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Dr. Hollis Edens And Duke Alumni Members



President Hollis Edens of Duke University (third from left) last night addressed members of the Pitt Chapter of the Duke Alumni Association. Edens is pictured above with new officers of the local chapter elected last night. Left to right are: Robert Booth, Ayden, vice president; D. T. House of Bethel, retiring president; Edens, Mrs. Edens; Mrs. David Whitchard, Greenville, alumni council representative; and Mrs. Reynolds May, Greenville, secretary-treasurer. Chapter President Alton Barrett of Greenville was not present when the picture was made.

Sabre Pilots Again Score Over MIGs

Sky Warfare Continues Stepped-Up Pace; Sharp Patrol Clashes On Front

SEOUL (AP)—Allied Sabre jet pilots shot down one Communist MIG 15 and damaged four in four dogfights over North Korea today, the Fifth Air Force said.

The destroyed MIG went down in flames. Pilots said it crashed just north of the Yalu River, the Korean-Manchurian boundary.

Col. James K. Johnson of Phoenix, Ariz., was credited with the MIG kill. He is commander of the 4th Fighter-Interceptor Wing.

Credited with damaging MIGs were 2nd Lt. Paul J. Jacobsen, Elmore, Minn.; Capt. Vincent E. Stacy, Crystal Falls, Mich.; Maj. Vernon Garrison, Mt. Victory, Ky., and Marine Maj. Edwin H. Finlayson, Monticello, Fla.

Yesterday, Sabres shot down at least four MIGs and damaged one. The Fifth Air Force today announced that a MIG 15 previously listed as damaged in November had been confirmed as destroyed. That boosted the November toll of Red warplanes to 27 downed.

The belated confirmation was credited to Lt. Kirk Vandevanter, Newton, Pa. His record is now two destroyed.

Other evaluated claims announced today included:

A damage claim credited to 2nd Lt. Robert R. Hodge, Lancaster, S.C. Short, sharp patrol clashes spotted the frozen battlefield, but the U.S. Eighth Army reported that only a few troops were involved.

The sharpest Red probes fell again in the Sniper Ridge area of the Central Front, where six assaults were turned back. On the Western Front, an Allied raiding unit opened up with flamethrowers to overrun a Chinese Communist position northwest of Korocho.

The Eighth Army announced that from Dec. 8 through Dec. 14, United Nations ground forces inflicted 3,462 casualties on the Reds—2,215 killed, 1,246 wounded and captured.

The body of Cook, who was executed last Friday in the gas chamber at San Quentin Prison in California, had been on public display since Sunday. An estimated 12,000 persons viewed the body of the one-time bicycle thief who killed six persons.

Decorated homes in the city will be judged for prize Monday night, December 22, instead of Friday as previously planned.

A spokesman for the Greenville Merchants' Association said the date was changed to Monday to allow persons more time to decorate their homes.

The homes, white and Negro, large and small, will be judged on outside decorations and those decorations visible from the outside.

Judges will attempt to see every home in Greenville whether it is registered or not. However, the Merchants' Association has requested that persons register their homes to assure not being overlooked.

Homes can be registered by calling 3021 or 2432 between now and Monday and giving the name and address.

For the best decorated large home, \$15.00 will be given as first prize and \$10.00 will be given as second prize. For the smaller homes, the same amount in prizes will be given. Prizes to Negro home owners will be: \$10.00, first; \$7.00, second; and \$3.00, third.

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FBI Has Witnesses Lined Up In Perjury Case

'Surprises' For Lattimore

By JAMES F. DONOVAN

United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON (UP)—Justice

Department sources said today the FBI has lined up several "sur-

prise" witnesses to testify in the

perjury trial of far eastern spe-

cialist Owen Lattimore.

While informants refused to iden-

tify any of the potential witnesses,

they said some are from foreign

countries, mainly in the Orient.

Lattimore, 52-year old John

Hopkins University professor and

one-time State Department consul-

tant, was indicted by a federal

grand jury Tuesday on charges he

had seven times during his testimo-

ny last winter before the Senate

Internal Security subcommittee. He

promptly protested his innocence.

One count of the indictment

charged Lattimore lied when he

denied under oath he has ever been

a promoter of Communism or Com-

munist interests. If convicted of all

seven counts, he would be liable

to a maximum penalty of 70 years

in prison.

Dr. Delley W. Bronk, president

of Johns Hopkins University, an-

nounced that Lattimore would be

given "leave of absence, with sal-

ary" from the university faculty

"until a federal court passes on

the charges."

Bronk said he acted on the ad-

vice of Johns Hopkins faculty mem-

bers, and with the approval of the

Board of Trustees. Lattimore re-

heads the university's Walter Hines

Page School of International Rela-

tions.

Lattimore's arraignment was

tentatively set for 10 a.m. e.s.t.

Friday. But government attorneys

said the date for his first appear-

ance in court may be postponed to

permit his attorneys, the firm of

Arnold, Fortas, Porter, to file

motions in his behalf.

Prosecutors conceded there

wasn't a "ghost of a chance" that

they could bring the case to trial

before Attorney General-designate

Herbert Brownell Jr. takes over

the department for the Republicans

on Jan. 20.

Lattimore, who conferred at

length with his attorneys Tuesday

night, indicated he will fight the

charges all the way up to the Su-

preme Court if necessary.

"If I should not, it would be an

evil day in our country for free-

dom of conscience, of research,

and of comment," he said. "These

are freedoms that should be guard-

ed by all, but by university pro-

fessors with a special devotion."

He said he will follow the advice

which a namesake, Hugh Lattimore,

gave to Nicholas Ridley as the two

men were burned at the stake for

heresy on Oct. 16, 1555, at Oxford,

England.

"Play the man, Master Ridley,"

said Lattimore then. "We shall this

day light such a candle, by God's

grace, in England, as I trust shall

never be put out."

Lattimore, who has spent many

years in the Orient, has been a

special target of the Senate sub-

committee, which recommended

the perjury prosecution, and of Sen.

Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.).

McCarthy in 1950 accused Latti-

more of being the "top Soviet

agent" in this country. A Senate

subcommittee, which investigated

the charges held that it had no

basis in fact.

Lattimore testified before the

McCarthy subcommittee in connec-

tion with its investigation of the

Institute of Pacific Relations, of

which he is a trustee. He was on

the witness stand for 13 days last

winter.

The grand jury investigation into

his testimony was ordered earlier

this month by Attorney General

James P. McGranery. It returned

the indictment against Lattimore

after hearing less than two weeks

of testimony.

Former Traffic Sergeant Joins ABC Enforcers

A former Greenville police officer, H. B. Lilley, was sworn this morning as a member of the Pitt County ABC force.

An ex-traffic sergeant with the local police department, the 34-year-old Lilley took the oath of his new office from H. L. Lewis, Jr., assistant clerk of Superior Court.

Lilley was hired Monday to fill a vacancy in ABC ranks caused by the resignation of Claude Manning some weeks ago. Manning entered private employment after several years as an ABC officer.

Lilley's application for the office was approved by the Pitt County ABC Board, which is made up of Chairman J. W. Joyner of Farmville, Hayward Dail of Greenville and J. H. Ross of Ayden. He will assume his new duties immediately.

After 21 months service with the Greenville Police Department, Lilley tendered his resignation to Police Chief S. G. Gibbs the latter part of November.

Informal sources said this morning there had been between 15 and 20 applications for the vacant post of ABC officer, but applicants were sifted down to five for final action. Lilley was chosen by the board.

The last man to apply for the job was N. H. Byrd, member of the detective division of Greenville police. A spokesman said Byrd talked to board members Monday morning about the job.

The addition of Lilley to the ABC department brings that force to full strength. Other officers currently in service are J. M. Ward, Dick King and J. L. Taylor.

Willing To Meet With Russia On German Elections

Big 3 Offer Is Still Open

PARIS (UP)—The Big Three Western powers said today they still are willing to meet with Russia to arrange for free national elections throughout Germany, although the Russians have snubbed the proposal for three months.

But they urged the 14-nation NATO council to lose no time in approving an alternative plan to bring 500,000 West German troops into the Allied defense establishment.

Lord Ismay, secretary general of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, told a press conference that Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden of Britain has renewed the Western offer to meet with the Soviets to seek a non-military solution to the German problem.

But he and other Western leaders presented, and the NATO council adopted, a resolution reaffirming their faith in the European army plan and their desire to see

the pact ratified promptly by its 16 European signers. The plan would place 12 German divisions at the disposal of the Western defense community.

The council expressed "the paramount importance which the Atlantic community attaches to the rapid entry into force of the treaty establishing the European defense community and consequently to its ratification."

Supreme NATO commander Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway warned the council bluntly that urgency exists for the rapid expansion of West Europe's air and military base

Eden urged the member powers against a proposed 50 per cent cut in his recommended \$400,000,000 program for that purpose.

Ridgway and Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther made last ditch appeals to the NATO Council to support the program asked by the Ameri-

can commander-in-chief. A committee of the defense and finance ministers of the 14-nation organization had suggested a base-building program of \$235,000,000. Under the Ridgway plan the United States would put up 42.8 per cent of the total.

Ridgway and Gruenther's appeal was aimed at saving a program which planned 30 air fields and a number of supply depots to beef up the defense of West Europe.

The base-building program and a compromise Anglo-American decision yesterday to name British Admiral Earl Mountbatten NATO commander in the Mediterranean were the top decisions facing the current meeting of the NATO Council.

The council also opened preliminary debate on NATO's toughest problem—how much each of its 14-nations would spend on defense in 1953.

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United States Adds More Futile Legal Claims To List Against The Kremlin

WASHINGTON (UP)—The United States piled up more legal claims against Russia today but officials admitted the chances of collecting are nil.

The State Department fired a stiff note to Moscow late Tuesday demanding "compensation" for an American B-29 and eight airmen shot down by Soviet fighters near Japan last October.

The United States previously had called on the Kremlin to make a full accounting in the imprisonment, and ransom of four Air Force crewmen forced down in Hungary a year ago.

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Forest Ranger Averts Accident

CHESTER, S. C. (UP)—An alert forest ranger was today credited with averting a serious railroad accident after a fire destroyed the approach to a river bridge near here.

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Secrecy May Cloak MacArthur Meeting With President-Elect

NEW YORK (UP

Social and Personal

All items for this page received after 10 a. m. will be published the following day. Dial 3386—8 a. m. to Noon; 1 to 4:30 p. m.

Mrs. Marvin H. Nobles, 1401 Myrtle Ave., is quite ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrold D. Weaver and son Harrold Hudson of Winterville will leave Saturday to spend 10 days visiting Mr. Weaver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Weaver, in Waynesboro, Va. They will also visit Mrs. Weaver's sisters, Mrs. W. L. Johnston, in Orange, and Mrs. A. W. Mitchell in Fredericksburg, Va.

Reorganize M.Y.F.
GRIFTON—A group of Methodist young people met on Sunday night at 6:30 at the church with the pastor, Rev. A. E. Brown, and Mrs. Brown with the purpose of reorganizing the M.Y.F. The young people enjoyed an hour of fellowship and singing and made plans for the further work in which Mr. and Mrs. Brown will be advisers.

Miriam Ryan Class
The Miriam E. Ryan Sunday School class of the Eighth Street Christian Church will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Preston Cannon on E. 10th Street. Mrs. Phil Averett and Mrs. A. W. Harris are assisting hostesses.

The King's Daughters to Pack Christmas Boxes
The King's Daughters will be glad to have donations of clothing, toys and groceries for their Christmas boxes. Anyone who wishes to make a donation, please send to Methodist Church, Ellington Bible Classroom, on Monday, December 22.

Services at Sweet Gum Grove
Rev. J. B. Naron of Wake Forest will deliver a Christmas sermon at the Sweet Gum Grove S.W.B. Church Sunday morning, Dec. 21, at 11:00 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

Announce Birth and Death of Son
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sumrell announce the birth and death of a son on December 12 at Lenoir County Hospital in Kingston. Mrs. Sumrell was the former Miss Inez Pittman of Grifton.

Midweek Prayer Service
The midweek prayer service will be held at Memorial Baptist Church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The chapter for study will be Acts 19:21-41.

Cub Scout Pack Meeting
The regular monthly meeting of Cub Scout Pack No. 330 will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Thursday night, December 18, at 6:30 p.m. so that some of the Cub Scouts and their parents can attend a P.T.A. Christmas program at E.C.C. which will be held Thursday night at 7:30. All Cub Scouts, committeemen, Den Mothers, Den Dads and parents are urged to be present and on time at our meeting which will start sharply at 6:30.

JAKE HADLEY, Cumbuster
The Anglo-Saxons called September the barley month.

Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p.m.—Annual Christmas party of the Junior Woman's Club at the club house.
8:00 p.m.—Beaux Arts Club meets in the armory.

THURSDAY
1:00 p.m.—Mrs. N. O. Warren and Miss Iva Shilburn will entertain at luncheon to honor Miss Mary Rose Crisp, bride-elect.
7:30 p.m.—Marion School of Dance will have its annual Christmas party at Brookgreen School.
7:30 p.m.—Annual Christmas meeting of the Training School P.T.A.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt Memorial Hospital employees Christmas party in the classroom of hospital.
8:00 p.m.—American Legion Auxiliary meets at the home of Mrs. James R. Worsley.
8:00 p.m.—Fidelis Class of Memorial Baptist Church meets with Mrs. R. B. Lee on Falkland highway.
8:00 p.m.—Chapter 1308 of the Ladies of the Moose meets.

FRIDAY
4:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club.
6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club.
7:30 p.m.—Red Men meet.
8:30 p.m.—Misses Helen Hawes, Dornier Jenkins, Olive Venetia Morrill, Susie Pope and Sylvia Satterthwaite will entertain at a dance at the Woman's Club.

SATURDAY
4:00-5:00 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Moore and Mr. Phil Moore will entertain informally Miss Lois Waldrop and Mr. Joseph Gilbert, their bride and groom, at out-of-town guests.
6:00 p.m.—Rehearsal at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church for the Gilbert-Waldrop wedding.
8:00 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. John Stator and Miss Camille Stator will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Waldrop and their out-of-town guests at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stator in Bethel.

SUNDAY
12:30 p.m.—Mrs. W. I. Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Blount and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Taft will entertain the Gilbert-Waldrop wedding party and out-of-town guests at a wedding breakfast at the home of Mrs. W. I. Wooten.
4:30 p.m.—The wedding of Miss Lois Zeigler Waldrop to Mr. Joseph Cortrell Gilbert will be solemnized in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.
8:30 p.m.—Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cortrell Gilbert and their wedding party, Mr. and Mrs. John Herbert Waldrop will entertain at a reception at their home on East Tenth Street.

TRUCK STALLED BY SNOWFALL
—Driver looks over his stalled truck on grade near Cuttingsville. Vt., as snow continued to fall during one of the greatest storms in recent years. Food supplies and communications were rushed to the snow bound state of Vermont while in New Hampshire snow was reported to be a foot deep. (AP Wirephoto)

Santa Visits Sans Souci Club

At the hospitable home of Mrs. G.B.W. Hadley, the 1952 club year ended on a gala note for the Sans Souci when they were delightfully entertained by Mrs. Hadley and W. L. Best at a most enjoyable Christmas meeting.

The house, alive with seasonal decorations, the warm welcome of the hostesses created a spirit of Christmas cheer and festivity which prevailed throughout the evening.

Upon arrival invited guests and club members were served tomato juice, after which numbers were drawn to relegate them to various tables.

In the dining room, Mrs. Charles Forbes and Mrs. S. T. White served at a beautifully appointed table which literally groaned with all that was delicious for a Christmas repast.

