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Death Toll Almost Reaches 200 Mark

Hundreds Of Travelers Still Face Trips Home On Jammed Highways; Safety Council Predicts Death Of 590 Persons Over Holidays

By UNITED PRESS Christmas was just another day of hard, bloody work for hundreds of ambulance drivers, nurses, emergency ward internes and highway patrolmen.

The death toll in holiday accidents neared the 200 mark today—and hundreds of thousands of Christmas travelers still faced trips home along jammed, overloaded highways.

A United Press tabulation showed that at least 193 persons were killed in holiday accidents, 173 of them in traffic mishaps. Fires took five lives, a plane crash killed two, and 13 persons perished in miscellaneous accidents.

The National Safety Council predicted that a record-smashing total of 590 persons would die in traffic accidents during the four-day holiday ending midnight Sunday.

Rail, air and highway systems again began to feel the crush of heavy travel as many persons started back to jobs and homes after spending Christmas with their families or friends.

It was the seventh time in 13 years that America celebrated Christmas while engaged in a bloody war on foreign soil. Thus, the holiday spelled nostalgia for the troops in the field in Korea and loneliness and worry for sweethearts, wives and parents waiting here.

A snow that was too light to measure fell in the Chicago area Thursday and other light flurries were reported in New England and West Virginia. But in most areas children had to leave their sleds and skis under the Christmas tree until another day.

The travel jam stranded some persons before they could reach their destinations, forcing them to spend Christmas alone in strange cities. The Chicago USO kept stranded servicemen as gay as possible with dances, games, pretty hostesses and free Christmas dinners.

A small private plane crashed in a fog-shrouded area near Chadbourne, N.C., Christmas night, killing its two passengers instantly. They were identified as Allen M. Jones of Alexandria, Va., and Byron Lee Tormohlen of Portland, Ind.

Two persons were killed and 13 were injured in a Christmas-morning collision on a Colorado highway. Ned H. Dearborn, National Safety Council president, said that if the council's prediction of 590 auto deaths was realized it would be "an all-time high for any holiday for which records have been kept."

The previous record of 555 auto deaths was set last Christmas.

Russia Welches On Debts To U.S., Survey Shows WASHINGTON (UP)—Russia and its Communist satellites have eluded on more than \$12,000,000 in American debts, a survey revealed today.

They have refused to settle huge wartime lend-lease accounts, pay for surplus property, repay loans, make good on bonds, or compensate thousands of Americans for seized property.

Russia is far and away the biggest offender. Figures made available by government agencies show that the Soviet Union owes more than \$11,396,300,000 on lend-lease and miscellaneous other bills.

The bad debts on the satellites are not nearly as large but they are substantial. Poland, for example, owes \$439,000,000. Romania, \$167,000,000; Czechoslovakia, \$141,000,000; China \$107,000,000.

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"Our subcommittee has not had time to get into that in the last year and a half," Kean said. "But in the next session of Congress we propose to give the alcohol tax unit our close attention."

Kean said there have been cases where liquor permits were granted by top officials after subordinate bureau investigators recommended they be denied.

There have been other suspicious instances, Kean said, where liquor companies "got out of trouble, much to the surprise of some who were familiar with the trouble they were in."

Kean previously had said that the subcommittee will question Treasury Secretary John W. Snyder sometime during the next session, perhaps in January.

Some Republican members of the subcommittee want to ask Snyder about the interest he took in handling a \$20,000,000 tax claim of Universal Pictures, Inc., of Hollywood. The case was settled in December, 1949, for less than \$2,000,000.

Kean's preview of what his group will do next year came after the subcommittee submitted its final report to the outgoing 82d Congress on the outgoing 82d Congress on the investigation it has conducted in the last 18 months.

The subcommittee was high in its praise of the Internal Revenue Bureau for steps recently taken to guard against corruption among tax officials in the future.

It said the new policy of requiring some 30,000 bureau officials and employees to file periodic statements of their personal financial condition, plus closer auditing of the personal tax returns of bureau employees and constant checking by the new Internal Revenue Inspection Service, should result in "substantial elimination of corruption in the bureau."

"With this report the subcommittee concludes the work of almost two years of investigation of the administration of the internal revenue laws," the subcommittee said.

"During this period, significant changes in personnel and procedures in revenue administration have taken place. The entire Bureau of Internal Revenue has been reorganized, and the foundation established on which a truly blue-ribbon revenue system can be built."

Bands Approved For Big Parade WASHINGTON (UP)—Thirty-one marching units and bands, representing 18 states and territories, already have been approved for participation in the presidential inaugural parade Jan. 20.

Among the marchers will be a team of six dogs from Alaska. Parade Committee Chairman Edward R. Carr said he still is negotiating for the participation of bands and units from other states. The parade officials also are discussing with state authorities the possibility of including floats in the line of march.

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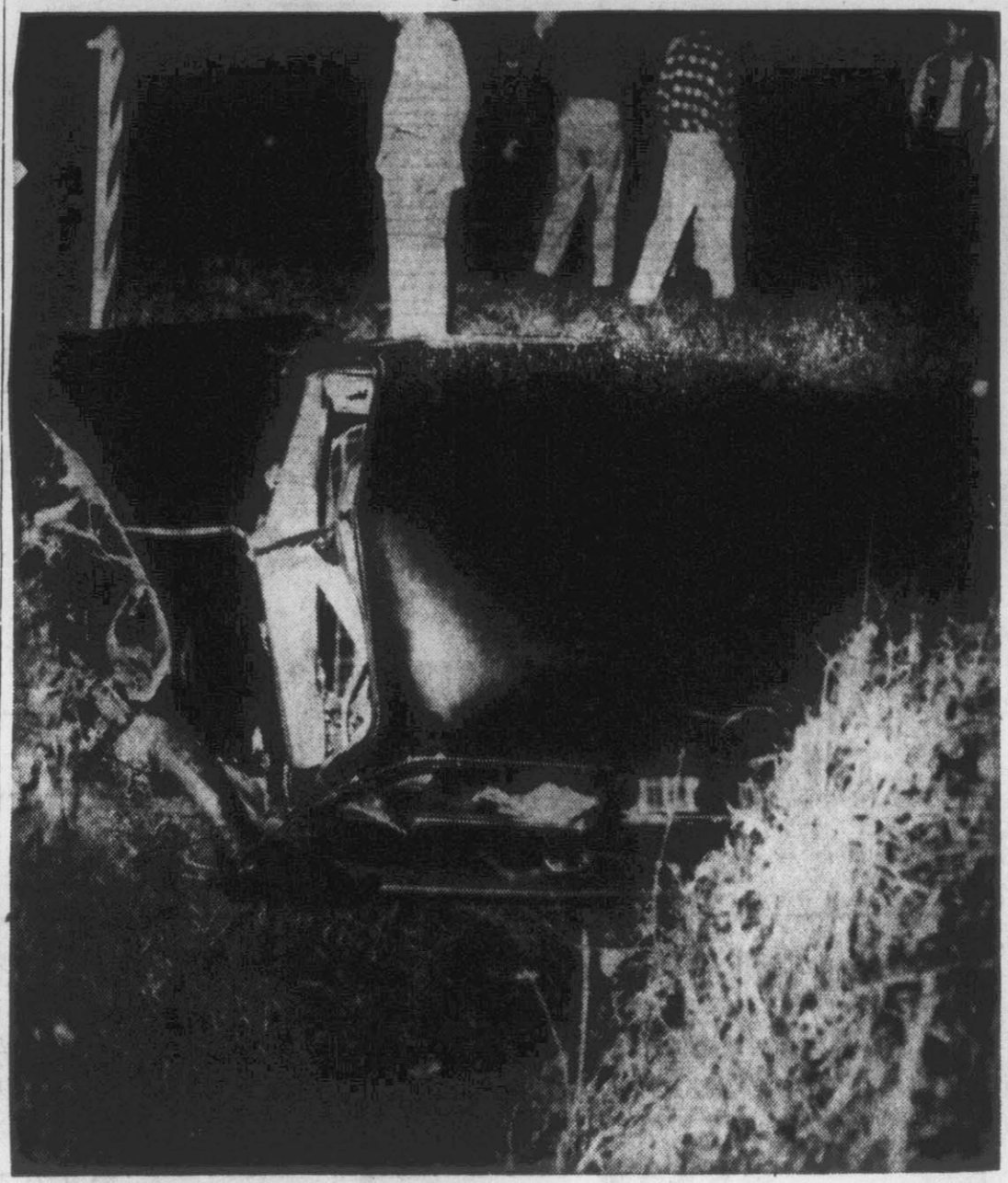
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Several Injured In One Car



HOLIDAY ACCIDENTS—claimed seven injured persons and heavy property damage in Pitt County Christmas. Five persons were injured around one o'clock Christmas morning when the automobile shown above left the highway and rammed into a drainage ditch striking a cement abutment, demolishing the car. The driver a Marine from Camp Lejeune was charged with careless and reckless driving. (Reflector Photo by Roy Hardee)

Pitt Holiday Accidents High In Property Toll

Seven Persons Sent To Hospital As Result Of Holiday Accidents; Thousands Of Dollars Lost In Property Damage

By ROY HARDEE Reflector Staff Writer Christmas, with all its gay and merriment, had its darker side as well.

Highway accidents in Pitt County claimed thousands of dollars in property damage and sent seven persons to the hospital.

Five persons were injured around one o'clock Christmas morning when the automobile in which they were riding headed in the direction of Winterville ran off the highway and rammed a drainage abutment.

Patrolman Bill Whitehurst of Ayden, investigating officer, listed the injured as: Vincent Bemblers, 30-year-old Camp Lejeune marine who was driving; Bemblers received a broken jaw; Katherine Manning, 1220 Evans Street, 19, lacerations of the right leg; Regald Prince, 19, of Camp Lejeune, cuts on the face; Verona Robinson, 19, of Route 1, Greenville, serious cuts about the face, injured knee and shock. Her condition was listed as serious by Pitt Memorial; and Stanley Robinson, 24, broken left arm and back injury.

Katherine Manning was released after being treated at Pitt Memorial, while the other occupants of the car were removed to the Marine Hospital at Camp Lejeune by ambulance yesterday.

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The Jackson car traveled 175 feet before the first impact and overturned into a swamp. Both cars were heavily damaged. Investigating officers were D. E. Perry and Bill Whitehurst.

A 30-year-old Negro man faces a charge of careless and reckless driving after overturning his car on a rural dirt road near Bell' Fork yesterday morning.

Elbert Moye, service station worker, escaped without injury when his car failed to make a curve and traveled 210 feet, striking a tree, overturned, and righted its self on all four wheels. The car was demolished. Whitehurst stated.

Two Negro men suffered injuries yesterday afternoon when their car wrecked on the New Stantonburg road near Greenville.

Anti-Red Jokes Are Big Weapon

By JOSEPH FLEMING United Press Staff Correspondent BERLIN (UP)—The East German Communists have begun a purge of all comedians who make fun of the government, but they can't stop anti-Red jokes.

Jokes which poke fun at Russia, Premier Joseph Stalin and the Communist system have become a major weapon in the Soviet zone's resistance campaign against communism.

When groups of Germans sit around Soviet zone cafes, whippersnappers and then break out into loud laughter it's a safe bet they're telling jokes that would land them in jail if they were spoken out loud.

For the most part the jokes are circulated by word of mouth but some appear in leaflets printed clandestinely.

Most popular are jokes dealing with the food shortage: A Communist official's wife is chatting with the wife of a worker. Suddenly, the worker's wife looks at her watch and says she must hurry home to dinner.

"When do you eat?" asks the official's wife. "On Tuesday and Friday," the worker's wife replies.

As the Communists whipped up infatigue about Stalin's 73rd birthday, Stalin jokes increased. Here's an example:

An old woman wrote to Stalin congratulating him on his birthday. She said: "I wish you everything that the German people have been wishing for years."

Next day she was arrested for instigation to murder.

The quality of goods sold in state-owned shops causes frequent mirth.

A customer complains that the left shoe of a pair he is trying on is too tight. The salesgirl says that the tightness will ease off after he walks for a while.

Stalin's Peace Proposal To Be Received If Concrete

UN Forces Spar With Strong Red Patrols On Front

Red Threat 'In Seoul By Christmas' Fizzles Out; Come Near Capital With Daring Air Sweep; Jet Attack Drive MIG'S Back

SEoul, Korea (UP)—United Nations forces sparred with a rash of strong Red patrols which knifed out along the entire 155-mile Korean front today after their propaganda threat to "in Seoul by Christmas" fizzled in a plea for a "Christmas cease-fire."

The Red patrol actions pinched at U. N. positions in the Sniper Ridge, Triangle Hill sector North of Kumhwa on the central front. All were beaten off.

One Allied patrol fought a savage 40-minute hand-to-hand battle with a Chinese platoon encountered in a central front sector.

The Reds pared down their offensive efforts after eight of their "mechanical monsters" had been scattered by American Patton tanks in what the Communists described as their Christmas day "defensive warfare."

After suffering a severe defeat in their one apparent effort to stage a break-through on the invasion route to Seoul Christmas eve, the nearest the Reds came to the battered former South Korean capital was a daring air sweep which enabled them to look at Seoul from a distance of 40 miles. Even that token gesture wilted under heavy Sabre jet attacks.

The Reds threw eight armored gun carriers against United Nations forces on the west central front last night after alert GI resistance to a four-hour Communist proposal for a Christmas "cease-fire."

American Patton tanks disabled two of the vehicles in a blazing duel on a hilltop west of Chorwon.

Forty-one MIG-15 jets roared down "pretty close" to Seoul and a Christmas morning air raid alert was sounded for 42 minutes. An air force spokesman said it was the deepest penetration southward by enemy planes in months.

When 30 U. N. Sabre jets swarmed into the skies to intercept the MIGs the Russian-made fighters headed back to their Manchurian sanctuary. Allied planes didn't get a chance to fire a shot.

The two Red "monsters" disabled by the American tanks were part of a force of four which were engaged near Chorwon. Four others hurled 90 rounds of 76-millimeter shells into Allied bunkers and trenches south of Panmunjom, but lumbered away before U. N. guns could be trained on them.

The apparently were the same as the "mechanical monsters" which have appeared on the front twice before in the last six weeks. The vehicles resemble German World War II "flak wagons."

Allied warplanes continued their round-the-clock attacks on Communist targets, hurling bombs and napalm on 15 supply dumps and destroying 12 buildings. Pilots said they saw "numerous fires and secondary explosions" after their raids.

Sabre jet pilots fought in even numbers with 16 Communist MIG-15 jets in northwest Korea, but made no claims for the first time in five days.

Free Tow Service For Motorists VANCOUVER, B. C. (UP)—The city auto towing service hauled more than 40 automobiles to owners' homes free of charge Christmas night to help keep holiday accidents down.

To qualify for the free tow all the motorist had to do was say he was too drunk to drive safely himself. The firm will offer the same service New Year's Eve.

Crash Kills 23

TEHRAN, Iran (AP)—An Iranian Airways plane crashed in a dense fog last night a few miles from Tehran airport, killing 23 persons including four Americans. Only two passengers survived the tragedy.

The plane, inbound from Isfahan, 216 miles south of Tehran, circled for a landing, bounced several hundred yards in an open field, then broke apart. There was a small fire that burned out quickly. Investigators believe the pilot miscalculated the altitude in attempting a blind landing.

Dynamite Blasts Window Lights

A large charge of dynamite, believed set off by Christmas Eve pranksters, blasted 24 window lights from the home of Heber Stocks near Cox's Mill early Christmas morning.

Deputy Sheriffs Jasper Lee Mills and Lloyd Manning, who investigated the explosion, said no personal injury resulted from the blast. The people in the house "were just scared to death," Deputy Sheriff Mills said.

Mills said the unknown "pranksters" threw a charge which "must have been half a case of dynamite" in the yard of Stocks' home about 3 o'clock yesterday morning. When the dynamite exploded, it broke 24 windows in the two-story house, shook pictures from the walls, and abruptly broke the Christmas slumber of Stocks and his family.

No other damage was reported to the house.

