have launched repeated attacks, large and small, on the Koreans defending the ridge.

United Press correspondent Victor Kendrick reported the ROKs were solidly in charge of Pinpoint, the dominating peak on the ridgeline, at 9 p. m. (A. M. EST). Although the weather was icy cold, it cleared up enough during the day to let U. S. fighter-bombers fly 12 sorties over Chinese positions on Sniper.

Eighth Army headquarters has never recognized the loss of Pinpoint Hill as reported by Kendrick. He said by telephone from the front that ROK troops who lost the position withheld the information in the hope of "saving face" by quickly regaining the key hill.

The savage, powerful attack by ghostly Chinese wearing white camouflage was made at a vital part of the front. Capture of the Sniper Ridge hill mass would give the Reds control of territory from which an offensive could be launched on Seoul.

Fighter-bombers flew the second largest strike of the battle of the Kumbwa ridges in support of the parka-clad South Koreans.

Mustangs from the 18th, 58th and 474th wings teamed up with Marine Corsairs and Skyraiders and ROK Mustangs in the raid on Sniper and positions directly north of it.

"They really made that damn hill dance," said Kendrick, who watched from an observation post.

Fifth Air Force headquarters reported that the planes destroyed or damaged nine gun positions, 12 bunkers and two caves in the low-level attacks with 1,000-pound bombs, bullets and flaming jellied gasoline.

Eighth Army headquarters said ROK troops were driving the Chinese from the ice-covered positions on Pinpoint Hill they had won this morning.

FOG HID BURNING HOUSE

LONDON (UP)—Thick fog covered central and southwest England last night.

The fog was so thick in Dorset that firemen spent an hour looking for a blazing house.

Post Office Is Preparing For Its Annual Deluge Of Holiday Mail

With the Christmas season rapidly approaching, local post office officials are preparing for the deluge of mail which accompanies the season.

In a statement this morning, Postmaster J. Knott Proctor pointed out a number of suggestions for the public to follow in preparing Christmas mail for assured delivery.

The postmaster said some Christmas mail was already being received at the post office and he urged foremost that the public get their parcels and cards in the mail early and properly addressed.

"All mail matter must be plainly and completely addressed, preferably in ink, giving street address, including apartment number, if any, or post-office box or rural route and rural box number whenever possible," explained Proctor. He said it

was also important that the sender's address appear in the upper left corner of the address side.

It is suggested by post office officials that greeting cards be sent first-class mail. Such greeting prepaid at the first class rate may be sealed and contain written messages; they are dispatched and delivered first, forwarded, if necessary, without additional charge and, if undeliverable, returned at no further expense to the mailer provided the sender's address is shown.

Unsealed Christmas cards sent as third-class mail without unauthorized writing enclosed are chargeable with two cents postage (if weight does not exceed two ounces).

"Packages should be carefully and lightly wrapped and in durable containers," said Proctor, "but do not seal them unless the name and address of the sender are show together with the printed reading, 'Contents, Merchandise — Postmaster: This parcel may be opened for postal inspection if necessary,' as sealed parcels not so labeled or endorsed are subject to the letter rate of postage."

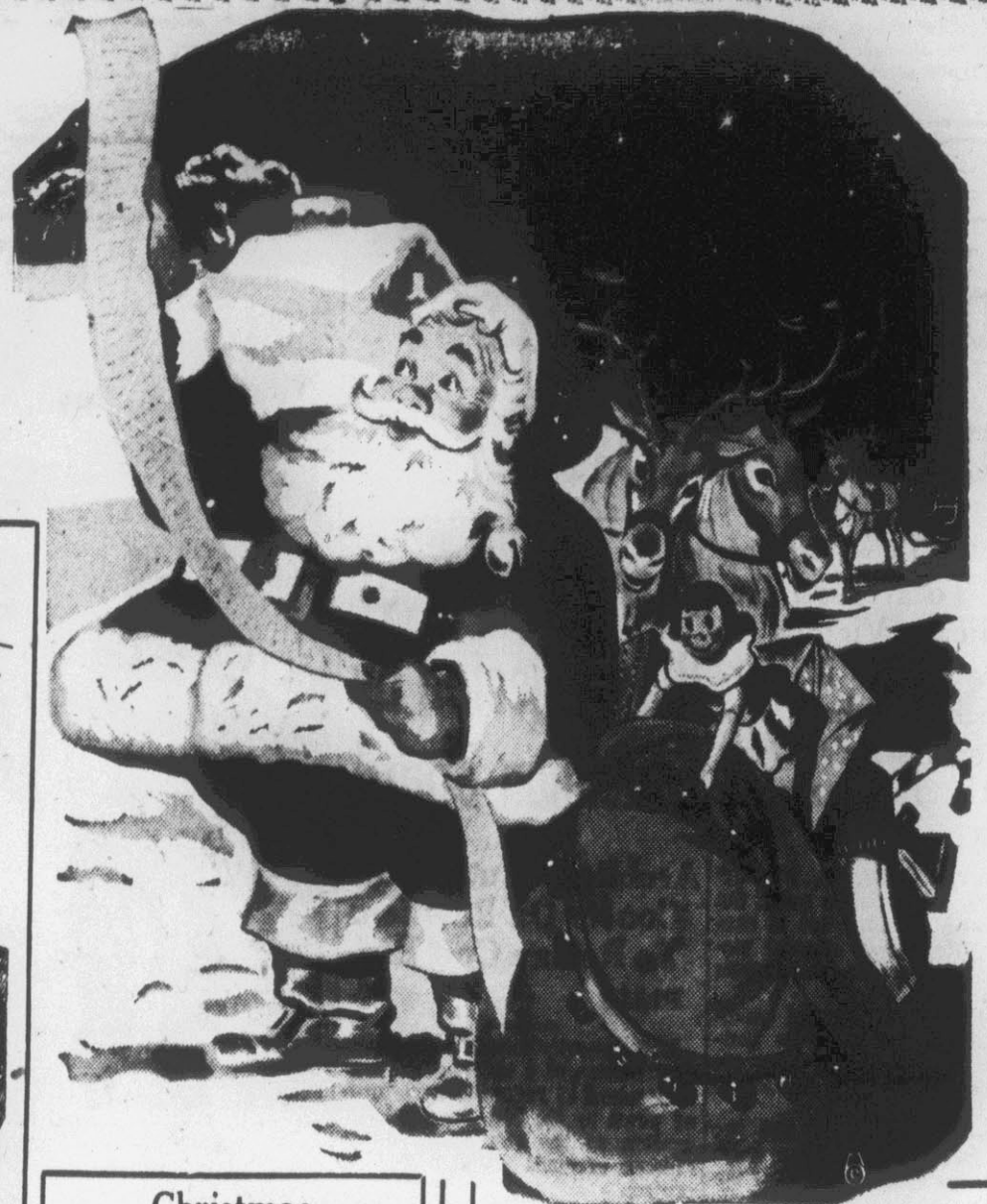
There are certain weights and size limits to parcels. The weights and size limits can be secured by contacting the postmaster.

Perishable matter should be marked "perishable" on the outside of the package above the name of the addressee. Articles likely to spoil within the time reasonable required for transportation and delivery are not acceptable for mailing.

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Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 2356-0 a. m. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 p. m.

Mr. A. B. Stallworth has been called to Woodruff, S. C. because of the death of his brother, Mr. Frank K. Stallworth.

Surprise Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Elmer Parker of Stokes had a surprise dinner for her father, Mr. George D. Ward on his seventy-first birthday, Sunday, November 23.

The table was centered with a pretty pink and white frosted cake. Mrs. Parker served a Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings. After the meal, Mr. Ward received many useful gifts.

Those who surprised him at the home of his daughter were: Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henry Ward and their children, Tommy and Mike, Rev. Ralph E. Ferguson and his son, Denny, all of Robersonville, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ward and Rudy, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bullock, Stuart Bullock of Williams- ton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parker Jr. and sons, Ward and Blaney.

Entertains Club

ROBERSONVILLE—Mrs. Norman entertained the Ex Libris Club at her home Tuesday. Mrs. H. H. Pope gave an interesting talk on the childhood and early life of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt. She then discussed the other First Ladies and told why each President's wife was best remembered.

Mrs. Glenn Norman, the treasurer, reported the amount of the donation made to the bookmobile. A delicious sweet course was served.

Mid-week Prayer Service

The prayer meeting of Memorial Baptist Church tonight at 7:30 o'clock will be in charge of the Louise Hardaway circle. This ser-

vice is a part of the observance of the Week of Prayer for foreign missions. In connection with the program a picture will be shown of the objects supported by the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for foreign missions.

Turtle Derby

Come One, Come All To the Turtle Derby Exciting Entertainment See a "Hot Rod" Turtle Run Real live turtles. No fooling Sponsored by Pactolus Ruritan Club Pactolus School Building Friday, December 5 — 7 P. M. Admission—25c & 15c

Chicken and Country Ham Supper Salem Methodist Church is sponsoring a fried chicken and country ham supper on Thursday night, December 4, from 5 P. M. to 8 P. M. in the Simpson Community building.

KIWANIS OFFICIALS TO HAVE SUPPER MEETING

Dr. H. Glenn Haney, past president of the Greenville Kiwanis Club, will be host at supper to the officers and directors at Respass Brothers' Cafe Thursday night at 8:30. President Milo Smith will preside.

Hopewell Pentecostal Church The evangelistic party, Misses Bonnie Johnson and Marie Houser, will be at Hopewell Pentecostal Holiness Church December 5 through December 7. They will have special singing and music with hymns pictured with chalk each evening. Everyone is invited to attend each night at 7:30.

Piracy was a common crime in the Mediterranean in very ancient times.

Funeral On Thursday For W. Tom Mobley

Mr. W. Tom Mobley, 66, died at his home, 817 North Bonner Street in Washington, at 5:15 Wednesday morning. He suffered a cerebral hemorrhage Tuesday morning and had been critically ill since that time. Funeral services will be conducted at Pactolus Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Laughlin. Burial will be in the family cemetery on the Carson farm near Pactolus. The body will be carried to the church one hour prior to the time of service.

Mr. Mobley, son of the late Joel and Frances Mobley, was a farmer and spent most of his life in Pitt and Beaufort Counties. They had recently lived in the Pactolus community and had moved to Washington two weeks ago.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lillie Evans Mobley; three daughters, Mrs. John W. Phillips of Raleigh, Mrs. W. D. Cox of Vanceboro, and Miss June Mobley of Washington; two sons, T. C. and C. A. Mobley of Washington; a foster son, Guy Mobley of Back Bay, Va.; six grandchildren; and a brother, John Mobley of Vanceboro.

Mrs. Spain Presents Club Program

Mrs. Sprull Spain, as guest speaker, presented the program of the Inter S. Book Club which met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. D. Duncan.

Her discussion of The Marys of the Bible was very enlightening and especially appealing at this season. In a very realistic fashion she outlined the importance of each in Bible history; stressing the unselfish devotion and sacrifice of Mary of Nazareth, Mother of Jesus. At the conclusion of the program and brief business session, a delicious dessert course was served by the hostess.

Social Calendar

- WEDNESDAY
- 7:30 p. m.—Observance of Week of Prayer for foreign missions at Memorial Baptist Church.
 - 8:00 p. m.—Beaux Arts Club meets at the Army.
 - 8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets at the club house.
- THURSDAY
- 10:00 a. m.—Observance of Week of Prayer for foreign missions at Memorial Baptist Church.
 - 10:00 a. m.-9:00 p. m.—Christmas Bazaar at St. Paul's Episcopal parish house.
 - 8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Charles Rice, Mrs. Leslie Rice and Mrs. Frank Moseley will be hostesses at bridge at the home of Mrs. Moseley, honoring Miss Ann Cox.
 - 8:00 p. m.—Mrs. Phillip Coleman will be hostess to the Arles Book Club.
- FRIDAY
- 10:00 a. m.—Observance of Week of Prayer for foreign missions at Memorial Baptist Church.
 - 3:30 p. m.—Regular meeting of Woman's Club at the club house.
 - Dr. Robert Holt, guest speaker.
 - 6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club
 - 6:30 p. m.—Exchange Club
 - 7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.
 - 8:00 p. m.—Mrs. J. B. Worthington and Mrs. T. H. Langston will be hostesses at a shower at the community building in W. terville, in honor of Miss Thelma Sawyer, bride-elect.
 - 8:00 p. m.—Chapter 1308 of the Ladies of the Moose

Firm Presented Certificate For Blood Donations



Hoover Taft, chairman of the Pitt County Red Cross Chapter, presents a certification of appreciation to R. W. MacKenzie of the Greenville Equipment Company for its part in the blood program in the county. Looking on are B. C. Satterfield, chairman of the blood program, and employees of the company.

The Greenville Equipment Company was awarded a certificate of appreciation yesterday afternoon from the American Red Cross for the company's part in the Pitt County Blood Program.

At the August visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile to Greenville, the employees of the Greenville Equipment Company signed up 100 percent to donate a pint of blood. R. W. MacKenzie, vice-president of the company, accepted the certificate from Hoover Taft, county Red cross chapter chairman, and B. C.

Satterfield, chairman of the blood program in the county.

In presenting the certificate, Satterfield told MacKenzie he appreciated his and his employees' efforts in helping to make the blood program a success in the county.

"We appreciate the fact that this company agrees with us on the benefits of the blood program to the citizens of Pitt County and the armed forces. In carrying out the program citizens of Pitt County can receive blood free when-

ever and wherever it is needed," stated Satterfield.

"We are meeting the needs of our citizens and armed forces, but a continued effort is required to keep the blood bank full in Pitt County," he concluded.

The Greenville Equipment Company, of which there are 16 employees, is the first company in the county to be awarded an appreciation certificate for 100 percent donation. The certificate reveals that the company has displayed outstanding cooperation in the blood

Bride-Elect Is Honored At Bridge

On Saturday evening, November 22, Mrs. Bill Nelson entertained at her home in Stokes, complimenting Miss Ann Cox, bride-elect of this month.

The home was tastefully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and fall greenery. Each table was centered with a white candle surrounded with ivy. Refreshments, in bridal motif, consisted of ice cream, cakes, mints and nuts, were served with coffee. During progressions coca-cola and mints were enjoyed.

Following several progressions of bridge the honoree was presented a gift of linen by the hostess. High score prize went to Mrs. Carl Abee, floating was retained by Miss Ruth Vincent and Mrs. William Tyson was winner of low.

Mrs. Dal Cox, mother of the honoree, was present during the early part of the evening.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. H. Reginald Gray announce the birth of a son, Rodney Edwin, on Sunday, November 30, in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

program and is signed by Taft and E. Roland Harman, chairman of the National American Red Cross.

Taft commented that he was confident other firms will follow the splendid example the local company has set in the blood program.

40 Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR

December 3, 1912

Mrs. J. J. Summerell, (nee Miss Lee Brown) of Wilson, who has been visiting her parents, returned home Tuesday evening.

The court house clock has waked up and resumed business again. There is a large crowd in town almost every day, and as Christmas draws nearer the corners will be more numerous.

J. B. James, the new president of the Carolina Club, is one of Greenville's live wires and things may be looked for during his administration.

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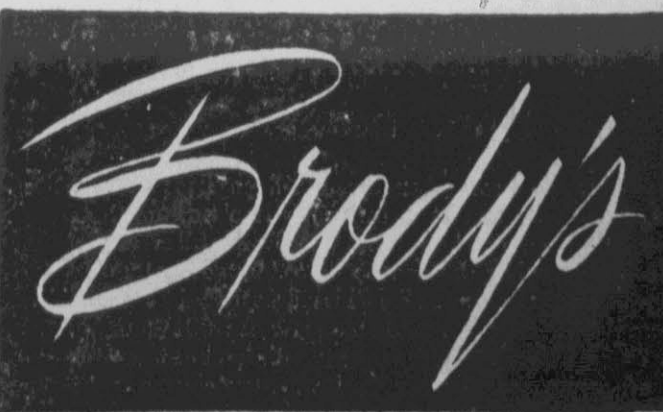
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Strength for the Day

CAN MISTAKES BE REMEDIED?
A mother whose little four-year-old daughter had left the kitchen and had gone upstairs, became suspicious over the prolonged absence and went to investigate. She found the youngster in the bathroom squeezing a tube of toothpaste and observing the results with fascination. When she saw her mother, she tried hastily to push the toothpaste back into the tube. Now the little girl was engaged in something we adults have been engaged in often—trying to undo the undoable. There are some things which can be put back into the receptacle in which it came, but toothpaste is not one of these. Likewise, there are many things in life that once done can be undone. But there are some things in life which are irrevocable. There are certain mistakes which can never be remedied.

The mistakes of youth sometimes haunt people throughout their lives. Decisions which meant the loss of wealth or the blasting of romance or the breaking up of a friendship have about them many aspects which are irrevocable. But there are remedies. The forgiveness of God lifts the burden of guilt from every wrongdoer who is constrained to sue for mercy before the throne of grace. The natural kindness of man leads him on the whole to be considerate and tolerant of his brother's weakness.