Following the dinner and a session of carol singing, the evening was turned over to Miss Jane Hadley who had planned many exhilarating games for the fun of the occasion.

Special prizes were won by Mrs. M. L. Wright and Mrs. W. H. Dall. But no one was forgotten, for Santa knocking on the door, came in with great gusto, ringing Christmas bells. On his back was a great pack bulging with the most beautifully wrapped packages and he personally delivered one to each guest present.

In the midst of the good time the club, not unmindful of those in need, paused to plan a liberal collection of food and funds for a family reported to be in desperate need.

After a final singing of "Silent Night" and enthusiastic expressions of appreciation to Bruce and Glenn for the happy evening, the privileged guests said a reluctant good night.

Don't Run the Risk Tonight

of Missing a Good Night's Sleep

Why take a chance on spending another night tossing and turning—when for 2 times, eaten at bedtime, will quiet the churning acid that keeps you awake? Try Tums tonight! See if you don't sleep like a log, feel more refreshed in the morning. Always keep Tums handy to counteract gas, heartburn, sour stomach, acid indigestion. Get a roll today.

Still only 10¢ a roll

TUMS

Mrs. Spruill Spain Gives Club Program On Music

On Tuesday afternoon the Ladies of the Round Table met at the Fifth St. home of Mrs. Robert Fournish. The whole house was a deck with snowballs, holly and other Christmas greens, with a lovely Christmas tree in the den.

The guests were greeted by the hostess and her daughter, Mrs. Bill Ward of New Bern.

Mrs. Annie Rawl of Batesburg, S. C., Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Leonard Topping were also guests whom club members enjoyed seeing.

The club quickly disposed of a few matters of important business. The program for the afternoon was given by Mrs. Spruill Spain. Her topic was "Music—Its True Value in Everyday Living."

God is its author and not man. He laid the keynote of all harmonies. He planned all perfect combinations. He made us so that we could hear and understand.

"Music is the only art of Heaven given to earth, the only art of earth we take to Heaven."

"Music is indeed so gloriously woven into the very fabric of our existence, it wouldn't be difficult to imagine what life would be without it—for it is a fundamental need—one of the vital sources of life, health, strength and happiness."

From these and other strikingly beautiful key sentences, Mrs. Spain, in a very scholarly way, developed a paper which charmed her hearers, taking them to a high plane for their 1952 Christmas living.

Following the paper, with Mrs. C. E. Oakley at the piano, the group sang some of the age-old Christmas hymns.

The magazine topic for the afternoon was given by Mrs. H. H. Duncan. She selected a page in the 1952 December Good Housekeeping, called "God's Finger on Man's Shoulder," by Father James Keller. All who heard her and many others too will want to read again this magazine page.

For refreshments the guests were invited into the dining room, where from a beautiful Christmas table, Mrs. W. E. Marshall and Mrs. Milton White served green coconut balls and red punch, cheese biscuits, ham biscuits and crab apple pickles.

"A Merry Christmas to all"—from the Ladies of the Round Table.

Semi-Centi Book Club Has Progressive Dinner

The members of the Semi-Centi Book Club and their husbands enjoyed a progressive Christmas dinner on Saturday night in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strawn and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fleming.

Guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Bilbro.

For the appetizer the group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson on Eastern Street. The home was most attractive with candles and Christmas decorations.

The guests were invited into the dining room where the hostess served tomato juice cocktail, olives and assorted crackers. The dining table was covered with a lovely white cloth set off by a centerpiece of candles and greenery, which was very attractive.

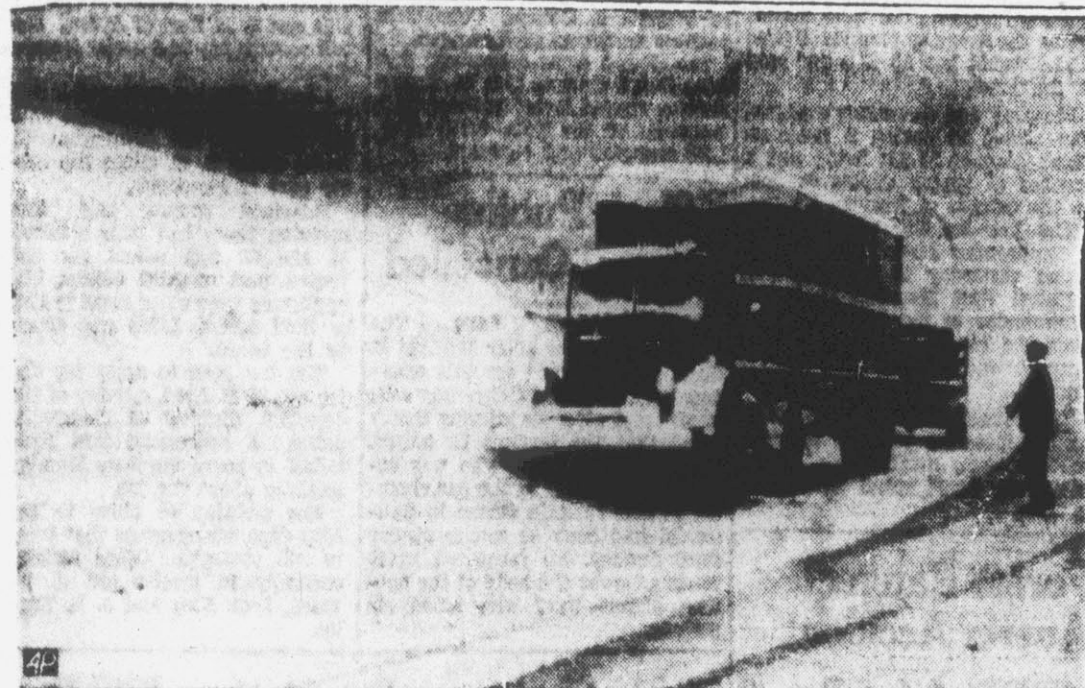
A few moments later the group in their individual cars drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Strawn on East Fourth Street for the main course. Tables covered with Christmas tablecloths and matching napkins were placed about the living room. In the center of each table was a white lighted candle surrounded by crystal and silver. A large red candle was burning on each end of the mantle and between them were greenery and berries. In the dining room the large table laden with delicious food was covered with a lace table cloth and beautifully decorated with an arrangement of candles, silver leaves, silver pine cones, and silver sprays. The dinner was served buffet style. Hot rolls and coffee were served by the hostess and different members. The menu included baked ham, string beans, sweet potato casserole, cranberry salad and a dish of Hors D'oeuvres, which had been prepared by various members of the club.

A dessert course was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fleming on River Drive. The Christmas theme was carried out beautifully by various arrangements of pines, candles and greenery. In the fire place old St. Nick had just come down the chimney.

The hostess served apple pie a la mode and hot coffee.

Following a get-together hour, the couples said good-nights and left for their respective homes.

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HOLDREGE, Neb. (UP)—"You hunting?" the game warden asked Warner Lundeen who admitted he was. He said his license was tacked on the wall of his office. The warden then went through Lundeen's car and found nothing, not even a gun. "Oh," explained Lundeen, "I'm hunting for a farm."



TRUCK STALLED BY SNOWFALL—Driver looks over his stalled truck on grade near Cuttingsville, Vt., as snow continued to fall during one of the greatest storms in recent years. Food supplies and communications were rushed to the snow bound state of Vermont while in New Hampshire snow was reported to be a foot deep. (AP Wirephoto)

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Junior Group Sings To Shut-Ins

GRIFTON—On Sunday night the juniors of the Christian Church met with their adult leaders, Mrs. Dick Dixon and Mrs. John Coward, in the recreation rooms of the church for a period of devotional nature and then went to sing Christmas carols with special interest to the shut-ins in town. After the carolling the group returned to the church where they were served hot chocolate, doughnuts and salted nuts by a group of the church ladies, Mrs. Waldo Gower, Mrs. Horace Quigley and Mrs. Wiley Gaskins.

In the group were Alice Faye and Anne Dixon, Roxie Lou, Frances and Sara Ann Coles, Betty Lou Jolly, Esther Hill Coward, Betty Jo Gaskins, Emily and Marian Nelson, Frances Davis, Joan Hardison, Billy Faye and Bobby Sumrell, Janice and Phillip Manning, Jimmie Rogers, Jordan McCotter, Gilbert Quigley, and David Jackson.

Grifton W.S.C.S. Has Christmas Party

GRIFTON—The W.S.C.S. met for their December meeting and annual Christmas party on Monday night in the recreation room of the church. Lighted candles, smilax and holly formed the decorations.

Mrs. John Oglesby led the business which was routine. She asked the support of the members in planning a supper for the near future, the proceeds to be used for the building program.

Mrs. Sam McLawhorn led the devotional after the singing of "O Little Town of Bethlehem." The scripture was the story of the birth of Christ as recorded in Luke.

At the program hour Mrs. Courtney Patrick read a poem "I Will If You Will." This was suggestive of the giving at Christmas time.

"Joy to the World" and "Silent Night" were sung by the group. Mrs. Cecil Cobb read a sermon, keyed to the season and times, "Let's Keep Christmas" by Peter Marshall. A Christmas prayer was said by Mrs. John Oglesby.

At the refreshment hour hot tea with cheese biscuits, nuts and mints were served. The table was centered with a five branched silver candelabra tied with ribbons, holly and red candles.

Gifts were exchanged by the members present, which numbered thirty-eight.

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Stores To Close

The majority of stores and business firms in the city will observe Christmas holidays and close Thursday and Friday, December 25 and 26.

The firms will reopen for business Saturday, December 27.

Preceding Christmas, stores will remain open until 8 p. m. Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, December 19, 20, 22, and 23. They will remain open until 6 p. m. Christmas Eve, December 24.

Moose Lodge To Sponsor Event For Children

The Greenville Moose Lodge will sponsor an underprivileged children's Christmas party Tuesday night and a dance.

Approximately 75 children will receive gifts and toys, clothing, and other items at the armory from six to eight.

Following the children's party, a dance will be held with an orchestra from East Carolina College furnishing the music. The dance will begin at nine and last until one.

The dance is open to the public and tickets may be obtained in advance from any Moose Lodge member and at the door the night of the dance. Tables will be set up to accommodate dancers.

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Presented Medal For Meritorious Service In Korea



A TARDY AWARD Now a civilian, Roscoe King of Greenville stands at attention while Major Robert V. Hall attaches the commendation ribbon with medal pendant to his lapel. The award, which is in recognition of meritorious service in Korea several months ago, was made Monday night at his home, 211 North Jarvis Street. Present for the ceremonies were his wife, Vertie, and their two-year-old son, Vick. (Reflector Photo by C. L. Perkins, Jr.)

In ceremonies at his home Monday night, Roscoe King of 211 North Jarvis Street, Greenville, was awarded a citation for exemplary service

with the Army in Korea several months ago.

The commendation ribbon and medal pendant was presented to the former master sergeant of artillery by Major Robert V. Hall, unit instructor with the Organized Reserve Corps in the city.

Major Hall made the presentation on behalf of Secretary of the Army Frank Pace, who directed the award in recognition of King's "meritorious service with a field artillery battalion in Korea during the period

from November 8, 1951, through May 22, 1952."

King served with the Army in Europe during World War II, and was recalled to duty in January, 1951. His reactivation came as the result of his affiliation with the National Guard since his discharge after the second World War.

The private ceremonies were attended by his wife, Vertie, and their two-year-old son, Vick. King has been employed with a local insurance firm since his discharge from Korean service.

High School, was the "youth guest" of the club. She stated needs for adult leadership in recreation for teen-age groups in Ayden.

Rotarian Wilbur Ormond won the "on-time" prize. Warren Kinlaw won the fellowship prize. Guests of the club were Turner Thompson, Clarence Carmichael and Ray Rite, employees of the DuPont plant.

Leslie Stocks reported that the Boy Scout Committee had raised \$457 for support of Boy Scout work in East Carolina Council.

President Ralph Hardee presided. Warren Kinlaw led the singing and Wilbur Ormond was accompanist.

Scorpions can be as much as 8 inches long.

Warren Carroll Speaks In Ayden

AYDEN—Recreation facilities are an important responsibility resting upon the leaders of any community and recreation pays substantial dividends.

Warren Carroll, recreation director in Greenville emphasized this idea in a speech at the Ayden Rotary Club Friday night. "Recreation includes wholesome use of leisure time—the voluntary sharing of joy and fun with others," he said, "and recreation should be provided for all ages." In support of this, the speaker pointed to big industries and their plan of recreation for employees.

Wherever communities have established recreation program gratifying results were reported, the North Carolina Recreation Commission reports show, Carroll declared. He said in some counties there are county-wide recreation programs, organized under direction of the State Commission and the work is carried on by trained supervisors.

Carolyn Johnson, daughter of E. Faust Johnson, principal of Ayden

New Parsonage To Be Dedicated Next Sunday

WALSTONBURG—The Free Union Free Will Baptist Church, in Greene county, recently built a nine-room parsonage and started a full time program November 1.

Rev. C. L. Patrick of Walstonburg the pastor, has announced that the parsonage will be dedicated Sunday morning, December 21, with appropriate services. The parsonage will observe "open house" from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The pastor will conduct special services at 11 o'clock. The public is invited to attend the worship service and the "open house" at the parsonage.

Rev. Mr. Patrick did pastoral and

evangelistic work in Greenville and Pitt county several years ago.

YOUNG GRANDMOTHER GREENSBORO (UP)—Mrs. Maurice Elmore, nurse at Piedmont Memorial Hospital here, recently assisted in the delivery of her second grandchild. The grandmother is only 32 years old. She was married at 14 and has three children. Her youngest, Mickey, seven, is only six years older than her first grandchild.

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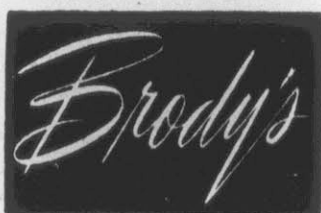
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Strength for the Day

TAKE THOUGHT CAREFULLY
Young people very often do not realize the extent to which they destroy their parents' hopes for them. Within the past few days I have read the accounts of two young couples who have plunged their parental households in grief. One couple for some terrible secret reason destroyed themselves. The other couple had so offended both households from which they came that no member of either family was present when the two young people were married.

Life's problems seem so overwhelming to young people that they often allow themselves to be driven to desperation. Or perhaps their own happiness seems of such consequence that they utterly forget what effect these acts and decisions will have on their parents. And so they plunge into marriage without any thought save that their own impulses are driving them with demonic fury, or they let themselves be plunged into some tragedy because, as they were approaching the precipice, they completely forgot about loved ones whose thought was for their welfare.

Young people should remember that life is long and that while it is tough and sometimes cruel, it is also gracious and can be very kind. To youth there appears to be no time left. Anything that needs to be done must be done now. To those of mature years experience has taught that there is plenty of time for everything that needs to be done.

Merit, Not Influence Must Be Weighed

Solicitor W. J. Bundy sounded the sentiments of a great many law enforcement and court officials, we imagine, in his blast at the State Paroles Commission.

Bundy leveled a broadside at the commission for committing a six months sentence of a man Bundy asserted was the "right hand man of a man generally reputed to be a big time liquor operator . . ."

The solicitor of the fifth judicial district asserted in his blistering letter to N. F. Ransdell, paroles commissioner, the courts of North Carolina "had just as well take out and go home and let the Paroles Commission run the whole business of law enforcement; it seems to be doing it anyway."

Thus one court official has expressed his views on the way the paroles system is being handled in North Carolina. Doubtless there are literally hundreds of other court officials and law enforcement officers in North Carolina who concur in the sentiments expressed by Solicitor Bundy. In addition there are thousands of individual citizens of the state who view with disdain the manner in which paroles are being handled in North Carolina.