Home Occupied In the house when the explosion went off were Stocks, his wife, their son, daughter, grandchild and several other children. The family lives on the Hugh Bell Mills farm.

Deputy sheriffs are still seeking the identity of the persons who set off the charge.

Members of the sheriff's department said the dynamite was thrown at the edge of the highway some 25 to 30 feet in front of the house. The explosion blew a hole in the ground approximately one foot deep and one and one-half feet in diameter.

Investigating officers expressed the opinion the charge was set off as a practical joke rather than in an attempt to do bodily harm to the occupants of the house. They pointed out the charge probably would have been placed near the house were the explosion an attempt on the lives of persons in the dwelling.

Ayden Searching For Police Chief

AYDEN—The Board of Town Commissioners has received several applications for the job of chief of police of Ayden.

References submitted by applicants are being checked and the commissioners are expected to take some action about filling the vacancy at the next meeting.

The Board of Town Commissioners meets the first Tuesday in each month. Mayor Corey Stokes presides.

A check-up with the Ayden police today shows that Christmas was comparatively quiet here. Police made four or five arrests. One arrest was for a man beating his wife, one driving drunk case and several drunks.

The fire department had no alarm during the holiday. Gene Smith is chief of the fire department.

Drive-In Theatre Is Gaining Fame

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—A Dallas drive-in theater is gaining fame here for showing motion pictures that appear nowhere else.

Some recent offerings, according to the theater's marquee, included: "Bandlands of Dakota," "Don't Brother to Knock," "African Terrence," and "Allaganie Uprising."

Some of the stars included: "John Hall," "Cory Grant," "Jeef Chandler," and "Gary Copper."

This Is Promotion? KILLEEN, Tex. (U.P.)—The commanding officer of the 317th Tank Battalion at Fort Hood has promoted Edward Sargent to sergeant.

Christmas On Bethlehem Point In Korea Was A Nightmare

EASTERN FRONT, Korea (UP)—For the men of King Company Christmas on "Bethlehem Point" was a nightmare.

Two hundred North Koreans staged a banzai attack. The screaming Reds appeared out of nowhere. It was a hand to hand fight, and the snow was soon stained with blood. The Reds won the position, but the American GIs got it back.

The men of King Company had been entrenched in a finger of land jutting into enemy lines only 60 yards from the R-held Luke-the-Gook's Castle.

"The captain had just come by and wished me a Merry Christmas," Cpl. Agnew Francisco, 22, Chattanooga, Tenn. said. "It looked like a quiet Christmas."

Red artillery, which had ripped into Bethlehem Point on Christmas Eve had stopped.

no-man's-land in an eerie light. But Francisco saw nothing.

Suddenly yells of "banzai" sounded. Francisco said they almost seemed to come from the American trenches.

"A hand grenade hit my buddy's stomach," said Francisco. "He kept going. He was shooting at Gooks as quick as he could pull the trigger; he was all bloody in front. Then an artillery round came in and blew off his head."

The three-pronged North Korean attack drove the outnumbered Americans 100 yards back. Capt. Andrew J. Gastis, of Birmingham, Ala., regrouped the broken forces and organized a counter-attack.

"They were in reaching distance when we pulled out of the frontlines," Francisco said. "The Gooks were crawling through barbed wire we had laid by hand from the trench."

grenades hit his leg when he swept back against the Gooks, but he kept shooting. He said he hit a Gook and blew him sky high."

A man died in the arms of Pvt. Billy Thompson, 22, of Charlottesville, Va.

"The sergeant just stepped out of the C. P. (command post) when we were beating back the Red attack," Thompson said. "A grenade hit him in the face. He lasted 20 minutes."

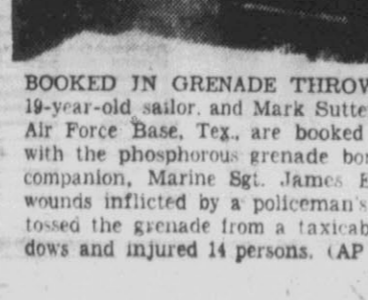
A turkey dinner was served to the men of King Company in the trenches during the afternoon.

"We had everything from soup to nuts," said Cpl. James E. Wyatt, of Memphis, Tenn. "But I didn't have no appetite."

Christmas mail was passed out in the bunkers. Cpl. Lee Bowles, of Fort Sill, Okla., tired and streaked with dirt, sat on the ground with his head resting on his rifle. A letter, unopened, stuck out of his pocket.

"I haven't had no time to read it, I guess," he said.

BOOKED IN GRENADE THROWING—Patrick Shanahan (left), 19-year-old sailor, and Mark Sutter, also 19, an airman from Wolters Air Force Base, Tex. are booked in New York City in connection with the phosphorus grenade bombing of a crowd in 1949. Their companion, Marine Sgt. James Eugene McDermott, 19, died from wounds inflicted by a policeman's gun. Police said that McDermott tossed the grenade from a taxicab. The explosion blew out the windows and injured 14 persons. (AP Wirephoto)



1952 Christmas Shopping Is Biggest In Nation's History

By RICHARD E. MOONEY United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (UP)—Government economists believe the Christmas shopping season just ended was the biggest in the nation's history.

Although official figures won't be available for a week or more, preliminary estimates indicate that retail sales this December topped \$14,000,000,000.

Last year's December sales were about \$13,000,000,000, which was the record up to that time.

Government economists offered several explanations for the buying binge:

People are earning more than ever before, prices of clothing and household goods are lower, there are more materials available for making toys, consumer credit con-

trols are gone so installment buying is easier and shoppers who over-bought during the 1951 and 1951 scare-buying spree have now worn out the goods they purchased then and are replacing them.

From the sellers' viewpoint, the government's economists note a "better balance" between sales and stocks of goods on shelves. When stores are over-stocked, as they were last year and more so in 1950, sales are "irregular," with the over-stocked items selling at reduced costs and other items selling poorly, the experts said.

Despite the nationwide boom in Christmas sales, New York City made a relatively poor showing. Experts said New York sales were, at best, about the same as last year.

The analysts said this reflected two developments: The opening of many suburban branch stores and a change in the make-up of New York's population. Persons with relatively high incomes moved to the outskirts, while persons of lower income moved into the city, they said.

New York sales also were low for several months before the Christmas season.

Sales in the San Francisco area did not hold up to the Christmas national average, either, but elsewhere business was good, according to the most recent information.

Sales at retail stores across the nation have been unusually high for several months. October sales hit an all-time record — \$14,110,000,000.

BLOUNT-HARVEY'S ANNUAL



7 MAMMOTH CLEARANCE DAYS

Beginning Saturday Morning December 27th At 9 O'clock

A CLEAN SWEEP OF ALL CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES, FALL AND WINTER APPAREL FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, YARD GOODS AND THOUSANDS OF REMNANTS.

<p>4 GROUPS WOMENS SUITS</p> <p>GROUP ONE</p> <p>This group consists of broken sizes and styles. Sold regularly to \$45.00. \$22.</p>	<p>Ladies Fall & Winter SUITS</p> <p>Special Group Formerly Sold up to \$39.95</p> <p>\$22.</p>	<p>Ladies Fall & Winter SUITS</p> <p>Some Wonderful Values Formerly sold up to \$59.50</p> <p>\$33.</p>	<p>Clearance Of All Ladies Fall HATS</p>
<p>GROUP TWO</p> <p>This group of Coats are all new styles in all wool materials. Values to \$65. \$33.</p>	<p>Ladies Fall & Winter SUITS</p> <p>This Group Consists of Formerly up to \$79.00</p> <p>\$44.</p>	<p>All Fall and Winter DRESSES Including Evening Dresses UP TO 1/2 Price</p>	<p>1/2 Price and LESS</p>
<p>GROUP THREE</p> <p>This group of Coats are exceptional values. They sold up to \$79.50 \$44.</p>	<p>CLEARANCE FALL and WINTER DRESSES</p> <p>Women's, Misses' and Juniors'</p> <p>1/2 Price and Less</p>	<p>Cotton-Rayon-Wool REMNANTS</p> <p>1/2 Price</p>	<p>1 TABLE Foundation Garments, Girdles, Panties, Bras And Corsets 1/2 Price Discontinued Styles</p>
<p>GROUP FOUR</p> <p>Our fine famous brand Coats, including fur trimmed. Sold to \$119.50 ... \$58.</p>			

<p>One Table Christmas Novelties Were 96c to \$1.19 Clearance 50c</p>	<p>One Table Christmas Novelties Were \$1.65 to \$2.25 Clearance \$1.</p>	<p>One Table Novelty Linens Were \$1.19 to \$1.98 Clearance \$1.</p>	<p>One Table Drapery Fabric Novelty Weaves and Printed Cretons Values to \$1.29 Yd. 59c</p>	<p>Ruffled CURTAINS 100 Pairs Priscilla Style 90in Long, 84in Wid. Were \$5.95 \$2.88</p>	<p>ONE GROUP LINGERIE GOWNS, SLIPS, PANTIES These Are Greatly Reduced CLEARAWAY PRICES 1/2 Price</p>	<p>Clearaway of DOLLS 1/2 Price</p>
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<p>MEN'S SUITS GREATLY REDUCED</p> <p>One group Men's Suits, in a variety of styles and patterns. Were up to \$60.00 \$35.</p> <p>1 TABLE 54-Inch ALL WOOL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coatings, Suitings Dress Weights <p>Values to \$4.95 yd. \$2.00</p>	<p>TOP and OVER COATS</p> <p>One Group Tweed and Fleece Coats Clearance 1/2 Off</p>	<p>AFTER-CHRISTMAS SALE OF MEN'S ITEMS</p> <p>113 Men's White Broadcloth Shirts Including Name Brands Formerly sold up to \$3.95 \$2.66</p> <p>After Christmas Sale WOMEN'S SHOES</p> <p>2 Big Groups \$2.95 and \$4.95</p>
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1 Table Part Wool BLANKETS 70x80 Value \$9.95 **\$5.00**

BLOUNT-HARVEY

Other Reductions All Over The Store

Social and Personal

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

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGlohon Sr. of New York City are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGlohon Jr.

Daniel M. House and Dan Jr. will arrive from Clarksville, Indiana over the weekend to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. House of this city. Mr. House will return to New York after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jones and Miss Helen Jones left yesterday for Elizabeth City to attend the Jones-Bradshaw wedding which took place today.

Friends of Mr. Coley Stanley, who has been seriously ill in Pitt Memorial Hospital, will be glad to know that he is much improved and will probably return to his home on Route 3 soon.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ward and son James Earl left Wednesday for a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Moye, Miss Ann Moye and Milton Moye Jr. of Tarboro and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Westbrook, Misses Mary Ann, Carolyn and Jane Westbrook of Dunn spent Christmas with Mrs. C. M. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. John Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Fowler and daughter Martha of Winter Park, Fla. will arrive today to spend the remainder of the holidays with Mrs. Fowler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Elmo Savage.

Entertains Canasta Club
ROBERSONVILLE—Mrs. William W. Taylor Sr. entertained the members of her canasta club Wednesday, December 17. Her home was pretty with Christmas decorations and red carnations. The members played several games of canasta, then exchanged gifts, names having been drawn at the previous meeting. Refreshments consisting of lead drinks, crackers, pickles, potato chips, candy and cookies were served.

Churches of Christ, Scientist
"Christian Science" is the topic of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science Churches Sunday. Golden Text is from Matthew 10:8 "Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils; freely ye have received, freely give."

Passages from the Bible include: "For the vision is yet for an appointed time, but at the end it shall speak and not lie; though it tarry, wait for it, because it will surely come, it will not tarry." Habakkuk 2:3.

And from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, "We must receive the divine Principle in the understanding, and live it in daily life, and unless we so do, we can no more demonstrate Science, than we can teach and illustrate geometry by calling a curve a straight line or a straight line a sphere."

Receives Commission

FOUNTAIN—Second Lt. Warren D. Peele was graduated Dec. 19th from Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Peele of Fountain and a former student at Duke University. Lt. Peele is spending the Christmas holidays at home, after which he will be stationed at Connelly Air Force Base, Waco, Texas. While at Connelly he will fly B-28s for student navigators.

First Presbyterian Announcements
The Pioneers and Seniors will meet for supper in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 o'clock this Sunday evening for supper. The Pioneer vesper service will be conducted in the Young Adult Class Room and the Senior vesper service in the College Class Room.

The Sacraments of the Lord's Supper and Baptism will be administered during the worship service at 11 a. m. the first Sunday in January.

The Executive Board of the Women of the Church will meet Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the church parlor. Circle No. 6 has charge of activities during this month. Circle No. 3 has charge of the Nursery for little children this Sunday morning during the 11 o'clock church service.

There will be a joint meeting of the Elders and Deacons Sunday night, January 4.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY
6:30 p.m.—Kivans Club
7:00 p.m.—Dr. and Mrs. Walter Harrington, Dr. and Mrs. K. B. Pace, Mrs. W. I. Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. James and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Ormond will entertain the Warren-Crisp wedding party and guests at a buffet dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrington on East Fifth Street.

7:30 p.m.—Red Men meet
9:00 p.m.—1:00 a.m.—German Club dance at Greenville Country Club for members and their out-of-town guests

SATURDAY
11:00 a.m.—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hannah and Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Dunn will entertain the Warren-Crisp wedding party and guests at a wedding breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hannah.

3:30 p.m.—The wedding of Miss Mary Rose Crisp and Dr. Frederick Monroe Warren Jr. will be solemnized in the First Presbyterian Church.
4:30 p.m.—Dr. and Mrs. Sellers Mark Crisp will entertain at a reception at the Greenville Golf and Country Club honoring Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Monroe Warren Jr. and their wedding party.

Higher Education Note
NORFOLK, Mass.—During 21 seasons the Norfolk Prison Colored debating team has won 44 of 59 contests against collegiate opposition.

Vick-Harper Rites Spoken In Double Ring Ceremony

The First Presbyterian Church parlor in Greenville was the setting for the 4 o'clock wedding on December 24 of Miss Nancy Jane Harper and Joseph Clinton Vick, with the Rev. Leonard Topping officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Harper of Greenville. Mr. Vick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Vick of Nashville. Prior to the wedding ceremony Mrs. Hubert C. Haynes presented a program of music and Miss Ruth Little of E.C.C., Greenville, and Winterville, soloist, sang, "I Love You Truly," and "The Lord's Prayer" for the benediction.

The bride entered with her only attendant, her sister, Miss Ardelia Harper. The bride was attired in a bronze and brown tulle suit with brown accessories. She carried a white prayer book, topped with a white orchid and white satin streamers. Her maid of honor wore a grey wool suit with red accessories, complemented with a corsage of red roses.

Oliver Vick of Rocky Mount, brother of the groom, was the best man. The bride's mother wore a navy suit with black accessories and a corsage of red roses. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a brown and tan ensemble, with black accessories, and her corsage was of red roses.

Following the ceremony the bride's parents entertained at a reception in the church parlor. The traditional color scheme of green and white was featured on the table. Green cover, festooned with white carnations at the corners. The centerpiece, an arrangement of white carnations and fernery, with burning tapers was interspersed with the arrangement. At one end of table a three-tiered wedding cake was served by Mrs. Raleigh H. Bland, after the bride and groom had cut the traditional slice. At the other end of table Mrs. Walter G. Smith served punch, bridal mints, and nuts.

The bride attended school in Washington, D. C., graduated from Rocky Mount High School, and now a rising senior at E.C.C., Greenville. Mr. Vick is a graduate of Nashville High School, and is now serving with the United States Navy in Norman, Oklahoma.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Vicks left for a wedding trip to unannounced points. For traveling the bride added the orchid lifted from her prayer book.

Out-of-town guests present for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Harper, Mrs. W. L. Goodwyn, Mrs. Rurik Gammon all of Leggett, and Robert Harper of Washington, D.C.

A Church Affair
MILAN, Tenn. (U.P.)—Bob Cox, Church here, was arrested for a parking violation on complaint of Henry Martin, a fellow deacon, and fined by Judge Floyd Burrow, who is chairman of the church's deacons.