The "Watchdog" Is Barking Again

Another probe has been launched into expensive duplicating supply systems of the military branches of the United States. Congressman Herbert Bonner of the first congressional district of North Carolina has called for the new investigation. By his series of investigations, Congressman Bonner probably is not making himself popular with the people in the Pentagon, but he has certainly become one of the most watchful "watchdogs" in Congress. His untiring efforts to cut unnecessary military spending in supply systems is not only gaining prestige and support in Bonner's home district, but it is enhancing the congressman's influence throughout the nation.

Bonner says he has heard rumors that the military is disregarding congressional orders against duplicating supply systems and he has called the new hearing to "find out exactly what has been done."

The Reflector hopes Congressman Bonner succeeds in finding the answer to his questions. And if the answers he finds are not in keeping with the directives which have been sent out from Congress regarding the wasteful duplicate supply systems of the military, we hope he will not hesitate to bring pressure upon the military to have the congressional directives complied with.

To supply the armed forces of the United States with their needs is costing the American people billions of dollars each year. The duplication of supply systems of the individual branches for years has been adding to the cost. It has been causing the taxpayers to shell out more and more money in order to support the armed forces.

In view of the fact the civilian congress has seen fit to direct the military to do away with its elaborate, expensive, wasteful duplications, it seems the military, used to taking orders, would be willing to comply.

Congressman Bonner again is on the investigation path to save the American taxpayers dollars. We hope he succeeds as he has in similar instances in the past.

A Great Tragedy That Didn't Occur

If there was ever any doubt in anybody's mind about the role of fire drills in the schools, or the importance of cool-headed teachers in herding children from a burning building, that doubt should have been removed Monday.

To say that the fire at the local parochial school could have become one of Greenville's great tragedies is only repeating what has passed through everyone's mind as that costly blaze. We can all be thankful that it did not. And the fact that it did not become a greater tragedy than lay in losing a fine building, may be laid to the relatively calm evacuation of the

doomed structure. Some of those who were on the scene when St. Raphael's school burned were impressed, and commented upon the children's behavior at a time of general excitement. Of course, that was after the real test had passed for both the teachers and the youngsters of nursery, kindergarten and grade-school age.

The need for constant vigilance and prepared emergency steps should be doubly impressed upon all of us concerning schools, churches and theaters. Some of them are relatively fireproof, but few can be considered completely so.

Are We About To See A Big Party Shake-Up?

Selection of a union leader... a Democrat who opposed him... for the post of Secretary of Labor may have been every bit as smooth a piece of practical political strategy by Dwight Eisenhower as Associated Press analyst James Marlow today suggests.

For our part, we think too that the president-elect also was advertising the fact that he never did "surrender" to Senator Taft, and emphasizing that he (Eisenhower) is in fact, as well as in name, the winning candidate.

It will be remembered that during the national Republican convention there was a real cleavage between the Eisenhower and Taft factions. There was even talk that while Ike was running in the Republican ranks he wanted no part of much he felt represented the "old guard" philosophies.

The new cabinet line-up is said to include no personalities that were suggested by Senator Taft; rather it seems to point to a deliberate bid to re-model the traditional GOP elephant to a more streamlined signpost for a new era.

This possible attempt to change a party's political structure and traditionally conservative thinking would amount to almost as great an effort as switching a national administration from the Democratic to the Republican standard.

It would be a tremendous accomplishment for any man even an Eisenhower, to re-construct a major political party almost single-handed. But if anyone can do it, it would be a newcomer to politics who had the enthusiastic following and a top-quality team of advisers such as has Eisenhower. At any rate, future moves in this direction will be well worth following. If successful, the re-building of a major political party would be an event few Americans have seen in their lifetimes.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—President-elect Eisenhower's selection of Governor Sherman Adams as White House chief of staff augurs the launching of a tight ship of state after January 20. Since Adams will outrank even Cabinet members in inside influence, his appointment furnishes the best indication yet of the new Administration's broad policies.

F.D.R. used the late Harry Hopkins on this job, but the results were not always felicitous. Both the President and his man Friday were easy-going, playboy administrators in many respects. Indeed, Roosevelt encouraged and tolerated public brawls on major issues among his advisers because he felt that disagreement "kept them on their toes and provoked discussion of ideas." He revealed in Ike-Wallace-Jones front-page feuds. Although they made "good copy," they did a disservice to disciplined and businesslike government.

INEXPERIENCED INTERMEDIARIES—Truman had no understanding or qualifications for the task of national administrator and policymaker. He relied on such intermediaries as Clark Clifford and John R. Steelman, but neither had the experience or background for the job. Truman kept all problems distant from his desk until he was forced to make a decision by the pressure of circumstances over which he had lost control. Like F.D.R., he was an improviser. In many respects, Roosevelt and Truman ran the government on a happy-go-lucky basis. The result was turmoil.

F.D.R. had a weakness for professors. Truman for politicians. With Adams as an outstanding example, Eisenhower's selection of shipmates shows him partial to solid men who have been successful in private business and in public affairs.

A HARD-HEADED YANKEE—As his Army career reveals, the incoming President believes in orderly, responsible and workmanlike performance. He has always depended on a chief of staff whose duty it was to establish a chain of command—in this instance the White House—to every echelon of his organization. The success of such a system hinges on the key individual, who will be Governor Adams. As a shrewd, non-jealous, intensely loyal and hard-headed Yankee, he symbolizes and personifies most faithfully the kind of revolution which an Eisenhower Administration will produce at Washington.

Although far more energetic and enlightened, and possessing a sharper sense of Government's growing responsibilities, Adams may be described as the Calvin Coolidge type.

Nor does Adams suffer from the disease that beset so many Roosevelt and Truman operators. He does not fall for ideas, reforms and changes simply because they are attractive, novel or striking. He likes to see the work done before he leaps even a few feet.

PREVIOUS ACCOMPLISHMENTS—Before outlining the extent and importance of Adams' duties as Assistant President, it is pertinent to set forth his philosophy and accomplishments as Governor of New Hampshire. They forecast his performance at the nation's Capital.

He reorganized the state government along the lines of economy and efficiency recommended for the Federal establishment by the Hoover Commission. One of his early assignments may be to study the possibility of raising the Federal Security Administration, which Mrs. Ovetta Culp Hobby of Houston, Tex., will head, to Cabinet status. It merits that recognition and responsibility.

Adams imposed an "austerity" budget that prevented the levy of new taxes. A major Eisenhower pledge is to reduce the budget totals and lighten the pocketbook burden on taxpayers. Adams also obtained enactment of laws which encouraged private industry in the face of tempting offers to move elsewhere, principally to Dixie.

NEEDED REFORM—Although this may seem to be only an organizational innovation and improvement, it is really a great and needed reform from within. It offers the hope of orderly, businesslike and economical administration, instead of a government which has played by ear for two decades. It can mean the end of an era of disorder, wastefulness and irresponsibility at Washington.

Why Can't U. N. Convict Warmakers?



Somebody Told Me

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

Yesterday afternoon I was driving from the Post Office and stopped at the light on the corner of East Fourth and Cotanche Streets. Staring me in the face was a wrecked car, strategically located on the Flanagan Buggy Company used car lot.

The Flanagan Buggy Company is pushing a message that all of us should heed at all times. A large sign in front of the wrecked car says, "Drive safely. The life you save may be your own."

Flanagan's first conceived this idea last year, just about this time. Every month is a good time to plug safety, but Flanagan's picks December because of the heavy influx of holiday traffic.

The car is a grim reminder of the danger of driving at any time of the year. It looks like a twisted

wash cloth and is a total loss, completely beyond repair.

It has been estimated that 4,000 cars a day pass the corner of East Fourth and Cotanche Streets. Even considering that some of these cars come by more than once, the number is still tremendous. With such an outstanding sign, it would be safe to estimate that at least 3,000 of the passers-by notice the wreck and it would be safe to bet that all 3,000 are impressed.

It's a shame that we can't determine how many accidents are prevented by a message of this kind. But there's no doubt that many are prevented. When I saw the wreck yesterday I said to myself, "Jack, you had a wreck last Christmas Eve, and you were lucky that nobody was hurt. You'd

better be careful during these holidays. And all other times, for that matter."

The wreck idea has received praise from the State Highway Patrol and the Greenville Police Department. Any idea that helps in our over-all effort for safe driving is welcomed by the agencies who make safety their business.

If you want to emphasize one point in safety it probably should be: Speed kills. The other day I saw some amazing facts: If you drive 500 miles at 45 miles per hour your chances of having a wreck are one in 16. If you drive the same distance at 55 your chances become one in 12. But if you drive 500 miles at 65 miles per hour your chances of having a wreck become one in six. And I thank you.

Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET

COMPLETE — It looks now like the sergeant at arms in the Senate is the only elective position in the forthcoming General Assembly about which there is any doubt. Former Representative C.W. (Coush Wayland) Sprull of Bertie has yielded to pressure from numerous friends in the House, and has agreed to serve as sergeant at arms on that side of the capitol—if elected. Under the known circumstances his election would seem to be assured. He not only has the promised support of many members who are expected to assume leadership in the Legislature, but it was at the urging of a dozen or more of them that he finally consented to let his name be presented.

OTHERS — While the formality of election cannot be carried through until the General Assembly convenes and its members have been sworn in, indications are there will be no serious contests. Eugene T. Post Jr., of Cabarrus is slated to name Speaker of the House by acclamation. Edwin Pate of Scotland is practically conceded the same kind of election as President pro tem of the Senate. No opposition is anticipated for Ray Byerly of Lee and Mrs. Annie E. Cooper of Wake for the principal clerkships in Senate and House, respectively. Reading Clerks Robert Rasberry in the Senate and Ralph Monger Jr., in the House are expected to be re-elected without any sort of contest. With assured election of Sprull as House sergeant at arms, that leaves only the Senate sergeant at arms post in doubt. So far as your reporter can learn it is wide open.

EXPERIENCED — The prospectus set up means the 1953 Legislature will be staffed by experienced officers, with one or two exceptions. Lieutenant Governor

Luther Hodges, who is the constitutional president of the Senate has had no legislative experience, although his record in business and statesmanship qualifies him as a good presiding officer. The man chosen as sergeant at arms in the Senate may or may not be one with experience. The legislative service records of the others are impressive.

RECORDS — Bost has been a member of every legislature since he first came in 1937. Counting the two special sessions of that body he has ten to his credit. Pate came to the Senate first in 1941 and has been re-elected every time the rotation agreement gave his county a seat in that body. Byerly has been principal clerk of the Senate since he succeeded LeRoy Martin in 1937, after several years previous service as an assistant in the clerk's office. Mrs. Cooper took over the principal clerk's post in the House during the 1943 session, but she had been for several years a member of the clerical staff. Sprull has a experience record as a member of the General Assembly, dating back to 1933, and including every session since except 1941 when he unsuccessfully challenged Kerr Scott for a second term as commissioner of agriculture.

LIAISON — Another important cog in legislative machinery, although officially attached to the executive office, is the Governor's legislative counsel or liaison man. Governor-elect William Umstead has announced selection of W. Frank Taylor of Wayne for that post. His legislative experience dates back to 1921 when he represented his district in the Senate. For the past seven sessions, beginning with 1939, he has represented Wayne county in the House, and was Speaker during the 1951 session.

SMOOTH? — With such experienced officials, and with a larger than usual percentage of former members returning to the next Assembly, plus the fact that a preponderant majority of them are known to share the basic views of Governor Umstead on governmental policy, prospects are good for a smooth-running Legislature. Trained observers, however, recognize the possibility that controversy over details in procedure and methods of attaining the agreed upon objectives may offer major principles. It is axiomatic in politics and economics and theology that big differences are more easily adjusted than little ones.

PARKER — The third judicial district still has a resident judge named Parker. Judge Joseph W. Parker of Windsor was sworn in Monday morning under appointment by Governor Scott to succeed Judge Hunt Parker of Roanoke Rapids, who last week moved up by popular election to the Supreme Court. Chief Justice W. A. Devin put both Parkers to work on their new jobs immediately. Associate Justice Hunt Parker sat with the high court on Wednesday morning after taking the oath of office Tuesday afternoon. Judge Joseph Parker was assigned to preside over Beaufort County Superior Court Tuesday morning after taking the oath Monday. Your reporter did not hear the comment but was told that Chief Justice Devin, said, when it was suggested that the Beaufort court be delayed another day, that inasmuch as Judge Parker goes on the payroll today there seems no reason why he should not get to work tomorrow. The newly made judge offered no protest to that philosophy.

ELECTIVE — Justice Hunt

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Business Today

Business should be good this Christmas for retailers, and on the basis of all economic signs should continue fairly good for at least some months hereafter. More people will have money to spend this holiday season than last, and more of it at that. Average weekly earnings of industrial workers currently are at an all-time high level of \$70.80 a week. Employment, too, is the highest it's been at any time. According to Government figures, there are currently less than 1,300,000 unemployed, and even during the second World War there were always about a million unemployed. In early 1950, before Korea exploded, there were almost 5,000,000 unemployed.

Retail prospects are especially favorable from the near-term outlook in areas where heavy industry predominates. Average weekly earnings of workers in durable-goods industries have reached \$77.30 an increase of \$6.20 from last year. Workers in nondurable goods factories like textiles have achieved a weekly average of \$63.20 — up \$4.30 from last year. Earnings are highest in factories producing steel and oil products — \$86.60 and \$88 respectively — and lowest for apparel and tobacco-factory workers — about \$49 a week.

Workers in durable goods are enjoying high employment and longer working weeks with consequently fatter pay envelopes because of record-breaking production of steel and autos particularly. Production of cars in recent weeks has been running more than 50 per cent ahead of a year ago.

There's one sour note in the symphony of present prosperity: some businessmen apparently are having trouble anyway. The Dun & Bradstreet 167 last week, the highest since last June. There is been talk of difficulty among some of the food-store retailers particularly, as the large chains batter against consumer resistance to food prices with heavy advertising and cut-rate specials. Earlier in the year, it was appliance and household goods stores feeling the sheriff's breath, but business apparently has improved in this sector as last year's heavy inventories were finally trimmed down.

How about the longer-term outlook? Many economists and businessmen talk of perhaps a mild recession when the rearmament program levels off in mid-1953, but the predictions themselves have been getting a little milder recently, and some are now inclin-

ed to mention 1954 as a prospective recession year. THAT U. S. BUDGET... NOT EASY TO TAME... The incoming National Administration, of course, is on record as desiring a balanced budget and tax reductions. But it's not going to be easy to balance that big budget very soon. For fiscal 1952, the Government spent \$41 billion more than it took in. For the fiscal year ending next June 30, the deficit is expected to reach close to \$9 billion. Any tax cuts would increase the forthcoming deficit. It's going to be a difficult job to cut Government expenses enough to achieve both a tax reduction and a balanced budget.

SUGGEST INVESTING... IN PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

Even if business is rolling along nicely at the moment, it's always wise to prepare ahead. That's what the Young President's Organization believes. It's an association of 466 prosperous men and women who became presidents of firms with sales of more than a million a year before age 39. The strategy recently recommended to its members was to spend money on product development now in preparation of any cessation of today's sales honeymoon. Too, business executives, young or old, will find they can invest in product development at a comparatively low cost, the organization believes, because of today's excess profits tax.

STANDARDIZATION... LIFTS PRODUCTION...

Productivity in the glass-container industry has increased in almost each of the past 12 years, according to the U. S. Labor Department's Bureau of Labor Statistics. The standardized glass container brought into widespread use during the war and early post-war years reduced unit manpower requirements more than any other single factor, the Bureau believes. Standardization into relatively few types resulted in longer production runs.

DOLLS—Cardboard dolls with 12 high-style costumes housed in an early American style wardrobe, including hat shelf, wooden bar for hanging dresses and real hangers are offered in a set to retail at \$9 (by Samuel Gabriel Sons Co., 200 Fifth Ave., New York).

TEA URN: A giant tea urn of glass holds a half gallon of the brew—enough for 10 cups—and has a separate perforated plunger for the tea leaves. (It's made by Chemex Corp., 41 Murray St., New York.)

Hal Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — In most American business offices there comes a pause in the day's occupation that is known as "the coffee hour."

In fact there usually are two pauses—one in the morning, the other in the afternoon.

It has grown so insidiously that it is now a generally accepted fact of office life, and is taken as a normal working condition. Most employers now put up with it. They have come to realize that grownups, like children, have to have a periodic recess to let off their pent-up nervous energy.

That has taken a lot of fun out of what used to be a thrilling adventure. Fifteen to 25 years ago the following ominous notice was a common sight on company

"It has come to the management's attention that a number of employees are leaving their desks during their hours of employment to get coffee. This will not be tolerated and must cease at once."

That, of course, was a flat dare and a challenge. An employee would spend an hour every morning figuring a new way to sneak down the back stairs, gulp a quick cup of coffee and get back before he was missed. He felt like a naughty child disobeying his parents, and always wondered fearfully:

"If I bump into the boss, will he fire me?"

Oh, the coffee hour was a fine thing in those days. If you met another employe doing the same thing, you both had a secret to share: you were putting something over on the boss. Ever one on the payroll became linked in a partnership of conspiracy. You all were getting away with something forbidden.