The Daily Reflector is numbered among the latter group.

As Solicitor Bundy so aptly put it in his letter, "It is a sorry day in North Carolina when a man who brags of his money and influence . . ." can cause to be undone what has been properly and orderly done in the courts.

Indeed, it is a sorry day in North Carolina when the people of the state have to sit by and see the justice of the courts rendered naught by acts of the paroles commission which in our opinion are anything but just.

There is little use in having law enforcement, there is little use in having courts mete out justice, if North Carolina is to continue to have a Paroles Commission which not only fails to uphold the arm of justice, but by its acts all but amputates that arm.

The Reflector has said before, and it says again, North Carolina needs a complete revamping of its paroles system and of its Paroles Commission. The longer the state waits to do this revamping the more sordid the present odorous situation will become.

For our part, we would like a Paroles Commission which weighs merit — not influence.

The Rush Is On; Caution To The Winds

Today we find ourselves in the midst of the Christmas rush.

People are hurrying and scurrying hither and yon in an attempt to get those many pre-Christmas chores done before the last few precious days.

By this time next week the tempo of activity will reach its peak. There will be last minute gifts to purchase, Christmas dinner to arrange, family and guests to

prepare for, or perhaps a brief holiday visit to get ready for.

No matter how little a person says he is going to do this Christmas, somehow he almost always finds himself — or herself usually — entwined in a last minute whirl of things to be done.

Invariable the rushing by so many people, intent upon doing so many things, cause accidents. Some are serious, some are minor, but they are still accidents which could easily spoil a family's Christmas.

There are the Christmas trees and decorations to think about. The extension cords to light the decorations, and too often a penny instead of a fuse in the fuse box at home to hold up the heavily loaded electric circuits.

In spite of the statelaws, fireworks almost always appear at this season of the year, and through carelessness, some child or adult usually is injured by an untimely explosion of one of the loud crackers or one of the brilliant skyrockets.

In the bustle of heavy traffic in the business district of cities and towns, or in the rush to reach a destination along the wintry highways, individuals are apt to find their guard against accidents down at Christmas time.

There are many things to be thought of as the Christmas season rapidly approaches, but even with homecomings, gifts and Santa Claus, nothing is more important than safety.

One can hardly think of a Merry Christmas without thinking in terms of a safe Christmas for the whole family. But too often the thought of safety and accident prevention so necessary to a Merry Christmas is pushed into the background amid the rush to get things done.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—Although Senator Taft lost out in his first test fight with President-elect Eisenhower over the Durkin appointment, the Ohioan's challenge has actually operated to improve relations between the White House and Capitol Hill during the next Administration. Even Taft himself seems satisfied with the outcome.

The controversy demonstrates that Senate GOP-ers now look upon Ike as "Mister Republican." They are in no mood for rebellion against their first White House occupant in 20 years.

For fear that there may be an intra-party struggle between the Dewey and Taft factions, they have closed ranks behind Senator Bridges of New Hampshire for Majority Leader of the upper chamber.

SHOP FOREMAN—Bridges does not seek the post, since he will head the important Appropriations Committee and can have the position of President pro tem of the Senate. He accepted the honor during the last session only to state off a bitter battle on the eve of the national convention. Since he was neither a Taft nor an Eisenhower man, he was the ideal choice. He may be again.

The Ohio Senator's forthright nature will lead him to oppose what he regards as any deviation from major Republican policy by Eisenhower. That is every Senator's privilege, unless he is willing to be a mere Party hack. But he now knows that he will have only a skimpy following, if he permits personal or political animosity to cast him in the role of a carping critic.

Although it would be an unfair and inaccurate analysis of his attitude, there will be those who will attribute any Taft hostility to his disappointment at not winning the nomination. Naturally, this reaction would tend to weaken him in any differences with the White House. For the moment Eisenhower is a well-liked boss, and Taft simply an able shop foreman.

WARNING TO EISENHOWER—On the other hand, Taft's Durkin outburst served as a needed warning to Eisenhower that he also must cooperate with Republican legislators. It was the Ohioan's way of expressing Capitol Hill restlessness over Ike's apparent tieup with the Dewey wing. As between the New York Governor and the Senator, the latter is far more popular with House and Senate colleagues.

In all his preliminary preparations for White House responsibilities, the President-elect has been dealing with problems of a personal as well as a political nature. He has been picking Cabinet members, official aides, diplomats, etc.

These matters are his prerogative, not Capitol Hill's, even though many must be confirmed by the Senate. Taft, of course, recognizes that, and would behave similarly, if he were in Eisenhower's shoes.

TAFT ACCOMPLISHED MAJOR PURPOSE—But the Taft-Durkin demerit was a reminder that Eisenhower must negotiate with the heavily anti-Dewey Congressional group in matters of legislation. It is a warning which Ike, accustomed to giving orders and having them obeyed without question or criticism, should heed for the sake of harmony at Washington.

Taft also accomplished another major purpose. He has angled for the leadership post only because it would give him voice and influence in the fixing of White House policy.

The Senate Majority Leader is one of the trio which confers regularly with the head man at the White House every Monday morning. According to Truman procedure, Taft's post as chairman of the Republican Policy Committee would not entitle him to admission.

EISENHOWER-TAFT RELATIONSHIP—Eisenhower, however, has expressed a willingness to have the top policy maker on Capitol Hill attend these sessions. In addition to the House Speaker, the Vice-President, and the House-Senate leaders.

Ike shows remarkable astuteness in making this concession. Under this arrangement, he and Taft can argue and iron out disagreements behind White House doors instead of clashing openly and head-on before Senate galleries and the Democrats across the aisle.

This new Ike-and-Taft relationship, although established deviously and difficultly, is an extremely significant, post-election development.

DISAPPOINTED WASHINGTON HOSTESSES—Washington dowagers and "Call Me Macaome" hostesses like Perle Mesta and Gwendolyn Caffritz are weeping in their tea over advance notices of the Eisenhower family's distaste for the social life and amenities. They fear that they may have to resort to entertaining ordinary people after 20 years of serving hospitality to the Roosevelts and Trumans.

Ike has let it be known that he prefers masculine company and masculine activities, such as fishing, golf, poker and bridge. He rarely indulged in social activities as commander of SHAPE.

Mama, too, is no reception-and-dinner woman. Her passion and pastime is bridge, and she likes to play with old friends from her Army days here, when the great Eisenhower was only a Major and Lieutenant-Colonel. She is not a gregarious person.

Unfortunately, Eisenhower has chosen Cabinet members who share his dislike of the social soup and froth. Messrs. Wilson, Humphrey, Dulles et al are hardly the kind of men who like to tip teacups and engage in small talk.

Already, the disappointed and disenchanted are referring to the next four or eight years as the "era of Ike-and-Mama austerity."

I Thought My Job Was Tough—



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Somebody Told Me

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

Last Friday and Saturday I attended the national convention of automotive parts wholesalers in Atlantic City, sponsored by the Automotive Services Industries. Since I had never been to Atlantic City before I was all eyes and ears.

Of course we were there during the off season, but it was still surprising how the city swallowed the 18,000 attending the show. There was no parking problem. There and traffic was not congested despite the fact that Atlantic City does not have one-way streets.

Instead of having regular city buses, Atlantic City uses jitneys, small buses that look like a bread truck with seats. They hold only 10 people and drivers will not overload.

Even during all season, prices

are on the big city level. Menus always amuse me in a city, because the restaurants try to keep the identity of their food a secret.

In my case, this simply results in asking the waitress a few questions. If they think I'm from the country it doesn't matter to me because the truth doesn't hurt.

One day I asked a waitress what "Minestrone Milanese" was. She looked at me as if I were a moron and said, "Vegetable soup with macaroni in it." At another restaurant "Soup de jour" turned out to be onion soup.

The convention itself filled both floors of convention hall without a square foot to spare. The displays by manufacturers were impressive to say the least. In addition to meeting factory big wheels at the booths, manufacturers had

parties at the various hotels in the city.

At one party a factory man said, "Come over here and meet Mr. Johnson." Naturally I was supposed to know who Mr. Johnson was, but didn't. He turned out to be owner of the company and worth well over \$3 million.

In convention hall every delegate had the opportunity to appear on television. In one of the display booths was a TV camera and TV sets were located all over the hall. Of course the audience was limited to convention delegates, but it was a TV appearance if you happened to be looking for someone you could have a comfortable seat in front of a TV set and the camera would pick your friend up as he came in the door.

And I thank you.

Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET

LOSER — For the first time since 1924 North Carolina's electoral vote went to the losing candidate for President. It was the fifth time that has happened in this century. To offset that is the record of eight times North Carolina was in step with the rest of the nation. The State's vote went to Albert Parker in 1904 when Theodore Roosevelt was elected; to William J. Bryan in 1908 when William Howard Taft was elected; to James M. Cox in 1920 when Warren G. Harding was elected; to John W. Davis in 1924 when Calvin Coolidge was elected; and to Adlai Stevenson in 1952 when Dwight Eisenhower was elected.

THEATRE — The State is still ahead on the scoreboard. The electoral vote went to Woodrow Wilson in 1912 and 1916, to Herbert Hoover in 1928, to Franklin Roosevelt in 1932, '36, '40 and '44, and to Harry Truman in '48. The only time in that period, in fact the only time since Reconstruction days, that North Carolina veered from the straight Democratic track was in 1928.

BIBLES — The swearing in process of the Presidential Electors was delayed a few minutes Monday while Capitol attaches tried around to find enough Bibles for each person to touch. While the upstairs group was waiting Chief Justice Devin quipped that he swore in a man the other day on a copy of the Revised Standard Version, and he was wondering if Parson Hux or some of the other opponents of that edition would challenge the effect of the "Bible oath."

G.O.P.—Oscar Pitts demurred at signing the oath with the name he had to use. Somehow he was certified as "G. Oscar Pitts," and the legal boys said he had to sign that way. The seldom

used extra initial in his name is "T". Being one of the most ardent Democrats to be found anywhere, Pitts just did not like the looks of that G.O.P.—Inasmuch as he had deferred a vacation trip to Florida in order to attend this electoral meeting and a vote for Stevenson, he reluctantly put his name down like the big boys told him to write it.

UMSTEAD—These are strenuous days for Governor-elect William Umstead. His public appearances have been rare for the past couple weeks and will be rarer for the next two. That doesn't mean he is it easy. To the contrary, it means he has buckled down to the serious job of preparing his inaugural address and his budget message to the General Assembly. He has received a lot of volunteer suggestions and proffers of help, but perhaps his closest confidante and aide is John Harden, vice president of Burlington Mills in charge of public relations. Harden's experience and contacts are varied. A newspaper man by early training, he handled publicity for the gubernatorial campaign of Gregg Cherry—for which Umstead was manager, and later served as secretary to Governor Cherry. He was assistant manager for Umstead's senatorial campaign in 1948 and immediately after the primary joined the Burlington Mills staff. He was a recognized supporter of Kerr Scott for Governor in 1948 and of Frank Graham for the Senate in 1950. In addition to the assistance afforded by Harden, the Governor-elect is believed to be in close contact with Frank Taylor, speaker of the 1951 House of Representatives and recently legislative counsel by Umstead.

UNHAPPY—Taylor's self, for that important liaison position was approved by preponderant majority of those who supported Umstead in the primary, but it made one group unhappy. The school teachers didn't like it. Several leaders among those attending a special education conference in Raleigh last Friday and Saturday did not hesitate to express disapproval. Rightly or wrongly, some of the teachers blame Frank Taylor, as chairman of the appropriations committee in 1949 and speaker in 1951, for failure to get larger concessions for public schools, especially teacher salaries, out of those two sessions.

NOT ENOUGH—No special service group is ever quite satisfied with treatment accorded by the Legislature. Public health and public welfare folks can prove by statistics that their programs have been supported. Men's hospital people can offer more dramatic incidents proving the need for larger appropriations. The public school participants contend, with a admitted factual basis, that their job is most important of all. The approximate two-thirds of all State expenditures is still not enough for public schools. The teachers appreciate the \$50 million State money put into buildings during the past three years, and the expansion of health services into the schools. They have confidence in Governor Umstead's primary pledge to carry on these programs, even if another bond issue should be necessary. But they are not happy about prospects that their own pay checks will be boosted as much as they feel they ought to be.

INTEREST—School teachers have one thing in common with doctors, lawyers, newspaper men, bankers and farmers. They have a genuine concern for the public (Continued on page two)

What Other Papers Are Thinking

LADY WONDER

(Greensboro Daily News)

"Lady, the Wonder Horse" has been doing telepathic business at the same old stand near Petersburg, Va., for a long time, certainly 15 years or more, but only recently has she gotten national publicity, because she helped locate a boy's body in a pit in Massachusetts.

Her owner, Mrs. Fonda, says she noticed long ago that Lady could read her mind. And Dr. J. B. Rhine of Duke University, expert in parapsychology and extrasensory perception, says he discovered in Lady "what looked like telepathy."

Whether Lady Wonder really has such powers we don't know

but are inclined to agree with Hamlet when he told Horatio that "there are more things in heaven and earth . . . than are dreamt of in your philosophy." For instance, a century ago there were the mathematical horses of Elberfeld, Germany, which could solve in an instant mathematical problems that sometimes took mathematicians days to work out. Maurice Maeterlinck wrote a book about them and many scientists visited them.

The Norfolk Virginian-Pilot recently carried an editorial which was skeptical of Lady Wonder's abilities and received a letter from a woman agreeing with the editorial because she didn't want "out of state folks to think that

we are a bunch of superstitious idiots." The writer added: "The Massachusetts child was found, but does anyone have the figures on the number of questions not answered correctly in the past two years—or the past 27?"

This reminds us of the story about the dog and his owner playing chess when a man came in and said, "That's a smart dog, isn't it?" and the owner said, "Oh, he's not so smart; I just beat him the last two out of three games."

Our guess is that if Lady Wonder and almost any columnist were compared as to the number of questions they had answered correctly in the past 27 years, the horse would be far out in front.

Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER

Like other businesses—if it is a business—the Post Office is faced with rising costs and urgent demands for better service. Since the Incoming Administration is being known as a business administration and the next Congress is expected to give it support, it is appropriate to point out some of the business techniques that might be applied to the postal service.

Several were suggested recently. Here are some more:

Research—Various studies of ways to increase post office efficiency have been made; the Hoover Committee did an extensive job. But business would not give up research simply because those to date have not been as fruitful as desired; rather, good management would probably intensify its studies.

Research need not only be confined as to how to save money; it should include the possibilities of increasing revenues by increasing services.

Broadening lines—one of the standard formulas for business seeking to increase earnings and to get itself on a firmer footing is broadening its lists of products and services. One of the worst injuries to Post Office service was the discontinuance of directory service; this is estimated to have cost business millions of dollars in undelivered and delayed orders. Since such service is of dollars-and-cents value to firms and new to individuals, a "directory" service requested stamp might be put on sale, or a plan developed by which directory service costs would be charged back to the sender when envelopes were marked "directory service charges guaranteed."

Other useful and profitable services might be suggested by research. In Holland, for example, the Post Office will undertake, for a fee, to deliver circular mail or samples to every home or every business establishment in a given area. The Post Office here might find this a paying idea. It might also be able to sell lists of names in Broad categories; the list houses would protest, but they would still have the specialized share of the business. It might also undertake, for a fee, the verification of mailing lists—something it does now through a somewhat involved procedure.

It might even establish a business consulting service through which mail income would be increased by giving mailers expert advice on advertising and selling campaigns.