General Motors Corp. paid \$1,141,000,000 in federal, state and local taxes last year, enough to have run the national government during the 61 years from 1789 to 1850.

Impressive Ceremony Invests Scouts

GRIFTON—At 7:30 on Wednesday night in the community building the intermediate scouts were invested in the second of the impressive ceremonies. Mrs. John Looney, with the assistance of Mrs. Edward Hart, was in charge. The group formed a march which was enjoyed. Mrs. Julius Chauncey was at the piano. The flag was presented by the flag bearers and the oath of allegiance was said. The scout promise and laws were brought out in the program. Pins were presented to the scouts and each girl's was pinned by her mother. The friendship circle with the wishing was the concluding feature. Later in the evening punch and cookies were served from a beautifully decorated table by Mrs. L. L. Mewborn, Mrs. Richard Nelson, Mrs. Walter Patrick and Mrs. John Coward.

In the brownie troop are Betty Jo Gaskins, Mary Jo Quinerly, Ray and Ann Harrison, Jane Butler Mewborn, Susan Miles, Marian Nelson, Kay Morton, Cynthia Manning, Anne Dixon, Carolyn McCotter, Phyllis Sampley, Mary Lee January, Sarah Benson, Nannie Davis, Betsy Haynes and Roxie Coles.

Included in the intermediate group are Martha Hart, who is president, Sallie Mewborn, Wilma Patrick, Linda Chauncey, Esther Hill Coward, Judy Hart, Frances Davis, Carolyn Hart, Patsy Cole, Janie Manning, Betty Lou Jolly, Frances and Ruth Coles, Emily Nelson and Lou Raye Mewborn.

Grifton Scouts Present Skit

GRIFTON—In an impressive ceremony Grifton scouts were invested on Wednesday when the Brownie group met with their adult leaders, Mrs. Wiley Gaskins and Mrs. Don Miles, in the Christian Church at 4 o'clock. The program was cleverly arranged in a skit which took the children for a walk in the woods, during which they discussed scouting, what it means, the promise and laws of scouting. As they walked they looked for the wishing well to make their wishes and found in looking for the brownie to assist them only reflections of themselves which proved that they were the ones to do their good deeds. The ceremony was concluded with the forming of the friendship circle and singing of the evening prayer. Betty Jo Gaskins, president of the brownies, welcomed the parents and visitors present.

Mesdames Charles Kline, Joe House, John Coward and W. M. January served cookies, punch and nuts at the refreshment hour.

NATURE BY-PASSED

SANFORD, N. C. (UP)—Chrysanthemums are produced on assembly-line basis in a factory here. Trays of plants move on a belt through the various seasons, with moisture, light and fertilizer rigidly controlled to correspond to the growing seasons. The factory turns out 1,000 bunches of flowers a week. No soil is used.

Robersonville News

By MRS. W. L. SWINDELL

Mr. Durwood Everett is home after spending several weeks in a hospital in Richmond where he received treatment for arthritis.

Mr. Billy Greene of Chapel Hill is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley B. Rogerson and children, Betty Ann, Wiley and Madge spent Sunday in Raleigh with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans.

Mr. Glenn Norman is improving but due to a blood clot he will be in bed for several weeks.

Monday Mr. T. J. Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Roberson accompanied Miss Betty Smith to Richmond where she has accepted a position with Dunn and Bradstreet.

Miss Caroline Taylor of Raleigh spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ferd Taylor.

Mrs. Charlie M. Hurst spent five days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Adler of Tarboro.

Mrs. Will Mullen underwent an operation Monday at St. Mary's Hospital in Huntington, West Va.

Mr. Hubert Taylor and family of New Bern spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Taylor.

Mrs. Selma Meadows left Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Strickland, a former resident of Robersonville.

Mrs. Janie Fleming is visiting friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Lizzie Osborne Smith remains quite ill.

Mrs. Lydia Bunting and Mrs. George Kell are on the sick list.

Mrs. Bessie Leggett of Wilmington returned to her home after spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Emily Moore.

Mrs. Tom Rose of Virginia Beach was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Robert Taylor the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Smith and Miss Lois Raine spent Sunday in Plymouth with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Crofton.

Corporal Tom James of Camp Lejeune spent the week-end with his wife Mrs. Joyce Ayers James.

Mrs. George Bland is receiving treatment at the Martin General Hospital in Williamston.

Mrs. N. C. Everett left Thursday morning for Raleigh for examination and treatment in Rex Hospital.

Pfc. Marion L. Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warren has been transferred from Camp Lejeune to Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Catherine Chandler has returned to Eastern Carolina Sanatorium in Wilson after undergoing a lung operation at Duke Hospital.

Mr. Hubert Roberson is being treated at Pitt Memorial Hospital, Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Boone have returned to their home in Robersonville after spending a month at Mount Sterling and Lexington, Ky.

Mr. Arthur Johnson, Mr. Bell Johnson, Miss Doris Johnson, Mrs. Alton Johnson returned Tuesday from Jacksonville, Florida, where they visited Mrs. Arthur Johnson's son, Mr. Will Walker and his family.

Friends of Mrs. Fannie E. Pope will be sorry to learn of her serious illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. T. McKim in

Club Continues Study of Bible

On Tuesday, December 16, Mrs. Harold Forbes was hostess to the Lector Book Club. The house was attractively decorated in the Christmas motif, using arrangements of magnolia leaves, red berries and poinsettias.

Each member brought food, clothing and toys to be delivered to a needy family.

After a brief business meeting, the program was turned over to Mrs. Forbes, who continued the study of the Old Testament by reviewing the books of Ezra and Nehemiah.

The book of Ezra-Nehemiah is the sequel to Chronicles, having been written by the same author. The two books tell of the return of the Exiles and the rebuilding and dedication of the temple.

The grief of Nehemiah over the news of the dilapidated condition of Jerusalem, his ride about the ruined walls by night, and his humane social measures make a strong appeal to the modern reader while his record-breaking feat of rebuilding the city walls in 52 days is of peculiar interest to the present bustling age.

Following the program a dessert course with coffee was served by the hostess, books were exchanged, and the meeting adjourned until January.

Fountain News

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baker and daughters, Catharine, Kay and Fay are spending the Christmas holidays in Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Baker's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garland Barnes, Jr.

Mrs. Claude Johnson is confined to her bed with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Everett and children, Mrs. Mary Everett and Miss Marjorie Everett of Elm City were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Anna Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oakley.

Mrs. Fred Lassiter and children Marjorie Dean, Kay Francis and Susan of Winterville, Miss Peggy Heath of Greenville, and S-Sgt. Samuel E. Pendleton were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Owens Sunday.

Mrs. Eula Jefferson visited her brother Mr. Loyd Galloway a patient in Woddard-Herring Wilson Monday.

Miss Lela Mae Mosley of Kinston

Spending Three Weeks at Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fountain, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris and daughters Anne and Carolyn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Fountain's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. W. L. Goodwyn of Leggett.

Miss Anne Harris a student of Salem Academy of Winston-Salem is spending the Christmas holidays at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Baker and children Bobbie and Nancy attended the funeral of Mrs. Baker's sister Mrs. Nina Fletcher Egan at Greenville Saturday afternoon.

Bobbie Baker of Portsmouth who is serving in the United States Navy is spending the Christmas holidays at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Owens were Raleigh shoppers on Saturday—they spent Saturday night in High Point with Mrs. Owens' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James and on their way back to their home in Fountain Sunday they stopped over in Greensboro to visit Mrs. Owens' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. James.

Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Trevathan, Jr., and children, Wenda and Tommie of Richmond, Virginia are spending the Christmas holidays with Dr. Trevathan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Trevathan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Owens and children, Judy and Billie were recent supper guests of Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. T. B. Heath of Greenville Sunday night.

Fountain F. T. A.
The Fountain School Parent-Teacher Association met Thursday night, December 18th in Fountain School Auditorium.

A lovely Christmas program was presented by fourth and seventh grades under the direction of Miss Virginia Carraway, fourth grade teacher. Mrs. Ben Eagles, public school music teacher directed the music. The roll call by grades was won by Miss Carraway's fourth grade. There was no regular business except for an announcement by Mrs. Stancel Dilda concerning the Donation Drive, the total contribution to this drive amounts to \$369.80.

Before the meeting adjourned Santa Claus arrived bringing sacks of goodies for all the children.

Long Time No Deer
MONTPELIER, Vt. (U.P.)—Maurice Gonyon of Alburg recently killed the first deer in Grand Isle County in 33 years.

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Strength for the Day

WHAT OF YESTERDAY
We look back upon the birthday of Jesus which we celebrated yesterday. What did this celebration mean? It was more than the birth of a mere babe, was it not?

It was in truth our recognition of the fact that 2000 years ago a new world was born. The hills, the mountains, and the sea looked very much then as they do now. What has changed has been the life of the world.

Before Christ came, only a little handful of the world's population had any sense of decency and justice such as millions cherish today. The thought never crossed anyone's mind 2000 years ago that slavery and war would ever pass from the earth. Neither has entirely passed yet. For the world is full of the clamor of arms, and the concentration camps and taskmaster's whip are still cruel realities. But the peoples of the world hate war. They are determined to wipe out eventually the blot of slavery and the disregard of God and man from which it springs. Men through the centuries have dared to press on toward the perfect ideal which He set up. With nothing but their faith to sustain them, they live and work in the consciousness that His spiritual presence is still in the world.

The Judean hills were flooded with a heavenly light on the night Jesus was born. The world is still looking toward its hills—yearning, hoping, and believing.

Putting Tar Heel Waters To Work

Putting the waters of North Carolina to more productive use is one of the greatest challenges which lies before the administration of Governor William B. Umsted during the next four years.

Few people doubt the potential of the water resources of the Tar Heel state. At the same time, too few people of the state have exhibited a profound interest in a rapid development program for these potentialities.

Governor Kerr Scott, during the fading months of his administration, has begun to push with increasing intensity for a program of water resource development in the state. The groundwork laid during Scott's administration can mean a great deal to the state in the development of its waterways if a sound program is built upon the foundation which has been laid.

There are a few things which must be kept in mind in connection with such a development program. Probably the most significant is going to be the ever-present factor these days... money. It is going to cost the state money, it is going to cost industry money, and it is going to cost municipalities money.

As Governor Scott has pointed out, it is going to take a "little dredging" to open up some of the waterways along the coast to more profitable grounds for fishermen. As he also aptly put it, there are some streams and rivers in the state which smell "like a country back house" because of pollution.

It's going to take a good clean-up program to remedy the latter factor; and following the clean-up program, it is going to take more money to rehabilitate the waterways which for so many years have been neglected.

If a progressive development for waterways is adopted, it will not be many years before cities and towns which are now dumping sewage into rivers and streams are going to have to make other arrangements for their sewage disposal. That will cost each municipality individually but the collective benefits derived by such a program will reach every community. Then too, industries may have to revise their methods of disposing of waste materials to prevent water pollution.

As Scott already has hinted, there may come a time when gasoline tax will be levied for the waterways just as it is now for highways, and that will cost individual people who use waterways for pleasure and commerce.

If the people of North Carolina are willing to invest the necessary money into the development of their water resources, the potential can be realized. If the people are unwilling to invest the money, the water resources of the state will continue to deteriorate, and their potential will likewise lessen.

Weaving A Net For Harbor Racketeers

One of the most sordid stories of flagrant racketeering and control of an important segment of the nation's transportation industry has come to light in the New York inquiries into conditions along its waterfront.

Testimony offered in the hearings conducted by the New York State Crime Commission asserts millions of dollars in tributes are being paid by shippers and carriers annually to racketeers who have gained control of dock workers in the world's largest city. The hearings have involved union and public officials.

Now Attorney General James P. McGranery has ordered the FBI to step into the New York picture with a full scale investigation of the harbor conditions. The information secured by the New York Crime Commission doubtlessly will prove valuable in bringing to justice the racketeers who are responsible for the waterfront conditions in the big city. The FBI, however, probably will put the clincher on many of the unscrupulous leaders who have brought about the reign of terror and gangsterism in the dock area.

The sooner the New York waterfront situation can be cleared up, the better off the people of the nation will be, for it can hardly be doubted that all parts of the country are helping to pay the toll of the New York waterfront racketeering. With the FBI in the New York case, it may be that leads will be secured on similar activities in other large harbor areas in the United States which will prevent conditions in other large ports from reaching the deplorable conditions they have in New York.

No time should be wasted in cleaning up the conditions along the New York waterfront. And every effort should be made to see that all the individuals involved are brought to justice for their part in such racketeering. Only in that way can there be any assurance that new racketeers will not spring up to take the places of those who are caught in the net now being set along the waterfront by the law enforcement officers.

National Whirligig

WASHINGTON—As a last-minute counteroffensive against Republican plans to get the government out of the power and other enterprises competing with private business and industry, the outgoing Democrats have framed a challenge designed to embarrass the new Administration politically. They will fight for retention and expansion of New Deal-Pair Deal reforms until noon of inauguration day on January 20.

As forecast here, a definite move to effectuate Charles E. Wilson's proposal for disposition of an estimated \$25 billion worth of Federal properties will be made as soon as Congress meets on January 3. Representative Frederic R. Coudert Jr. of New York will introduce a resolution for a study of this problem by the House Appropriations Committee.

REDUCED SPENDING—The Bridges-Byrd demand for an inventory of authorizations and unspent appropriations totaling at least \$12 billion has been reinforced by a report from the Jones Committee. After a behind-the-scenes investigation of pending power, reclamation and rivers and harbors programs, this group recommended a thorough inquiry into their necessity and desirability. They found that the need for many undertakings had disappeared.

If these various attacks on current and proposed schemes for defunding and decentralizing the bureaucracy at Washington. But his speeches advocating maximum control and development at state and local levels, as well as the makeup of his Cabinet, encourage GOP leaders on Capitol Hill in the belief that he will support the growing movement.

TRUMAN'S AIM—In this, as well as in other fields, however, President Truman aims to checkmate Republican plans for a radical overhaul of the establishment and FDR built here and throughout the country. He has given the green light for more rather than less planning and spending on Federal expansion.

Gordon R. Clapp, TVA chairman, has served notice that he wants another \$5 billion for his operations. Although TVA was launched as a water-power undertaking in 1933, a large portion of the new money will be used to build steam plants and transmission lines. It will be difficult to deny his request because of the need for hydroelectricity for nearby atomic centers.

Governor Douglas McKay of Oregon, who will become Secretary of the Interior, has announced that he will ask for the resignation of Reclamation Commissioner Michael W. Straus, an Ickes appointee. But, in a final fling, Mike will submit to Congress a 7-year, \$2-billion program for power and irrigation works in a 17-state area.

REASON FOR COUNTEROFFENSIVE—Entirely apart from these grandiose plans, the Army Engineers and the Department of Agriculture have prepared blueprints for another expenditure of between \$1 billion and \$2 billion.

Since all these agencies—Interior, the Army Engineers and Agriculture—have powerful lobbies and friends in House and Senate, there will be a wild scramble for funds at a moment when the GOP seeks to carry out its economy pledges.

Thus these elaborate, expensive and politically appealing proposals will collide head-on with the Coudert-Jones-Bridges-Byrd demand for drastic curtailment of pending and proposed enlargement of the Federal structure.

And that, of course, is the reason for and the purpose of this desperate counteroffensive!

PRACTICAL CONSIDERATIONS—The interest-free provision with respect to the Federal investment in these projects, according to Interior spokesmen, is too attractive for the beneficiary states to abandon. Commissioner Straus, for instance, estimates the value of Federal Works in California at \$3 billion. But it would have cost local interests at least \$4 billion, he figures, if it had not been for the 50-year waiver of interest charges.

The Trumanites recognize that Eisenhower's political promoters, backers and financial contributors applaud the suggestion of former Defense Mobilizer Wilson. But in the face of the more practical considerations outlined here, they doubt if he will find it advisable to favor Wall Street over the West.

As always, the Democrats have a healthy and demonstrated respect for the "gimme vote."