Gradually the practice became so widespread that most managements came to realize the rule against it was unenforceable as the Prohibition Law. So they quit putting up the notices.

Many went even further. Following the British custom, they started trundling little coffee and soft drink carts about twice a day so that the employes could have an interlude of gossip and refreshment at their desks. This is common-places in many firms, and this compromise gives the employe one big advantage: he at least knows where the employes are.

Today the coffee hour is an accepted institution. It has infected the bosses themselves. They "decide," "Well, I might as well, too. I could use a little snack myself."

So what happens? You are sitting there enjoying a cup of steaming brew, contentedly aware that you are having it on company time, when the boss himself sits down on the next stool.

"How's everything?" he says cheerfully, ordering himself a cup. "By the way, how are you coming along with that Jones matter?"

For the next 15 minutes you both mull the Jones matter over and finally reach a decision. When you go back to your desk you feel vaguely cheated, and don't know why.

you in 15 minutes at the coffee counter than he could in three hours upstairs.

Of course, that's why he is the boss—because he knows how to get the most out of you. And today he thinks the coffee hour is a fine way to get more work done, and only wonders why he didn't think up the idea himself.

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON — Farm women in the free countries of Europe are learning methods of better home management, food conservation and freedom from drudgery.

In extension service programs, set up in many countries originally with American assistance through the Mutual Security Agency's food and agriculture program, rural home-making workers are instructing village and farm women in the same way as American home demonstration Agents.

They are aided in their work by scores of pamphlets, home demonstration courses and meetings, films, charts and posters largely modeled after those of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

MSA says that during the past year increasing attention has been given to work with rural women to make better use of Europe's food resources. Home economic consultants have been provided in Germany, Greece and France. In addition a short course for 50 home economists from abroad was held in the U. S. this year, with several projects for smaller groups.

Besides the programs in home economics, new programs are being emphasized in rural youth work, especially along the lines of the 4-H club idea, for both boys and girls. Austria, for instance, now has about 50,000 members in 4-H-type clubs. Greece, the Netherlands and Norway are other countries participating in youth leadership-training projects.

Especially in Greece and Germany, programs for rural women are significant. Greece has been losing about one-half of the fruits and vegetables it grows, largely because families don't know how to preserve surplus food during growing and harvesting season. They are now being taught canning and many other ways of preserving these products, along with meat and fish, such as brining, smoking and drying.

In some areas agricultural officials and the farmers themselves were skeptical about promoting programs in home economics for the womenfolk, MSA tells. The men said they couldn't see the connection with agriculture.

In Greece, one homemaking project cleared the way by holding its first home demonstration meeting for the men. Once the men understood the type of help, they were enthusiastic and now the women have spread all over Greece. To date in Greece the home demonstration program has concentrated primarily on the day-to-day realities of the family's pressing food and economic problems. "The Greeks are showing increasing interest and initiative in the new methods that help them better their lot," an MSA official told me.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

AUTO RATES GO UP (Wilson Times)

We can't go on having automobile wrecks and low-cost insurance, too. And while many never wreck a car, enough do to affect the rates. Thus, in the end everyone suffers. About it all, however, are some oddities. It might never occur to a jurymen who agrees to a high verdict after an auto collision that in a way he'll have to foot part of the bill. But when the companies must pay out more, they must get more. That's why some companies when they charge more, everyone who drives and carries insurance, including that jurymen, must pay. In that regard, it's like squandered taxes.

In recent years there's been a tendency to sue for more. Pending in court are several cases involving as much as \$100,000. If, in those cases, the jury turns out to be generous, the people who make up those juries will in reality be spending a part of their own money. It's because of our many smashups and because of high verdicts in our courts that the state approved the new rates. But it couldn't do otherwise in the face of conditions. For the state is realistic, too. It much prefers to have a high rate and a sound company than a low rate and an unsound company.

In other ways, too, the companies have been hard pressed. The former \$5 tendered tend today costs \$15. If the man is fully insured, the companies pay more for the same work. If the dent is on the other machine, the companies always pay. In many ways, then, you're partly responsible for the increase. You have more wrecks, for one thing, and when you sit on juries you award higher sums. For all of that all of us will pay, although many of us have had no wrecks and seldom sit on a jury. What were we paying for, we must remember, is a trend. According to the newspapers, \$11 cost the people of the state \$5,000,000 more next year.

Smith Family Reunion Held Here On Thanksgiving Day

The annual meeting of the F. M. Smith Family Reunion was held on Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack G. Smith on East Fifth Street in Greenville, N. C. The group was cordially welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Smith and introduced to special guests.

At twelve o'clock the group was invited to the Rotary Club building in Greenville where a delicious turkey dinner was served.

A duet was rendered by Faye Corbett, morning and Joyce Corbett of Kinston accompanied by Mrs. H. G. Haney of Greenville.

After the invocation by Dr. H. G. Haney dinner was served. The brothers and sisters were seated at an appointed table covered with a white cloth, centered with an arrangement of pyracantha berries in a silver container, surrounded with miniature turkeys.

Nieces and nephews and guests were served from auxiliary tables with like decorations.

Immediately after the dinner special guests were recognized and asked to say a few words.

Dr. Joe Smith, Mark Smith and daughter Trudy Lee and Mrs. Keturah Allen all of Greenville were cousins of the Smiths. Other guests were: Dr. H. G. Haney and Mrs. Haney of Greenville and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Love and children of the Gardner Cross Roads. Mrs. Love is a brother of Mrs. M. G. Smith.

J. M. Smith the president gave a few facts about the family tree and brought a wonderful message using as his title "The Lord Hath Done Great Things For Us Whereof We Are Glad."

Mr. Smith pointed out many things to be thankful for and closed his remarks by saying, "Our bodies are temples of God. The latch is on the inside of our hearts and when we shall have passed and gone on to the great beyond it is my prayer that our souls may begin a 'Thanksgiving through Thanksgiving for the remainder of our lives.'"

Dr. H. G. Haney, pastor of the Christian Church of Greenville introduced by Mack G. Smith gave an inspiring message stressing the many advantages of a big family.

Dr. Haney pointed out many large families that are working together and are accomplishing great things for the Master. He closed his remarks with prayer.

All visitors were excused and a short business session was held, J. M. Smith, president, presiding.

Due to the absence of the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Mack Abrams, the minutes of the 1951 meeting were read by Mrs. L. S. Willoughby, who also presented the financial report for the year. A contingent fund was received at this time to be used to beautify the graves of deceased members of the family, or any worthy gifts the group might see fit to expend.

The incumbent officers, J. M. Smith, President, Mrs. R. L. Corbett, vice-president and Mrs. Mack Abrams, secretary-treasurer, were re-elected to serve another year. The group drew names for Christmas gifts.

An invitation was extended by Mrs. Emily Tatum of Norfolk Va. and Mrs. Ethel Perry of Wilson, to hold a joint meeting in 1953 at the home of Mrs. Perry in Wilson.

A perfect day was enjoyed together and many thanks were directed to the gracious host and hostess who did so much to make the occasion a memorable one.

All the brothers and sisters were present except Ned Smith of Greenville RFD and Hilda Duke of Kinston who is seriously ill.

More than fifty people enjoyed this occasion.

Scholarship Fund Work Reviewed In Drive Dinner

Progress already made in the drive for the Pitt County Scholarship Fund for East Carolina College and plans for a stepped-up campaign during the next few weeks received chief attention at a dinner in the college dining hall last night.

Howard J. McGinnis, coordinator of the campaign to collect \$100,000 to be used as a scholarship fund at the college, presided.

Business men of the city who are participating in the drive made up the group at last night's dinner meeting. Business Manager F. D. Duncaul of East Carolina represented the college.

Emphasizing the need for a scholarship fund to help worthy and needy students receive an education at East Carolina, Dr. McGinnis gave from his own experience as teacher and school administrator a number of case histories to show that money invested in educating young people gives a good return in both material and spiritual values.

Loans and self-help work, both of which are provided at East Carolina, he stated, are not enough to meet the needs of many young men and women to whom education would mean a greater opportunity for service and good citizenship.

J. Herbert Waldrop stated that such a worthy project as establishing scholarships for promising young people carries its own justification and "needs no explanation."

The state, he said, does not provide scholarships; and therefore the friends of East Carolina College, a state supported institution, must help to establish a fund. A chief object of the scholarships, which will be made possible by the Pitt County fund, he continued, is to attract to East Carolina talented and intelligent students "who can make a contribution to the college."

As evidence of progress in the present drive, he pointed out that the sum of money already raised, approximately \$33,000, will yield each year sufficient interest to provide four students with \$350 scholarships. He stated that the \$100,000 goal should be reached.

Erceel Webb, a chairman of the campaign in the city of Greenville, emphasized the idea that those in charge of collecting contributions should give all an opportunity to share in the drive. He predicted a speedy and successful conclusion to the campaign.

Hoover Taft and Alton Johnston made suggestions as to ways of conducting the campaign successfully.

A play, "Don't Look Now," will be given in the Ayden High School auditorium on Thursday, December 4 at 8 p.m. Prices are adults 50 cents, students 35 cents.

Those taking part are Gordon Hart, Shirley Tripp, Packie Little, A. T. Venters, Shirley Ann McLawhorn, Randall Harrington, Mac Whitehurst, Marie Whaley, Doris Salmon, Lois Jean Meeks, Peggy Rose Williams, Billy Powell McLawhorn and Wesley Cannon.

Some authorities believe that Captain Kidd was not a pirate, but a victim of political intrigue.

Greenville Service League Maps Project Plans For The Future

The Greenville Service League held its regular monthly meeting Monday morning, December 1st, at the Shepard Memorial Library. After opening the meeting with an appropriate prayer the president, Mrs. E. H. Williford, called on the program chairman, Mrs. Howard Moya, who presented Mrs. Bancroft Moseley. Mrs. Moseley read a beautiful message on "The Real Meaning of Christmas," after which Mrs. Tyson Bilbro gave a humorous reading of a parody on "The Night Before Christmas."

The Projects Chairman, Mrs. W. S. Bost, announced that the League would be called upon again this year to sponsor a sale of articles made by the blind, the date of the sale to be announced later.

Mrs. J. B. Cummings, who served as chairman of the house-to-house canvass for the Community Chest, thanked all League members for their splendid cooperation and reported that over \$700 had been collected with one more team still to be heard from.

Mrs. J. S. Moya expressed appreciation to all members who had helped in the publicity work for the TB Seal Sale and distributed signs to be displayed on car bumpers.

The Thrift Shop Chairman, Mrs. Bob Thompson, announced that the shop would be closed for Christmas from December 20th to January 5th. Mrs. George Lautares reported that the shrubbery sale, which netted \$84.57 for the Hospital Bed Fund, had been such a success and that so many requests for more plants and shrubs had been received that another sale would be held on Friday, December 5th, at 10 a.m. at the Cold Storage Plant.

Many varieties of small plants will be for sale, including candytuft, blue phlox, cowslips, forget-me-nots and others. Mrs. Lautares also announced that the Bridge and Canasta Tournament held during November had been a great success, making \$36.55 for the Hospital Fund. No tournament is planned for the month of December. She displayed the cinnamon syrup, which is put up in nice refrigerator jars, now being sold by the League.

Mrs. L. T. Shotwell, Chairman of Hospital Activities, reported that 70 Thanksgiving favors had been made and furnished to the hospital for the patients' trays, and that she was planning to start work on the Christmas favors very soon.

Mrs. Howard Moya, Layette Chairwoman, reported that one complete layette had been furnished during the month.

Names were taken of all members who wished to give Christmas baskets to the needy.

The meeting was interrupted by a call for volunteers to come with cars to take the children from St. Raphael's Catholic School which was on fire. Due to this interruption the reports were not completed.

Mrs. Williford announced that the next meeting would be on January 5th and the meeting was adjourned.

Newcomers And Removals

Mr. and Mrs. Dean O. Skovlin, who have moved here from Laurel, Md., are living at 403 Harding St. Mr. Skovlin is with DuPont.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lewter, who have recently moved here, are living at 924 East 14th St. Mr. Lewter is with Burroughs Adding Machine Co. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie R. Cahoon have moved to 122-A Woodlawn Ave. from 303 S. Summit Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tipton are living at 109 S. Harding Street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pettet have moved to 208 Gum Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Robinson, who have recently moved here, are living at 906-A West 3rd St. Mr. Robinson is with DuPont.

Entertains Club. Robersonville—Mrs. George Ross entertained the Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club at her home. The living room was very attractive with vases of fall flowers.

Immediately after the arrival of the guests an interesting game started. At the completion of several progressions Mrs. W. R. Jenkins had high score and Mrs. W. E. Page won the second prize. A salad plate was served.

SCALP LOCK. BILLINGS, Mont. (UP)—Gilbros Casialdo has been awarded \$40 damages here against three barbers who took turgs cutting his hair, leaving him only a tuft on top. Casialdo complained he was made to look like a Mohawk Indian.

Art Society And Roanoke Historical Group In Meet

RALEIGH (AP)—The North Carolina State Art Society and the Roanoke Island Historical Association met here today in the first of a series of three-day meetings by seven Tar Heel cultural societies.

Paul Green of Chapel Hill, widely known North Carolina playwright, was scheduled to address the Art Society this afternoon. Mrs. Adelyn G. Breeskin, director of the Baltimore Museum of Art, is slated to speak at tonight's session which will be presided over by Gov. Scott. Presentation of Art tonight's program.

The North Carolina Society for the Preservation of Antiquities will meet tomorrow. The Cannon awards for distinguished work in restoration and preservation of the state's historic shrines will be presented tomorrow night.

Groups which will meet Friday include the state Literary and Historical Association, the North Carolina Society of County and Local Historians, the North Carolina Symphony Society, and the North Carolina Folklore Society.

The Mayflower and Sir Walter Raleigh Cups for literary achievements will be presented at Friday night's meeting of the Literary and Historical Association.

Bridge Club Hostess

Robersonville—Mrs. John Tyler was hostess to the Deck Bridge Club Friday night. The living room was decorated with ivy and chrysanthemums. After several progressions the first prize went to Mrs. Robert Taylor and Miss Gladys Bailey who had low score received a Christmas corsage. Mrs. A. Pitt Roberson who substituted for Miss Johnnie Sparks won the traveling prize, a box of pecans.

The refreshments were a sweet course and salted mixed nuts with coffee.

CALLING ALL CROWS

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Shirley Williams spends much time looking up at skyscrapers and blowing on a crow-caller, but he isn't off his rocker. Williams operates a window-cleaning company and uses the crow-caller to communicate with his men high up on buildings.

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Durkin Appointment Is Good Tactics By Ike

By JAMES MARLOW
 WASHINGTON (AP)—By appointing a labor leader, Martin F. Durkin, as secretary of labor, Gen. Eisenhower put himself in a nice position if Durkin's handling of the job goes sour.

He can say then: "I promised to be fair to labor. I did what neither Roosevelt nor Truman did in 20 years: I put a labor leader in the top labor job.

"I leaned over backwards to be fair. Durkin was not only a labor leader. He was a Democrat who voted against me. If it didn't turn

out right, at least I tried." But the selection of a union leader for the job — Durkin is president of the AFL's Plumbers and Steamfitters — is far from a guarantee of sunny days ahead in the troubled field of labor.

The secretary of labor has importance, of course. He heads the Department of Labor and is a member of the President's Cabinet. But his is a job with tremendous limitations.

Congress gave the Labor Department, and therefore the secretary, the task of administering



KEEPING ON THE COURSE — U. S. Air Force C-124 Globemaster of the 374th Carrier Wing soars past Mount Fuji, historic Japanese landmark, as it flies on Korean airlift.

the Wage-Hour Act, the public employment offices, the whole operation of labor standards and statistics, and some other chores.

But the secretary has no control over the government's Mediation Service which was created to try to settle labor — management disputes peacefully. The service used to be part of the Labor Department but Congress took that away.

And the secretary has no say at all over the most vital government problem and responsibility in the whole field of labor-management relations: how the two sides get along, or fail to, under the

basic labor law, the Taft-Hartley Act. Congress gave that job to the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB).

Meanwhile, as secretary he'll be on the receiving end of suggestions from both management and labor on what they think the government should be doing for them, separately or together. Since the 58-year-old Durkin has spent his life as a union man, it's a field he ought to know pretty well.

So with him, as with previous secretaries, his most important service will be as chief advisor to the President on labor problems and administration policies.

It's likely that some of the other AFL leaders privately thought they were better fitted for the secretary's job than Durkin, and are quietly miffed that they didn't get it. They would hardly say so publicly. Still, Durkin should be able to get along with them, for a while, at least.

Life may be less rosy with the CIO. At their Atlantic City convention the CIO leaders refused comment, publicly, on his appointment. Privately, they said they were disappointed a CIO man didn't get it.