Better wages—Business has found that better wages are often cheaper than low wages and the P.O. "intent may have a lot to learn here. Not long ago,

the moderate salary, security and pension system of the Post Office attracted some of the best manpower. Now industry surpasses the government on all three points and the civil service harvest is less.

Better recruits at higher pay might easily produce more work at a lower unit cost; certainly that has worked out in industry.

MORE INCENTIVES—Many Post Office workers feel that promotions are discouragingly slow. A system that would permit better men to advance more rapidly might bring a big boost in efficiency.

A suggestion system wherein rewards were commensurate with the value of the ideas turned in might produce many good ways of improving service and increasing income. Industry has found that the larger the potential rewards, the better are the ideas produced.

Less politics—With its appointment of Arthur Summerfield, a party stalwart, to succeed Jesse M. Donaldson as "Postmaster General," the suggestions of less politics in the department may seem damned near fanciful. Nevertheless, a private business that named regional and branch managers on a basis of what they had done for any particular party would probably have losses in the Post Office ratio.

Employees of the Post Office, since they are the average person's most frequent contact with the government, tend to personify the government itself. Consciously or unconsciously, the deterioration of the mail service in recent years may have created a widespread feeling that the present administration was coming apart at the seams.

INT—TING THOUGH . . .

MISLEADING DATUM . . . "The American Citizen's annual alcoholic beverage bill averages approximately \$60 for each member of his family, including babies,"—from a release by Northwestern National Life Insurance Co.

The gay little lusher

NEW PRODUCTS

VERSATILE: A cash register with a built-in adding machine is being introduced by National Cash Register Co., Dayton, Ohio. In addition to ringing up sales, it can also be used to balance books, prepare bank deposits and even figure tax returns.

FLANNEL: An industrial nylon flannel for padding upholstery and garment manufacturer has been developed by Burgess-Berliner Assn., 2710 S. Parkway, Chicago 16. It's said to be resilient and resistant to heat, abrasion, rot and mildew.

Hal Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—The ordinary worries of the world are as nothing now to millions of American husbands face to face with the hardest problem of the year: "What shall I get the missus for Christmas?"

No other emergency offers so stern a test of a husband's real mettle.

Buying a wife a present of some kind is easy. The stores are stacked with thousands of lavish gifts. They have hired thousands of lady shopping advisers to help husbands.

But the whole art of a successful family Christmas is to buy a wife exactly the gift she wants. And what is that? Just try and find out. The children subtly blame their wishes known by frank and open letters to Santa Claus. But their mother won't do that.

Usually it is no task at all for a husband to find out what is on his wife's mind. He would have to put on earmuffs to keep from knowing.

But just before Christmas she claims up completely. On the question of what she would like to find under her Noel tree she plays a game of "Yes-find-out."

If you ask her bluntly, she says evasively:

"Oh, don't bother about me. I really don't want anything."

Translating from feminine English into masculine English, this means:

"Well, dunderhead, if you come home this Christmas Eve with another bottle of that cheap perfume, I'll open it and pour it all over you while you're asleep."

If she is a young bride, she will probably tell her closest girl friend what she really wants from her, and you can find out from her. But veteran wives don't play the game that simply. They confide in no one.

What can a man do? Well, I know one man who asks a ouija board, another who consults an astrologer, a third who seeks the advice of a fortune teller, and a fourth who just goes into a store blindfolded and buys the first thing he bumps into. But all of them say:

"My system doesn't really work. You better try some other one."

There are, of course, a few sound rules to follow. The first few years of marriage a wife is always "lad to get things like a television set, an electric oven, or new rug. After that she warns: "If you think my idea of a Christmas present is something to furnish this old house you're crazy. I want something that shows you really were thinking of me as a person, not as a business partner. I need furnishings more than the house does anyway."

The surefire way out of this dilemma is to buy her an ermine coat or a yacht, and if they are going back later to exchange them herself. But these gaudy trifles are beyond the reach of the average man's purse, even in the dawn of a new Republican regime.

The only thing a fellow can do is to make the best guess he can and go ahead and buy it. In my

own case I have an even tougher problem. I know what my wife would like to have, but there isn't a store in town that stocks it.

When I asked France what she would like for Christmas, she said:

"The only thing I really want this year, Rover, is a better husband."

Washington Letter

By FRANK CAREY

By Jane Eads

WASHINGTON — A Harvard physicist thinks the beautiful northern lights may result from temporary dents in the earth's heavenly "bumper."

This new slant on the cause of the Aurora Borealis—one of nature's big free shows but a pain in the neck to communications men—was offered by Dr. Donald Menzel in a report to the National Academy of Sciences.

The earth's "bumper" consists of invisible lines of magnetic force surrounding the planet out to great distances and serving as a barrier against some electrical forces in the heavens. Menzel offers the view that great clouds of hydrogen and other gases—shot from the sun and traveling at speeds up to 600 miles per second—sometimes bend a section of the bumper inward.

This produces a gigantic funnel in the heavens—shaped something like the nozzle of a vacuum cleaner—through which the positively charged gases and some electrons pour. These electrified particles then strike atoms "oxygen in the earth's atmosphere, making them luminescent and producing the visible glow of the Aurora. It's the same effect as that produced in neon advertising signs in which a rarefied gas is animated by an electric charge so that it glows.

Menzel said his theory was based partly on recent discoveries by other American scientists of the presence of hydrogen clouds close to the earth. He said it was a logical extension of previous findings by English and Australian researchers.

The Englishman demonstrated the "bumper" action of the earth's magnetic field against some particles flung from the sun. The Australian followed this up with observations indicating that some particles "spill over" the barrier at the northern and southern edges of the magnetic field. But Menzel theorizes that the gorgeous Aurora is a "funnel" job.

Another Harvard scientist, Dr. Fred "Thipple," reported a new method of tracking winds—some of them near-hurricane force—in the atmosphere some 50-odd miles above the earth.

He did it with a special camera designed to photograph the trails of meteors, or "shooting stars." The glowing streak of a heavenly fireball about 50 miles above the earth enabled Whipple and his colleagues to deduce the turbulence of celestial winds in the vicinity.

Radio Talent Show For Charity Set Thursday

Greenville Jaycees annual radio talent show to raise funds for charity work during Christmas will be held over station WGTC Thursday night from 9:05 through 10 o'clock.

Proceeds derived from the project will go to provide basket of food and clothing for needy families in the city over the holidays. Last year 25 boxes of food were delivered within the city to families in financial duress.

Such local personalities scheduled to appear on the program are "Tiger" Gardner, Judge J. W. H. Roberts, the Conway Trio, and many other citizens interested in the vital project.

Operate Cars
Local Jaycees will have automobiles operating all over the city Thursday night to pick up pledges of money, food and clothing. City-use salt with their food.

zons may request that numbers be played or sung on the talent program in return for a pledge of money or goods.

Committees appointed by President Charles Horne to assist in the project are: news and radio publicity, Jesse Poindexter and Jack Edwards; general publicity, Alex Biggs; talent scouts, Louis Gaylord Jr., John Lautares and Jack Edwards; pick-up cars, J. B. Smith; purchasing and assorting, Ford McGowan, Fran: Strawn, Dan Saleed, Howard Hodges, Dick Briley, Fred Boyd and Bill Hudson; and distribution, Ed Harris and Lester Turnage.

The first Rotary Club was set up in Chicago in 1905.

Some peoples of the world do not use salt with their food.

In The Services



Sergeant Callie L. Readick (above), daughter of Mrs. Iona Barrett Floyd, Farmville Route 2, has been on Okinawa since last May. She is serving with the Ryukyus Command Women's Army Corps Detachment, and is shown visiting a lacquerware shop on Okinawa. Lacquerware, such as the tray being held by the salesgirl at left, is one of the island's principal industries. (U. S. Army Photo)

Sergeant Elmer H. Harris, husband of Mrs. Sarah Harris, 203 Pine Street, Farmville, is now serving in Japan with the 24th Infantry Division. Sgt. Harris, who entered the Army in January 1943, wears the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman Badge, World War II Victory Medal, and the European Theater Ribbon with five campaign stars.



Thomas H. Robinson, son of Mrs. Pearl Robinson of Winterville, recently was promoted to sergeant while serving in Germany. Robinson is a cannoner in Battery C, 690th Field Artillery Battalion, at Crailsheim, Germany.

Sergeant James H. Harris, son of Mrs. Lenora Harris, Greenville Route 1, has been assigned to Camp Otsu, Japan. A military policeman, he previously was stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia.

'Racket Squad' To Guard Public At Inauguration

By HARMAN W. NICHOLS
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON (UP)—Every peddler within hawking distance wants a free ride on the coattails of the new administration.

Rides are to be had—but for a price.

The inaugural committee has put its foot down and has appointed what is known as the "racket squad."

The idea is to decide on ways and means of protecting the public against schemes to use the inaugural as a level to mulct the unwary. First step the racket group took was to make it clear that anyone with something to peddle has to apply for a peddler's license.

The "salesman" gets an okay after a careful screening he must pay a \$25 license and if he appears among the throngs along the parade route on inaugural day he must wear a badge. Otherwise the bluecoats will climb his back.

Normal C. Kal of the Better Business Bureau is chairman of the unauthorized practices subcommittee.

It seems that every kind of a peddler wants to get into the act.

There have been applications for souvenir buttons. Others want to sell the flags of all nations. There are others who would like to sell noise-makers.

One man even wanted a permit to sell firecrackers. He didn't get to first base.

Others who have applied want to sell the public everything from soap to roasted nuts. Some will get permits, many others won't.

The Eisenhower-Nixon inaugural committee has laid down an iron-clad rule. There will be no advertising sold for any of the official publications.

Kal says that the cost of the official program and related publications will be borne by the committee itself.

Advertising also has been banned from banners, floats, and other material to be used in the parade and along the parade route.

The way Kal and his committee look at it, this occasion should be on the formal side, and the "only thing we have to advertise is a new government."

"Any person or organization," said Kal, "soliciting funds or selling advertising in any publication purporting to be connected with the inaugural or the inaugural committee in any way is doing so without the sanction of the committee."

Kal admitted that he and his folks are helpless to prevent publication of any material in connection with the inaugural.

"But we do want to emphasize," he added, "that the committee has not authorized solicitation of any advertising."

Feast Or Famine For Jap Stocks

TOKYO (AP)—It was famine or feast for stockholders of 572 Japanese companies over the past six months.

Kyodo News Agency reports 479 of the 572 companies listed on the Tokyo exchange paid an average 24.44 per cent semi-annual dividend. The other 93 paid nothing.

Six sugar manufacturers led the way with an average 35 per cent dividend. Four tourist trade companies were at the bottom of the dividend scale with a 10.75 per cent average.

Food grown in the Saar could supply the needs of only about 15 per cent of its population.

Decided To Let TV Set Burn

BINGHAMPTON, N.Y. (AP)—A few minutes after the Jack T. Harringtons called firemen at Hinman's Corners to report their television set was on fire, another call came canceling the alarm.

Firemen said the couple told them to forget about it because they had to decide to carry the TV set outside and let it burn.

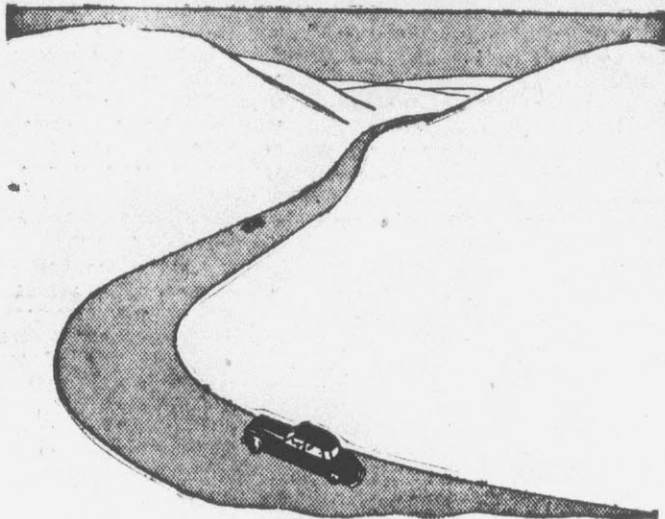
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Robersonville News

By MRS. W. L. SWINDELL

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Everett and son, Eddie, of Rocky Mount, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bulluck.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill James who spent ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard T. Harney, left Sunday for their home in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks have returned to Burlington after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Roebuck.

Roy Wilson is spending a few weeks in Florida.

Mrs. Sallie Everett, who is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Warren is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Dixon and son, Steve, of Artesia, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roberson of Norfolk visited his sisters Mrs. R. E. Grimes and Mrs. W. E. Page last week-end.

Mrs. Simon Woolard who has been confined to her bed for over a week is improving although she

is unable to be up.

Mrs. W. R. Jenkins spent Friday in Scotland Neck with her daughter, Mrs. Mabry Allbrook and Mr. Allbrook.

Mrs. Charlie Hurst visited her daughter Mrs. Harry Adler of Tarboro from Saturday to Wednesday.

Mr. William Williams has received his discharge from the United States Navy after serving one year aboard the U. S. S. McClelland. His home port was Charleston, S. C.

Mrs. R. E. Ferguson returned to her home Saturday from Martin General Hospital in Williamston.

Mrs. Marie Johnson of Elton College spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. W. E. Page. Thursday she stayed with her daughter, Mrs. Irving Keel.

Glenn White Worsley son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Worsley has been sick for more than a week.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bellflower took her father, Mr. H. Roberson to Elton College to spend a month with his children who live there. Mr. and Mrs. Bellflower returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wollard of Whiteville spent last week-end with his mother, Mrs. Addie Wollard who is ill at her home on Green Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dixon and son of Artesia, New Mexico spent a week with Mr. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dixon.

Sandy Coe, little daughter of Mrs. Dell Coe has been on the sick list this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Henderson Irvin and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Becton of Eureka spent Sunday with Mrs. Becton's brother, Mr. William Sanford and Mrs. Sanford.

Mrs. Annie Bogey, Mrs. Mary Collins, Mrs. Inez Page and Mrs. Mary Halford Latham of Tarboro were the guests of Mrs. W. E. Page Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffield who have spent a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Barnhill returned home Wednesday.

Mr. Glenn Norman who had several heart attacks last week is improving.

Good Books Help Christmas Spirit

Getting Christmas spirit through reading good books marks the pre-holiday season among boys and girls at the Training School on the East Carolina College campus. The library for children there is having a boom in circulation, and a decorated Christmas tree is being used to give incentive to reading and to keep a tally of who's reading what.

Mrs. Lily Rouse Carr, Training School librarian, with the help of Vernie B. Wilder of Nashville, N.C. college junior and practice librarian, initiated and is carrying on the project of encouraging good reading.

More than 600 books were read by children at the school during the first week in December, and enthusiastic youngsters keep calling for more. The leader thus far is Burton Jenkins, with twenty-three books to his credit.

A gaily decorated Christmas tree in the library gives encouragement and reward to readers. Beside it stands a life-size replica of Santa Claus suggesting books as gifts. Each child who reads a book is entitled to hang on the tree a small colored booklet, to which he may add for each additional book read a metallic-paper star. Approximately 300 folders, many having a dozen or more stars, are now brightening the tree and showing the excellent record made by the boys and girls at the Training School.

Ballard's X Roads

Mrs. C. B. Moore and sons of Greenville was a Wednesday evening visitor of Mrs. P. J. Elk.

Rev. C. D. Patterson filled his regular preaching appointment at Ballard's Presbyterian Church on last Sunday morning having as a text, "The Lamb of God That Taketh Away The Sin of the World."