Worrying About The Wrong Problem



Somebody Told Me

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

If you are an Arthur Godfrey fan you have already heard his now famous comparison between the first child and the second. Like most of his impressive chatter, Godfrey simply lucked into it. Some lady mailed it in to him. He read it on his morning radio show and was swamped with so many requests that he repeated it on his TV show. It goes something like this:
First child: Beautiful layette.
Second child: Trip to the attic.
FC: Weighed every day.
SC: Felt leg once a month to guess weight.
FC: Sneezed, call doctor.
SC: Pneumonia, aspirin.
FC: Powder every ten minutes.
SC: Greased once a month.
FC: Everything sterilized.
SC: Sucks bones.
FC: Waked up for visitors.
SC: No visitors came.

FC: Diapers changed when wet.
SC: Good swimmer.
FC: Buggy rides.
SC: Open window.
FC: He's nine months five days old.
SC: I think he was born in August.
FC: Snapshots in album.
SC: Blank pages.
FC: Psychology books.
SC: Belt.
FC: Father's noice.
SC: Father's noice.
FC: Father never waked at night.
SC: Father never waked at night.
FC: Bags under mother's eyes.
SC: Voices in the night.
FC: Shhh! He's asleep.
SC: Let's throw a party.
FC: He's crying.
SC: Turn up the radio.
FC: Play pen.

SC: Neighborhood.
FC: Don't let him out of your sight.
SC: He comes home when hungry.
FC: Yes, dear.
SC: Shut up!
FC: Walked around house.
SC: Kicked out of way.
FC: Isn't he wonderful?
SC: How could you ever conceive of such a thing?
FC: Alpha.
SC: Omega.
The lady who wrote this should be applauded as an excellent fiction writer, but what she says here couldn't possibly be accurate. There just isn't that much difference.
Whether it be accurate or not, it's still good entertainment. And I thank Mary Wilson Sugg, who found the information in print.

Around Capitol Square

PERSONALITIES—It is axiomatic in newspaper circles that "names make news." History confirms the tradition that ideas and movements are better known by names of their protagonists than by reason of their inherent philosophy. Martin Luther and John Calvin gave their names to religious tenets; Jeffersonian Democracy and Marxism are better known than Thomas Jefferson or Karl Marx in political studies. Many people who talk ably of the Elizabethan Era and the Victorian influence, are only vaguely aware they are talking about two of England's greatest sovereigns. More recently Hitler and Stalin, Churchill and Roosevelt have indelibly stamped their personal attributes upon the nations which they subordinated.

SUBORDINATED—There have been other great leaders whose identity was submerged in their philosophy. Few historians rate James K. Polk, Andrew Johnson and William McKinley as really great Presidents. Yet it was in their respective administrations that the United States expanded most rapidly. Under Polk we got most of the area west of the Mississippi; under Johnson we got Alaska, and under McKinley we became a real world power with controlled holdings in the West Indies, the Philippines and Hawaii.

GOVERNORS—The pattern of North Carolina's history is comparable to that of the nation. Some former Governors are remembered for what they were as individuals, while other administrations are noted chiefly for advancement without attachment of names. Consideration of these factors is important now that a change in State administrations

is at hand. To greater degree than any other chief executive in this century the administration that is closing will be identified by the name of the Governor who headed it. It has been, and indications are that history will record it, the Scott regime. The dynamic personality of the individualistic Governor overshadowed the normal progress of the State.

CONTRAST—Someone has said the contrast between the Scott and the normal rate of turnover immediately preceded and will follow it can best be expressed by use of capital letters. KERR SCOTT has been GOVERNOR of North Carolina, whereas Gregg Cherry was and William Umsted will be governor of NORTH CAROLINA. That represents distinction without much real difference. The duties and responsibilities of the office have not changed. Scott sincerely believed that his nomination and election constituted a political revolution, calling for drastic action from the top. Cherry and Umsted just as sincerely regarded their nominations and elections as expression of confidence in and desire for continuance of long established governmental policies. The conclusion does not necessarily follow that any one of these executives is more or less progressive-minded or more egotistical than the others.

COMPARATIVE—It might be interesting and of some value to compare past administrations. Major interest now is in the upcoming regime and how much Governor Umsted will influence changes in the policies and practices of Governor Scott. Long acquaintance with both men and following of their careers over the past 20 years in capacity of a

newspaper man close to governmental activities leads your reporter to the conclusion and the prediction that there will be more change in practices than in policies. Analysis of the record will show that was true when Scott came into office. There was not a great deal of variance in announced policies and those of his predecessors. The manner in which he sought to effectuate the program made the difference. Governor Umsted has promised to carry on the same general ideas of progressive government, and such changes as he may make in methods and personnel will be made less dramatically than those made by Scott. He may make as many.

In fact Scott made fewer more than the normal rate of turnover. He had a knack for attracting attention to them.
SENATE—It is quite likely the reverse will be true in the case of Lieutenant Governor Hodges. He has indicated that he will take larger personal active interest in organization of the Senate and formulating rules for the session than previous Lieutenant Governors have exercised. Not being a member of the Senate, nor permitted to engage in debate, and having a vote only in case of a tie, previous Lieutenant Governors have contented themselves with presiding over the body and appointing such committees as the rules authorized him to name, and usually after consultation with Senators about prospective legislation in which they were most interested. Hodges has suggested several changes in rules and has not counseled with Governor Umsted or Senate leaders about appointments.

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Business Today

By ELMER ROESSNER

There has always been a strong demand that the government get out of business ventures. What happened last November 4 not only showed how strong that insistence is but also arranged things so that there may be considerable improvement in the next four years.

Now the advocates of government-in-business are saying that private enterprise really doesn't want to take over a lot of things the government is doing—that it is happy to have Uncle Sam perform functions that do not offer lush profits.

This department believes private enterprise will undertake all purely business projects. Furthermore, this department, as a microscopic cog in PE, will not wait until January 20. It starts today.

For several years the Department of Commerce has compiled a list of promotional days and weeks—National Cat Week, Cherry Pie Time, Old Stove Round-up and the like. Anyone with 15 cents could get a neat little booklet listing events for the year. It is carping to note that Commerce rarely got this out before February, after a twelfth of the year had gone, because it was a good, authoritative and almost complete listing.

This column will undertake to give business, free, the same service the passing administration gave for 15 cents. Early each month it will list special days and weeks scheduled in the second month ahead, just enough time to allow fast-moving merchants to arrange tie-ins with national observances.

HERE'S A START ON COMING EVENTS.

By way of catching up, here are the special days and weeks scheduled from January 1 through February 28:

- January 11-17—Printing Education Week; International Graphic Arts Education Association, 719 15th St., N.W., Washington 5, D.C.
- January 15-24—Idaho Potato and Onion Week; Idaho Advertising Commission, Boise.
- January 15-24—Take Tea See Week; Tea Council, 500 Fifth Ave., New York.
- January 17-23—National Thrift Week; National Thrift Committee, 121 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago 1.
- January 21-31—Large Size Week; Chain Store Age, 185 Madison Ave., New York 16.
- January 24-31—National Crochet Week; National Needlecraft

- Bureau, 385 Fifth Ave., New York 16.
- January 25-February 1—National Youth Week; United Christian Youth Movement, 206 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago 4.
- January 26-February 2—National Fur Care Week; Harry J. Treu, Inc., 147 W. 35th St., New York 16.
- January 31-March 1—Jewish Music Festival; National Jewish Music Council, 145 E. 32nd St., New York 16.
- February 1-7—National Peanut Week; National Peanut Council, Dupont Circle Building, Washington 6, D.C.
- February 4—National Social Hygiene Day; American Social Hygiene Association, 1790 Broadway, New York.
- February 5-14—National Kraut and Frankfurter Week; National Kraut Packers Association, St. Charles, Ill.
- February 7-13—Boy Scout Week; Boy Scouts of America, 2 Park Ave., New York.
- February 8-14—American Heart Week; American Heart Association, 1775 Broadway, New York 17.
- February 15-15—National Lutheran Publicity Week; American Lutheran Publicity Bureau, 1819 Broadway, New York.
- February 16-16—National Table Tennis Week; U.S. Table Tennis Association, 2501 Pocatosh Ave., Rock Hill 17, Ill.
- February 12-22—Americanism Week; U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, Tulsa, Okla.
- February 12-22—National Defense Week; Reserve Officers Association of the U. S., Washington, D.C.
- February 15-21—National Crime Prevention Week; National Crime Prevention Club, 335 Superior St., Toledo, Ohio.
- February 15-22—Brotherhood Week; National Conference of Christians and Jews, 341 Fourth Ave., New York.
- February 15-22—National Cherry Week; National Red Cherry Institute, 332 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago 4.
- February 17—Pancake Day; Quaker Oats Co., 141 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago 4.
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- February 22-28—Catholic Book Week; Catholic Library Association P.O. Box 25, New York 63, N.Y.

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Hal Boyle's Column

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON (AP)—Joseph Stalin had nothing to lose by giving pleasant answers Christmas Day to questions about peace. By being pleasant, he made propaganda hay. If he had snarled, it would have been propaganda against him.

Actually, he committed himself to nothing when he said he was "favorable" to arrangements for a meeting between himself and Gen. Eisenhower and would "cooperate" in trying for peace in Korea. He has loopholes for doing nothing, if he intends doing nothing.

The New York Times on Dec. 18 submitted to the Russian Embassy here several questions to be forwarded to Stalin. The timing of the answers may have been accidental but, from the viewpoint of Russian propaganda, was excellent. The answers were delivered to the Times late Christmas Eve.

Because the Times is a morning paper, the Stalin stories had to appear in the Christmas morning editions. And, with news usually scarce Christmas Day, a Stalin statement was bound to get maximum attention. It did it. The Russian people promptly got a report of it from their own radio.

And, since Christmas is the one day when the Western world sings most longingly for peace on earth, Stalin may have felt it was the day most appropriate for representing himself as big-hearted Joe, although it is well known he does not believe in Santa Claus.

One of the Times' questions said: "Would you welcome diplomatic conversations with representatives of the new Eisenhower administration looking toward the possibility of a meeting between yourself and Gen. Eisenhower on easing world tensions?" Stalin answered: "I regard this suggestion favorably."

Stalin was being consistent with the party line. The Communists claim to be the genuine peace-lovers, even when blocking or destroying it, as they did with the invasion of Korea. Further, if Stalin was talking strictly for propaganda and doesn't want to meet Eisenhower, the wording of the question and the answer are general enough to give Stalin a big, wide out.

As the question indicated—and this was what Stalin said yes to—before he and Eisenhower ever got together diplomats on both sides would have to meet to decide what the two men should discuss when they met. But the Russians could easily prevent such a meeting, on Stalin's instruction, by squabbling with the Western diplomats until the whole business fell apart in disagreement. Meanwhile, the Russians, no doubt, would be putting the blame on the West, thus making a little more propaganda.

Another Times' question said: "Would you cooperate in any new diplomatic approach designed to bring about an end to the Korean war?" How could Stalin say no? He wouldn't look good. He said: "I agree to cooperate because the U. S. S. R. is interested in ending the war in Korea." And maybe at last Russia really wants the war ended. But it hasn't demonstrated any such inclination.

One of the troubles, or gimmicks,

in Stalin's answer about cooperation is that what he calls cooperation may look to the West like downright wrecking tactics. Stalin's men in the United Nations have just finished slaughtering proposals there for peace in Korea.

In view of the Russian record it seems unlikely Stalin intends his answers to have real meaning, although he could make them have it, if he wanted to. He may have intended, through his answers, to put Eisenhower on the defensive. The Russians will certainly use an Eisenhower refusal for their own propaganda in Europe and Asia.

Washington Letter

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON—Senora Maria de Trujillo, former first lady of the Dominican Republic, could wear a string of medals to compare with some of the top brass, but she chose a strand of pearls as her only decoration on a visit here. The dark-eyed wife of the republic's chief delegate to the U.N. has medals from Spain, Argentina, Cuba, Panama and her own country as well as the decoration of Chevalier of the French Legion.

These decorations are mostly in recognition of her work in the Red Cross and in cultural and charitable activities. She plays the piano and is a sponsor of her country's philharmonic orchestra. She paints and she writes. Her latest book, "Meditations Morales" translated by her as "Thoughts On Living," was written for her three children, Rafael, 23, chief of the Dominican Air Force, Angelita, 13, a student at Holy Cross Academy here, and Rhadames, 10. Proceeds of her latest play, "Faith's Friendships" went to her country's tuberculosis fund. Besides these interests, Senora de Trujillo is a noted hostess, planning and supervising all arrangements for her own receptions and dinner parties.

But among her most important considerations is the Sosua Colony, set up on 26,500 acres on the north coast of the island, donated by her husband when he was president for people from Germany and Spain. Only about 350 families live at Sosua now. They produce fish, cheese, butter, hogona and tartise shell items, some of which are being exported.

In the Dominican capital, Ciudad de Trujillo, named after her husband, the family lives in a 35-room mansion on a 12-acre estate with a private swimming pool. Senora de Trujillo furnished the native marble palace in the finest rose-wood mahogany with white and gold accents and native artisan-made grillwork. The Trujillos also own a large farm. They raise prize cattle which they export to other countries and lease to Dominican farmers for breeding purposes.

In addition to her other accomplishments, Senora de Trujillo says she enjoys going into her kitchen to make up her favorite dish. She calls it "saicocho" and says it is made of chicken, salt pork, fresh pork, fresh beef, salt beef and sausages. As a finishing touch to this meaty mixture she adds avocado pear garnishes.

What Other Papers Are Thinking

A JOB FOR STATE

Agitation for a nationwide presidential preferential primary has quieted down since July, mainly because the much-criticized conventions met the test of the times and nominated the best candidate in each party. But the idea is still kicking around, and it has some merit to it.

We are not yet convinced that the conventions ought to be replaced with a nationwide primary that would actually nominate the candidates. One big objection to the plan is that it would cause the equivalent of two general elections in each year. As spots in the primaries, total campaign costs would skyrocket out of sight giving a strong edge to the candidate with the most money

behind him. Another is that it would be virtually impossible for a political unknown, like Gov. Adlai Stevenson ever to win nomination.

But the advisory presidential primary has a definite place in the American political system, provided improvements in the existing state laws are made. Several things need to be done. All primaries ought to be held on the same day. The ought to be held on reasonably close to the national conventions, say 30 to 40 days beforehand. Uniform laws for entering a candidate in the primaries should be adopted. And insofar as possible, the states ought to get together and decide how firmly convention dele-

gates are to be bound by primary results.

Several proposals for action by Congress to establish a nationwide primary have been made. Recently, the Council of State Governments suggested that the states take the initiative in working out more uniform laws.

Holding strong convictions on the rights and responsibilities of state governments, we lean to the latter procedure, but caution the members of the 48 state legislatures, including North and South Carolinians, that the desire of the American people to have a greater voice in the selection of their presidential candidates may force action by Congress if the states fail to exercise their responsibility.

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The Sport Reflector

By HERMAN HICKMAN
Reflector Sports Editor

Pitt Fared Well In Sports

As father time prepares to usher the old year out and a new one in we reflect back on the past year in sports and The Daily Reflector Sports Department congratulates: Jack Boone, East Carolina head football coach, for being chosen North State Conference Football Coach of the Year 1952.

Boone and his very able assistant Clyde Biggers proved to be a winning combination to the delight of East Carolina alumni and rooters. Biggers instilled a fighting spirit in the Pirate line-men and they banged heads with the best in the conference with great success. Boone's patient insistence on backfield timing and pass variations paid off handsomely when Quarterbacks Sandy Siler and Dick Cherry rounded into form.

The Pirates began the season by dropping two out of their first three games. But just when everyone was starting to chant "same old Pirates," the Bucs began handling their conference opponents and finished the season without another defeat.

The Pirates finished a rugged season schedule with a 6-2-2 record and second place in the North State Conference standings.

Dick Cherry, Pirate freshman quarterback sensation, for being selected on North State All-Conference team in first year of college football.

Cherry, an All-State high school star from Washington, displayed remarkable poise in directing the difficult split-T formation and it was while the cotton-topped youngster was in the slot that the Pirates first began to make threatening gestures.

Bill Kittrell, Greenville High football head coach, for guiding the Phantoms to their most successful season in years.