They had previously expressed great hostility to him. Eleven years



Raymond Hill, Marshfield, Mo., grocer holds his adopted son, Jimmy, 7, a Korean war orphan, shortly after the lad's arrival in San Francisco from Korea. Before this adoption the boy's name was So Yong Chong. Hill took a liking to the boy while serving in Korea. Working through Sen. Dewey Short of Missouri, he arranged for the boy's adoption and entry into this country. (AP Wirephoto)

His Celebration Finally Ended

DETROIT (UP)—Recorder's Judge Paul E. Krause asked Aubrey Adkins, 25, "Why were you drunk?"

"Just celebrating getting out of the Army," Adkins said. "When did you get out?" "Last July," Adkins replied. "Ten dollars or 30 days' next case."

Misformed shell fish are most likely to have pearls in them.

Priest Also Has Bus-Driving Job

NEW LEXINGTON, O. (UP)—The old saying about "God's work is never done" certainly holds true in the case of Rev. Michael W. Willmetz, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church in nearby Shawnee.

Each morning, Father Willmetz dons a rough shirt, trousers and cap and drives 58 children some 25 miles into New Staitsville to St. Augustine's School. He returns them in the afternoon.

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Conquest

By Homer Hatten

Chapter 22

He came back to consciousness with the smoke of wood fires in his nostrils and the stir and bustle of an established encampment in his ears. Looking up from where he lay, he could see that the sky was spattered with cool starlight and the moon, riding high above an unseen horizon, had already measured a third of the night way.

As his mind struggled up out of its somber depths, he realized that he was wrapped in fold after fold of blankets and that his whole body was drenched in sweat. He twisted his head uncomfortably to one side and saw Toni sitting beside him.

"Where—where are we?" he asked hoarsely. His lips were as stiff and dry as sun-scorched leather and his tongue was so swollen he could hardly force out the words.

He could see Toni's face relax into a smile of sudden relief, and he felt her hand touch his face like a cool gust of wind-brushed rain.

"You are awake again, corazon! You are awake—and your cheek feels if all your fever was gone."

"Fever!" He tried to lift himself up on one elbow and felt the curling fogs of dizziness assail him so that Toni's face grew blurred and indistinct before his eyes. "How long have I been down with the fever? And where am I now? Where are the men?"

Kitsmiller was ridin' in th' rear of th' troop with all of us bunched up in front of him. Soon as we was over that little ridge in th' canyon an' out of sight of th' column, he threw down on us with a gun in each hand. We never had a chance to draw or even turn, an' while he held us there, th' Regulators swarmed in from both sides. The took our guns an' herded us on down th' slope. Soon as they had us out of th' way, they formed up an' I seen 'em go pillin' out over th' top of th' ridge.

Clay's face was as harsh and unchanging as a block of stone, but there were dark fires of rage flaming in his eyes.

"Kitsmiller engineered the whole job?"

"Sure. He was as welcome as a long lost brother."

"So he's with the Regulators now?" Clay's voice was like a file cutting its way through steel. "I'd like mighty well to see him again."

George grinned narrowly, a twisting, satiric snarl that lifted his upper lip above bared teeth.

"I'm afraid you ain't never goin' to have that privilege, Colonel," he drawled. "I'm middlin' sure Kitsmiller ain't goin' to be no good to himself or nobody else from now on. Most folks ain't, when their throats' split open from ear to ear."

The condition of the regiment was not hopeless, but it was unquestionably precarious.

"We can't stay here," Web tugged thoughtfully at his beard as he stared into the firelight and tried to resolve his doubts and confusions. "God knows there ain't no use goin' back. If the outfit ever does that, the men'll figger there ain't no use trying any more and they'll drift away—an' then we're done for for good an' all."

"I know," Clay was talking half to himself and half to the men about him. "It's the waiting and the uncertainty that drain you dry. Web, you're probably in closer touch with the whole outfit than any of us. What shape are we in? Could we ride tomorrow?"

"They can ride, Clay. Might be a few wagon passengers for a day

or two. Might be smart not to push 'em too far th' first few days. There's just one thing." He hesitated as he studied Clay's gaunt cheeks, the deep hollows beneath his eyes, the ravages of the fever that still occasionally left Clay strangely weak and lightheaded. "Can you make it? It ain't the nicest thing in the world to say, but you look like a picture of walkin' in death, an' there'll be a heavier strain on you than on all th' rest of us put together."

"I can make it, Web," he said steadily. He laughed a little and began to driv a crude, yard-square map in the soft dirt before him. "I've got sort of a half-baked idea."

There was strength in his voice again. "We aren't going back to Palmentera," he said flatly. "We started out to do a job and we're going to do it, if we have to ride neck-deep through hell and high water."

(To be continued)

Beer-Guzzling Tested In Safe Driving Study

TROY, N. Y. (AP)—Drinking eight cans of beer in less than two hours didn't befuddle him, a college senior says, but it certainly slowed his driving reactions.

Richard Somers, Jr., 21, guzzled the eight cans yesterday at intervals of 15 minutes. His reaction were tested on a machine that simulated highway driving conditions.

After the first can, Somers' reaction time was 382 of a second. After the eighth, it was 475.

Somers, 6 foot 3, is co-captain of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute's football team and president of its senior class. He's from West Orange, N. J.

After the tests, he insisted he wasn't drunk, only "very tired."

His girl friend drove him home.



WAITING TO BE LOVED—These puppies are a wistful pair as they stare expectantly at passersby from their window home in a pet store on Avenue of the Americas, New York.

Yuletide Spirit Results In 13 Prisoners Freed

INDIANAPOLIS (AP)—Pre-Christmas spirit hit William H. Allison, Democratic county commissioner, when he visited a friend in the Marion County jail last night.

Jack Genelon, 35, Trenton, N. J., serving out a \$25 intoxication fine, lamented his lack of freedom, and Allison offered to pay his fine.

Then there was a friend of Genelon's who would like to get out, and the friend had a friend, and—the situation grew faster than the snowballs the kids were rolling outside.

Allison laid out \$155 and jailers turned loose 13 prisoners who were serving out fines for misdemeanors.

"It's just the Christmas spirit," Allison explained.

One theory is that petroleum was originally formed from hydrogen and carbon in the rocks, but most scientists believe the substances which contained the hydrogen and carbon were first plants and animals.

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Joins Husband In Town's Jail

MORTON, Wash. (UP)—When L. W. McCellan was picked up Monday for being drunk and disorderly, his wife took a butcher knife and marched on the town jail.

Her effort to be reunited with her husband was completely successful. She was arrested on a drunk charge too.

New Liquid Soap Disinfects Skin For Long Period

CLEVELAND, O. (U.P.)—Skin cleaners that disinfect skin for long periods of time have been promised by a team of researchers from St. Louis.

M. Martin Maglio and John M. Hannegan report that new liquid soaps that don't even require a brush will clean the dirtiest hands

in a short time and keep them relatively germ-free for hours, and sometimes even for days. That means, according to the report, that factory workers whose hands are normally soiled from much scrubbing can be safe over his two-day week end unless he does dirty jobs at home.

The two researchers say their investigations show dermatitis and other skin disorders directly traceable to irritations and that germs can be eliminated by proper use of the new soaps.



This aerial view of Texas Highway 60, a few miles out of Amarillo, shows vehicular traffic at a halt after 10 inches of snow fell. At least 40 vehicles could be counted on this stretch of highway, typical of the conditions existing in the area. (AP Wirephoto)

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Daniel Webster's Memory Is Kept Alive By College

HANOVER, N.H. (U.P.)—Daniel Webster has been dead for a century but the memory of the statesman is well preserved by Dartmouth College which he left to become famous as "the defender of the Constitution."

Visitors to Dartmouth's Baker Library almost expect to hear an echo of the stentorian tones of the great orator as complete a memory of him has been created by the display which honors the 100th anniversary of his death.

As one enters the library, Webster's one-hour show is at one side, and two of his chairs and his pigeon-hole desk are on the other side.

The display recreates his life from boyhood in Salisbury, N.H., to his funeral in Marshfield, Mass.

Important Case Documented
His days at Dartmouth, whose sovereignty he was to save, is represented by a portable writing desk, a leather fire bucket, his hour glass and United Fraternity badge.

Topping off the college phrase, is the first printed oration he delivered July 4, 1800, to Hanover citizens.

One display panel is devoted to the Dartmouth case which established his reputation as a constitutional lawyer. There is a bound volume of Webster's notes on the case and resume of his argument printed in pamphlet form for private distribution; letters, photographs and paintings of the principals in the case.

Letters, published speeches, lithographs and contemporary volumes depict his emergence as a national and international figure. Of particular note is the first edition of his "Reply to Hayne," in which he established himself as "the defender of the Constitution," and a letter from President James Madison commenting on the great power of the speech.

Then there is a page from the first edition of the speech which he delivered March 7, 1850 in which he urged both the North and South to exercise restraint and moderation.

Personal Belongings
Through his letters one gets at Webster's personal life as well. One such message, written to his brother, tells of his sorrow at the death of his first wife.

One of the most memorable messages is one sentence long written to his friend, George Ticknor, in which he wrote: "The work is done—39 to 9." That was the announcement the treaty was completed establishing our boundaries with Canada.

Webster's clock, pipe, silk stockings and coffee pot are among the items in the case marked "memorabilia." A pair of ducaners, several wine glasses and a paperweight which was a gift of Prime Minister Lord Palmerston of Britain surround a small leather trunk, initialed in hobbals, which Webster used as a dispatch box.

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By FAGALY and SHORTEN



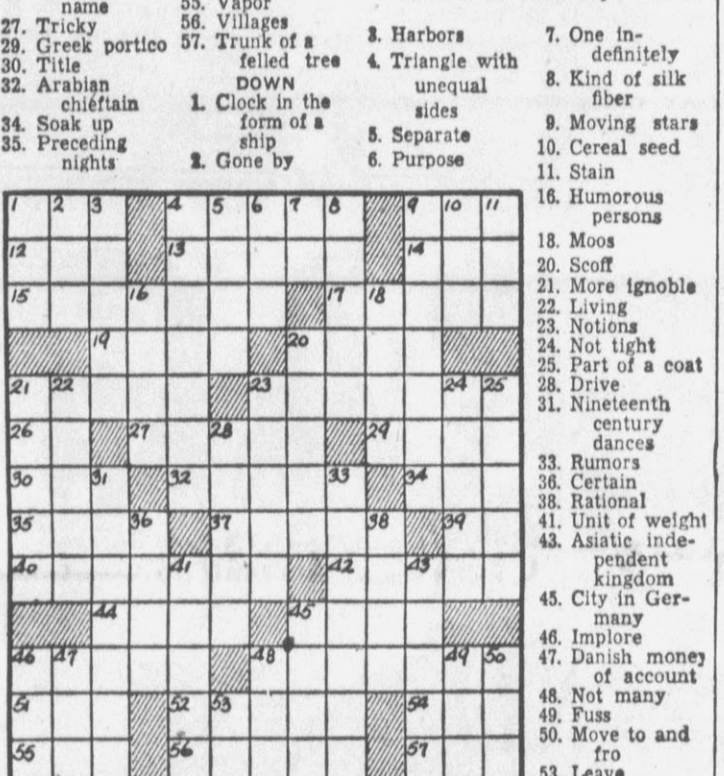
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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Short sleep
2. Utter words
3. Seed covering
4. Self
5. Lily
6. Ballad
7. Ahead
8. Table dish
9. Tip
10. Before long
11. Sew loosely
12. Place for holding ink
13. Man's nickname
14. Tricky
15. Greek portico
16. Title
17. Arabian chieftain
18. Soak up
19. Preceding nights

DOWN
1. Clock in the form of a ship
2. Gone by
3. Harbors
4. Triangle with unequal sides
5. Separate
6. Purpose
7. One in- definitely
8. Kind of silk fiber
9. Moving stars
10. Cereal seed
11. Stain
12. Humorous persons
13. Moos
14. Scoff
15. More ignoble
16. Living
17. Notions
18. Not tight
19. Part of a coat
20. Drive
21. Nineteenth century dances
22. Rumors
23. Certain
24. National
25. Unit of weight
26. Asiatic independent kingdom
27. City in Germany
28. Implore
29. Danish money
30. Unit of account
31. Not many
32. Fuss
33. Move to and from
34. Leave



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Game Wardens In District Keeping Eye On Hunters

District Game Warden J.O. Teel and his deputies checked 196 hunters Thanksgiving Day (opening of the quail season) and they found only eight of them out of line.

The game wardens arrested eight hunters that day on the charge of hunting without licenses. Four of them declared they had "misplaced or lost their hunting licenses."

The wardens gave them 10 days to get H.L. Jenkins and Frank Brooks in Greenville and show their licenses or be fined, according to state law.

Monday, December 8, is the deadline, Teel said. George Willis Moore, Negro, of near Falkland, hunting without a license, was fined \$10 and costs. The fine was to be suspended if the defendant promptly bought a hunting license and paid \$8.30 court costs.

Willie Cobb of Rocky Mount, hunting without a license, \$10 and costs. The fine was to be suspended if the defendant promptly bought a hunting license and paid \$8.30 court costs.

Alton Ray Harris of Durham, who was arrested near Tyson's Creek by Warden Teel and Deputy Warden Henry Flake, ran when the officers approached, they testified they chased him and arrested him. Magistrate Frank Brooks fined Harris \$10 and costs—total \$18.30. In addition the court's judgment priced that he at once purchase a hunting license for \$3.10.

Henry Green negro, of near Fountain, who was caught hunting with his automatic gun not plugged to fire only three shots, according to state hunting laws. Magistrate Frank Brooks fined him \$10 and costs—total \$18.10.

The district game warden said his department is receiving better cooperation from rural residents and better support from members of the Pitt County Wildlife Club for the game conservation program.

Sturgeon were formerly caught on the American Atlantic coast, but the number of the fish has been reduced so sharply that it no longer pays to fish for them commercially.

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Robersonville News

By MRS. W. L. SWINDELL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed of Richmond arrived in Robersonville November 23 to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Perkins and children, Gene and Eva Ann, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Elizabeth City with Mrs. Perkins' father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sumner.

Mr. (Buster) B. E. Anderson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Grimes and sons, Ed and Bob, spent Thursday with Mr. Taylor's and Mrs. Grimes' sister, Mrs. Bill Alcroft of Fremont.

Mr. Durwood R. Everett Sr. entered the Medical College of Virginia Sunday, November 23. He will remain for two weeks to receive treatment for arthritis. His son who accompanied him on the trip returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas, who underwent an operation several weeks ago, is improving but she is still unable to be up.

Mr. Lon Roberson remains on the sick list.

Miss Ann Johnson who recently accepted a position in the Farm Bureau Insurance office, Raleigh, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Johnson.

Mr. Lee Krider of Bennettsville, S. C. is visiting his niece, Mrs. Henry Herbert Pope.

Mr. Gene Taylor of Burlington, Vermont spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor.

Mr. Ernest Mobley is a patient in the Ahsok Hospital.

Miss Peggy Joyce Roberson of College Park is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jab Roberson.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith, who has been

sick in Park View Hospital for nine days, returned home Wednesday afternoon slightly improved.

Mr. William B. Hurst of Norfolk was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Hurst.

Mrs. Fannie Pope, who has been in poor health for some time is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Irving Taylor in Bethel.

Mr. A. O. Roberson is still confined to the house due to illness.

Miss Catherine Chandler, a patient in the East Carolina Sanatorium, has entered Duke Hospital for an operation.

Mrs. Vincent Columbo and children of Whiteville spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Osborne before Mr. Columbo, a teacher, came to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her family.

Mr. Wilmer Chandler is a patient in a Baltimore, Md. hospital.

Miss Jeanine Taylor left Wednesday for Carthage, N. C. to be a bridesmaid in Miss Jean MacDonald's wedding. Miss Taylor and the bride were roommates in Flora MacDonald College. Miss Taylor visited friends in South Carolina before

returning Saturday evening.

Mr. E. A. James and Mr. Jessie James left last week for the Knoxville, Tenn. tobacco market. Mr. Bruce Roebuck and John David Jenkins went to Paducah, Kentucky Friday. Mr. Irving Keel went to Abingdon, Virginia Saturday. Mr. J. W. Taylor left Tuesday for the Greenburg, Ky. tobacco markets. Mr. Donald Johnson left Saturday for Somerset, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Mr. Bill Johnson will be in Asheville during the sales.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler and their three children spent the weekend at Gates with Mr. Tyler's mother, Mrs. Perry Cotten Tyler.

Major Carl Edward Norman who was back to the States for a few days came to Robersonville to visit his father, Mr. H. C. Norman, his brother, Mr. Glenn Norman, and other relatives. Major and Mrs. Norman are stationed in Germany.

He was in the Army Air Corps prior to World War II and was in line for discharge a few days after the Korean war started but was retained because of his splendid record. Major Norman left here Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Jessie Walton Mobley and her friend, Mrs. Pauline Craddock of Sumter, S.C. arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Mobley's mother, Mrs. E. E. Grimes and her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Page.

Prisoners Set Blood Gift Mark

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (U.P.)—Officials of the state prison at Soledad claim that inmates have set a world record for blood donations. In a single day, 1,167 of the 1,777 donated a pint of blood apiece in a drive sparked by the Red Cross and Office of Civil Defense.