There were 85 present for Sunday School and Bobbie Crawford was presented a 5 year perfect attendance award by the Supt. R. H. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Joyner and son, Robert, visited Douglas Joyner at the C. P. Hospital near Durham last Sunday and attended the Christmas program given by the children at the hospital. Douglas was in the program.

Mrs. Roy Smith, Jr., and sons and Mrs. Mamie R. Holoway vis-

ited friends in Ayden on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Dupree Tolar, Mrs. Zeb Anderson and Mrs. Hubert Ross and daughter Dianne visited relatives near Snow Hill on last Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Barrett of Farmville was a guest of Mrs. Verna Joyner on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wooten and son, Ray, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reavis in Enfield Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Smith and sons, Albert and Franklin were visitors in Tyson on last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Denton of Princeton were week-end guests of Mrs. Denton's mother Mrs. G. T. Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mazingo of Snow Hill were week-end visitors in

the home of Mrs. Mazingo's father, J. T. O'Neal.

Miss Eunice Little student nurse at the Wilson School of Nursing was a week-end visitor at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Little.

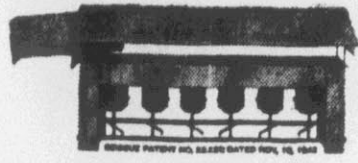
Harold Joyner and G. T. Tyson, Jr. went on a goose hunting trip at Mattamuskeet Lake last Saturday. They got four geese.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wooten accompanied by Mrs. Darden of Farmville spent Saturday in Richmond.

EVERY DAY WAS FRIDAY MEMPHIS, Tenn (UP) — There were 40 goldfish in Court Square pond here before some prankster dropped a turtle in the water. There were six left when the turtle was removed.

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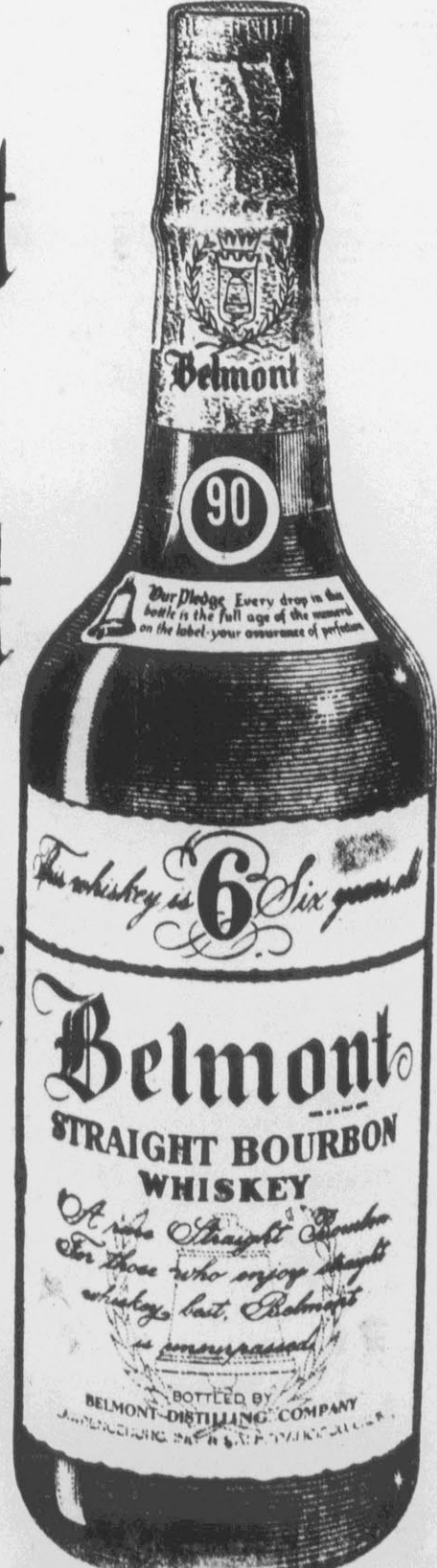
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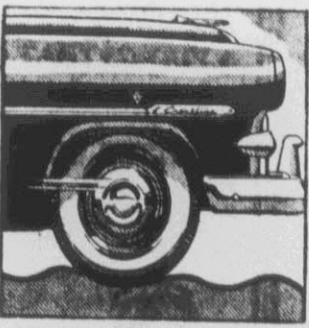
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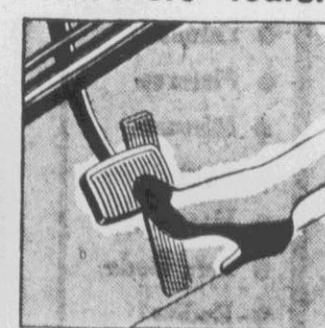
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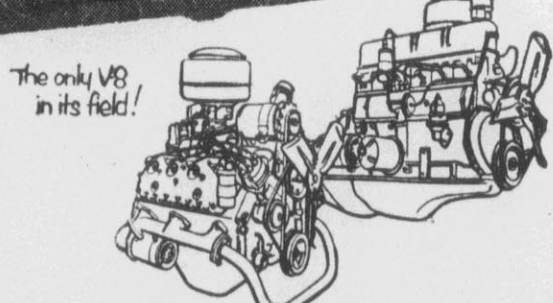
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believingly at the raging pry of the flaming house. The door to the great center hall gaped open and he could see a stumbling figure staggering through the smoke, striving to gain the sanctuary of the open air.

It was Morgan! Gross, great-bodied, moving forward with the sure in vitality of fate, forcing himself onward toward the doorway and toward safety. Teeth bared in a snarl, he found himself on his feet, running blindly toward the open doorway, his fingers half-clenched into angry claws. He saw Morgan's head jerk up in startled recognition and in the same instant his shoulder crashed into the breastbone of Morgan's chest and his half-clenched hands were at Morgan's throat.

Morgan's hands were groping for his eyes, the thumbs probing for his eyeballs. There was no strength left in Clay, no reservoirs that had not been drained. Supine, with the threat of death before his eyes, Clay lashed out his heels in one last blow, and felt his boots crash into Morgan's knees. He heard Morgan's sudden scream of pain, and threw himself to one side as the bloated body crashed down beside him. Clay realized that Morgan's leg was broken and his adversary was helpless—chained by his own weight and weakness to the torch that blazed about him.

"Farrar!" Morgan's voice was shrill with terror now, the bull bass lost in the extremity of fear. "Get me out of here! For God's sake, get me out!"

But there was no mercy left in Clay for this mass of cruelty and evil and corruption, nothing except the blind rage that had possessed him when he first glimpsed Morgan through the doorway.

"I'll get you nowhere, Morgan!" There was the cold finality of hatred and disgust in his voice. "You're whining now like a whipped dog, but it's too late to ask for pity."

It was too late. The fire that had been licking at the walls erupted in a solid sheet of flame as a gust of wind swept down the hallway. In an instant Morgan's figure was blotted out, hidden beneath the blaze that roared about him.

Gasping, Clay staggered toward the doorway and collapsed upon the ground outside.

And then he heard it—the thunder of hoofs like the deep note of an organ that swells into a thunderous crescendo. They were coming now, the men of the regiment, taunted, nervous, savage with the years of wrongs that rode, invisible, upon their shoulders. He could see the firelight glitter upon their sabers as they passed.

It was a rout, a laughter drenching in blood, as they rode down the screaming, helpless forces of the regulators as wolves might run down rabbits. There was no mercy, for there had been no mercy given in the past.

Clay managed to lift himself to his feet and stumble forward. He lifted his voice in what should have been a shout, but was scarcely more than a harsh mockery of a whisper. "Farrar!" he gasped. "Farrar—this is Farrar."

He saw the nearest troopers

wheel in their saddles in sharp response, heard Web's shout of mingled rage and disbelief.

"Good job!" he croaked. "Good job, well done!"

He watched stupidly as the earth and sky and the mounted men revolved suddenly around him in a dizzying circle. Dimly he was aware of Web on foot, running toward him, shouting.

And then he collapsed on the ground.

It was slow business waiting for a steamer to take him to New Orleans, even here on Galveston Island, where the barrooms were the most sumptuous business houses in town, and the Tremont House offered accommodations that could scarcely have been surpassed in New Orleans or Memphis.

Oh, it was fine enough. Finer than a clearing outside San Marcos or a camp on the mesa or a bloody sunrise in the wreckage of Oak Island. Perhaps, at another time, he could have enjoyed it. But now he was filled too full with the memories of desperate marches and flaming death and desperation and treachery and victory and despair.

He'd mended slowly at Oak Island, tended by Toni and Web and Garcia and half the troopers in the regiment, as he was slowly healed of the wounds and internal hemorrhages Morgan and Farrar had inflicted upon him. He'd mended slowly, and as the long days and nights crept by, he knew with an increasing certainty that there could be no peace or rest or happiness for him until he returned

to Westport—and to Sally. She was like a mage before his eyes, which neither time nor distance nor any other woman could obscure.

He moved a little farther down the pier watching the steamer he had waited for so long creep cautiously inshore: the Columbia, here for two days and then bound back for New Orleans again. Well, he'd be aboard, and from New Orleans there'd be other steamers to take him to St. Louis and then on up the Missouri to the levee at Westport Landing.

"Great God Almighty!" "Clay! Oh, Clay, my darling!" "But—Texas, Sally! You coming alone to Texas?"

Clay, as a greyhound, his eyes riveted upon the passenger who had just begun the trip down the gang-plank.

"Sally!" The roar of his voice sent the sea gulls spinning away in frightened swoops. "Sally! What in the name of God are you doing in Texas?"

"Clay! Oh, Clay, my darling! You coming alone to Texas?" She looked up at him, laughing a

little the old half-mocking light he loved so well beginning to creep back into her eyes again.

"I warned you when you left, I'd follow you. And, Clay, I couldn't wait! I had to find you, no matter where you were! It's over, Clay. We've made an end of that old trouble in St. Louis. You can come home and be with me forever!"

"Forever!"

His Chase Failed, Goes To Police

CINCINNATI, O. (UP) — Tony Scalia, 42, swore out an assault and battery complaint against a hit-run driver today after he chased the offender six miles only to receive a punch on the nose.

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Ayden, Bethel Mark Basketball Milestone

AYDEN — Basketball milestones were marked here last night when Bethel and Ayden's two teams met. In the opening game, Bethel's girls defeated the Ayden sextet for the first time in eleven years. Perhaps by coincidence but nevertheless the Ayden boys reversed the order and defeated Bethel's boys also for the first time in eleven years.

Carrie Ayers and Mary Jo Wynne teamed up for 36 and 24 points respectively for the triumphant Bethel lassies. Ann Riddick and Edith Doughtie were outstanding on defense.

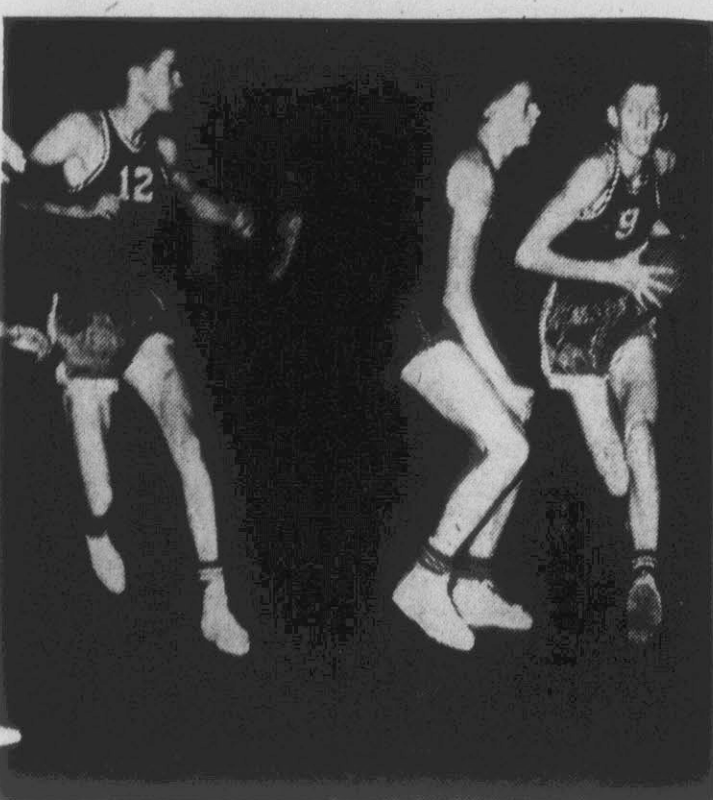
Ayden with Wilma Stocks laying

Scores

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Duke 94 Davidson 65	
Clemson 82 Presbyterian 64	
Tampa 77 Central (Mo.) Col. 59	
La. Col. 83 Southwestern La. 58	
Fairmont 74 Davis-Elkins 77	
Northwest La. 67 So. (Ark.) 8. 64	
Xavier (La.) 78 Bishop 37	
Jacksonville 67 Howard 54	
Tusculum 87 Emory-Henry 82	
East	
Manhattan 74 Holstra 52	
Connecticut 81 Brown 62	
Williams 67 Trinity (Conn.) 61	
New Hampshire 70 MIT 61	
Lemoyne 69 Hobart 64	
Salem 68 W. Va. Wesleyan 67	
Delaware 80 Johns Hopk. 76	
Seton Hall 89 J. Carroll 77	
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Duquesne 72 Carn. Tech 55	
Wesleyan 76 Tufts 74	
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Rocky Mount Sharpshooters Down Phant Cagers 67-41

Bobby Conway Is High Scorer For Phants With 12



SMITH WORTHINGTON is guarded closely by Rocky Mount defender as he breaks for the basket. Leon Hardee (12) follows the action closely. (Reflector Photo by C. L. Perkins, Jr.)

Alas, the Phantoms are doomed to wait until next year before chalking up a basketball victory.

The Phantoms tried hard last night to present their coach, Bo Farley, a victory for a Christmas gift, but the high-flying Rocky Mount Blackbirds failed to warm to the Phants' spirit of Christmas as they showered a 67-41 defeat on the hapless Greenville High quint.

Rocky Mount showed their authority in the opening seconds when Smoky Lancaster broke in on a tip off play to lay up two points. Bobby Patterson dropped a set shot and Lancaster hit one from the floor and the befuddled Phants found themselves at a 7-0 disadvantage after two minutes of play.

Jimmy Cheatham, smooth working Phantom guard, took charge and slowed the Rocky Mount steam by sinking a one-handed push shot and assisting Smith Worthington in a layup.

The Rocky Mount cagers hit the basket with uncanny accuracy in the second quarter to pull away to a 32-22 lead at halftime. Dribbling George Pierce, who twice dribbled his way from backcourt to score on crisp shots, played an outstanding floor game for the Blackbirds.

Bobby Conway, who very seldom does much shooting, took charge of the Phantoms' scoring department in the second quarter and laid in pair of beautiful hooks and a set shot. Conway also starred under both backboards by grabbing rebounds.

The whole story of the game is found in the statistics which show that shooting accuracy was the deciding factor. Both teams attempted 62 field goals. The Blackbirds hit 25 of theirs for a 43 percent effectiveness while the Phantoms sank only 16 for 34 percent. Rocky Mount made 17 of 28 free shots good to Greenville's 16 out of 23 tries.

Dixie Hobgood, Cheatham, and Conway played a fine floor game for the losers but only Conway could find the range offensively. Conway hit an amazing five baskets out of six attempts, sank two free throws for 12 points and high scoring honors for the night.

Worthington had a rare "off" night garnering only nine points. Worthington had a 19 point game average going into the contest and his inability to get going slowed the Phants offense greatly. Big Don Edwards and Lancaster did a very effective job of guarding Worthington.