The Phantoms showed a fighting spirit and surprised their conference foes, who have been using the Phantoms as a doormat, by rising up to hurl a rugged defense and a lightning fast air-ground offensive attack at all corners.

The Phantoms finished second in the conference and except for two off nights, one at New Bern, one at Washington, they would have captured the Northeastern crown.

Bobby Perry and Jimmy Cheatham, both were named on post season All-Eastern teams. Perry was chosen along with the best in North Carolina high schools to play in the Shrine Bowl against South Carolina's best. Reports say that Perry was doing pretty good until he suddenly developed a pin-

ing to return to Greenville. Warren Carroll, Greenville recreation director, for doing an excellent job in organizing the Little League program.

Little League baseball all-stars for winning the district championship and representing Greenville in the state tourney at Wilmington.

Howard Porter, ECG basketball coach, whose eagles have already defeated last year's North State champions, Lenoir-Rhyne, and apparently haven't had a real test yet.

Sonny Russell, Pirate star forward, he has won practically every honor a player could expect an All-American vote. He has been selected on the All-State team and three times an All-Conference winner.

Coach Stuart Tripp, his Ayden Tornadoes have defeated the cream of the crop in Pitt County basketball and at the turn of the 1953 season are riding a six game win streak without a loss.

Coach Paul Clark, his Winterville sextet cakers are leading Pitt County's female division and have racked up 10 victories without a defeat.

Mac Whitehurst, who for four years has been nominated on All-Coastal Conference football team. Whitehurst also has won county and conference honors in baseball and basketball. The lanky Ayden flash is rated the finest athlete in Pitt County.

Leonard "Reddy" Bullock, star defensive halfback for the University of North Carolina, for doing a great job in the Tar Heel backfield.

Bullock's outstanding work was especially notable due to the fact that he was playing in college ranks for the first time and with a team that met the best in the nation.

Charles Tucker, Farmville football coach, for being selected Coastal Conference coach of the year. The Red Devils had a 7-2 record for the season.

North-South Put On Thrill Packed Football Exhibition

Both Teams Score In Final Minutes On Long Passes

MIAMI, Fla. (UP)—The North and South All-Star football colligians sent holiday tourists back to their beach cabanas in search of relaxation today after a nerve-numbing 21-21 tie in the Orange Bowl that frazzled the physiques of the heartiest of both athletes and fans.

It was one of those unbelievable football games — all the more spectacular because it was between picked squads which had only a short time to prepare for the game.

Before 42,866 screaming fans, whose sentiments were evenly divided, the Yankee northerners and then the Dixie southerners scored touchdowns and kicked all-important extra points in the final two minutes of play Thursday night.

The first explosion was detonated when Jack Scarbath, Maryland's All-America quarterback, lost on a desperate fourth-down pass gamble for the South in which he was shooting to break a 14-14 tie. He was crash-landed for a 15-yard loss and dinky Dale Samuels, the pint-sized Purdue quarterback, took over for the North.

Working from the South 41 he passed to Illinois halfback Pete Bachorov for 33 yards, then flipped to his old Purdue team mate Bernie Flowers for the score. Samuels followed by kicking his third extra point and the North was in front by a precious 21-14 margin.

But the South had just begun to fight. Scarbath dropped back from his own 36 after the kickoff and arched a pass to Jim Hook of Missouri, who took it on the North 20. Hook bounced North safetyman Frank Brady of Navy to the turf and whizzed across the goal line. C. O. Brocato kicked his third extra point to make it a final 21-21.

It was the first tie in the five-year history of the game, proceeds of which go to a Shriner's fund for crippled children.

The Brothers outfit averaged 46.6 yards per game, and 321.5 of that was on the ground. They led the nation in total offense, rushing and a few lesser matters. The big gun in the Tulsa attack is Howard Waugh, a heavily-muscled 200-pound fullback who has baffling speed for a man of his heft. Waugh wound up as the nation's individual rushing leader. He gained 1,372 y.-rd., an average of 8.37 yards per carry.

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With fast big linemen to work in front of this pair, New Year's would seem like a bad holiday for Florida — until you check over the Tulsa defense. It has given up an average of better than 18 points per game.

Some Tulsa players have to go both ways, and that situation will be magnified for the bowl clash. Three Tulsa defenders have been eliminated by injuries — linebacker Angelo Pressa, and defensive halfbacks Eddie Lach and Gene Helwig.

Brothers says that when he has filled their spots, five or six players will be working on both offense and defense. This, he points out, is particularly bad against a team like Florida which has an effective passing game.

And he is going all-out today at Tropical Park where he is booked in seven of the eight races and probably will pick up a mount in the other. He needs 13 more winners to break one of the most elusive records in the books and even one bad day might be fatal to his chances. But he is highly optimistic.

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"Psychology — that's all it is. Defensively, both teams have allowed the exact same number of points this year, although the Lions come off a little better. In 13 games, including the tie-playoff last week, Detroit has allowed 213 points and scored 375 while losing three games for a .769 average. Cleveland had its worst regular season in its history with an 8-4 mark, scoring 310 points and having 213 tallied against it for a .667 average.

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Tulsa Gridders Are Nettled Over Underdog Rating

(This is another in a series on the major bowl games.)
By AL DEWLEN
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TULSA, Okla. (UP)—If statistics can be believed, the University of Tulsa will send the nation's most powerful football offensive to the Orange Bowl on New Year's Day. Yet the Hurricane generally is rated the underdog.

The low rating is pleasing to Coach Buddy Brothers, who has noted that his players are nettled about it. How nettled is reflected in the way they smash through their practice sessions.

Tulsa made a flimsy start this season, losing a game to Houston, the Missouri Valley champion, and playing a tie with Cincinnati. Then the split-T outfit began to click and paid off with smashing conquests of eight other opponents. One of those wins was a 42-6 runaway over previously unbeaten Villanova.

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Tricky Syracuse To Show Shifts In Orange Bowl

(This is another in a series on the major bowl teams.)
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 23 (UP)—Ben Schwartzwalder, the man who gave Syracuse University its best football team in 21 years, scoffed today at controversy over his publicized backfield shift and said it was only an effort to keep the defense honest.

"Calling it a shift is a misnomer," Schwartzwalder said. "It's just a quarterback in motion and nothing new. There is nothing illegal about it. If there were, the officials would call it and they haven't."

Syracuse, winner of the Lambert Trophy as the eastern college football champion of 1952, meets Alabama in the Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla., New Year's Day. Its record of seven victories and two losses was mostly due to a tricky, imaginative offense installed by Schwartzwalder, who is rapidly gaining recognition as one of the most able coaches in the land.

The 3-year old West Virginia native, himself a great college player at West Virginia University in the early '30s, pointed out that the speed of a team's change provided the initial advantage which makes a play click or fail.

"This advantage used to belong to the team with the snapback because it knew when the snapback would come," Schwartzwalder said. "But today defensive platoons, concentrating on their specialty, can anticipate the snapback or analyze offensive formations so well they often have the edge in charging. We try to keep a defense honest by deception and change of direction."

Schwartzwalder used his backfield "shift" spasmodically over the last half of the season. In it, quarterback Pat Stark bends over the center Jim Ringo in the usual T-formation style, then either swings out in motion or spins about to face his own backfield. When Stark spins he comes to a full halt before the ball is snapped.

Schwartzwalder believes in trying to keep an opponent off-balance by using several different formations. Besides its trick shift, Syracuse operates from the T, split T, and a deep formation which resembles the double wing. But usually it's the T with a lot of flankers for blocking and pass receiving.

Blond, husky Ben also features an unbalanced line, always to the right, on offense.

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Sammy Baugh Will Take Coach Offer

ABILENE, Tex. (UP)—Slingin' Sammy Baugh, out of the football picture only eight days in the past 24 years, was right back in it today as an associate coach at Hardin-Simmons University.

The Washington Redskins' passing master, who quit Dec. 14 after 16 years with the professional club followed four years each of college and high school ball, was hired Monday by the same school where he has done part-time coaching in the past.

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1952 Was A Good Year For Sports

NEW YORK (UP)—This was one, as you look back through the used-up calendar, that you'd like to live over.

For 1952, as it creeps out its last few tottering days, was a real good one. It gave you some of your greatest thrills. The ones you'll carry down the long, long trail.

It started fine and it never stopped running. It was young and the dangerous sands of Daytona Beach churned to the driving wheels of the national stock car championships. You watched young Bobby Dykes defy Kid Gavilan under the Miami moon and cheered on your favorites at beautiful Hialeah.

Heading back to the snow and the ice you coon hunted in Carolina and then, before you knew it, you were out at the ball parks on opening day. Then it was old Louisville, and pounding under the gun as Hill Gail and Eddie Arcaro copped the Derby. On to Baltimore for the Preakness, and trying to knock down Blue Man.

Old Jersey Joe Walcott amazed you once again a warm night in Philadelphia by retaining the heavyweight title against much younger Ezzard Charles. Then the oppressive heat at Dallas, and the reluctant happiness as big Jay Boros took the Open from Little Ben Hogan. Back to Louisville again, and torn loyalties in the PGA final as Jim Turnesa bested Chick Harbert.

Back to New York via Detroit for the Motor City stock car races, and then hitch-hiking to Helsinki by Pan-Am.

The chills up your back as Paavo Nurmi raced out of the past to light the Olympic flame. Memories of Bob Mathias' deathtion defense in the dusk of the huge stadium. Philadelphia again, and the stunned amazement as with one punch a young man named Rocky Marciano won the heavyweight title by flattening amazing old Jersey Joe. Then the swank atmosphere of Forest Hills as little Mo Connolly refreshed you with her little girl victory in the national tennis championships, and rooting hopelessly for veteran Frank Mulloy against devastating grand Sedgman.

The dramatic baseball finishes, and into the World Series, wishing both teams could win for your friends on each side. Consoling the losers, like PeeWee Reese, and celebrating with winners like Allie Reynolds.

An afternoon in the late fall at Jamaica, marveling at Native Dancer's smashing power as he won the East View Stakes and proved to you and everybody else that he could cover a piece of ground — like, say, in next spring's Kentucky Derby.

On, into the football season, watching and covering the hopless eastern football winding up with your annual admiration of Army and Navy in the concrete castle amid the South Philadelphia dumps.

And now, after one more day, home to Carolina. So warm the coons and chill the corn. Here come's a happy Fearless!

Sooners' Star by Pap



Musial Adds To Batting Laurels

NEW YORK (UP)—Stan Musial, the St. Louis Cardinal clutter who led the National League in batting in 1952, also won the circuit's slugging crown, according to official averages released today.

Musial's 311 total bases in 578 times at bat gave him a slugging percentage of .538. It marked the sixth time in his career that he paced the league in slugging.

Close to Musial's heels in the slugging department was Chicago's Hank Sauer, the league's Most Valuable Player, who wound up with a .531 mark. Sauer was followed by Ted Kluszewski of Cincinnati, .509, and Ralph Kiner of the Pirates and Gil Hodges of Brooklyn, each of whom compiled a .500 figure.

By walking 110 times, Kiner wound up as the league's leading recipient of bases on balls for the second straight season.

Harry (Peanuts) Lowrey of the Cardinals struck out only 13 times in 374 times at bat to accumulate the fewest strikeouts among all players who took part in 100 or more games. It was the second straight year Lowrey led that department.

After a week of practice for the traditional post-season battle which will be played Saturday, both teams had developed into surprisingly well-knit units, full of zing and much more enthusiastic than most 11-star teams where the players merely go through the motions.

The North team was expected to match the wizardry of Ledyard and Graves with some running and passing brilliance from Tex Marchbroda of Detroit and Lou D'Achille of Indiana. Both are all around good backfield performers.

The expected backfield duel between the four key players also, figured to develop into a free-wheeling high-scoring game with all concentration on both sides on offensive operations.

Young Boxer Likes To Mix It With The Best

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (UP)—The boxing jungle is full of reluctant tigers these days, which makes young Vince Martinez a refreshing throwback to the days of the willing warriors.

Ordinarily, these are dull times in the box fighting business. Movies may picture the young leather pushers as sacrifices led to the slaughter too fast before they can learn the ups and downs of the game.

Actually most young fighters of promise are brought along so slowly that they are "veterans" of the ring before they start meeting the venerable champions. Meanwhile, the creaking title holders box exhibitions, try their hand at speech-making and acting and do just about everything but fight.

Martinez, a 23-year old draftsman, isn't having any. He has blueprinted his fistie future and believes that although he has had only 25 pro fights he should be ready for anybody.

That's why Martinez has no qualms as he prepares to battle Don Williams, the clouting champion, in the 10-round main event at Madison Square Garden on Friday night.

"Look," he explains vigorously, "I'm ready. I've served my apprenticeship and I know I can fight with any of them."

"There are no easy fights," he says. "And as far as I'm concerned, it is easier to lose to a bum than to a good fighter. You go in against a nobody and you get cocky. You don't fight your fight. You go in against a guy like Williams and you've got to fight the right way."

"If I can't fight guys like Williams, then I don't belong in the business," he added. "I know he is more experienced and that he's a smart fighter and a good puncher. But I can punch, too, and maybe I can box just as well. That's what I want to find out."

This handsome young man from Paterson, N. J., with the curly black hair is no reluctant warrior. Many experts rate him as the most promising young fighter around today, and Vince agrees with them all the way around. Because he has liked boxing ever since his first attempt.

"I never thought much about being a fighter but when I was in high school the whole football team decided to give the Diamond Gloves a whirl," he revealed. "Right away I liked it."

As an amateur he won 11 of 13 bouts and was voted the outstanding competitor in Paterson's 1949 Diamond Gloves championship.

Quickly he moved into the pro ranks, made a hit when he kayoed Tony Pellone earlier this year and then in June hurt his hand winning his first Gardner main event from Sammy Guillani. The hand was aggravated playing baseball, and now Martinez is coming back with a quick trip to the top in mind.

"And I won't get anywhere fighting stiff," he exploded. "His hobbies? Music, dancing and girls."

The young fellow sounds more like one of the old time boxing breed all the time.

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CORAL GABLES, Fla. (UP)—Tony Despirito, the "Little Rough Rider," flew back in triumph from Havana today leaving a legion of Cubans convinced he was the greatest horseman to visit them since Teddy Roosevelt led the cavalry charge up San Juan Hill.

PROMISE OF DELIGHT

By Mary Howard

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter Six

Anthea sent her notice into the office the following Friday, tapping it out on her typewriter, and by Miss Smith's anxiety and embarrassment, sending it into her father by hand.

Jim Darwin was waiting for her outside the office that evening, and she accepted his offer of a lift home with alacrity. She felt free and gay, and on top of the world. Noticing Miss Smith's watching her get into the car, she waved gallily. What did it matter? She was leaving in a week's time, and Miss Smithers could think what she liked. She smiled and talked with Jim. She felt in a good temper with everyone. She had seen Joe three times that week. In a few days his father would arrive in England, and she would see him, and fix up the job and be away to the South and the sunshine. "I see," said Jim, "that people have moved in next door to you."

"Yes," his voice brought her out of her dreams.

"Have you seen them?"

"Yes."

Jim turned and looked at her questioning, and she stirred, a little restlessly under his glance, as though he might read her thoughts, for she knew they were both romantic and absurd.

"What do you think of them? I've been told they are film people."

"They are—and they seem to be very nice."

"They have the most peculiar servant," said Jim. "When I passed this morning she was sitting out on the step shelling peas, and smoking a cigarette."

"You mean Bianca, the Carlotti's maid. Yes, I saw her when I went to work. Everyone was so shocked . . . but why? Why shouldn't she sit on the step if the Carlotti's don't mind?"

"Do you know them?"

"Yes."

"That's quick work, isn't it?"

She smiled. "Yes, I suppose so. Things happen like that sometimes. Oh, Jim, I haven't told you yet. I gave Daddy my notice today."

"You what?" he said, aghast.

"I gave my notice. I've been dissatisfied for some time. I want to be on my own. I never got anywhere, Daddy being the boss at Consolidated. No one thought I could do anything on my own."

"What are you going to do?" he catechized her.

"Get another job."