OCD officials said the new mark eclipsed a record set by Navy personnel on the carrier Philippine Sea. The warden of Soledad prison Bert O. Webb, was so proud of the voluntary donations from his prisoners that he offered a \$100 prize to any prisoner in the nation that could beat the record.

Plastering is one of the most ancient of handicrafts



NEW LOOK IN LICENSE TAGS. North Carolina's 1952 license plates, a different orange and black this year, went on sale in Greenville Monday morning. The first man to purchase the new tags, R. K. Spivey of Greenville, stole a march on the photographer, but P. D. McLawhorn, 318 West Second Street, Ayden, obligingly displayed his new license. The two busy ladies are, Mrs. Hazel Tripp, (left), and Mrs. Maxine Reel, both of Greenville. (Reflector Photo by C. L. Perkins, Jr.)



Many Students Pay College Way

EVANSTON, Ill. (U.P.) As many students are working their way through college now as ever before, according to Frank Endicott, director of student placement at Northwestern University.

Endicott estimated that Northwestern students earn, during the school year and summer vacation, a total of \$2,000,000, which they apply toward their college expenses.

He said the placement bureau registers about 1,600 students a year out of a total enrollment of 7,500, and helps about 1,400 of them to get jobs.

During the school year, he said, this group earns about \$800,000, for an average of \$570 each. Many others, who do not register with the bureau, find part-time jobs on their own.

Scrapbooks Are His Big Hobby

TRURO, Canada (AP)—They call Syd Parker a master clipper and with good reasons. Parker makes scrapbooks his hobby and most of his spare time is spent collecting and pasting in the clips.

At the moment he has 47 books—some of them tip the scales at 35 pounds—and five more are in preparation. He has special books on the World War II, the Canadian paper cartoons. Parker is an author and poet.

REUNION:—Little James Adairo, 3, and his dog, Missie, are reunited at Fort Walton, Fla., after they shivered through 14 hours while adrift in a skiff on nearby Choctawhatchee Bay. It all began when James' mother was thrown out of the fishing skiff in the bay's choppy waters. In the excitement of the rescue, the boat drifted away with the youngster and the dog. A search party found them 15 miles away when attracted by the dog's barking. In the confusion the dog was left behind and believed lost. (AP Wirephoto)

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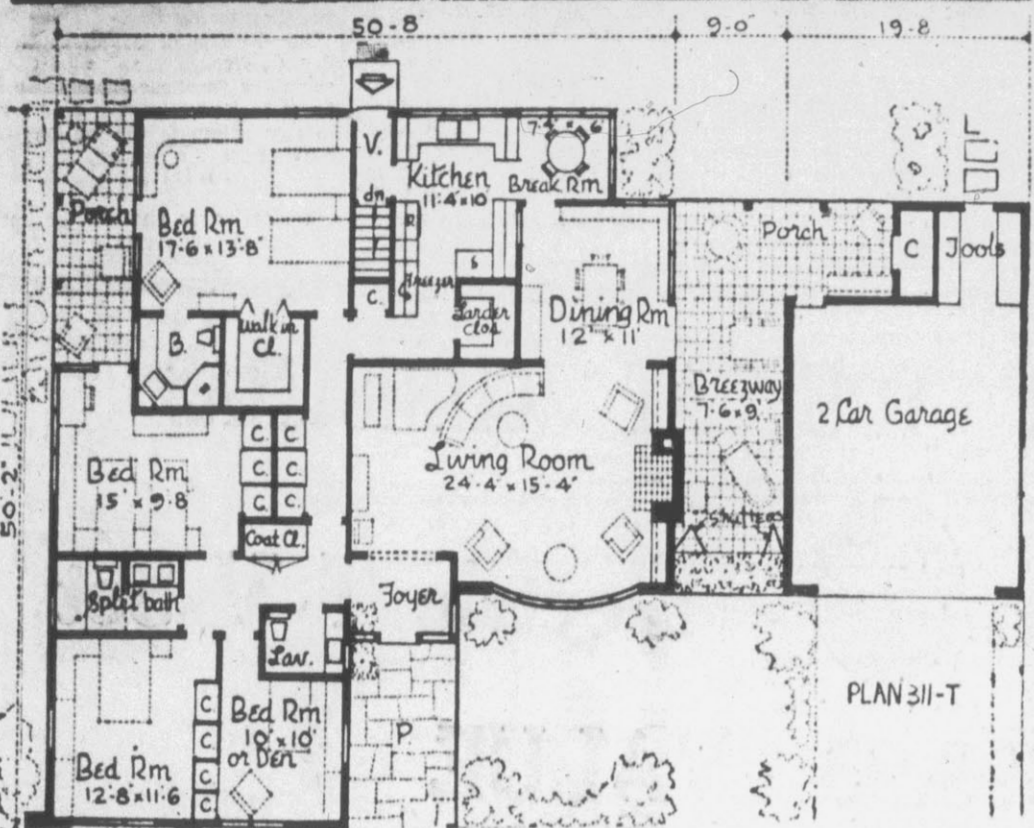
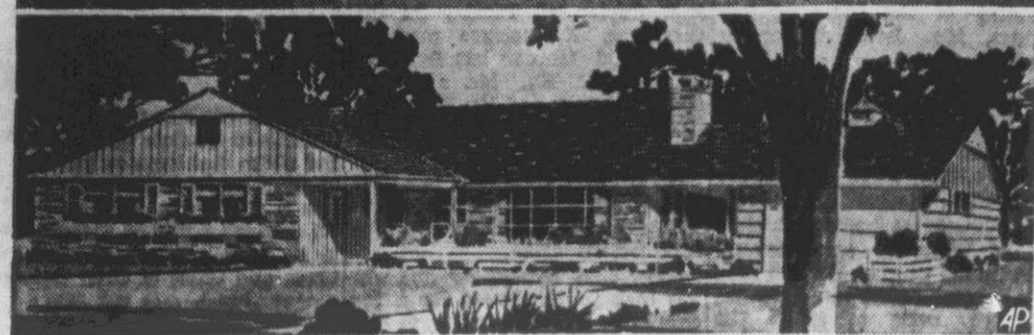
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(Further information and plans available from architect named above.)

Maid Of Cotton Is A Hard Working Girl

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (U.P.)—Al-
 phis for the finals, she won a
 most any young girl would like
 nothing better than to spend six
 months traveling all over the world
 wearing scads of beautiful clothes
 and generally living the good life.
 That's what awaits the winner of
 the 1953 Maid of Cotton contest
 here Dec. 20-30, and Dixie's beauties
 already are preparing for the
 competition. All the girls won't be
 from Dixie, but each will be from
 a cotton-growing state, which mean
 that some will come from Arizona,
 Missouri or California.

From January until next July,
 the winner won't have to worry
 about spotting another woman in
 a dress just like hers. Her whole
 wardrobe, filling about 20 pieces
 of luggage, will be designed espe-
 cially for her. After her travels
 end, all those clothes will be the
 property of the winner.

More Than Beauty
 Typical of the girls who will be
 competing is blonde Alice Julia
 Corr, of Selma, Ala. She is Ala-
 bama's cotton maid, and, in ad-
 dition to getting to come to Mem-

and appearances on radio and tele-
 vision.

Then the maid, the tour man-
 ager and the secretary climb a-
 board a plane for their swing a-
 round the United States, to Eu-
 rope, South America and Canada.

In every city, a full schedule
 awaits the maid, who must be
 single and between 19 and 25 years
 of age. It takes six or seven bell-
 hops to carry all her luggage into
 a hotel, but the maid is certain
 never to be caught in the familiar
 quandary of "what can I wear?"

"Sells" Cotton
 Everywhere she goes, the maid
 models in fashion shows and, of
 course, tells folks about cotton.
 Naturally, all her clothes are of
 cotton, from hat to shoes.

The first contest was held in
 1939 with no wardrobe provided
 and just two short trips to the
 eastern United States.

The tour gradually grew until
 the 1947 maid went to France.
 Then South America was added
 and this year Canada. About 30
 American cities are included on
 the tour. The maid gets not only
 the wardrobe but also a new auto
 when the trip ends in Memphis.

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 tive man both in the very ancient
 past and today are fashioned of
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Chiang Wants No More Statues

TAIPEH, Formosa (AP)—President Chiang Kai-shek wants money subscribed for building statues of himself turned to welfare purposes on Formosa. Chiang made his views known through his secretary-general after a statue of him was unveiled on

his 66th birthday recently. Plans had been made to erect more statues elsewhere on Formosa and other islands held by the Nationalists.

LONG TIME NO SEE
MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Dr. Marshall Wingfield, vacationing in Virginia, knocked at a door to ask directions and was greeted by a former teacher he had not seen for 50 years.

Junior Red Cross Packages To Children Overseas Go Into Mail



Students at Greenville High School are shown filling some of the 300 gift boxes which were mailed by Greenville and Pitt County students to children of foreign countries. (Reflector Photo by C. L. Perkins, Jr.)

From Junior Red Cross members in the Pitt County and Greenville Schools, 300 gift boxes were mailed Monday to school children in foreign countries.

For the past two weeks, students in the schools in this area have been working to fill the Junior Red Cross boxes. Each student buys an item to go into the boxes and they are asked to give up one small personal item and use the money for filling the boxes.

Included in the boxes are educational items, health items, comfort articles, toys, and personal items. The program of sending gift boxes overseas is directed locally by the Junior Red Cross chairman, Mrs. Howard Gradis, and a committee in the Red Cross chapter.

The boxes will be given at their destination at Christmas time to children who would otherwise receive no gifts. Several students in Elizabeth Hyman's grade at the Training School recently received a letter from a child in Germany who had received one of the boxes last year. The German child wrote of

her appreciation, stating that thanks also came from her brother who is in kindergarten.

Enrollment Campaign
A Junior Red Cross enrollment campaign was just completed in the city and county under the direction of Mrs. Gradis and a teacher-sponsor. The following schools and sponsors are taking part in the Junior Red Cross Program:

Greenville High, Betty Hansinger; Third Street, Mrs. Clay Studdert; West Greenville, Mrs. John Hodges; Training School, Mrs. D. M. Clark; Ayden High, Mrs. Nora Lee Craft; Winterville, Sarah Ann Brown; Grifton, Mrs. G. L. Tucker; Chicoc Vivian E. Mills and W. H. Bunch; Grimesland, Mrs. J. T. Madry; and Bethel (White), William C. Berry; Pactus, Mrs. Minnie J. Stancill; Stokes (White), Margaret Lewis; Bell-Arthur, Mrs. Bruce Strickland; Falkland (White), Mrs. K. Dunn Phillips; and Fountain, Mrs. Emily S. Mercer.

Fleming Street, Mrs. Lillian Taylor; Epes High, C. M. Knight;

South Greenville, Mrs. M. G. Robinson; Falkland (Negro), C. L. Bernby; Harpers, Mrs. M. T. Burney; Stokes (Negro), Charles C. McClone; Shiloh, William King; Ayden, John W. Ormond; Haddock, C. Anderson and Bruce, E. L. Smith.

Nichols, Gaston Monk; Farmville (Negro), Mrs. Helen H. Coburn and M. Allen; W. H. Robinson Union, Mrs. M. Long and Mrs. P. M. Anderson; Cemmons, Rosalie R. Andrews; Harris, Charles C. McGlone; Post Oak, Matthew Lewis; and Pitt County Training, Mrs. V. D. Selby.

The pheasant is native to the area from the Caspian Sea through Southeastern Europe.

Shelve Proposed Oil Tunnel Plan

SINGAPORE (AP)—Singapore's vulnerability to atom bomb attacks has caused the abandonment of an admiralty plan to build 14 underground tunnels designed to carry oil from storage tanks in the center of the island to the naval base or harbor area.

The project, started in 1938 and abandoned at the fall of Singapore to the Japanese, in World War II has now been transferred to Ceylon.

'Dead' Draftee Very Much Alive

CHICAGO (UP)—A reluctant draftee was collared by the FBI after reports of his death turned out to be greatly exaggerated.

Alfred C. Zaccone was held in lieu of \$2,500 bond today as he awaited arraignment on charges of failing to report for a pre-induction examination.

The elusive 25-year-old was a hard man to pin down, but the jig was up when the FBI agents couldn't find his name on a tombstone.

When Chicago Selective Service Board Number 14 ordered Zaccone to report for examination Oct. 31, it promptly got the order back in the next mail.

Scrawled across it was a note, supposedly from a doctor. The note said that Alfred was a victim of migraine headaches and couldn't keep the date.

The draft board could swallow that, and it merely postponed his physical later, a second notice was sent out.

A reply, "signed" by Zaccone's mother, said the young man had enlisted in the Navy, Board Number 14 demanded proof.

Another "mother's" letter informed the board that "poor Alfred" had been killed in an automobile accident.

"Where," asked the board, "is the death certificate?"

In the next mail, the board received a coroner's form recording Zaccone's death by skull fracture. It even included a burial permit, an undertaker's name and a statement of burial in All Saints Cemetery.

The draft board personnel concluded that either the Navy was lowering its physical standards drastically or someone was lying. The death certificate listed Jan. 7, 1951 as the date of death. That was quite a while before Alfred allegedly enlisted in the Navy.

John P. Malone, agent in charge of the Chicago FBI, said examination showed that the handwriting on all the letters was identical.

Federal agents arrested him Tuesday at his home, and a spokesman at Board Number 14 commented that now he has a real headache.

Ex-Prisoners To Have Jaycee Aid

January, the North Carolina Junior Chamber of Commerce will launch a program to help get jobs for convicted felons upon their release from prison.

Plans for the program were announced jointly yesterday by Prisons Director Walter Anderson and Lloyd Langdon of Raleigh, chairman of the Jaycees' state-wide civic improvement program.

Anderson pointed out that the project will be of valuable assistance in the prison department's rehabilitation program.

He added that an average of about 200 felony prisoners are released each month.

The program will not apply to parolees or short-term prisoners convicted of a felony. Anderson said prison authorities will screen prisoners nearing the expiration of their sentences before their names, records and capabilities are reported to the Jaycees.

The prisons chief pointed out that the department will be unable to recommend all prisoners for Jaycee help. He estimated that about 75 per cent would prove eligible.

The local Jaycee club will strive to get jobs for prisoners in their home communities and to help rehabilitate them.

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Pet Raccoon Has Bells On Collar

BILLINGS, Mont. (AP)—A pet raccoon with bells on played hide-and-seek on a downtown street.

A couple of newsboys cornered the timid animal and picked him up by his bell-studded collar. But he hollered and the boys dropped him on his nose. The raccoon was finally caught in a sporting goods store and put on display in the front window.



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The patient work of weeks, by groups and individuals, will come to fruition tomorrow morning when the St. Paul's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church presents its annual Christmas bazaar in the parish house of the church beginning at 10 o'clock.

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. J. T. Little and Mrs. J. G. Lautares, members of the four chapters, composing the auxiliary, have combined their labors to present the bazaar.

An infinite variety of articles prepared by auxiliary members will be offered for sale. A table of delicacies will include plum pudding, fruit cakes, chicken salad, baked beans, cookies, cake, candies and the like. The needlework table will offer aprons suitable for wear from early morning to late at night and special occasions such as Christmas. Trim-a-tree table will have beautiful Christmas stockings personalized Christmas tree ornaments and fancy decorations.

The doll table will have beautiful costumes for every occasion. Many dolls with hand made clothes. All little mothers will want their babies dressed for Christmas day in these lovely layettes. The country store will be run by the men of the church, everything from sweet potatoes, fresh eggs, ham to bargains galore. The miscellaneous table includes household articles, wearing apparel, men's gifts, etc.

A luncheon will be served from 12 until 2 p.m. and a turkey dinner from 6 until 8 p.m.

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Minor Teams May Join Big Leagues

By CARL LUNQUIST
United Press Sports Writer
PHOENIX, Ariz. (UP)—The big boy cities of the minors—Milwaukee, Baltimore, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Montreal, and a host of others—find out today how long it may be before they can become major league outfits.

The long awaited report of the Realignment Committee will be presented to the opening executive session of the minor leagues by Frank Lane of the Chicago White Sox, who is chairman.

The committee will make only recommendations and the frustrating part of it all is that no action can be taken in these meetings to speed up the shuffle. What is more, the Lane committee is setting up long range plans and the best guess is that there can be no wholesale changes in less than five years.

Much of what is being done is strictly to satisfy such groups as the Celler Committee in Congress, which charged big league baseball with monopolistic tendencies that froze out all but the map that was laid out in 1900 along the lines of the New York Central and Pennsylvania railroads. The American League became the so-called NYC circuit and the National was the Pennsy League with schedules over the years adapted to fit railroad time tables. Now, with travel improved, there are no longer the restrictions that once existed and other obstacles hold up expansion instead.

"The first hurdle will be to set up membership contracts in the various minor leagues involved," Lane said. "On this basis club owners can agree that they will operate without major change for a stipulated period of five, seven or 10 years. At the end of that period, a club can pull out and settle territorial damage suits through a board of arbitration."

Frank Shaughnessy, president of the International League, who also is a member of the committee,

said that the next step would be to obtain open classification status for his league and the American Association.