Box score:	
Rocky Mount (67)	FG FT PF TP
Lancaster, f.	8 5 2 21
Deans, f.	0 0 0 0
Barnes, f.	5 2 4 12
Pennington, f.	0 1 1 1
Edwards, c.	4 4 2 12
Daughtridge, s.	3 1 4 12
Patterson, g.	1 2 2 4
Pierce, g.	3 2 1 8
Hedgepeth, g.	1 0 0 2
Totals	25 17 16 67
Greenville (41)	
FG FT PF TP	
Worthington, f.	2 3 2 9
Hardee, f.	1 3 1 5
Perkins, f.	0 0 2 0
Moore, f.	0 0 1 0
Conway, c.	5 2 3 12
Starkey, c.	1 0 2 2
Cheatham, g.	2 5 3 9
Hobgood, g.	1 0 2 2
Sideris, g.	2 0 1 4
Smith, g.	1 2 1 4
Totals	16 15 19 47
Score by periods:	
Rocky Mount	14 18 17 18-67
Greenville	7 15 12 13-47

Farmville Takes Two From Belvoir

FARMVILLE — Farmville's high-ranking boys and girls basketball teams defeated Belvoir in both ends of a Pitt County Conference double-header played here Monday night.

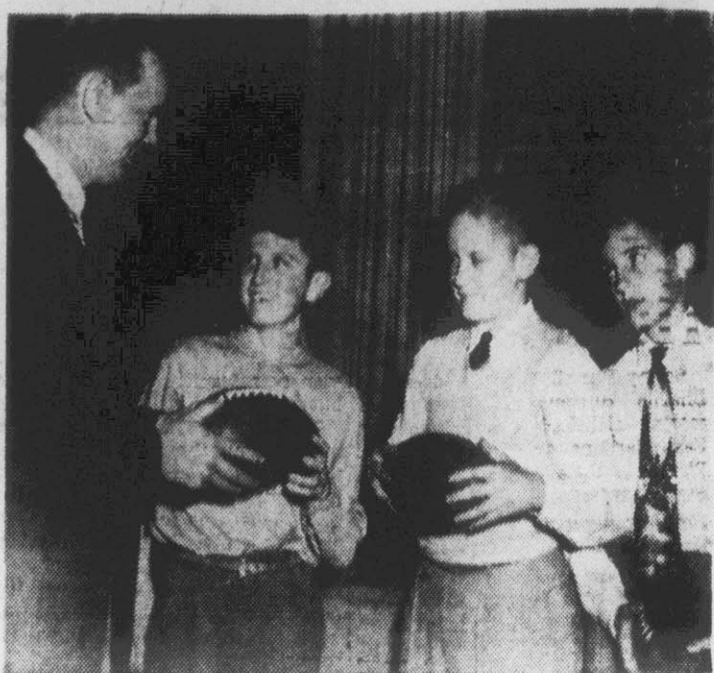
Farmville's girls won 36-24 and the boys finished up the evening's work with a 48-31 victory over the visiting Belvoir players.

In the girls game, Emily Wooten scored 17 points and Cannon added 15 to pace the Farmville attack. Marlene Clark scored 10 to take scoring honors for Belvoir.

In the boys game, Charlie Fitzgerald scored 17 points as the Red Devils overcame a 31-18 deficit at halftime. Howard Bullock scored 11 points to pace Belvoir.

The boxes:

Girls Game	
Belvoir (24)	(36) Farmville
F-Peadar 2	17 Wooten
F-Mayo 9	15 Cannon
F-Clark 10	3 Flanagan
G-Harris 5	8 T. Allen
G-Waters 3	4 C. Allen
G-F. Harrell 1	8 Warren
Score at halftime: Belvoir 12, Farmville 17.	
Boys Game	
Belvoir (31)	(48) Farmville
F-C. Ross 11	11 J. Allen
F-Bullock 3	17 Fitzgerald
C-B. Ross 2	8 T. Allen
G-H. Bullock 11	4 C. Allen
G-Harris 5	8 Warren
Score at halftime: Belvoir 21, Farmville 18.	



EAST CAROLINA COACH JACK BOONE gives footballs to outstanding Little Leaguers, Bobby Edwards, Dick Evans, and Bob Bilbro at the Little League Father and Son Banquet held at the Armory last night.

King, Joyner, Forbes, J. Moore, M. Oakley, Flanagan, L. Oakley, Smith.

Substitutes: Belvoir — Dupree 8, Meeks 2, Clark, Strickland, B. Bullock, Peadar. Farmville — Allen, Sawyer, Holmes, Worthington, Fairer, Evans.

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Hodges, Russell And Huffman Lead Attack

Sommy Russell, Bobby Hodges, and seven points apiece and Russell had scoring abilities last night to lead the Pirates to their third straight North State Conference victory. The victors last night were Catawba's hapless Indians who were scalped to the tune of an 80-67 score before an estimated 1800 fans in East Carolina's new gymnasium.

Mostly because of the big three, the Pirates led throughout the ball game but they weren't free of trouble until late in the third period when their sharpshooters found the range. Hodges, the big 6-6 junior from Kinston, led the scoring for the night with 23 points. Russell had 21 and Huffman came through with 18.

What is so particularly outstanding about the scoring performances of the three is that most of the points came in the second half. The Pirates held a 27-25 lead at the half, Huffman and Hodges had

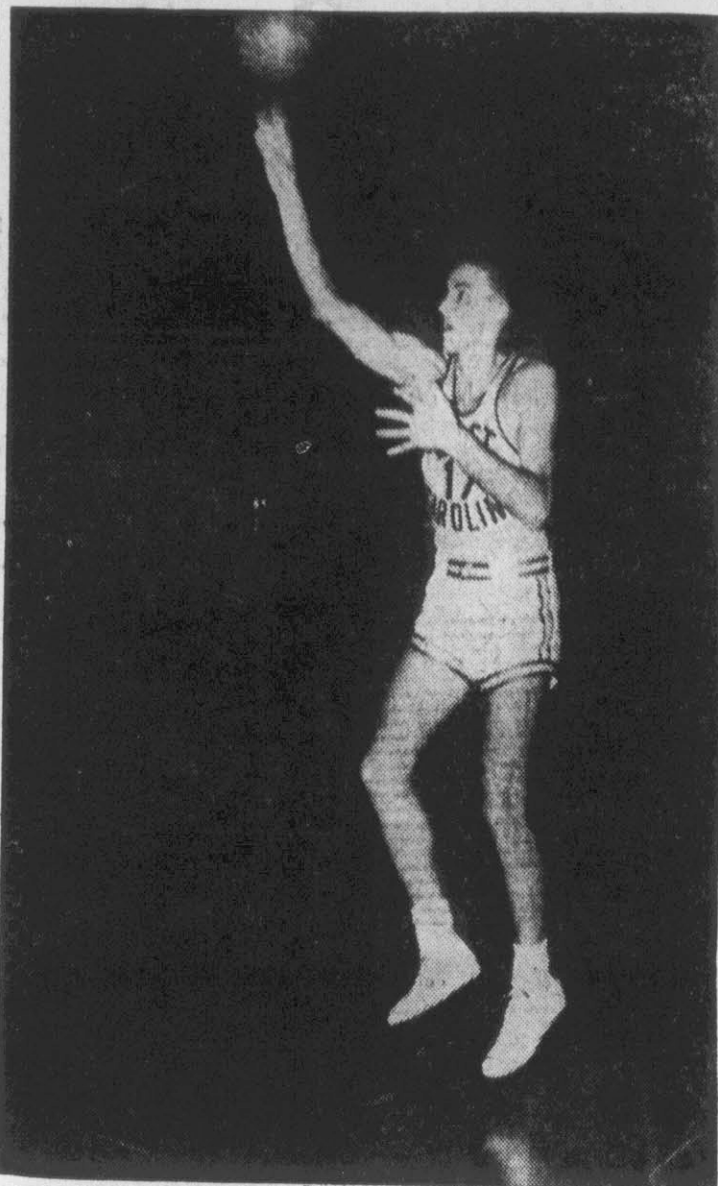
The visiting Indians made their most serious threat of the game in the third quarter when they scored 23 points but they were kept at arm's length by the work of Hodges. The big center dominated play under the boards in addition to 12 third quarter points. Russell flipped in nine in the third stanza while Huffman got a single free throw.

In the fourth period, Huffman and Russell picked up the burden of the scoring. Huffman, the 6-3 forward from Thomasville, got 10 points in the last 10 minutes of play while the stylish All-Conference and All-State Russell came through with nine.

Huffman gave the Pirates the impetus for their fast start in the game. He hit three quick field goals in the first quarter to team with Hodges and Russell to account for all the 12 points scored for ECC in the first ten minutes. In addition, he was the leader in a defense which permitted only four Catawba points in the first period.

Catawba began cutting the lead in the second period when Pirate Coach Howard Porter began clearing the bench. They had worked themselves up to within two points (27-25) of the Pirates at the half and had enough steam to carry over into the third quarter when they made their most serious threat.

With two and a half minutes of playing time remaining in the third quarter, Earl Lentz hit a set shot to narrow East Carolina's lead to 44-43. J. C. Thomas put some distance between the teams when he hit for



CHARLIE HUFFMAN takes a shot. A junior from Thomasville he is showing a lot of early season promise. He scored 18 points for the Pirates against Catawba last night.

two points for East Carolina. That's when Russell, Hodges, and Huffman went to work.

The three completely dominated the shooting angle of the game. Then, too, they were so much in control of the backboards that unless Catawba hit on its first try at the basket, the chance was gone. There were a few anxious moments after that but they were mighty few and quickly removed.

The only thing Catawba had to offer in the way of a real scoring threat was a pair of players who used entirely different tactics. Guard Don Graham hit on enough set shots and driving lay-ups for 16 points and scoring honors but teammate Tom Barrow got loose under the boards for 14 tallies and second place honors. Lentz had a hot streak in set shooting but he started too late to get more than 10 points.

Every member of the East Carolina squad got to see action in the game, most of them in the closing moments of the second quarter when the East Carolinians had a comfortable working margin. In the second half, Coach Porter stuck for the most part with his starting five and they gave him little cause to worry. The game closed the regular pre-Christmas slate of the Pirates but they have one game remaining before they take off for the holidays. They'll play Atlantic Christian Friday night in Washington, N. C., in a dedication contest for the new Washington High School gym. That game will not count in the regular

season standings of either ball club. In their first three games, the Pirates have outscored Guilford, defending champions Lenoir Rhyne, and Catawba. The team has a near 77 point average for the three games with Russell, the individual scoring leader with 71 points. Hodges has scored 47 in two games. Huffman has 40 points in three games.

The box:

Catawba (67)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Lentz, f	5	0	1	10
Summey, f	2	1	5	5
Seals, f	1	1	0	3
Hodges, f	4	0	4	8
Walsher, c	1	2	1	4
Barrow, c	6	2	4	14
McKaig, g	2	1	2	5
Porter, g	0	0	2	0
Lyndon, g	1	0	0	2
Graham, g	5	6	4	16
Totals	27	13	23	67

East Carolina (80)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Russell, f	9	3	2	21
Jones, f	0	0	0	0
Huffman, f	6	6	1	18
Carr, f	2	1	1	5
Hayes, f	0	0	1	0
Hodges, c	9	5	3	23
Blake, c	1	0	1	2
Heath, g	2	0	3	4
Hilburn, g	0	0	0	0
Thomas, g	2	2	1	6
Moye, g	0	0	0	0
O'Kelley, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	18	14	80

Score by quarters:

Catawba	1	2	3	4	Total
Catawba	4	21	23	19	67
East Carolina	12	15	25	28	80

Free throws missed: Catawba—McKaig 3, Summey 1, Barrow 1, Seals 1, Walsher 1, Graham 2; East Carolina—Russell 2, Carr 2, Hodges 7, Thomas 1, and Moye 2.

Officials: Joe Mills and Bello.

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Chicod Takes Two Cage Victories Over Chocowinity

CHICOD — Chicod High cagers came through with a double win over Chocowinity in a pair of basketball games here Monday night. The Chicod girls team started the evening's activities with a 39-19 victory and the boys made it a complete Chicod sweep by taking the nightcap 46-35.

Veteran guard J. T. Mills led the way for the triumphant boys team with 13 points. Center Bobby Burroughs was close behind with 12.

Chicod jumped to an early 19-2 lead in the first quarter and coasted to victory. Mills, Burroughs and Walter Smith, a nine point contributor, almost completely dominated the first quarter play. They were largely responsible for the one-sided first quarter score.

Mayo and Paramore were tops in the scoring department for Chocowinity with nine and eight points respectively.

Girls Game
The Chicod sextet, led by Patsy Mills, Mazel Sutton, Clara Wilson and Jessie Kennedy, easily topped an inexperienced Chocowinity team. Mills and Sutton had nine points each and Wilson and Kennedy both dumped in eight.

Coach Ott Alford emptied the bench and let everybody play after the Chicod lasses blazed to a 23-6 lead in the first half.

Joyce Spain, Sybil Adams and Maxine Jones turned in admirable jobs of guarding for the winners.

Girls Game

Chicod (39)	(19) Chocowinity
F—C. Wilson 8	3 Arnold
F—Mills 9	11 Hill
F—Kennedy 8	1 Day
G—Jones	Godley
G—Spain	Elks
G—Adams	Cayton

Score by periods:

Chicod	1	2	3	4	Total
Chicod	11	12	4	12	39
Chocowinity	2	4	5	8	19

Substitutes: Chicod—Sutton 9, H. Wilson 5, B. Adams, Averette, McGowan, S. Haddock. Chocowinity—Wright 2, Hicks 2, Adams, Williams, Moore, Bright.

Boys Game
Chicod (46) (35) Chocowinity
F—Ross 3 Chandler
F—Forness 2 3 Bright
C—Burroughs 12 6 Dixon
G—Smith 9 6 Mayo
G—J. Mills 13 8 Paramore

Score by periods:

Chicod	1	2	3	4	Total
Chicod	19	7	10	10	46
Chocowinity	2	4	5	8	19

Substitutes: Chicod—Gaskins 5, Spain 1, T. Mills, Oakley, Adams, Tripp. Chocowinity—Crisp 1, Smith 4, Brame 2, Cratch 1.

Scores
Midwest
Western Reserve 102 Akron 98
Arkansas 65 Missouri 64
Gust. Adol. 88 Augsburg 62
Bradley 89 Texas Christian 76
Heidelberg 76 Capital 66
Macalester 57 Carleton 54
Western Ky. 77 Cincinnati 76
Drake 62 Denver 54
Houston 72 Detroit 69
Manchester 116 Ind. Central 97
Marquette 110 St. Norbert 70
Washington (Mo.) 60 Marshall 60
Toledo 65 Miami (O.) 64
Ohio Wesl. 82 Otterbein 73
Winona St. 84 St. Marys (Minn.) 83
Bethel 69 Sioux Falls 51
St. Cloud 79 Stout Inst. 56
Emporia Tchrs. 65 S. Dak. St. 55
Minot Tchrs. 75 Bottineau Forest 52
Whitewater Tchrs 75 Milton 63
Superior Trs. 82 River Falls Ts. 65
Wahpeton 72 Val. City Tchrs 67
Brigham Yg. 64 Wash. State 44

Stokes Divides Cage Pair With Snow Hill

STOKES — Snow Hill and Stokes traded basketball victories last night in an inter-conference clash between the two schools. Snow Hill, a member of the Greene County Conference, waltzed to a 59-30 win in the girls game but Stokes, a member of the Pitt County Conference, turned right around in the second game to come out with a 45-37 victory.