"Where?"

"Why do you ask?"

He went crimson. "Look here, Anthea, we've been going out together for a long while now. Don't look at me as though I have no right to ask you that."

She said, "I don't think you have really, but I'll tell you. I asked

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1. High mountain

4. Pulled apart

8. Pierce

12. Content

13. Egg-shaped

14. Kind of balsam

15. Blunder

16. Publication

18. Breathe out

20. Upright part of a stair

21. Moccasins

22. Slipped

24. Greedy

26. Heavy nail

27. Mineral spring

30. Breed of sheep

32. Bed canopy

34. Female sheep

35. Attitude

37. Sea birds

38. On a lower grade

39. Meadow

40. Founded

43. Going up

47. Fullness

49. New comb form

50. American lake

51. Otherwise

52. Age

53. Puts on

54. Danish weights

55. Small round mark

DOWN

1. Declare

2. Italian coins

3. Sweat

4. Bracing medicine

5. Across

6. Cooked least

7. Overhead railway

8. Colloquy

9. Caps

10. On the sheltered side

11. Former Vice President

17. A foregoth before a fall

19. Tablets

23. Musical instrument

24. Soft drink

25. Solemn promise

26. Pack

27. Overtaxed

29. Land measures

31. Afternoon

33. Perceives

37. Slow-moving animals

38. Canceled

39. Ocean-going steamer

40. Trained

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42. Whirl

44. Flower

45. Roman emperor

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Punch and Judy

turned his seat dark-blue roadster into the drive. Marian paused in her angry pacing.

He got out of the car, leaving it in the driveway, and walked slowly across to the front of the house, and stood sorting his keys at the front door until he found the right one. There was something elderly about his slow deliberation that she had not noticed before. He handed the keys together as she watched him. He was only fifty-five.

He followed her into the dining room. She opened the sideboard and took out some bottles and set them on the silver tray, took out two sherry glasses and put them on the sideboard. "Would you like a drink, Gregory? Dinner is almost ready."

"Thank you, my dear! Where's Anthea?"

"Out with that boy from next door again. That's the third time this week. She's really serious about going to France with them as his father's secretary."

There was a brief silence. Mr. Grainger thoughtfully swilled the sherry round in his glass, and then finished it quietly.

"Well, Anthea's twenty-one, Marian. She's always been an exceedingly good and obedient child. It won't hurt her to meet new people and get about a bit, and rely on her own judgment."

"It's not just that," said Marian impatiently. "It's that she's changed. These people appear

from nowhere, no one knows anything about them, and it seems as though Anthea completely loses her head and thinks of something else. Not just this Joe, but the idea of them, and particularly of the father . . . this Marion Carlotti. Because they're in films, because they've traveled, they're different, and she can't think of anything else. She flies off before her dinner without even troubling to change, and I believe she'd fly off to the moon if one of them suggested it!"

She went out into the kitchen, and came back with the hot dishes on a tray. She set the dishes on the table mat, silent and preoccupied, took her place opposite him and began to serve the food.

"By the way," she said suddenly. "I did say I could manage with my summer dresses this year, but I don't think I can after all. Can you let me have some money?"

"Of course, my dear. I'll give you a check this evening."

"About fifty pounds?" He glanced up, a little surprised, for she did not usually ask for so much, although she always bought good things. She went on, carefully serving the peas, not looking at him, watching what she was doing. "It's a lot of money, isn't it? But I really ought to have a smart light coat as well. I haven't anything for town wear, and they're rather expensive. The prices have all gone up again, but I prefer to buy something really good while

with you. She may think she can't keep you in order."

"I beg your pardon," said Joe indignantly. "What d'you take me for?"

She said, "Well, you are a bit untamed, you know. Mother likes things and people she can manage. She's not afraid of you, really, but of what I will do next. And perhaps she thinks you encourage me."

"But you like being encouraged, don't you?"

"Yes."

(To be continued)

Bean Hall

NORTH YARMOUTH, Me. (U.P. To help pay for the new Grange Hall, Westcustogo Grangers held 34 Saturday night baked bean suppers during which three-quarters of a ton of beans, 1,800 pies and 15,000 hot biscuits were consumed.

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Joe Carlotti if his father would want a secretary while he was in Europe. He will, and I've applied for the job."

"And if you get it?"

"It may be three or four months here, and two in the South of France."

"I think you're behaving very badly," he said unexpectedly.

Anthea's temper began to fray a little.

"I don't know why. I don't understand this sudden proprietary attitude. We've gone about together, yes, and I was glad. After all, I'm a born wallflower, and it was very nice of you." He caught her eyes, and looked away, and an inward chuckle killed Anthea's temper at the words. It was quite obvious that, embarrassing as it was, Jim thought the same thing. He knew her well; she was quiet, her out she would not let him reliable and convenient. If he took down by flirting with other men or wearing the wrong clothes. It was not until last week, when she had refused his offer of a lift, and now, when he thought she might be going away, that he had ever thought about her seriously. She put her hand on his arm, and said, good-naturedly, "Jim, don't pretend. You know there was nothing serious about the whole thing. It's just that you're afraid that if I go away, it'll make a gap that will be difficult to fill. That's it, isn't it, Jim?"

He did not answer, hating her for telling him this, and yet, for the first time, loving her too. As though he were looking through a pair of magic spectacles, he suddenly saw her as he never had before. The small neatness, the little waist he could span with his hands, the soft, scented gleam of her hair, the pointed, piquant face watching him, amused kindly, and a tiny bit malicious.

"I suppose," he said sulkily, "if I were to ask you to marry me now, you'd laugh."

"I'm afraid I would."

They sat in silence for a moment. Anthea watching the sulky handsome profile. He was, really, very good-looking. Square-jawed and rather rugged, like one of those athletic American comic-strip heroes.

"When will you be going?"

"I haven't got the job yet."

"What do you know about these people? It might be all a gag to get you over to France. He might not really need a secretary."

"White-slave stuff," said Anthea, and her eyes sparkled wickedly. "Exciting!"

"There's no need to laugh at me," he said furiously.

She went through the hall, meaning to go straight upstairs to change, when she heard voices in the garden. The queer up-and-down Morse code clatter of Italian. Her mother's tall figure bent over some rose bushes. She had on her garden gloves, her basket and scissors on her arm, but it seemed to Anthea that she bent down to the flowers as though she wanted to hide her face. Near her, hugging her elbows, the sun glinting on her earrings and the little gold cross on her breast, was Bianca.

Anthea was startled. Bianca was the last person she expected to see. Then she said eagerly, "Bianca, has Mr. Joe sent you with a message to me?"

Bianca smiled, eyes and teeth flashing a little mockingly.

"No," she said. "Joe he's out. Gone to the races. He sent a no message."

"Oh..." Anthea paused. Mrs. Grainger's straightened her long graceful back, her face a little flushed from peeping down to the flowers.

"Bianca admired the roses over the fence," she said crisply, "so I asked her to come in while I cut her a few. There's nothing in their garden; you know how it has been neglected since the Arrens went."

Anthea knew this was true. But she simply could not imagine the impulse which had made Mrs. Grainger offer the Italian woman . . .

It was so unlike her mother in every possible way. Bianca gazed at the flowers for a minute, and then suddenly she smiled. "Quite a soon Signor Mario comes home. Quite a soon. I tell you mama." The dark eyes seemed to challenge Mrs. Grainger. "You give me more-a more flowers, then? Yes? For his room? To say welcome?"

"Of course, we have plenty of flowers here," said Mrs. Grainger coolly. "You're very welcome to have some at any time."

"Grazia. I must-a go now. Soon

Mr. Joe will be here and hungry. Pretty soon when the padrone will come, then you go off to Italy, signorina?" She smiled at Anthea, her eyes bright and knowing. And then bidding them goodbye, she bobbed away in her voluminous skirts, away through the side gate into the house next door.

"I thought I heard you speaking in Italian," Anthea said. "I was surprised."

"She was babbling on in Italian. Of course I couldn't understand a word," she said. "Daddy isn't back yet. You're early. How come? Did Jim bring you home?"

"Yes," said Anthea, and suddenly blushed furiously.

Mrs. Grainger raised mocking brows. "Why, that happened? You don't usually blush over Jim."

"Well, it was rather embarrassing. When I told him I was leaving Consolidated, and perhaps going abroad with the Carlotti's, he suddenly asked me to marry him. I'm sure he wouldn't have thought of it ordinarily. I nearly laughed at Jim having to marry his old faithful! But I didn't want to hurt his feelings."

"Well, these things make a man think differently, so perhaps this tom-fool idea of yours has done some good."

"It isn't a tom-fool idea," said Anthea stubbornly.

"What do you know of those people? Nothing! Nothing at all. In any case, it probably won't come to anything. It's over a week now, and you've not heard a word. I expect the amorous Mr. Carlotti wants a photo before he engages a secretary."

Anthea did not answer. It was a week and she had not heard. She dropped down onto the road, the rays of the setting sun outlining her thin, girlish body as she curled catlike against the cushions.

"You could do a lot worse than Jim," said Mrs. Grainger harshly. "He's young, good-looking, good at his job. His parents are very comfortably off. You know him well and we like him very much. If that means anything to you. He's in the business with your father . . . and we've no son to bring up into it."

Anthea looked round, startled. "I don't see any reason for getting engaged or married unless you are deeply and desparately in love. The you'll probably be an old maid," because I imagine very few women marry men they are desperately and deeply in love with. In some respects, Anthea, you are still very juvenile."

Anthea said dreamily, half-mockingly. "I'm a romantic. I think it's brave to be an old maid if you can't find the man the man you really want. It's better than taking second-best, anyway." Marian Grainger turned sharply away. She picked up her sewing box, sorting the spools and silks with fumbling, nervous fingers. Anthea went on heedlessly. "I suppose a lot of women are desperately and deeply in love with someone they can't marry, so after that, they just marry, so after that, they just marry. I think that is disgusting. I admire women who have the courage to stay single and proud, like Queen Elizabeth and Florence Nightingale."

"Sometimes you talk the most absolute rot," Anthea, said her mother harshly.

There was a frenzy of tooting from outside, and Anthea shot up to look out of the window. The big cream car was there with Joe at the wheel, tooting a gay summons on the horn, and making signs for Anthea to come out. She sprang for her coat, her face alight and eager. "Mother! It's Joe! And I believe he's got some news for me. I must go. He must have heard that his father is coming back. I may not be back for dinner. I'll let you know."

She shot out of the door, and Marian Grainger called angrily. "Anthea . . . come back at once." But Anthea was a eady out of the house.

Marian stood for a moment, watching them while they met, their faces alight and eager, while Joe pushed open the car door, holding out his hand to help Anthea in. Something in his face, in the way he looked at Anthea, made her turn away, her hands twisting together with anguish and helpless exasperation, pacing the room with swift, angry, impatient steps.

Hardly had the sound of Joe's car died away when Mr. Grainger

Wise Men Seek Jesus

ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By Alfred J. Buescher

Scripture—Matthew 2.



When Jesus was born in Bethlehem, three wise men arrived at Jerusalem asking, "Where is He that is born king of the Jews, for we have seen His star in the east and are come to worship Him?"

King Herod was worried and so was the whole city. Herod sent for the chief priests and scribes and asked them where the Messiah would be born and they said Bethlehem, according to prophecy.

Then Herod called the wise men to him and asked them where the star appeared. He sent them to Bethlehem, telling them to return to him after they had seen the Child, so that he, too, might go to worship Him.

The wise men, however, after seeing Jesus and giving Him gifts, returned home another way, and an angel told Joseph to take the Child and His mother and flee to Egypt.

MEMORY VERSE—Jeremiah 29:13.

Wise Men Seek Jesus

THEY WORSHIPED THE BABE AND BROUGHT GIFTS

Scripture—Matthew 2.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL. THE BIRTH of what other child has made such a stir in the world as that of the infant Jesus? There is rejoicing in many countries when a son and heir is born to the ruler of the country. In countries where kings and queens still reign, their birthdays are legal holidays to their people and in their colonies.

Nowhere in history, however, is any birthday so generally celebrated all over the world, and has been for centuries, as is Christmas. Now hope for a peaceful and co-operative world always floods the mind when we read the words uttered by the angels, as related in St. Luke's gospel, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, good will toward men."

St. Luke gives us the fuller account of His birth, as it is he who tells of the circumstances concerning the birth of John the Baptist and the annunciation to Mary. He tells of the shepherds

where Jesus, Mary and Joseph were, and stood over it.

When they saw the young Child with Mary they fell down and worshiped Him, and "when they had opened their treasures they presented Him gifts; gold, and frankincense and myrrh."

Frankincense, the choicest of all odors, was thought to come from Arabia, but is now thought to come from India. It is a gum exuding from a plant, and was the highest prized and costliest of all of the scents of antiquity.

Myrrh, oozed from an acacia-like plant found in Arabia. It was used dry as a gum, or, liquid, as an ointment, and was used in embalming.

Warned in a dream that they should not return to Jerusalem, the wise men went home by another route.

An angel also appeared to Joseph in a dream and told him to take the Child and His Mother and flee into Egypt "and be there until I bring thee word; for

The Golden Text



The star of Bethlehem.

"Ye shall seek Me, and find Me, when ye shall search for Me with all your heart."—Jeremiah 29:13.

MEMORY VERSE

"Ye shall seek Me, and find Me, when ye shall search for Me with all your heart."—Jeremiah 29:13.

and their visit to the Babe. St. Matthew begins his second chapter with the words.

"Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, saying, Where is He that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen His star in the east, and are come to worship Him."

Now Herod was an interloper, according to history, and fearful of losing his throne which he held under Rome. So, naturally, when he heard what these wealthy and influential men were asking he was pretty upset, and all Jerusalem with him.

Herod sent for all the chief priests and scribes of the people and asked them where the Christ should be born, and they answered readily, "In Bethlehem," according to the ancient prophecy.

"And thou Bethlehem, in the land of Juda, art not the least among the princes of Juda: for out of thee shall come a governor, that shall rule My people Israel."

This report was not likely to comfort Herod, so he sent for the wise men, and meeting them secretly he said, "Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found Him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship Him also."

The wise men went their way, and the star led them to the place

Herod will seek the young Child to destroy Him."

So Joseph did as the angel said, and the three departed into Egypt. They remained there until the death of Herod, "that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, Out of Egypt have I called My Son."

When Herod found he had been tricked by the wise men, he was furious, and he ordered all young children of two years of age and younger in Bethlehem to be slain. Can you imagine a more horrible thing to do? He was a wicked, wicked man.

When Herod died the angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph and told him to take his wife and their Babe back to Israel. When they arrived Joseph found that Herod's son, Archelaus, reigned in Juda, so he was afraid to go back. Again warned in a dream, Joseph turned aside into the parts of Galilee.

"And he came and dwelt in a city called Nazareth: that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophets, He shall be called a Nazarene."

When this lesson reaches you Christmas day will have passed, but the Christmas spirit will still be with us, and we will be glad to talk again about the pilgrims who saw the Babe in His manger birthplace and rejoice over the gifts they gave Him in devout worship.

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Rev. Philip M. Cory, pastor 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Mr. R. A. Fountain, superintendent 11:00 a.m.—Services each 2nd and 4th Sundays.

7:30 p.m. Tues.—Prayer Service

FALKLAND PRESBYTERIAN Rev. Philip M. Cory, pastor 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Mr. W. J. Little, superintendent 11:00 a.m.—Service 1st Sunday

7:00 p.m.—Services 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays.

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Fire Victim Is Rewarded; Rides In Chief's Car

OMAHA, Neb. (U.P.)—Four-year-old Ronnie Augustyn received his reward for a five-month struggle to survive burns that covered his body from the waist down.

The Sergeant, Neb., boy was taken for a ride by Fire Chief Clyde P. Dunn in the latter's official car.

The siren wailed as Ronnie took in the sights of Omaha with Dunn's white fire-fighting helmet perched on his head. It was the climax of his career as an honorary fireman which began when Dunn and Fire Commissioner William Noyes "ad-

opted" the boy during his stay at Children's Memorial Hospital.