"Then these two leagues can enjoy the same non-draft privileges as the coast league and protect their better players from the majors," Shaughnessy said.

"Eventually, a third major league could arise from the best eight towns in the two circuits."

In addition to e-alignment, the club owners will begin discussion of the various amendments to baseball's constitution which will be voted on later in the week. The lower minors, Class B, C, and D, also will complete the player draft.

State Cagers Top Furman 77-69

RALEIGH (UP)—North Carolina State's basketball squad turned back Furman 77 to 69 here last night even though Furman's Frank Selvy led both teams in scoring with 22 points.

State took an early lead and held it throughout. The Wolfpack was out ahead 47 to 28 at halftime.

Dave Gotkin was high man for state with 20 points.

Tonight Wake Forest opens its basketball season with an invasion of Camp Lejeune. Coach Murray Greason sends a team including all-Southern Dickie Hemrick and sophomore Jack Williams, a freshman sensation two years ago who was out of school last year, against a Marine five coached by Frank Frates, a veteran whose clubs have won three Pacific Fleet titles and four district titles.

Basketball Scores
By UNITED PRESS
N. C. State 77 Furman 69
Richmond 91 Medical Col. of Va 65
Georgia 66 Clemson 60
Maryland 71 Virginia 61

Snavelly Resigns; Barclay Or Tatum Are Likely Choices

Coach Asks For Other Duties At The University

CHAPEL HILL, N. C. (UP)—Jim Tatum of Maryland was reported today as a strong possibility to become head football coach at the University of North Carolina, job left vacant by the resignation of veteran Coach Carl Snavelly.

University officials, however, were saying nothing about candidates to succeed Snavelly and gave no indication whether they already have a particular man in mind for the job.

In addition to Tatum, others being mentioned in speculation as likely successors to Snavelly were Paul Brown of the professional Cleveland Browns, Art Guepe of Virginia, and Assistant North Carolina Coach George Barclay.

Snavelly, who had been head coach of the Tarheels since 1935, announced his resignation in a terse note issued Tuesday night which also contained a request that he be assigned to "other duties" in North Carolina's physical education department.

Dean A. W. Hobbs, chairman of the Athletic Council, indicated that Snavelly's request probably would be granted and that he would be given another spot "possibly teaching."

Snavelly's note of resignation said: "My appraisal of the football situation at the University of North Carolina leads me to the conviction that I can best serve the interests of the university and its alumni by requesting that I be relieved of the responsibilities of football coaching and be assigned to other duties in the department of athletics and physical education."

Beyond that, Snavelly would say nothing of his reason for quitting. His only comment when queried directly was, "I have absolutely nothing to say."

Illinois Is Rated Nation's Best Cage Team; N.C. State In Top 10

Steve Trudnak Is Picked On Little All-American

LITTLE ALL-AMERICAN
By HAROLD CLAASSEN
NEW YORK (AP)—Meet Jodie Connell, guard for the Jacksonville, Ala., Teachers football team and newly named to a berth on The Associated Press' Little All-American team of 1952.

An accident in a swing when Connell was 10 years old cost him his left arm below the elbow, but the rugged 6-1 athlete from Gadsden, Ala., is ranked today on a par with the other gridiron greats of 1952.

Connell was the running guard for the Alabama Teachers in their Notre Dame box attack and his agile 180 pounds made him the in addition, he did the kicking off, converted some of the touchdowns and was used a time or two as a ball carrier in the venerable guards-around play. That is the play first made popular by Pudge Hefflinger, Yale's all-time great.

Probably the most amazing Connell effort of the year was his one-handed interception of a pass.

Twenty-two colleges and universities are represented on the Little All-American, a team which gets its name from the size of the school's involved and is in no way a reflection on either the size or ability of the players themselves.

Two of the honored athletes are repeaters from the No. 1 team of a year ago—halfback Ralph Dimico of Alfred and tackle Chester LaGod of Chattanooga. Both are seniors and LaGod, a returned veteran, already has been drafted by the New York Giants of the National Football League.

With Dimico in the offensive backfield is Al Conway of William Jewell, the nation's greatest point-maker; Don Gottlob of Sam Houston State, the country's leading ground gainer, and Steve Trudnak, blasting fullback of the unbeaten Lenoir-Rhyne team which plays in the Cigar Bowl.

Conway went to the little Missouri college after leaving the U.S. Military Academy following the cribbing scandals of 1951. He was a great end prospect under Coach Earl Blaik but his 208-pound ballast was needed in the William Jewell backfield.

The offensive team's line is made up of Joe Kirven, Presbyterian, and Tony Chambers, Massachusetts, at end; Robert Lade, Peru, Neb., Teachers, and Tom Funn, Tennessee Tech, at tackles; Penn Swanson, Whitworth, and Cettell at guards and Lou Bohnsack of LaGod and his tackle mate, Cal Robert of Gustavus-Adolphus, are the big wheels in the defensive set-up that includes two light but furious line-backers. They are Robert Weichard of Kings Point, and Ted Levenshagen of the LaCrosse, Wis., Teachers.

The secondary defense is completed by Ron Billings of Pacific Lutheran, Wally Fullington of Abilene Christian and Neil Garret of Nevada.

Of the 33 teams placing men on the first offensive, first defensive and the combination second team, six already have accepted bowl bids.

As a unit, the 22 schools on the first team played 181 games, winning 111 and dropping 50. Strangely enough there wasn't a single tie. The Terp Teachers with 10 consecutive triumphs head the list

By LEO H. PETERSEN
United Press Sports Editor
NEW YORK (UP)—Illinois, the defending Big Ten champion, today was given the No. 1 spot in the United Press 1952-53 pre-season basketball ratings.

Fourteen of the 35 outstanding coaches who make up the rating board selected Coach Harry Combes' quintet to win the mythical collegiate title in the coming season and gave the Midwesterners a total of 282 points. In the final ratings for the 1951-52 season, Illinois was in the No. 2 spot behind Kentucky, which has been barred from play this season because of NCAA rule violations.

Kansas State, rated sixth last season, beat out LaSalle of Philadelphia by six points for the runner-up spot in the pre-season balloting. The Kansas State team was given five first-place votes and a total of 228 points; LaSalle had 11 first-place votes and 222 points.

Points are scored on the basis of 10 for a first-place vote, nine for a second and so on down for one for a 10th.

Washington, North Carolina State, Oklahoma A and M, UCLA, Indiana, Seton Hall, and St. Louis rounded out the select 10 in that order. In all, eight teams received first-place votes: Washington, North Carolina State, Oklahoma A and M, Indiana and St. Louis each getting one, with the others going to Illinois, Kansas State and LaSalle.

Only Washington, beside Illinois and Kansas State, finished in the top 10 in the final 1951-52 ratings. The Huskies were rated fifth.

Kansas, which finished third in the final ratings last season, won the NCAA championship and represented the U. S. as the college team in the successful defense of the Olympic basketball championship, received only 13 points which put them in a tie with St. Bonaventure for 19th place.

In all, 39 teams were given points with Holy Cross rated 11th followed by Santa Clara, Notre Dame, Duquesne, Wyoming, and St. John's in that order. Brigham Young and Minnesota tied for 17th place.

If the coaches are correct in their pre-season ratings, the 1952-53 conference champions will be: Big Ten: Illinois; Big Seven: Kansas State; Pacific Coast: Washington; Southern: North Carolina State; Missouri Valley: Oklahoma A and M; Skyline: Wyoming; Southwest: Arkansas; Ivy: Princeton; Southeastern: Louisiana State or Vanderbilt; Border: Texas Tech; Leading independent: LaSalle.

Ten Terps Get All-America Note

COLLEGE PARK, MD., Nov.—Ten University of Maryland players already have received All-America nomination by the Southern Board. Quarterback Jack Scarbath and Tackle Dick "Little Mo" Modzelewski have been unanimous choices. Others nominated are co-captains end John Alderton, Cumberland, Md., and fullback and defensive halfback Ed Fullerton, West View, Pa.; offensive center Tom Cosgrove, Philadelphia; halfback Chester Hanulak, Hackensack, N.J.; Bob Morgan, defensive tackle, Freeport, Pa.; Bill Malletzky, defensive guard, White Plains, N.Y.; Ralph Felton, halfback, Midway, Pa.; and offensive end Lou Weindensaul, Ashland, Morgan, Hanulak, and Felton

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Midwest Football Attendance Rises

NEW YORK (UP)—College football attendance boomed in the Midwest and the Midlands areas during the 1952 season but slumped in the East, Southwest and Rockies, a United Press survey of 116 schools showed today.

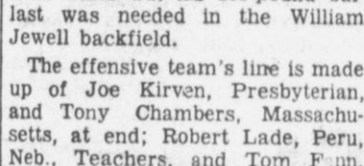
Over the nation as a whole, attendance was down only 69 of 1 per cent from 1951 for the identical colleges surveyed. The college football turnout on a nationwide scale thus was essentially the same for the third straight year.

The Midwest, with such stand-out attractions as national champion Michigan State, Notre Dame, Wisconsin and Ohio State, showed the biggest gain in average attendance per game.

The Midlands, encompassing the Big Seven Conference, enjoyed a boost of 6.93 per cent per game. Ohio State, with a stadium that seats nearly 79,000 fans, topped the nation's colleges for the second straight year with a total attendance of 453,911 for six games or an average of more than 75,000 per game.

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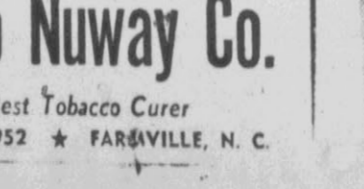
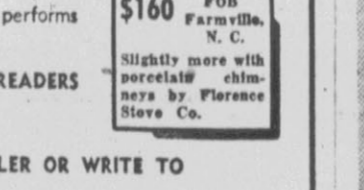
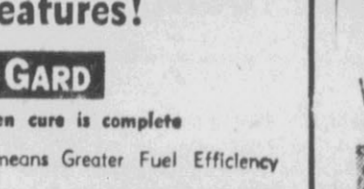
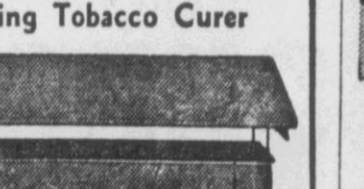
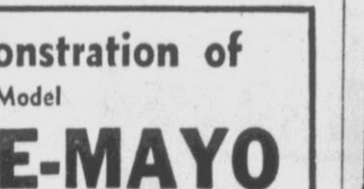
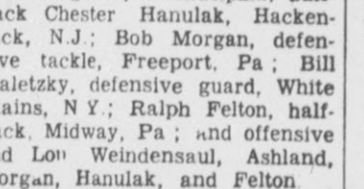
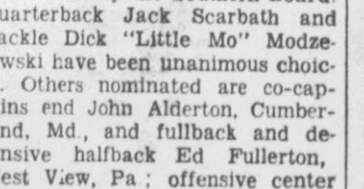
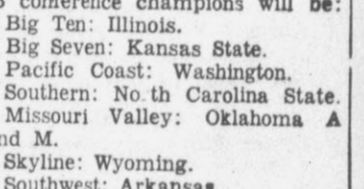
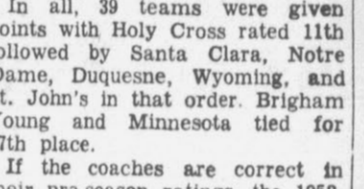
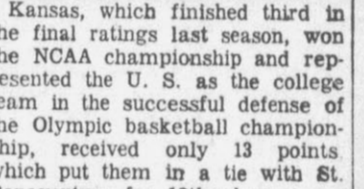
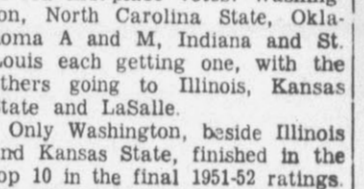


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CHECKMATE

ST. LOUIS (UP)—Troy L. Gay, 19, was arrested here for passing 15 worthless checks. He was picked up as he was cashing a perfectly good check.



BREAKING OUT:—A dummy strapped to an ejection seat flies upward after being fired through a plane's plexiglas canopy during Navy tests to determine the feasibility of firing seat and pilot right through the cover. Pieces of the shattered canopy, painted white, fly through the air. Part of a net to catch the dummy is at left. Sometimes pilots of jet planes are unable to use their ejection seats because of jammed canopies. (U. S. Navy photo via AP Wirephoto)

Diplomat's Big Dog Really 'Rules Roost'

By HARMAN W. NICHOLS
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON (UP)—Charles F. Baldwin is our consul general for Singapore and Malaysia.

But you can take it from Baldwin, an 80-pounder named Thor rules the roost. Thor is a brown boxer and wherever he goes he gets the royal treatment.

The consul general, here on temporary assignment, told me all about the dog in his hotel room. Thor seemed interested in the interview.

Wherever the Baldwins go, Thor goes along. The beautiful pooch travels in the style to which he has been accustomed since puppyhood.

But in his travels around the world, he has struck a few smags. After looking things over in Oslo, Trieste, and London, Thor found his master had been transferred to Singapore.

The yelp he let out implied that the Baldwins were under "orders" to take him along. The "orders" were followed as far as the United States and then came the problem of some law Thor didn't exactly understand, smart as he is.

Something to do with germs, dog miseries, and quarantine. Luckily, the consul and his wife had a little leave coming before reporting for duty 12,000 miles from home. So they sweated out a month's quarantine, along with the pup.

Transportation to Singapore posed another dilemma. Baldwin had a special crate built, pushed Thor inside, and sent him off alone 10 days before the master sailed.

He put the dog aboard a freighter with special instructions as to his care. He supplied the ship's skipper with a goodly supply of vitamins choice frozen dog food, and bade the pet a sad adieu.

Baldwin learned how Thor behaved from the skipper.

"Thor didn't cotton much to the confines of that fine crate which cost us a pretty penny," he said. "He made his unhappy plight known in no uncertain bow-wows. The skipper told us that it wasn't long before our fellow had the run of the vessel."

"He's a great beggar, that guy. Mighty shrewd, too. Once out of his cage, the first thing he did was to make friends with the head cook. Before anybody aboard knew what was up, Thor was getting the choicest of steaks, mixed with his vitamins."

"The skipper found himself taking orders from Thor, instead of the other way around. The dog slept in the best cabin on the ship—the skipper's, of course. The sailors nicknamed him the 'captain' and I guess in a way, he was."

And when the Baldwins arrived in Singapore, who was there to welcome them at the dock? Thor.

Slushy Weather Besets Much Of Country Today

By UNITED PRESS
Slushy, overshoe weather was in store for most of the country today.

It was still snowing in many sections of the Upper Atlantic Seaboard today, but the snow was expected to stop during the day in the New York area and after dark in Upper New England.

The sparkling blanket of new snow that covered the nation from the Rockies to the Appalachians Tuesday was turning into a mushy mess today as a mass of moist, warm air pushed northward from the Southwest.

As the snow alternately melted and refroze, highways became hazardous and traffic accidents jumped sharply.

Rain was general from Northern California to the Pacific Northwest, except in the high mountain regions where it turned to snow. Conversely, the snow along the East Coast turned to rain in the southern portion of the Seaboard.

Drizzling rains were reported early today from the East Texas coast to Oklahoma and light rain and fog from Missouri to Iowa and Nebraska. The moist air moving up from Texas was expected to bring fog to most portions of the Great Plains states and snow or freezing rain to the Great Lakes region.

Light snows, accompanied by moderate temperatures, whitened the Rocky Mountain states.

The Chicago Weather Bureau said that sporadic precipitation was in store for the rest of the week for large areas east of the Rockies, although no big storm fronts were in sight.

Detroit, Mich., had its first appreciable snowfall of the year Tuesday—a three-inch blanket—and another inch was expected today. A 68-year-old woman died Tuesday while shoveling her sidewalk clear of the stuff.

A light plane crashed as it attempted to land on a snow-covered field near Cedar, Ia., and the pilot, Frank Randell, was slightly injured.

Forty-three school children escaped injury when a school bus skidded out of control on an icy road near Fort Wayne, Ind., and smashed head-on into an auto. Two passengers in the car were slightly hurt.

Edward Neff, 62, of Edwardsburg, Mich., was killed when his truck skidded on icy U. S. Highway 117 near Elkhart, Ind., and struck two oil trucks.

At Kentland, Ind., Maurice Muselman, 34, died when a semi-trailer truck jack-knifed on a snow packed highway and struck his car.

Temperatures were generally mild Tuesday, even in the East Coast snow area. Except for mountain stations which are always cold Toledo, O., was the chilliest place in the country with a reading of 17.

The mercury climbed to 78 in Miami, Fla., the nation's high.

Living Costs Up For Rats, Too

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. (U.P.)—The cost of living has gone up for rats, according to a plant pathologist at West Virginia University.

"A rat can no longer be boarded as cheaply as the \$2 per year formerly estimated," C. Frank Bishop said. "It is more like \$5 now." "Farmers will have to foot the bill or get rid of the boarders," he added.