In the boys game, David Roberson and Carl White teamed up to give Stokes a powerful one-two punch in knocking Snow Hill right out of the ball game. Roberson, playing center, scored 21 points and White, running at forward, dropped in 16 to

take scoring honors. Best scoring effort on the part of a Snow Hill player was the 10 point performance of forward Exum. Doug James of Stokes and Ed Lane of Snow Hill took defensive honors. The games were the last pre-Christmas contests for Stokes. They will get back into action on December 30 against Grimesland.

Girls Game
Snow Hill (59) (30) Stokes
F—Dalston 28 1 Warren
F—Barrow 10 14 C
F—Murphy 7 7 J. Bullock
G—Kearney Meeks
G—Carraway Tyson

Boys Game
Snow Hill (38) (45) Stokes
F—Exum 10 16 White
F—Creech 7 5 Butler
C—Jones 21 Roberson
G—B. Exum 5 8 Whitehurst
G—Lane 9 9 James
Halftime score: Stokes 29, Snow Hill 16.
Substitutes: Snow Hill—Moye 4 and Harper 2. Stokes—Gray, Cherry, Perkins, and Warren.



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News From Bell Arthur

The December meeting of the Arthur P.T.A. was held on Wednesday evening in the school auditorium with the newly elected president, Jarvis Allen, presiding.

Mrs. Briley was elected secretary as the former secretary, Mrs. Manning, has moved away from the community.

Mr. Allen, the principal, stated that new equipment has been purchased for the lunchroom and it now has a grade A rating.

The program was given by Miss Lucy Fleming's fifth grade children and opened with the 23rd Psalm, repeated in unison, followed by group singing. Then they presented a play, "A Friend Indeed." Joyce Ann Jackson then sang and acted two humorous vocal selections. The program closed with Mrs. Brown's first grade singing several Christmas carols.

During the social hour delicious refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Zeph Deshields, who have been living at Bell Arthur the past three years, where he was pastor of the Christian Church, have moved to Otway in Carteret County. Rev. Deshields has accepted the pastorate of the Christian Church there.

Leon Crawford had the misfortune to lose a tobacco barn by fire noon Tuesday.

Mr. R. R. Webb of Win- have recently moved to Ar- opened the store formerly by K. M. Crawford. Mrs. d, who has had charge of Office there for the past several years, officially turned the job over to Mrs. Webb on Nov. 28.

Bill Sutton left last week for Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he is receiving treatment for arthritis.

The community extends sympathy to the relatives of Mrs. Hilda Duke, Mrs. Duke passed away in Kinston last week.

Friends of John Erwin will regret to learn that he has been transferred from Pitt Memorial Hospital to the Veterans Hospital at Fayetteville.

Mrs. Beryl Newby and daughter L. Ann spent the weekend in Durham with Mr. Newby who is a patient in McPherson Hospital. Beryl Jr. spent the weekend with Oliver Nichols Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Vandford and children were recent visitors of Sgt. and Mrs. Wilbur Vandford at Pope Field near Fayetteville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley F. Sutton were recent visitors of relatives in Washington, D. C.

Curtis Nichols of Newport News, Va. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols, the past week.

Bethel News

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gurganus Sr. left on Sunday afternoon on a business trip to Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. E. O. Burroughs is now making her home with her son, Mr. Edward Burroughs of Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rives Jr. and Mrs. Rives left the week for Fairbanks, Alaska. Mr. Rives will be stationed there for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Barnhill went to Charlotte on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. R. James Jr. Returning with them was Mrs. Katie Edmondson who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James for two weeks.

On the way back they visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vernon of Stoneville.

Mr. Earl Johnson of Ft. Jackson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson.

Miss Janie Edmondson spent the weekend with Miss Jeanne Cullifer and Miss Ann Byrd at EUC in Greenville.

Miss Alice Coburn spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Coburn.

Mrs. Goodwin Byrd of Windsor spent the past week with Mrs. J. R. Cullifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rollins of Leggett spent the weekend with Mrs. C. C. Rollins.

Cpl. Jimmy Nelson returned home from Korea on Saturday. He will be home for 30 days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nance of Raleigh spent the weekend with Mrs. Nance's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wilson.

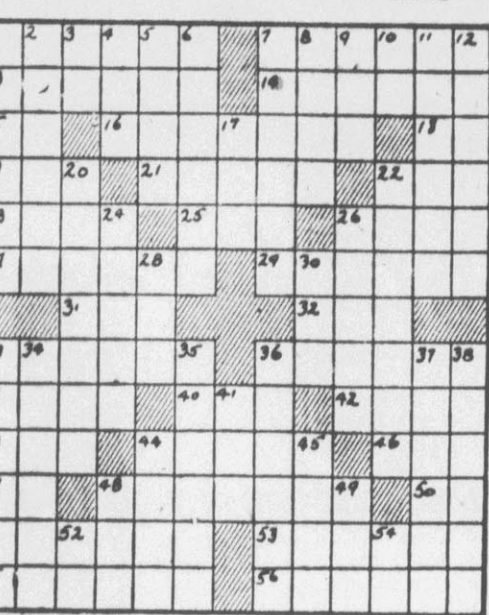
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith had as their weekend guests Bishop and Mrs. P. N. Garber of Richmond, Va.

Bishop Garber was the guest speaker at the morning worship service in the Methodist Church.

Dr. Jack O. Carson arrived on Saturday night to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. D. C. Carson Sr. Dr. Carson is working in Rex Hospital in Raleigh.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Gratitude
7. Walking back and forth
13. Buy back
14. Muse of astronomy
15. Each: abbr.
16. Table dish
19. Hail
21. Small pieces of ground
22. Flow back
23. Gull-like bird
25. Recline
26. Wan
27. Slow-moving animals
29. More expensive
31. Understand
32. Metal
33. Agreements to suspend hostilities
38. Writer
39. Scarce
40. Make lace
42. Large knife
43. Employ
44. firm
46. Pike-like fish
47. Exclamation
48. Sleeping
50. Five hundred and one
51. Contradict
53. Breathe in
55. Exchanges
56. Secsaw
DOWN
1. Handles
2. Paradise
3. Public announcement
4. Catnip
5. Seaweed
6. Dribble
7. Scotch
8. God of war
9. Wheeled vehicle
10. Among
11. Eat gradually
12. Talker
17. Japanese
20. Obliteration
22. Acquiring
24. Female relative
28. Couples
30. And so forth
33. Shirk duty
34. Cut of bacon
35. Cubic meters
36. Narrow passage of water
37. Church officer
38. More uncanny
41. Take up weapons
44. Carry
45. English queen
48. Father
49. Article
52. Southern state: abbr.
54. Near

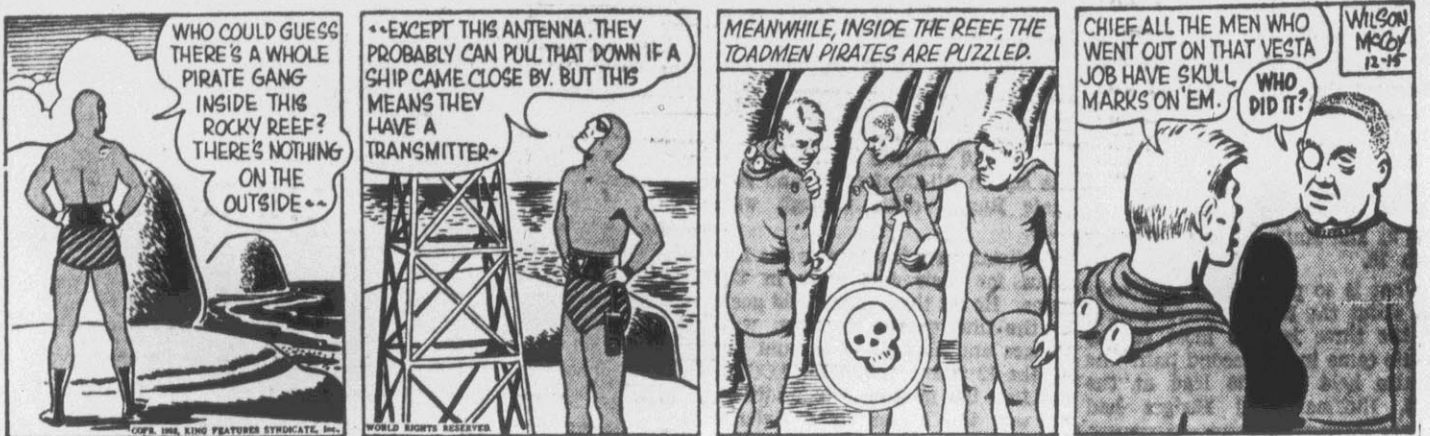


TOUGH ALL OVER
FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP) — A man arrested for stealing a tractor-trailer readily explained to Detectives Paul Jones and Marvin Pletcher. He couldn't make a living, he said, in the face of withholding tax and other deductions, so he took the truck to get an expense-free term in the penitentiary.

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6 Insertions \$3.75
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SAVE MONEY
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1—Special Notices
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Residence Phone 5322

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

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. 1-17

IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR peanuts threshed, hay baled or land disced, see A. J. Garris at Blackwood's or phone 4307.
3-8t

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. 12-17

FREE—WE WILL GIVE ONE TURKEY free to the person whose name is drawn on Saturday November 22, 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. 18-17

IF THE MAN OF THE HOUSE won't teach you, we will. Learn to drive the safe way. Dual-control cars, professional instructors. Call L. E. Anderson, 2880.
Dec. 11-17

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL — FROM now until Christmas we offer permanent at 1-4 off Call early for appointments and avoid the last minute rush. Le Anne Beauty Shop, Phone 3544.
10-12t

IF YOU ARE DREAMING OF clean rugs and upholstery for Christmas use Fina Foam. Belk-Tyler's 3rd floor.
15-6t

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—WE are now charging 15 cents each to dress chickens brought to us. This is not for the chickens we sell. Pitt Poultry Co., West 5th St.
12-6t

CLIFF SAYS...
We have Brass Andirons, Fire Screens and Hearth Sets at attractive prices. Visit us while they last.
C. H. EDWARDS
HARDWARE HOUSE

BELL STUDIO OF PHOTOGRAPHY, offer Unemployment Office, 221 E. Fifth Street Phone 5573. Personalized portraits; wedding, commercial, etc. This Christmas or birthday give a "picture of you."
Dec. 17-1 mo.

2nd Found
WHEN YOU SEE A "LOST" AD in The Daily Reflector right away to notify folks what you're missing, you reduce your chances of losing out. Finders generally check the "Lost and Found" column to learn who's the owner, so make sure your ad is in there whenever you lose something of value. Phone 5717 for an ad-writer. The Daily Reflector will gladly charge your ad.
17-12t

5—Help Wanted

"ARE YOU NEAT OF APPEARANCE?" Do you have a car? Are you ambitious and willing to work? Are you capable of working into a managerial capacity within 90 days? Can you get along on \$80 to \$120 a week to start? Do you live in or near Greenville, North Carolina? If you can answer yes to the above questions apply to E. M. Dunn, 413 Commercial Building, Raleigh, N. C.
17-2t

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.
17-12t

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 person 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.

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8—Work Wanted

A MIDDLE AGE WHITE WOMAN desires a job as a companion or housekeeper in an adult home. Day-time job. Phone 4909.
16-2t

10—For Rent

FOR RENT—3 ROOM UPSTAIRS unfurnished apartment. Living room, kitchen, bedroom and bath. Hot and cold water furnished. Can be seen at 212 W. 8th St. Call 5555.
17-3t

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM UN- furnished apartment. Call 2180.
Dec. 15-17

FOR RENT—TWO HORSE CROP with eight acres of tobacco and other crops. Only sober men need apply. J. R. More Jr., 404 Jarvis St. Telephone 4213.
15-3t

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM UN- furnished apartment. Call 2180.
Dec. 15-17

TWO ONE-HORSE CROPS FOR rent. Located 1-4 mile west of Winterville. See Haywood A. McLawhorn, Winterville, N. C. Phone No. 5658.
11-6t

HOUSE FOR RENT—IDEAL FOR tourist home. Has 12 rooms, two baths and two porches. Located at 1111 Dickinson Ave. If you are interested, call 2782.
Dec. 11-17

FOR RENT—ONE LARGE FUR- nished front room, next to bath. At 214 Greene Street. Call or phone 4532.
Dec. 9-17

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM BRICK house three blocks from college. Call R. H. Station at 2411 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
6-12t

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. 26-17

FOR RENT—4 ROOM APARTMENT 1 bedroom and living room partly furnished, a separate entrance and a garage. Phone 3571, 707 E. 4th St.
Dec. 2-17

NEW BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT!!!
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14—For Sale

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5-14-50

KEN'S FURNITURE SHOP
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Take 'em home by the quart or shells in pecks. Eat 'em here, steamed, fried, stewed. We're located on Washington Highway at Port Terminal Road. Open 6 p.m. til mid-night.
Dec. 9-1 mo.

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5-1-17

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5-23-17

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Nov. 18-17

14—For Sale

JUST RECEIVED — LIONEL "Scout" 5-unit electric freight train: includes locomotive, tender, box car, gondola, caboose, transformer and track. Price \$17.75 up. National Supply Co., 412 Evans St.
17-6t

FOR SALE — GLIDER HOUSE trailer. Fully equipped. New tires, six-ply heavy duty. Write replies to "House Trailer," P.O. Box 408, Greenville, N. C. This trailer is located one mile out on Washington highway.
17-3t

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17-12t

AMERICAN FILBERT "HAZEL" nut — Family favorite. Young bearer of tasty, round nuts. Two to 3 ft. trees, offer No. 2-4, \$2.85, postpaid. Write for free copy 56-page Planting Guide catalog in color, offering complete line fruit trees, nut trees, berry plants, grape vines and ornamental plant material. Salespeople wanted. Waynesboro Nurseries, Waynesboro, Va.

IF YOU NEED FERTILIZER OR tobacco cloth please see or call Herman Sutton phone 3659-4, or Dixie Fertilizer Dealer, Route 3, Greenville, N. C. Dec. 9-1 mo.

FOR SALE—A BLACK COCKER spaniel puppy. This is a very pretty puppy and would be an ideal Christmas gift. If you are interested call 3089.
16-3t

FOR SALE—TURKEYS, TURKEYS Give us your order for your freshly dressed Christmas needs. We will have plenty of turkeys. Wholesale and retail. We deliver. Dial 2227. Pitt Poultry Co., West Fifth Street.
12-11t

SPECIAL — LARGE SELECTION latest styles simulated pearl necklaces. One to four strands. \$1.99 federal tax included. Best Jewelry Co., Evans Street, Greenville, N. C.

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(11-22-MO)

ROACHES? — WHY KEEP 'EM! Roach films, the new invisible paint-on killer is terrific. Belk-Tyler's 3rd floor.
10-27-17

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. 28-17

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

PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW FOR a nice broad breasted bronze turkey for Christmas. Alive or freshly dressed. Quick delivery service. Collins Grocery Co., 304 W. 9th St. Dial 2724.
10-12t

FOR SALE—2 YEAR OLD FEMALE pointer. Broke. Excellent retriever. 5 day trial allowed. Phone 4026 or can be seen at 307 Vance Street.
10-6t

JUST LOOK AT THESE PRICES All new chairs, \$2.85; tin heaters, \$3.95; ironing board, padded, \$6.95; heater boards, \$1.00; 50c bottle of furniture polish free with purchase of \$5.00 or more.

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Cor. 14th & Evans Streets Phone 5683
12-3-1 mo.