The boy was badly burned on his parents' farm near Sargent when he tried in vain to rescue his puppies from flames. Doctors performed more than 30 skin-grafting operations.

Ronnie's due for another surprise. Neighbors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Augustyn, are planning to have a new batch of puppies for the lad when he returns home.

LONG WAY FROM HOME—MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Shirley Moriya found an antique Japanese vase with her family crest on it during a visit here.

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Now You Take This Dog, He's Said To Be A Singer...And Talented, Too



"SILENT NIGHT." A favorite pastime of this "pooch" according to his mistress, Miss Ada Jones, is singing to the strains of a hand organ. Mickey, as he is called, received a new white harness studded with stones for Christmas, and left yesterday for New York to spend the holidays.

By JESS POINDEXTER
Reflector Staff Writer
All those Greenville people who think their kids are getting too

much for Christmas should make the acquaintance of a local dog I hardly know.
As of yesterday he's off on a jaunt to New York for the holidays, and he hasn't been a good dog these last few days—at least it's my opinion he hasn't because well-fed as he is he recently tried to carve his initials on my shin with his teeth.

The pup under discussion is Mickey, the canine protege of Miss Ada Jones of 513 East Ninth Street, Greenville. I had received several reports that he was a very talented dog, so I went over to interview him—and he almost got me.
Mickey is reputedly a bona fide "singing dog," and allegedly is capable of putting the noted collier soprano from Craven County to shame. However the welcome he gave me was anything but harmonious.

"Disillusioned"
I journeyed over to his habitat a few days ago with the intention of hearing him "sing" a few numbers, but I was extremely disillusioned when he took to me like oil takes to water—we just didn't mix.
Miss Ada was as astounded by his attitude toward me as I was, and apologized profusely for Mickey's failure to be the gracious host, but somehow I just couldn't feel completely at ease with those snapping fangs not more than a foot from my leg.

And to make his mistress feel more ashamed of him, Mickey was being downright vicious while at-tired in his new white Christmas harness boasting shiny stones, and sporting a green bow tie.
He had been specially dressed for the audition.

Talented Singer
"I really don't know what's gotten into him today," his owner said regretfully. "But he's half terrier and half Chihuahua, and because he's a talented singer with Latin blood I guess he's just temperamental like most artists."
Miss Ada said she first discovered his musical tendencies one day last

May, when she was cleaning house and found an old accordion which she proceeded to try out. According to his mistress, on hearing the music the pup sat back on his haunches and hit a mean tenor.

Since that time, however, and Mickey is little more than one year old this Christmas, he has shown a preference for soprano, she stated. During Christmas she has played many songs, and she finds that "Silent Night, Holy Night" is his favorite.

Was Muzzled
At that stage of the interview the "talented" pup became so violently opposed to my presence that he had to be muzzled, and then he struggled unsuccessfully (thank goodness) to tear the muzzle off. I guess he resented the intrusion of a struggling

newspaperman.
"I just don't understand Mickey's attitude today," Miss Ada said again, "all the neighbors who visit here and know him get a happy welcome." And for several anxious moments there I wished fervently that I might be a neighbor—for all practical purposes at least.
According to Miss Ada, Mickey has not only changed in temperament but he has also changed in appearance. "When he was a pup he was gentle as a mouse and looked exactly like a Chihuahua," she declared. "Now he looks like a terrier and acts accordingly."
Likes Television
She added that her pet is a rabid television fan, and especially likes

"highbrow" music including all classical programs. "And when the violin sections come in he really sings." Evidently he entertains a great love for television and an extreme hostility toward strangers.

At any rate, Miss Ada said she saw a dog on Arthur Godfrey's show that couldn't sing one iota better than Mickey, so she has written Godfrey and hopes to get him on that show in the future. Better muzzle him Miss Ada or he'll nip the maestro.

And believe me, this canine warbler boasts a wardrobe that would shame many a man. His choice of garb for an outing runs from turtle-neck sweaters to gien-plaid coats; with a raincoat and outing pajamas as supplement.

Fussy About Food
To make matters more complicated, Mickey is even finicky about his food—he has to eat what the family eats. "He just won't touch dogfood, he has to have steak, roast beef—and he loves seafood, espe-

cially crabmeat and fish," Miss Ada vowed.

And then as Mickey snarled and flashed a set of teeth that Miss Ada said weren't sharp, the lady of the house said, "If you'll just stay for supper I think he'll get to know you."

But in fear of my red corpuscles, I replied "I'm afraid I'll be supper"—and I took my tardy leave.

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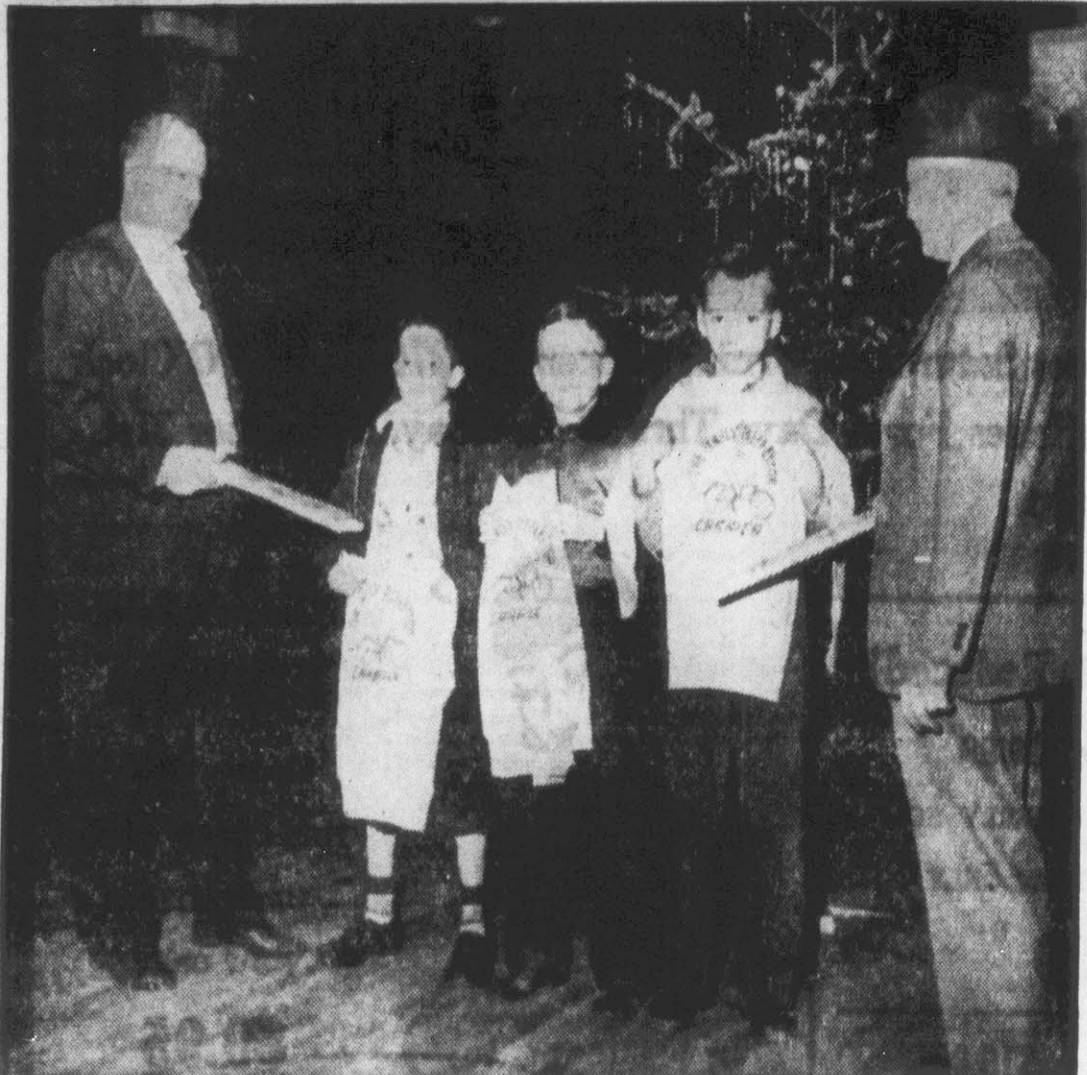
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BUMS SENTENCED TO EAT
CHICAGO (UP) — Seventy-six skid row bums arrested on disorderly conduct charges were "sentenced" by Judge Edward P. Luczak to eat turkey dinners and "seek spiritual good" at a Salvation Army hall here Christmas day.

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90-Year-Old Is Addicted To Habit Of Work

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP)—The loud hooting at a workbench of a heating concern the other day was just 90-year-old Otto Lighter celebrating his birthday in the way he likes best — working.

"I don't know what I'd do without work," explained Otto, who left school at 14 against his father's advice, to learn a blacksmith's trade. From shoeing horses he went on to mount rubber tires on carriage wheels at a wheel factory here. The company sold out with the coming of pneumatic tires. So, at 41, Otto had to learn a new mechanic's trade, involving sheet metal working.

Otto gets up around 3:30 a.m., prepares his own breakfast, and a friend drives him to work by 5:45 a.m.—the first man on the job.

Scottish Peat May Now Be Of Industrial Use

NEW YORK (AP)—Scottish peat, long considered an uneconomical type of commercial fuel, may now be used industrially, thanks to a new British gas-turbine engine, reports the British Information Service here.

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70-ACRE IMPROVED FARM FOR sale-Modern dwelling, tobacco barn, packhouse, other buildings, tobacco allotment, 3 1/2-10 water works, electricity, paved road. Near Belhaven, D. D. Topping, Attorney, Belhaven, N. C. 18-61

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21-Real Estate

FOR SALE-CEMENT BLOCK building 33x65 feet on lot 50x137 1/2 feet. Located in Greenville. This property will give 10% returns on investment. Price \$8250. See Jimmy Brewer or call Hooker and Buchanan, Phones 2612 or 4433. 18-61

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 8717. 17-121

35-Expert Services

PINCH'S VENETIAN BLIND SERVICE located rear Carolina Theater, Rocky Mount. 11

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERED AND repaired. We carry a complete line of samples to choose from. Call for deliveries. Free estimates. Work guaranteed to satisfy. Brilli's Upholstery Shop, Falkland, N. C. Phone 3617-8. Dec. 1-14

TELEVISION SERVICE

Expert Repairs - All Makes 20 Years Experience WILLIAMS RADIO & TV CO. 294 E. 5th St. Phone 5533

FREE ESTIMATES ON YOUR fall and winter interior and exterior painting. Select your wallpaper from our new deluxe books. Globe Hardware Company, 6th & Washington Sts. Phone 3292. Oct. 29-14

FOR PROMPT, SKILLED INSTALLATION of television, oil heaters, water pumps and house locks, call C. H. Edwards Hardware House. Dec. 13-1 mo.

45-Wanted

BRING US YOUR "YOUR" SCRAP TAKE HOME "OUR" DOLLARS We buy and pay highest market price for your old - BRASS - COPPER - LEAD - IRON STEEL - TIN - OLD BATTERIES ETC. SELL IT NOW AT J. SAM FLEMING, INC. BETHEL HIGHWAY - DIAL 3448 - PICKUP SERVICE

BRING YOUR SHEELED PECANS to Morton's Bakery for top prices. Dec. 4-14

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

DANCING TIPS-YOU'LL DANCE with joy when you see how we service your car. Rick's Service Center, 9th & Evans Sts. and 3rd and Cotanche Sts., Greenville, N. C. 22-61

HAVE YOUR BRAKES CHECKED for sure, safe driving. Don't take chances; come in real soon for our brake check-up. Call Allen's Texaco Station, in front of courthouse. 23-51

PUBLIC NOTICES EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of Sarah A. Venters, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement. This the 20th day of November, 1952. CALVIN MILLS, Greenville, N. C., Rte. 3, Box 321, Executor of the Sarah A. Venters Estate. Nov. 20-26 Dec. 4-11-18-26

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. C. Johnson, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of December, 1952, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of December, 1952. W. K. WHITEHURST, Robersonville, N. C., Administrator of the Estate of J. C. Johnson. Dec. 12-19-26 Jan. 2-9-14

NOTICE OF RESALE OF LANDS BY COMMISSIONER Under and by virtue of power of sale and authority contained in that certain order of resale made by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 17th day of December, 1952, in that action pending in said Court entitled "Diane Venters, by her general guardian, Thomas E. Venters vs. Thomas C. Sutton et al," the undersigned commissioner will offer for resale and sell at public auction for cash before the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina on the 3rd day of January, 1953, at 12:00 noon the following described lands: First Tract: Lying and being situated in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and specifically described as follows: Beginning at a corner of the public road leading from Shermeline to Washington and being the corner of D. L. Lewis and Horace Adams on said road, and running thence S 24-10 W 1064 feet to a small gum; thence from said small gum S 86-50 E 1615 feet to another small gum in Robert Godley's line; thence N 12 E with an old path to the public road known as the Shermeline and Washington Road; thence with said road, N 73-15 W 173 feet; thence leaving said road and running N 19-10 with a ditch, 345 feet to a corner on said ditch; thence S 75-45 W 516 feet to said road; thence with said road as follows: N 59-30 W 176 feet; N 59-30 W 383 feet; N 40 W 359 feet to the beginning, corner on said road, and containing 37.8 acres as is shown by map of survey of said lands made by W. C. Dresbach, C. E. and surveyed, dated December 15, 1934. This is the same property which was conveyed to Rosa Sutton by the Federal Corporation by deed dated 6 day of February 1935 and recorded in book T-20 at p. 93 of the Pitt County Registry. Second Tract: Situated on the north side of Clayroot Swamp Canal in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, bounded on the north by David Sutton land, on the south by Clayroot Swamp canal and on the west by the public road leading to Shermeline, N. C., and being the southern part, one-half of the tract of land deeded by Wachovia Bank and Trust Company to T. C. Sutton and David Sutton January 25, 1935, and recorded in Deeds office of Pitt County, N. C., more particularly described as follows: Beginning in the middle of the public road leading from Shermeline, N. C., David Sutton's land, S 69-05 E 1220 feet to a stake in the fence in the back of the field; thence on the line between said David Sutton and Rosa Sutton, S 75 E 3042 feet to their corner in the center of Clayroot Swamp Canal; thence down the center of the canal S 76-15 W 1354 feet to fork or crook; thence on down the canal, N 65-15 W 3080 feet to the center of the bridge in the aforesaid public road, thence with the said road, N 18-20 E 174 feet to the beginning, containing 33 acres of land, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Rosa Sutton and David Sutton and wife, Velma Sutton, by deed dated 28 December, 1940, and recorded in book A-24 at p. 802 of the Pitt County Registry. Third Tract: Lying, being and situated in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the center of a ditch near Bill Adams stables, T. C. Adams' corner, running thence a northerly course with said ditch and T. C. Adams' line to Alton Adams' line; thence with his line a westerly course to the county road; thence an easterly course with said road to Bill Adams' corner; thence to the beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less. Fourth Tract: Beginning at a stake in the center of the ditch near Bill Adams stables, and runs thence a northerly course with said ditch to an apple tree; thence with another ditch a northerly course to Allen Adams' line; thence an easterly course with his line to the Adams' line; thence a northerly course with Madison Adams' back line to the beginning and containing 10 acres, more or less. Being the same land which was conveyed to Rosa Sutton by Horace Adams by deed dated 9 February 1943 and recorded in book D-24 at p. 178. This sale is being made for the purpose of making division between the interested parties. The purchaser will be required to deposit 10% of bid on day of sale. This the 17th day of December, 1952. S. O. WORTHINGTON, Commissioner. S. O. Worthington, Atty. Dec. 19-26

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Fannie V. Bowen, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned administrator at Greenville, N. C. on or before the 18th day of December, 1952, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 18th day of December, 1952. GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Adm. of the Estate of Fannie V. Bowen, deceased. Harding & Lee, Atty's. Dec. 22-29 Jan. 5-12-19-26