French Victory In Saar Still Doesn't Solve All

By PHIL NEWSOM
United Press Foreign News Editor
The French have won a victory in the Saar, but the future of the coal-rich territory is as much in doubt as ever.

And, more to the point, so is ratification of the European army plan and the West German peace contract.

Nonetheless, the French were jubilant over the results of the Saar's parliamentary elections Sunday, in which a vast outpouring of Saarlanders apparently endorsed French policies and rejected German pleas to refuse to vote.

The Germans had hoped that the Saarlanders either would refuse to vote or would invalidate their ballots as a protest against French control of their economic and foreign affairs.

The French and German tug-of-war over the Saar has taken on an importance far greater than its 900 square miles would seem to warrant.

To the French it is a matter of economics, plus a frank distrust of the Germans.

To the Germans, it is first of all a matter of national pride. The Saar, they say, is German and must remain so. Ninety per cent of its population is German-speaking.

Both nations, particularly the French have worked themselves to such a pitch that failure to settle the Saar question very well might mean the collapse of the whole post-war European structure.

Which is to say the collapse of plan for European unity, which

includes a pooling of iron and steel, and a joint army.

The West German parliament had announced in advance it would not recognize the results of the Saar election.

Nevertheless, the outcome was as disappointing to the West Germans as it was encouraging to the French.

Strangely, however, both sides believe there is new reason for French and German talks on the subject which up to now have been stalemated.

Both sides seem to agree in principle on ultimate "Europeanization" of the Saar but they disagree on method.

In effect, the French want another Luxembourg. But meanwhile, they insist on retaining their 50-year control of the Saar mines which produce 15,300,000 tons of coal annually.

The Germans charge that the ban on pro-German parties in the Saar and the arbitrary economic link with France is a denial of the whole principle of democracy.

How, they demand, can there be a democratic Europe when democracy is banned to one of the key areas.

They want the Saarlanders to determine their own future, and suggest that meanwhile the area can be administered under the Schuman coal and steel authority. They also want guarantees to safeguard German interests.

The United States officially has favored the Saar's economic link with France. It is natural and profitable, it is said, for the Saar and the iron and steel area of

French Lorraine to operate together. The U. S. adds that a final decision must be left to an overall German peace treaty.

Gun Battle Over Mishap Kills One

ATLANTA (UP)—A 35-minute gun battle that arose over a bent fender left a veteran policeman dead and another badly wounded today, and an accused triggerman and hit-run suspect lay near death.

Patrolman W.M. (Tex) Richards, 56, was killed by a blast of buckshot in early stages of a pitched battle that attracted nearly 1,000 spectators to the edge of the Georgia Tech campus yesterday.

Sgt. G. W. (Red) Collins, about 50, was in fair condition from a wound he received in the right side as a score of policemen poured pistol fire and tear gas bombs into a two-story frame dwelling.

Homer Marvin Spruell, 50, whom police named as the welder of a shotgun in the barricaded structure, was reported in critical condition from gunshot wounds about the head, arms and chest.

Several other policemen and one bystander narrowly missed injury before Spruell, bleeding from the wounds and blinded by tear gas, emerged from the house, "yelling and cursing."

The battle began when police sought to question Spruell about an auto accident in downtown Atlanta in which a car smashed the fender of a parked vehicle and then fled.

Some oysters are male or female at any one time, but normally change from male to female and back again several times during their lives.

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Detroit's Automotive Engineers say that cold-engine stalling has been a persistent problem for years. Under certain conditions, powerful gasolines required for today's high-compression engines evaporate and freeze moisture out of the air, "icing up" the carburetor and causing temporary stalling. This stalling is practically eliminated by the new Esso Extra Gasoline. (No gasoline, of course, can correct stalling caused by mechanical faults or electrical failure.)

PLEASE DRIVE CAREFULLY... THE LIFE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN!

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(\$1 Minimum charge for 25 words or less for first insertion)

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| 2 Insertions | \$1.75 |
| 3 Insertions | \$2.25 |
| 6 Insertions | \$3.75 |
| One Month | \$14.00 |

DISPLAY WANT ADS
\$1.25 per column inch per insertion.

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SAVE MONEY

Order your ad to run six times, the cost is less per day. When you get desired results call 5717 and stop the ad. You pay for only the number of days your ad actually appeared.

Special Notices

DROP YOUR ROLL OF FILM BY
Bell Studio of Photography, upstairs over Unemployment Office, E. 5th St., for overnight service or mail to P. O. Box 386, Greenville, with 50c in coin. All films returned same day received. Nov. 14-1 mo.

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Jobs Applied and Financed
CLAUDE B. WEST, Mgr.
Office — Proctor Hotel
Office Phone 3151
Residence Phone 5323

CLIFF'S OYSTER BAR
Located on Washington Highway at Port Terminal Road. Open 6 p. m. until midnight. Try something "different"—oysters, steamed, fried, stewed; and delicious sandwiches. 26-6t

NOTICE

Woodrow Williams is again operating the Shell Station and Cafe at Chocowinity. Open from 4:30 A. M. to 10 P. M. 11-21-1 mo.

PUT YOUR PICTURE UNDER
the Christmas tree. The gift that only "you" can give. Bell Studio of Photography, over Employment Office, 221 E. 5th St. Phone 5573. Nov. 14-1 mo.

PEANUTS

We are now buying peanuts at Keel's Warehouse. We can place your peanuts under a Government loan. Keel Peanut Co. Phone 2240. Dec. 1-1t

DURING GASKINS' PRE-CHRISTMAS sale, prices are greatly reduced. Diamonds 1/2 price. Lay-away now for Christmas. Gaskins Jewellers, 110 E. 5th St. Nov. 12-1t

CLIFF SAYS . . .
"See Our Complete Selection of OIL CIRCULATING HEATERS & FITTINGS"
C. H. EDWARDS HARDWARE HOUSE

IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR peanuts threshed, hay baled or land disced, see A. J. Garris at Blackwood's or phone 4307. 26-6t

FREE—WE WILL GIVE ONE TURKEY free to the person whose name is drawn on Saturday, November 29, Saturday, December 6, Saturday, December 13, and Saturday, December 20. You do not have to buy anything. You do not have to be present to win. One registration good for all drawings. Pitt Hardware Company, 718 Dickinson Ave., Greenville, N. C. 18-1t

ARE YOU A MUSICIAN?—INTERESTED in playing in an orchestra? If so call 5526 and ask for Bill. 3-2t

BUSINESS IMPROVES WHEN you use The Daily Reflector Classified ads to attract extra customers. Phone 5717 for an ad-writer. 3-6t

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2—Lost and Found

YOUR PERSONAL DETECTIVE IS a Daily Reflector Lost and Found ad when something of value is missing. Through a Classified ad the finder is often traced in a matter of hours! Phone 5717 for an ad-writer. 3-6t

5—Help Wanted

WANTED—EXPERIENCED Secretary. Shorthand and typing. Can be interviewed from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m. Appliance Sales and Service Corp., 509 Evans Street. 3-3t

HIRE A GO-GETTER THROUGH a "Help Wanted" ad in The Daily Reflector. Phone 5717 and an ad-writer will assist you with your ad. 3-6t

CAPABLE WOMAN WANTED AS assistant society editor of The Daily Reflector to fill vacancy created by resignation of Mrs. Harry Forbes who is accepting a position with East Carolina College. Pleasant working conditions, free hospitalization, \$1,000 life insurance and paid vacation. No telephone or personal applications accepted. Apply in writing giving full details of education, training, business experience, if any, and family status. Interviews will be arranged after written applications are in. Write D. J. Whitchard, Box 408, Greenville, N. C. 10-27-1t

10—For Rent

APARTMENT FOR RENT—LIVING room, 2 bedrooms, bath, kitchen, private entrance. Duplex. Located on Holly and A. Street. Phone 3122 or at night 2095. Dec. 3-5-8

FOR RENT—ONE 3 ROOM DOWN-stairs unfurnished apartment with screened in front porch and enclosed back. Hardwood floors, private bath and entrance. Suitable for couple. Phone 3376. Dec. 3-1t

FOR RENT—NICE 4 ROOM HOUSE Immediate possession. If interested contact owner at 1204 Myrtle Ave. after 5:30 p. m. 3-2t

FOR RENT
Rooms, Apartments, Houses
GRIER RENTAL AGENCY
Located Over Chamber of Commerce
Business Phone 5700
Residence Phone 5428

FOR RENT OR LEASE—GROUND floor of a cement block building, 1800 square feet floor space. Well lighted on a paved street. Call 3771. 1-6t

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM BRICK house three blocks from college. Call R. H. Staton at 2411 between 9:00 a. m.—4:00 p. m. 22-10t

FOR RENT—STORE ON DICKIN-son Ave. next to C. H. Edwards Hardware House. Rent reasonable. Possession—January 1st. K. W. Cobb. Phone 3847. Oct. 29-1t

FOR RENT—ONE TWO BEDROOM duplex apartment on Penn. Ave. Phone 2937. 2-2t

FOR RENT—2 ROOM FURNISHED downstairs apartment with private bath and private entrance. Modern conveniences and newly decorated. Suitable for couple. Phone 3376. Nov. 20-1t

FOR RENT—4 ROOM APARTMENT 1 bedroom and kitchen furnished, 1 bedroom and living room partly furnished, a separate entrance and a garage. Phone 3571, 707 E. 4th St. Dec. 2-1t

14—For Sale

FOR SALE—LARGE DUO THERM space heater. Used one season. Call 3830 after 6 p. m. Nov. 26-1t

NOTICE—TRADE IN YOUR OLD mattress and get a new inner-spring for 1/2 retail price. We also rebuild your old mattresses. All mattresses guaranteed. Pamlico Bedding Co., corner of 5th & Harvey St. Phone 187-W, Washington, N. C. We deliver. Nov. 8-1 mo.

SPINET PIANO—\$100 A MONTH After six months all payments and cartage of \$10 can be applied against new piano of your choice. W. C. Reid & Company, 143 South Main St., Rocky Mount. Oct. 24-Dec. 15

INSTALL PERMA-STONE ON OLD, new homes, buildings, for beauty, permanence, strength, economy. Pitt Perma-Stone Company, 500 N. Greene Street. Phones 3108-3952. Box 290, Greenville, N. C. Nov. 20-1 mo.

IDEAL XMAS GIFT
PARAKEETS
Guaranteed To Talk
Only \$9.95
Genuine Australian Parakeets. Your choice of Blue, Green, Chartreuse Blue-White. Ideal pets and wonderful gifts. These amazing birds talk, sing, whistle, perform on your fingers. All young birds, right age to start learning words. Learn fast, love to "show off". Place your order today.

PARAKEETS
202 Lewis Street — Phone 2202 (2-6t)

SPECIAL — LARGE SELECTION of latest styles simulated pearl necklaces. One to four strands. \$1.00 federal tax included. Best Jewelry Co., Evans Street, Greenville, N. C. 10-27-1t

LAY-AWAY A GIFT EACH DAY in our new Gift Shop. "A hundred and one" gifts in brass, pottery, glass, etc., to choose from. Globe Hardware Company, Fifth & Washington Streets. 29-6t

17—Homes For Sale

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM FRAME house, with carpet in living and dining rooms from baseboard to baseboard. Floor furnace, venetian blinds and garbage disposal unit. Located in Hillsdale on large lot. Reasonably priced. Dial 3503 for appointment. 3-4t

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD AT once. 6 room frame house, garage, venetian blinds, shrubbery and picket fence 2608 Dunn St. Hillsdale. Call 4221 from 7 to 5 o'clock. 29-12t

SELLING YOUR HOME?—A CLASSIFIED ad in The Daily Reflector gets you many hot prospects. Phone 5717. Dec. 3-10-17-24 26-6t

14—For Sale

SPECIAL—5-V GALVANIZED TIN roofing \$11.00 a sq. All guns and rifles at cost. All paints. DuPont and Vita-Var, 10% discount. Cash prices plus sales tax. Pitt Hardware Co., 718 Dickinson Ave., Greenville, N. C. Phone 2733. Nov. 18-1t

PIANOS

Hodkin's Piano Store, 722 Dickinson Ave. Phone 5110. It's the place to buy new and rebuilt guaranteed pianos from \$100. Tuning, reconditioning, refinishing, restyling, and rentals \$5 per month.

LAY-AWAY NOW FOR XMAS! Bicycles, tricycles, wagons, dolls and toys of all kinds. A small deposit holds your selections at Blackwood's, 110 W. 5th Street. Oct. 28-1t

ROACHES!—WHY KEEP 'EM! Roach Films, the new invisible paint-on killer is terrific. Belk-Tyler's 3rd floor. 10-27-1t

TOYS!—YES, MAAM, THE BIG-gest assortment in Eastern Carolina at Globe Hardware Company, Fifth and Washington Streets. Use our Lay-Away plan. 29-6t

WANT CASH?—SELL UNUSED articles through a Classified ad in The Daily Reflector. Phone 5717 for an ad-writer. 26-6t

CHRISTMAS CARDS—SEE OUR new samples. Place your order today. Time is short. Best Jewelry Co., Evans Street, Greenville, N. C. 29-7t

FOR SALE — USED
Television Sets
\$50.00 up
WILLIAMS RADIO & TV CO.
204 E. 5th St. Phone 5533

FOR SALE—THE ONE AND ONLY home roll-up aluminum awning. Your choice color; also insulation, weatherstripping and siding. Terms. Phone 2235. C. L. Lupton Co. Your comfort is our business. 5-1-1t

BUILD WITH BRICK — FOR beauty and economy, common brick \$30.00, scratch face brick \$33.00 per thousand delivered. Eastern Brick & Tile Co. Inc. Dial 3633-4. 5-23-1t

PANSY PLANTS

New supply for giant blooms next spring. Get yours from Mrs. Ina Whitchard, 2 miles on the Bethel Highway, or call 3802-7 or 2844. Other plants and flowering shrubs. 3-6t

CAMERA FOR SALE—SLIGHTLY used Sx7 Watson with an f. 7.5 lens. Also a Sx7 Kaiko printing box. Phone 36409. 2-1 mo.

FATTEN THE KITTY THROUGH a Classified ad in The Daily Reflector by turning unneeded things into dollars. Phone 5717 for an ad-writer. 3-6t

BRIGHT AS RUDOLPH'S NOSE are rugs and upholstery cleaned with Fina Foam. Belk-Tyler's 3rd floor. 1-6t

BE PRACTICAL! BE SENSIBLE! Give the family a home freezer, refrigerator, washing machine, G-E radio or TV set from Blackwood's. Use our Lay-Away Plan, 110 W. 5th St. Dec. 2-1 mo.

FOR SALE—USED LIONEL ELECTRIC train with wired table and accessories for \$125. Call 2582. Dec. 1-1t

AUCTION SALE

MONDAY
Dec. 8th—2 P. M.
— AT —
WILLIS JONES

1 1/2 Miles from Farmville, N. C. on the J. T. Bundy Farm.

1 Farmal B. Tractor and equipment for cultivation & planting.

1 1949 Chev. truck 3-4 ton

4 Tobacco trucks

1 14in. Bottom plow

1 Smovng hoe

1 Disk hoe

1 Two row transplanter and other farm equipment (2-5t)

GENTS 17 JEWEL WATER AND shock resistant wrist watches complete with stainless steel American expansion bracelet. Gift boxed. Only \$19.95 federal tax included. Best Jewelry Co., Evans St., Greenville, N. C. 29-7t

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1) Excellent buy at \$9750 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, dinette combination. Brand new on nice corner lot in College View.
2) Six room brick with brick garage. In College View. New and ready \$9500.
3) 3 bedrooms with asbestos siding. In College View. New and ready \$9500.
4) Nice big 2 story brick home with large dry basement suitable for play room and equipped for laundry machine 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large nice lot. In College View. 6 years old.
5) 6 room frame house 4 blocks from Five Points. Old but all right \$9450.
6) Two 6 room frame houses in Hillsdale.
Others to choose from. See J. B. SMITH JR. General Insurance Agency Dial 2401 314 Evans Street 29-12t

19—Farms For Sale

40 Acres
Tobacco Allotment
50 Acres
Peanut Allotment
Good buildings, Good land To be sold at once. See for yourself. Write —
"Farm," P. O. Box 408 Greenville, N. C. 3-2t

21—Real Estate

BUYING A HOME?—LOOK IN the Classified ads for a large selection of sound values. If you don't happen to see what you're after, place a "Wanted" ad. Dial 5717. 26-6t

24—Money To Loan

FARM LOANS
Long Term Low Rate
Prompt Closing
J. F. Bowen
Worsley Bldg.
E. 3rd St.
Authorized Mortgage Loan Solicitor for
THE PRUDENTIAL
INSURANCE COMPANY
OF AMERICA

35—Expert Services

FREE ESTIMATES ON YOUR fall and winter interior and exterior painting. Select your wallpaper from our new deluxe books. Globe Hardware Company, 5th & Washington Sts. Phone 3232. Oct. 29-1t

GUARANTEED REBUILT
● Starters with Exchange
● Generators \$8.50
● Batteries
● All Types of Auto Glass Installed
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Bethel Hi-Way Phone 3448 (11-22-MO)

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERED AND repaired. We carry a complete line of samples to choose from. Call for deliveries. Free estimates. Work guaranteed to satisfy. Brill's Upholstery Shop, Falkland, N. C. Phone 3617-9. Dec. 1-1t

TELEVISION SERVICE

Expert Repairs — All Makes
20 Years Experience
WILLIAMS RADIO & TV CO
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45—Wanted

I WILL BUY PECANS
Of All Varieties and Grades!
Top Prices paid for various grades. Large or small quantities bought. I am associated with the largest firm in America that process and distributes pecans.
J. P. HARRIS
At Bethel Auction Market
Phone 441 Bethel, N. C.