FOR SALE—DUO THERM HEAT- er, large size with blower, practically new. Priced for a quick sale. Call 2339 or 4021.
Dec. 15-17

FOR GUARANTEED FRESH EGGS for Christmas, call 4876 or come and get them at Fornes Street off 10th Street Ext.
16-6t

WANTED TO SELL—A DAVEN- port and chair. Very reasonable. Call 3752.
16-3t

FOR SALE—BOY'S 24 INCH BICY- cle. Very good buy. Mrs. John Hodges Jr., 301 Eastern St. Dial 4227.
16-2t

FOR SALE—CHILD'S TEN-INCH bicycle (boys'). In very good condition, \$10.00; girl's bicycle, \$5.00; rubber tire jeep in good condition, \$5.00. Large enough for 4 yr. old child to ride in. Mrs. Elsie Eagan, Phone 2870.
16-3t

WE HAVE IN STOCK FOR DE- liver to you now all varieties of Bell's, Watson's, F. W. Huggins and Son's, C. Heger Moore and McNair's certified and tested tobacco seed. Dial 3735 J. A. Watson Seed and Hardware Co.
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Registered litter of beautifully marked Collies. Ideal for Xmas. Reasonably priced. Call 3236 or 2541. Ayden, N. C.
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17—Homes For Sale

SELLING YOUR HOME? — A classified ad in the Daily Reflector gets you many hot prospects. Phone 5717.
17-12t

BRICK VENEER HOUSE ON NICE lot. Living room, dining room, kitchen, den, 2 bedrooms, tiled bath, 7 closets, Lennox heat, large screened porch, weatherstripped and insulated. Call R. H. Station at 2411 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.
6-12t

19—Farms For Sale

FARM FOR SALE—PITT COUNTY 194 acres, 60 acres of cleared 8.5-10 acres of tobacco, two houses, three tobacco barns, stables, packhouse. Reduced to \$14,900 for quick sale. Near Ayden and Grifton. Call 3682 after 5:00. Good tobacco land. 16-6t

AUCTION SALE

FARM EQUIPMENT

AUCTION TO BE CON- ducted on premises
THURS., Dec. 18
AT 10 A. M.

Sale Will include: 1 Ford Tractor and Complete Equipment; one 1951 Farmall Super A, with cultivators and breaking plows; also tobacco trucks, tobacco sticks, and lots of other miscellaneous equipment.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
CALL 3660-9

Edward G. Thomas, Agent
THOMAS FARM
GALLOWAYS X ROADS
(15-3t)

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.
17-12t

22—Farm Supplies

1-M. ONE ROW JOHN DEERE tractor, 1952 model, and other farming equipment for sale — two wagons; discs; 1 cultivator; 1 soybean harrow; 1 transplanter; plows; 1 horse, 8 years old; 1 mule, 8 years old; 1 mule, 15 years old; 1 mare colt, 3 years old. Will be sold Saturday, Dec. 20, at 9:30 a.m. at S. A. Worthington's, Route 2, Grifton, N. C.
13-5t

24—Money To Loan

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NOTICE OF RESALE OF REAL ESTATE
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PITT COUNTY
Under and by virtue of an Order of the Superior Court of Pitt County made in a special proceeding therein pending entitled Hannah Williams Hardy, et al vs Robert Lee Williams Baker, et al, it being Special Proceeding No. 5595 and signed by the Honorable D. T. House Jr., Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, the undersigned Commissioners will, at 12 o'clock Noon, Monday the 22nd day of December, 1952, at the door of the Court House of Pitt County in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the Court, a certain tract of land lying and being in the Village of Pacotus, Pacotus Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and particularly described as follows:
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Dec. 10-17

NOTICE
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PITT COUNTY
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK
James W. H. Roberts and Jane Ross 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 petitioner 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 of the petitioner will appeal 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 is the same property which was conveyed to John Williams by R. R. Fleming as shown by deed dated the 29th day of September, 1919, and recorded in Book L-13 at page 244.

The highest bidder will be required to deposit with the Commissioners ten per cent (10%) of his bid as evidence of his good faith.

Stocks And Market Reports

NEW YORK (UP) — Stocks moved within a narrow range early today on reduced volume. Changes throughout the list were extremely small with a number of issues holding at their previous close. A few selected issues, however, managed to move out of the fractional zone.

Dealings were generally on a restricted basis. Sales in the first hour totaled 310,000 shares, compared with 410,000 in the same period yesterday.

A few recent strong stocks ran into some mild profit-taking. Missouri Pacific, recent bellwether, slipped to 46 1/4. Allegheny preferred dipped 3 points to 146. A few oil equities moved widely. Texas Pacific Coal & Oil added 1 1/2 points to 41 3/4, and Texas Gulf Producing rose a point to 32 1/4. Texas Pacific Land Trust declined 1/2 points to 153.

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

American Can	35 1/2
American Car & F	37 1/2
American Sugar	81
American T & T	157 1/2
American Tobacco	66 1/2
Alliant Coast Line	118
Baltimore & Ohio	25 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	61
Boeing Aircraft	39
Briggs Mfg	37 1/2

Chesapeake & Ohio 38 3/4
Chrysler 88 3/4
Coca-Cola 109
Colgate-P-P 44
Continental Can 46
Corn Products 68 1/2
Douglas Aircraft 64 1/2
Curtiss-Wright 77 1/2
DuPont 25 1/2
Eastern Air 43 1/2
Eastman Kodak 72
General Electric 67 1/2
Goodrich 73 1/2
Goodyear 51
International Harvester 21 1/2
International Nickel 43
International T & T 19 1/4
Johns-Manville 75
Kennecott 76 1/2
Kroger Co. 41 3/4
Liggett & Myers 75

RALEIGH (UP) — Central North Carolina live poultry: Fryers or broilers weak, supplies plentiful, demand gentle slow. Heavy hen, steady, supplies adequate, demand fair to good. Prices at farm up to 10 a.m. today: Fryers or broilers 2 1/2-3 lbs 28-29 mostly 28; heavy hens 23-25 mostly 24-25, one scale 26.

Eggs: Market steady to three cents higher, supplies short, demand good. Prices paid producers and handlers FOB local grading stations: A large 57, A medium 48-50, B large 55-50.

RALEIGH (UP) — Hog markets: Smithfield: Steady at 17.00-17.25 for good and choice 180-240 lb barrows and gilts.

Tarboro: Hamilton, Kinston, Rich Square, Siler City, Dunn, Mt. Olive, Wilson, New Bern, Goldsboro, Washington, Wilmington, Jacksonville, Lumberton, Marion: Steady at 17.00.

Fayetteville, Florence: 26 cents higher at 17.00.

RICHMOND, Va. (UP) — Hog market steady with top 16.50 for good and choice 180-220 lb barrows and gilts.

Car Overturns, Driver Injured On Belvoir Highway

FALKLAND — James A. Elks, 30-year-old Negro of Route 1, Pine Top was injured last night when his automobile overturned on the Belvoir highway.

Patrolman James W. Boykin of Greenville, investigating officer, reported that the Elks car was traveling the rural paved road leading from Belvoir, towards Falkland and failed to make a curve as the road reached the Falkland highway.

Elks suffered a back injury when the car overturned. It came to rest on its top, with more than \$600 damage resulting.

No charges have been placed against the driver at this time, the officer reported.

The accident occurred around 10:30, about one half mile from Falkland.

School Girl Is Struck By Car; Driver Cleared

A jay walking school girl was painfully but not seriously injured around 8:30 this morning when struck by a car at Boyd and Dickinson Avenue.

The Greenville Police Department, reported that Fannie Mae Price, 13, of 307 A West 13th Street, city, was struck as she crossed in front of a car operated by Mrs. Rachel Meeks Moore, 19, of 100 Contentment Street, City.

According to the Police report the car operated by Mrs. Moore had stopped for the traffic light, and as the car started to move forward on the change of the light, the small girl started to cross the street in the middle of the block.

Police officers, who investigated, stated that the accident could not have been avoided and no charges were made against the driver.

Smelled Smoke, But No Blaze

Greenville Firemen answered a fire alarm to box 155 last night around seven o'clock when a woman smelled smoke in her house.

Local fire fighters were called to 604 Roosevelt Avenue, to the home of Dave Parker, when the house was believed on fire.

However, firemen were unable to find any evidence of any fire.

Autos Collided At Intersection

Cars driven by George W. Smith, 55, of 119 North Eastern Street, city and Richard Earl Worthington, 25, of Route 2, Winterville collided at the intersection of Eastern and Johnson Street, around eight o'clock yesterday morning.

Neither of the drivers were injured and damage to both cars estimated at \$325.

No arrests were made.

Colored News

Rev. P. H. Mumford wishes to remind members of York Memorial Church of the special church conference Thursday night at which time all officers will be elected for the year. The meeting will be held at 7:30.

There will be an ETADPOW membership meeting Thursday at 8 p.m. at the union hall, 305 W. 14th St.

Eppes Glee Club, Drama Group Present Program

Members of the Eppes High School Glee Club Drama group presented "The Adoration" Sunday afternoon as their annual Christmas program.

The program opened with three choral preludes, "I Wonder as I Wander," "O Holy Night," and "O Come, O Come Emmanuel." A prologue and five scenes were presented by costumed students in a tableau with Christmas hymns by the glee club.

The prologue was set in a Nazareth chamber with Gabriel appearing to Mary. Songs were "Lo How a Rose," and "Magnificat." Scene One took place in a field near Bethlehem with angels appearing before the Shepherds. The glee club sang "Silent Night."

Scene Two was in the courtyard of

Little Leaguers In Annual Meet

The Greenville Recreation department held its annual Little League banquet last night marking the end of two years of Little League activities.

Warren Carroll, recreation director, and guest speaker Jack Boone, East Carolina football coach, spoke to the father and son gathering encouraging continued interest in Little League programs.

Following a buffet dinner Carroll presented awards to Bobby Edwards, Dick Evans and Bob Bilbro for outstanding participation in Little League affairs.

Carroll then spoke to the boys present thanking them for their interest and for the progress achieved in the overall program this year. "I hope all of you have and will learn the morals of good sportsmanship and fair play which will benefit each of you in later years," said Carroll, he then spoke to the fathers, "There has been some opposition by education leaders in relation to our Little League programs but the increasing support of parents of Little Leaguers in this area make me believe the program is serving a beneficial purpose. More and more parents are offering their support to the program we feel this is encouragement enough to continue."

Carroll also extended thanks to the Exchange Club for their support in securing equipment for continued Little League operation.

Jack Boone paid tribute to Little League programs for preparing tomorrow's athletic stars and future citizens of our country.

"Youngster's participation in these programs are at the age when they develop either good or bad habits. I can't for the life of me understand how anyone who is thoroughly acquainted with this program can be against it."

"Young boys are going to play football, baseball and other sports regardless and with someone to share their interest and teach them morals at the same time the program is a definite aid to better futures for our men of tomorrow."

Boone showed football movies of the East Carolina-Stetson U. game in the final event of the evening.

Bridge Workman Hurt In Mishap

A State highway bridge crew workman was injured early this morning when a load of timbers fell against him as the truck on which he was riding suddenly stopped.

Traffic Officer T. E. Gladson said the truck, driven by Horace Butts of Greenville, stopped for a red light at Fifth and Pitt Streets, causing the timber to fall on Kirby Williams, riding on the back of the truck.

Williams was taken to Pitt Memorial Hospital by the Fire Department rescue truck where he was treated for a foot injury.

Mrs. Thomas Lewis Funeral On Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Nan Moore Lewis, 84, who died Tuesday morning at 5 o'clock, will be held at Clark's Greenville Funeral Home, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Hamilton, Free Will Baptist minister of Fountain, will officiate. Burial will be in the Langley family cemetery near Sharp's Point.

Mrs. Lewis was a native of Pitt County and spent her life here. She was the wife of the late Thomas Lewis. Several nieces and nephews survive.

Duke Univ. President Addresses Alumni Association Pitt Chapter

President Hollis Edens of Duke University addressed members of the Pitt Chapter of the Duke Alumni Association in Greenville last night.

Speaking before some 85 Duke alumni and guests, the president of the University reviewed briefly the expansion program which has been carried on at Duke since World War II, and the efforts which are being made to improve the program of the University.

"We have a great institution, Edens asserted. "It didn't grow in a day and it will not mature tomorrow." He added that it has been agreed now that the student enrollment at Duke University (5,000 students) should remain a permanent figure. "I hope the next growth will not be growth in the student body but growth in the program of the University," Edens said.

The president paid tribute to the individuals closely connected with Trinity College and the influence the college has had upon the present Duke University. "Duke University is what it is today because of Trinity College and the character and influence of the lives of the people of Trinity have gone to enriching the life of Duke."

President Edens discussed the Distinguished Professorship endowment fund which has been given for the University, and asserted it will be a major step in improving the program of the institution.

During a discussion session with the alumni, in which he asked not to be quoted, President Edens discussed the institution's position on post-season athletic activities, the charges recently hurled at the institution by former State American Commander Charles Parker, and other matters of interest to the alumni.

Superior Court Judge J. Paul Frizzelle of Snow Hill, member of the board of trustees of the University, was a special guest of the meeting and commented briefly on the progress of the University and the influence of the men who guide it.

President Edens was introduced by W. Jasper Smith of Bethel, Sam B. Underwood Jr. of Greenville was master of ceremonies at the dinner meeting.

Following the address by President Edens, the Pitt Chapter of the Duke Alumni Association elected the following officers for the new year: Alton Barrett of Greenville, president; Robert Booth of Ayden, vice president; Mrs. Reynolds May of Greenville, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. David Whichard of Greenville, alumni council representative.

One Year Ago It Was Really Cold

Yesterday's weather in the Greenville area was mild in comparison with the frigid weather prevailing here on the same day a year ago.

The highest temperature here that day was 32 degrees. The lowest that night, 14 degrees above zero, and at 8 a. m. next day the mercury stood at 17 degrees. Plenty ice, no snow. Mrs. Carl E. Maiden local observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau, reported. The highest temperature here yesterday was 50 degrees. Lowest last night, 25, and at 8 a. m. today it was 30 degrees.

Capitol Square

(Continued from page four) good, and will make numerous sacrifices to promote it, but their primary interest is in their own personal welfare—which is largely controlled by the size of the paycheck or dividend received.

FRIEND — The foregoing observation gives point to the comment by a veteran school man the other day. He said: "With Bill Umstead as Governor, 'Gene' Bost as Speaker of the House, Frank Taylor as legislative counsel, and millionaire business men as President and President-pro tem of the Senate (Luther Hodges and Edwin Pate), looks like what we need is a 'friend' instead of a 'conservative.'"

A glance at the roster of the Legislature and a cursory review of the past records of several members should convince the school teachers they will not lack for friendly advocates in the upcoming session.

Killer Is . . .

(Continued from Page One) Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Wife Tried

Immediately following the case against Brown, his wife, Laura Mae, was tried. She had been charged with carrying a concealed weapon and malicious destruction of real property.

The concealed weapon charge, it was reported, came after she attempted to smuggle a gun into the Ayden jail where her husband was being held on a charge of murder. Laura Mae pled guilty to carrying a concealed weapon and was sentenced to serve two years in the Woman's Division of State Prison.

diction he: 1. pay costs and a fine of \$50; 2. remain a law-abiding citizen, remain gainfully employed; 3. leave Gustavia Carrington alone and not be found on her premises or associate with her on the street for a period of 15 years.

Any of the above violations puts the sentence into effect. Court is slated to continue through Friday.

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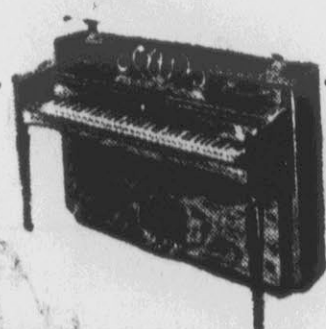
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