WANTED TO BUY
30,000 pounds of pecans, small or large. Will pay top prices. The new Greenville Fruit Stand, next to Pitt Hardware Co., Dickinson Ave., Greenville, N. C. Dec. 2-17t

WANTED—2 TENANTS, WHITE One farm, 8 acres tobacco, 3 cotton, 8 peanuts. One farm, 3 acres tobacco, 3 cotton, 6 peanuts. R. B. Nelson, P. O. Box 252, Robersonville, N. C. 3-6t

52—Autos, Trucks

DECORATING — INTERIOR, EX-terior. We'll wash, polish, wax, put on new seat covers, sell you car rugs, mats, install new tires. We won't be "purty" Rick's Service Center. 9th & Evans Streets and corner on 5th and Cotanche Streets, Greenville, N. C. 1-6t

1946 PONTIAC FOR-d 8 cylinder sedan. A nice one owner car fully equipped. Priced low at the John Flanagan Buggy Co. Inc. Since 1866. 3-2t

REPOSSESSED 1/2 TON INTER-national pick-up truck like new. Guaranteed 90 days. Easy terms \$1295. Turnage Implement Co. Inc. Farmville, N. C. Nov. 14-1t

1949 STUDEBAKER 1/2 ton pickup \$795 on convenient terms with a written Flanagan guarantee. Call 4636. 3-2t

FOR SALE—1941 FORD 2 DOOR Good condition. To be seen at Blackwood's Associate Store, 110 W. 5th St. Nov. 12-1t

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Aron Cradle, 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 on or before the 12th day of November, 1953, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of November, 1952.
H. H. MAY, Administrator
RFD No. 2, Winterville, N. C.
Dink James, Atty.
Nov. 19-26 Dec. 3-10-17-23

NOTICE
NORTH CAROLINA
PITT COUNTY
Having this day qualified as executor of the last will and testament of J. F. Pollard, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned or her attorney, J. W. H. Roberts, at Greenville, North Carolina, within twelve months from the date hereof; otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.
This the 1st day of November, 1952.
ELIZA POLLARD, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of J. F. Pollard
J. W. H. Roberts, Atty.
Nov. 5-12-19-26 Dec. 3-10

NOTICE
NORTH CAROLINA
PITT COUNTY
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
BEFORE THE CLERK
James W. H. Roberts and Jane Ross

52—Autos, Trucks

AT WHITE
CHEVROLET
USED CARS
With An "OK" And Prices and Terms to Suit!

51 CHEVROLET \$1695
LET Styleline Deluxe 2 door - Power Glide Radio and Heater

51 MERCURY \$1745
2 door, Radio and Heater

50 FORD 8 \$1345
cylinder, 2 door Heater and Seat Covers

50 PONTIAC \$1695
8cylinder Con-vertible, hydromatic drive, Radio, Heater, White Wall Tires.

49 STUDEBAKER \$895
Champion 2 door —Heater

48 OLDSMO- \$1075
BILE 76, 4 door sedan, hydromatic drive, Radio and Heater

48 CHEVROLET \$915
Stylemaster 4 door, Radio & Heater, Slip Covers, New Tires

47 PONTIAC 8 \$795
cylinder, 4 door

46 MERCURY 2 \$645
door, Radio and Heater

46 CHEVROLET \$545
Sport Coupe and several more to choose from

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Aron Cradle, 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 on or before the 12th day of November, 1953, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of November, 1952.
H. H. MAY, Administrator
RFD No. 2, Winterville, N. C.
Dink James, Atty.
Nov. 19-26 Dec. 3-10-17-23

NOTICE
NORTH CAROLINA
PITT COUNTY
Having this day qualified as executor of the last will and testament of J. F. Pollard, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned or her attorney, J. W. H. Roberts, at Greenville, North Carolina, within twelve months from the date hereof; otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.
This the 1st day of November, 1952.
ELIZA POLLARD, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of J. F. Pollard
J. W. H. Roberts, Atty.
Nov. 5-12-19-26 Dec. 3-10

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
BEFORE THE CLERK
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PUBLIC NOTICES

Roberts, in the matter of the adoption of Carol Jane Roberts vs. William C. Gerard
The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, in which the petitioners request that they be permitted to legally adopt a minor child of the defendant and named in said action and, further, that the said defendant be declared to have abandoned the said minor child and that his consent to such adoption, by reason thereof, be not required; further, said defendant will take notice that he is required to appear before the Clerk of said Superior Court at his office in Greenville on the 3rd day of January, 1953, or within ten (10) days thereafter, and answer or demur to the petition or the petitioners will appear to the Court that their request to adopt said child be granted. The defendant will further take notice that a hearing will be conducted in the office of said Clerk on the 15th day of January, 1953, at 4:00 p. m., at which time a determination will be made by said Clerk as to the abandonment of said child by the defendant.
This the 29th day of November, 1952.
D. T. HOUSE JR., Clerk
Superior Court Pitt County
Dec. 3-10-17-24

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Having qualified as administrators of the estate of W. B. Shoe, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims

Stocks And Market Reports

NEW YORK (UP)—Oil shares with gains ranging to around a point led the stock market higher early today on increased volume.

Outside of the oil equities, improvements were generally in the fractional zone. The upswing was an extension of yesterday's rally which got underway in the last hour of dealings.

Sales in the first hour totaled 320,000 shares, compared with 290,000 in the same period yesterday.

Texas Pacific Land Trust was a bright spot in the petroleum group. It rose 1 1/4 points to 12. Shell Oil added a point to 70 1/2, and Skelly Oil rose the same amount to 82 1/2. Amerasia Petroleum jumped 1 1/2 points to 188 1/2.

In a backward carrier group, Seaboard Air Line Railroad countered with a gain of 2 points to a new high of 112. Baltimore, Ohio, Southern Pacific and Southern Railway eased.

General Motors and Chrysler firmed in their section. Steel equities generally held around their previous close.

Modest gains were registered by Westinghouse Electric, Union Carbide, Boeing Aircraft, General Electric and Johns-Manville.

NEW YORK (UP)—Cotton futures prices at 1 p.m. EST today: New York Dec. 34.51; Mar. 35.21; New Orleans Dec. 34.56; Mar. 35.19.

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CHICAGO (UP)—Produce
Live poultry: Market steady; 15 trucks.
Butter: 616,867 pounds; market weak; 93 score 67 1/2; cents a pound; 92 score 67; 90 score 66; 89 score 64; carlots 90 score 66 1/2; 89 score 64 1/2.
Eggs: 14,009 cases; market steady; white large extras 60-69.9 per cent A and over 51 cents a dozen; mixed large extras 60-69.9 per cent A and over 51; mediums 60-69.9 per cent A and over 44; current receipts 40; dirties 36; checks 33.

NEW YORK (UP)—Stock prices at 1 p.m. EST:

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| American Car & F | 36 1/2 |
| American Sugar | 55 1/2 |
| American T & T | 160 1/2 |
| American Tobacco | 64 1/2 |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 115 |
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| Coca-Cola | 108 1/2 |
| Colgate-P-P | 44 1/2 |
| Curtiss-Wright | 73 1/2 |
| Douglas Aircraft | 60 1/2 |
| DuPont | 94 1/2 |
| Eastern Air | 24 1/2 |
| Eastern Kodak | 44 1/2 |
| General Electric | 69 1/2 |
| General Motors | 62 1/2 |
| Goodyear | 49 1/2 |
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| Gulf Oil | 50 1/2 |
| Interchemical Corp | 21 |
| International Harvester | 33 |
| International Nickel | 43 1/2 |
| International T & T | 20 1/2 |
| Johns-Manville | 72 1/2 |
| Kennecott | 74 1/2 |
| Kroger Co | 41 |
| Liggett & Myers | 74 1/2 |
| Lorillard | 123 1/2 |
| Monsanto | 91 1/2 |
| Packard | 9 1/2 |
| Paramount Pictures | 5 3/4 |
| Pennsylvania RR | 21 1/2 |
| Peps-Cola | 9 1/2 |
| Phillip Morris | 51 1/2 |
| Sears Roebuck | 60 |
| Southern Railway | 76 1/2 |
| Standard Oil (NJ) | 75 1/2 |
| Studebaker | 37 |
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ROME (UP)—Vittorio Emanuele Orlando, 92, Italy's "grand old man" and sole survivor of the Allied Big Four at the World War I Versailles peace conference, was buried today after a state funeral.

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Spot was one of the most avid greeters at the Port of Embarkment at San Francisco as his master, Pfc. Nicholas Gonzales of Oakland arrived home from Korea. Here the little dog arms a welcoming lick. Gonzales was among more than 3,000 combat veterans who arrived aboard the Gen. Nelson Walker. (AP Wirephoto)

Top Eisenhower Man May Reply To Sen. Taft

By H. D. QUIGG
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK (UP)—Gov. Sherman Adams, one of President-elect Eisenhower's top advisers, may reply today to Sen. Robert A. Taft's sharp remarks on the appointment of Martin P. Durkin as secretary of labor.

Adams, who will become assistant to the President when Eisenhower takes office next Jan. 20, headed a list of four callers at the general's Morningside Heights residence.

The other callers were listed as Republican Reps. Hugh D. Scott of Pennsylvania and Clifford P. Case of New Jersey and Gov. John Lodge of Connecticut.

Albert Leman of the Eisenhower press staff, said Adams would go from Morningside Heights to the President-elect's Commodore Hotel headquarters and probably would issue a statement shortly after his arrival.

Taft voiced his displeasure Tuesday on Eisenhower's appointment of Durkin, Chicago labor leader who supported Illinois Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson for president and advocated repeal of the Taft-Hartley Labor Act.

"The Ohio senator called the appointment of Durkin 'incredible' and an 'affront' to millions of union members and officers who had ignored their leaders and voted for Eisenhower."

But George M. Humphrey, an ardent Taft supporter whom Eisenhower named secretary of the Treasury, said he was hopeful the Durkin appointment would not cause any major dissension within the party.

Humphrey went to Morningside Heights Tuesday and commented on the Taft criticism at a press conference later at the Commodore Hotel.

"I am hopeful for harmony with Taft and the rest of the administration," Humphrey said. "I hope the administration will deserve and get and merit the support of labor."

Humphrey told newsmen he was confident the views of the incoming administration were "sound" and expressed faith in the men and women around the President-elect.

"For that reason, I'm more optimistic about the future of this country than I've been at any time," Humphrey said.

He said he would do his best to give the Treasury Department a clean administration and avoid scandals that led to investigations of the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

"If there's any way in the world we can have a clean administration and stop the kind of activity that leads to indictments, we're going to do it," he said. "I don't know whether I can do it or not, but I'm going to die trying."

Proclaims Self New President Of Venezuela

CARACAS, Venezuela (UP)—Defense minister Col. Marcos Perez Jimenez, a member of the three-man ruling Junta, proclaimed himself provisional president last night "by decision of the armed forces."

At the same time, an official announcement of latest returns in Sunday's national elections put his FEI party into a lead for the first time over the moderately leftist UDA opposition.

The Supreme Electoral Council announced 570,123 votes for the FEI against 463,680 for the UDA and 138,003 for the conservative Copei.

This represented more than half of the estimated 2,000,000 voters believed to have been cast in an election to name a 103-member constituent assembly.

'Less Expensive' Cashier Wanted

NEW YORK (UP)—The St. Moritz Hotel hunted today for a new cashier, one who wouldn't want \$3,455 for a day's work.

An applicant for the job went to work for the St. Moritz Monday. Both the cashier and the cash box were missing Tuesday.

The missing man had given his name as Harold Residort and listed the Governor Clinton Hotel as his previous place of employment. Detectives found the real Harold at the Governor Clinton. He wasn't the man they were looking for.

To Open Bids On Major Project

RALEIGH (UP)—A long-range program to modernize U. S. Highway 29 from the South Carolina line to the Virginia border will be among the 11 projects on which the State Highway Department will open bids Dec. 16.

One of the projects calls for work on nine miles of U. S. 29 to provide an additional lane from the end of the present double lane pavement north of Concord to a point near China Grove.

The 11 projects will involve 44.7 miles of highway construction and improvement.

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Hosts Of Children And Pets To Be In Saturday's Santa Parade

In addition to floats, bands and other features entered in the Santa Claus parade scheduled for Saturday, hundreds of children leading dogs and various pets will march in the parade.

Santa Claus, who will ride on a fire truck for safety measures, will be accompanied by floats entered by the Junior Women's Club, Greenville Oil Distributors, Greenville Florists' Association, the Teen-Age Club, TB Association, Red Cross, Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company, St. Raphael's School, and Broward Troop Eight.

Also participating in the parade will be the Monogram Club of Greenville High School, Boy and Girl Scouts, and the 4-H County Council, plus dogs, pets, horses, and bands. Bands taking part will be from Greenville High School, East Carolina College, and Eppes High School.

A spokesman for the Merchants Association said this morning there was still time for floats and other features to be entered in the parade Saturday. All men, women, and children are invited to enter and a number can be secured by calling or going by the Merchants' Association, Chief of Police S. G. Gibbs said this morning his force of police officers will be stationed along the parade's route to assist in assuring complete safety. The parade will form on West Ninth Street, travel down Dickinson Avenue to Five Points, then proceed up Evans Street to the Armory where it will disband.

James W. Butler will serve as chief marshal, assisted by Prof. James Grimes who will marshal the Negro entrants. Other marshals are Warren Carroll, Mrs. Betty Gordon, Ernell Webb, and R. A. Mayo.

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Proposal On Limiting Editorial Voice Is Killed

WASHINGTON (UP)—The special House Committee on Campaign Spending today rejected a proposal to limit the amount of "editorial space" a newspaper may devote to a political candidate.

Members of both parties expressed vigorous objections to the proposal advanced by Rep. Clare E. Hoffman (R-Mich.) in testimony before the committee Tuesday.

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Awards Prizes In Safety Campaign

Greenville High School Principal O.E. Dowd recently awarded the Travelers Protective Association cash prizes for the best student posters illustrating the aim of National Child Accident Prevention Week.

Awards were presented at the school's assembly program. Charles White won the \$10 first prize. Second and third place awards of \$5.00 and \$3.00 were received by Lloyd Bray and Billy Arnold, respectively.

Five honorable mentions were: John Brooks, Dorothy Boyd, Shirley Num, Garnette Hedepeth and Shirley Holland.

Each Fall the Travelers Protective Association sponsors a safety project in the two local high schools. The main idea, according to officials, is promoting safety — especially child accident prevention.

Picks Good Site For An Accident

FLINT, Mich. (UP)—Ann Cullen, 20, picked the right spot for an accident—the side of the Flint General Hospital.

Her automobile struck the hospital building after it was rammed by another car. She was taken inside immediately for X-rays.

Capitol Square

(Continued from page four)

Parker by virtue of vote of the people is assured of his office for more than eight years. Judge Joseph Parker by virtue of appointment holds only until the next general election, which means he is certain to have opposition in the Democratic primary next spring. Until a few years ago accession to the Superior or Supreme Court benches, by appointment or election, practically assured life tenure, unless the incumbent resigned or retired. It is different now. There is growing disposition to challenge tenure in the judiciary on the same basis as in legislative and executive offices. One result of that general attitude in combination with Governor Scott's use of appointive power with respect to special Superior Court Judges and interim appointments for Supreme Court Justices, has been a greater turnover in the judiciary within the past four years than in any comparable period in State history.

It does not mean, of course, that every official and employ will have that much time off duty. Many of the top officials will do a lot of work on account of the approaching General Assembly. Also, there are such folks as highway patrolmen, prison guards, hospital nurses, and attendants, whose jobs must be carried on every hour of every day, Christmas notwithstanding.

Banks throughout the State will be closed Christmas day and Friday, but open Saturday morning, pursuant to a proclamation by Governor Scott designating December 26 as a "banking day."

Information is that some manufacturing plants and private commercial enterprises will observe the entire week beginning Sunday, December 21, as a holiday. Numerous others, including most mercantile establishments in Raleigh, will take off only Christmas day. And, of course, private businesses engaged in transportation and communication — railroads, bus lines, telephone and power, radio and newspapers — will for most part find their jobs more difficult because of demands for special services and few of their employes will get any time off for Christmas.

The Matron's Social Club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Annie Streeter, 208 W. 14th St.

Colored News

There will be an F.T.A. membership meeting Thursday, December 4, at 8 p.m. at the union hall, 306 W. 14th St. All members are urged to attend this meeting, as it is a very important one.

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