NOTICE OF SALE

NORTH CAROLINA IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK Rachel Carlisle Faulkner and Husband, Clarence Faulkner; A. B. Carlisle Jr. and wife, Doris Carlisle; Thelma Carlisle (widow); K. A. Carlisle Brewer and Husband, J. P. Brewer; Effie Carlisle Wilson; and Hurd Carlisle Wilson; Billy C. Strickland and Wife, Hattie Strickland, Infant, Hattie Strickland appearing in this action by her next friend, Thelma Carlisle - - - ex parte

Under and by virtue of order of the Superior Court of Pitt County made in Special Proceeding entitled "Rachel Carlisle Faulkner and husband, Clarence Faulkner; A. B. Carlisle Jr. and wife, Doris Carlisle; et al, ex parte," same being No. upon the Special Proceeding Docket of said Court, the undersigned Commissioner will, on the 3rd day of January, 1953, at twelve (12) o'clock Noon, at the courthouse in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in Belvoir Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of W. G. Clark and others and described as follows: Bounded on the East by the lands of W. G. Clark, on the South by Conner Clark, on the West by the land of Rufus Simmons and on the North by the Cobb land, containing seventeen (17) acres, more or less, and being the land devised to Effie Warren Carlisle by Lovie Warren, as shown by will recorded in Will Book 5 at page 103 in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County. The tobacco allotment for the year 1952 on said land was three and seven-tenths (3.7) acres. The land will be sold subject to 1953 taxes, and the highest bidder at said sale will be required to deposit ten (10) percent of his bid to await confirmation of the sale and show good faith in the bidding. This the 3rd day of December, 1952. J. H. HARELL, Commissioner. Dec. 4-11-18-26

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION S. P. 5554

NORTH CAROLINA IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK G. C. Garris, Mrs. Celia Garris, A. L. Garris, E. F. Dennis, et al, petitioners vs. Ceale Garris, Emma Lee Garris Jarvis and husband, Harry Jarvis, et al, defendants. In re: Back Swamp-Hanrahan Canal Company

The defendants, Elmer Stewart and wife, Ruth Stewart, Willis Stewart and wife, Belle Stewart, Joe D. Stewart and wife, Maybelle Stewart, Zebedee Stewart and wife, Anna Stewart, Wilbur Stewart and wife, Mabel Clara Stewart, Allie S. Murphy and husband, George Murphy, Elisha King, Robert A. Stewart, Lyman Jenkins, Lyman Worthington and wife, Mildred Worthington, Robert Worthington and wife, Inez Worthington, Alton Worthington, and wife, Gertrude Worthington, Charles Roosevelt McLawhorn, W. C. Smith, E. A. Smith, Raymond L. Collins Jr., Fannie Gardner and Thomas Leggett, Ceale Garris, R. C. Worthington, Addie Brooks, Emma Garris, G. C. Jackson, Joe Long, Leona C. McLawhorn, Nancy McLawhorn and all other persons who have an interest in lands located within the drainage basin of Back Swamp, which is a natural drainage located southeast of Ayden, North Carolina, and between Ayden and Hanrahan and whose lands naturally flow into the said drainage basin, will take notice that an action entitled above has been commenced against them in the Superior Court of Pitt County and that the purpose of the said action is the creation of a drainage corporation to drain the said drainage basin, all of which is particularly set out in the petition filed in this cause and which is among the records in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County. The said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the Petition in the said action within ten (10) days after the 2nd day of January, 1953, or petitioner will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said Petition. This 3rd day of December, 1952. H. L. LEWIS JR., Asst. Clerk of the Superior Court. Frank M. Wooten Jr., Atty. for Petitioners. Dec. 5-12-19-26

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Stocks And Market Reports

NEW YORK (UP)—The usual post-Christmas lull today reduced stock market volume to a new low since election time.

Prices declined in nearly all sections with tax selling and profit-taking the chief forces in the market.

Two outstanding exceptions were noted to the decline. They were the utilities which rose to within 11 cents of their average high since Sept. 11, 1951, thanks to strength in one issue—Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line—and the textiles. The latter had gains ranging to 1 1/2 points in American Woolen.

Here and there a stock managed to rise fractionally. But for the most part small losses were registered. No particular pressure developed and market experts held that the hesitation in the rise was strengthening the market's position for the traditional year-end rise expected next week.

Railroad issues, best gainers in the recent rise, suffered the widest declines. Southern Railway was off 1 1/2 at 81 and Illinois Central, off 1 at 84 1/2. Pennsylvania Railroad, most active issue, declined to 27 1/2 before meeting mild support. Missouri Pacific preferred touched 61 1/2, off 2 1/2 points.

Motors, steels, oils, aircrafts and coppers were small losers on light volume. Firmness was noted in such individual issues as General Electric, General Mills, and Monsanto Chemical.

NEW YORK (UP)—Cotton futures prices at 1 p. m. EST today: New York March 33 7/4; May 34 1/8; New Orleans March 33 7/2; May 34 1/5.

NEW YORK (UP)—Produce: Potatoes: Prices are basis per 100 lb bags unless otherwise indicated. Quiet. Maine Green Mts. and Katahdins 5 lbs 2.15-3.00; other grades 50 lbs 2.0; Long Island Green Mts. 3.50-4.50; all varieties No. 2, 1.50-2.50; 50 lbs 1.00-5.00; Long Island Katahdins, 3.50-4.50; 50 lbs 1.00-2.25; Idaho Russets, 5.00-6.00; 50 lbs 2.85-3.00; Nebraska Red Bliss 50 lbs 3.00-25.

Sweet potatoes: (bu bskts) Quiet. New Jersey golden 4.50-6.00; white 4.00-5.75; medium white 4.00-5.00; Maryland, fancy tub 5.00-25.

Yams: (bu bskts) Quiet. North Carolina 5.50-7.00; Lunas 3.00-4.50; other grades 2.75-3.00; Louisiana fancy box 6.75-7.00.

Live poultry very quiet; few sales registered; rabbits all varieties 28-40.

CHICAGO (UP)—Produce: Live poultry: Market steady to firm; 2 loads.

Butter: No receipts; market steady; 92 score 66 3/4 cents a pound; 92 score 66 3/4; 90 score 64 1/4; 89 score 63 1/4; carlots: 64 1/4.

Eggs: No receipts market firm; 90 score 65 1-4; 90 score 64 1/2; white large extras 60-69.9 per cent A and over 51 cents a dozen; mixed large extras 60-69.9 per cent A and over 51; medium 60-69.9 per cent A and over 6; current receipts 37; dirties 36; checks 33.

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

American Can	35 3/4
American Car & F	36 1/2
American T & T	157 1/2
American Tobacco	65 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	120
Baltimore & Ohio	28 1/2
Bendix Aviation	61 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	54 1/2
Boeing Aircraft	39 3/4
Borden	61 1/2
Briggs Mfg	35 3/4
Chesapeake & Ohio	38
Chrysler	90
Coca-Cola	107 3/4
Colgate-P-P	46 3/4
Continental Can	46 1/2
Corn Products	71 1/2
Curtiss-Wright	81 1/2
DuPont	95 1/2
Eastern Air	25 1/2
Easman Kodak	43 1/2
General Electric	70 3/4
General Motors	67 1/2
Goodrich	75
Goodyear	82
Gulf Oil	60 1/2
International Harvester	32 1/2
International Nickel	44
International T & T	187 1/2
Kennecott	77 1/2
Liggett & Myers	72
Lorillard	24 1/2
Lou & Nash	66 1/2
Monsanto	90
Packard	5 1/2
Paramount Pictures	27 1/2
Pepper	67 1/2
Pennsylvania RR	23 1/2
Pepsi-Cola	11 1/2
Philip Morris	48 3/4
Reynolds Tobacco	41 1/2
Sears Roebuck	60 1/2
Southern Co.	15 3/4
Southern Railway	81 1/2
Standard Oil (NJ)	77 1/2

Brodie Parents Are Still Hopeful

CHICAGO (UP)—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brodie were more hopeful than ever today that their Christmas dream of normal lives for their separated Siamese twin sons would come true.

The 15-month-old twins were still alive today, 10 days after the 12 hour and 40 minute operation which severed the tissue which joined them at the top of their skulls.

Although their conditions were unchanged and both twins were still in dangerous condition, they had already surpassed the hopes of the highly-skilled specialists caring for them.

Roger Lee, the weaker twin who was deprived of a vital cranial vein in the operation was still in a coma and believed to be in "very precarious" condition. Rodney Dee, the twin favored by surgeons, was still "critical." Nurses said he ate his formula today with gusto.

Mr. and Mrs. Brodie, an East Moline, Ill., farm couple, gave permission for the dangerous, day-long operation because they wanted "normal lives" for Roger and Rodney.

The twins were healthy, growing children before the separation but they would have lived as monstrosities and hopeless invalids without the operation. They were joined so their legs pointed in opposite directions.

The Brodies spent Christmas Day at the University of Illinois educational and research hospital, donning surgical masks and white gowns to tip into the twins' room in the pediatric ward.

A supervising nurse said Rodney was evidently too tired to speak any baby words. The twins were wonderful mimics before the separation, and Rodney managed to say a few simple phrases like "mte-nite" soon after the operation.

Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Taylor

Funeral services for Mrs. Susie Taylor were held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Ramsey Kenne and Rev. D. J. Little officiated. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

She was the daughter of the late A. L. Tucker and Susan Tyson Tucker of Pitt County. She was married to Arthur Taylor in 1917. She was a member of Black Jack Holiness Church.

Surviving are her husband; six daughters, Mrs. Enna Velleite, Mrs. Myrtle Rayford, Mrs. Mary Barber, Mrs. Margaret Evans and Faye Taylor all of Greenville; Mrs. Pauline Preeland, Detroit, Michigan; one sister, Mrs. Thelma Herring of Gastonia, and one brother, A. L. Tucker of Greenville; her stepmother, Mrs. Essie Sanders of Rocky Mount; two half-brothers, Troy Tucker of New Bern and Ben Tucker of Rocky Mount, and nine grandchildren.

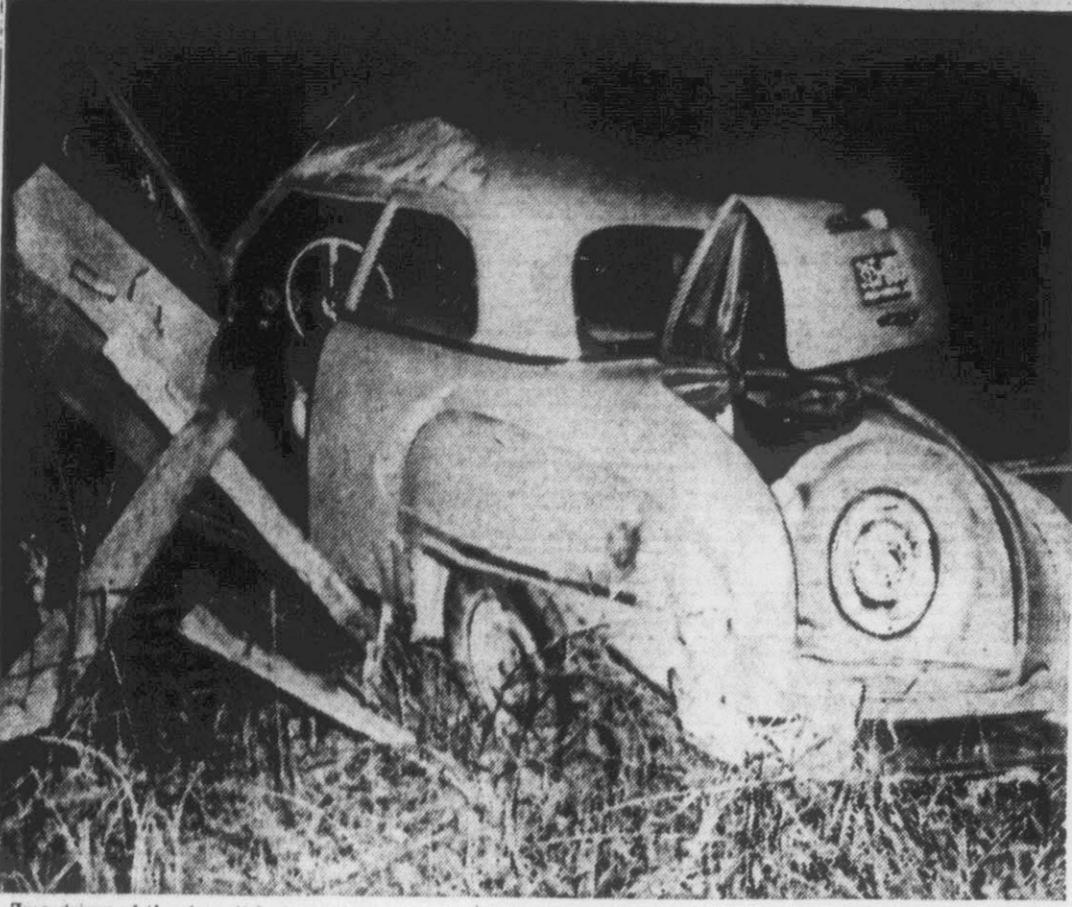
Bank Employees Honored At Dinner

BETHEL—Swan C. Ives, cashier of the Bethel branch of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company, entertained the employees and their husbands and wives at dinner at Bethel Hotel Tuesday evening.

A three-course dinner was served. The table was centered with an attractive arrangement of red carnations and fern. Corsages were favors for the women. Those present were: Rev. Carl Bjork, Alvis Mew, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Charles Ives Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Swan Charles Ives Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Bullock, and Mr. Swan C. Ives, the host.

Choice Bit

collie-huskie dog named Texas is a discriminating eater. He took time out from romping with Mr. and Mrs. John K. Joyner's dog to munch on a \$10 bill left on a table. But Texas ate only the part of the bill that bore the "ham" in Alexander Hamilton's name.



The driver of the demolished car shown above, walked away with only minor cuts and bruises last night when his car overturned several times two miles East of Ayden on Highway 102. Sylvester Morris of Route 4, Greenville, was charged with careless and reckless driving by Patrolman Delton E. Perry and Bill Whitehurst. (Reflector Photo by Roy Hardee.)



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Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Taylor

Funeral services for Mrs. Susie Taylor were held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Ramsey Kenne and Rev. D. J. Little officiated. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

She was the daughter of the late A. L. Tucker and Susan Tyson Tucker of Pitt County. She was married to Arthur Taylor in 1917. She was a member of Black Jack Holiness Church.

Surviving are her husband; six daughters, Mrs. Enna Velleite, Mrs. Myrtle Rayford, Mrs. Mary Barber, Mrs. Margaret Evans and Faye Taylor all of Greenville; Mrs. Pauline Preeland, Detroit, Michigan; one sister, Mrs. Thelma Herring of Gastonia, and one brother, A. L. Tucker of Greenville; her stepmother, Mrs. Essie Sanders of Rocky Mount; two half-brothers, Troy Tucker of New Bern and Ben Tucker of Rocky Mount, and nine grandchildren.

Rev. King To Preach In Ayden

AYDEN—Rev. H. K. King, district superintendent of the New Bern District, will preach at Ayden Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

After the worship service he will conduct the first quarterly conference for the year ahead. All officers and members of the church are expected to attend both meetings.

During the morning service, Rev. C. M. Fojenman Jr., pastor of Ayden Methodist Church, will recognize and accord the season's greetings to all college students who are home for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Ross Dies At Home Near Greenville

Mrs. Clyde S. Ross, 68, died at her home near Greenville Friday morning at 4:30 o'clock following a short illness. Funeral services will be conducted at the Chapel of the S. G. Wilkerson & Sons Funeral Home Saturday afternoon at three o'clock and burial will be in the Winterville Cemetery. The Rev. E. C. Cole, Baptist Minister of Winterville, will officiate.

Mrs. Ross was born and reared near LaGrange and was married to Herbert R. Ross of Pitt County. She had lived in the Winterville Community for a number of years and was a member of Reedy Branch Free Will Baptist Church.

Surviving are four sons, W. D. Ross of Greenville, Roy Lee Ross of near Kingston, and W. Earl Ross of Greenville; a daughter, Mrs. Laura Mae Mcawhorn of near Vanceboro; 17 grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Nellie Stacks of Kingston; two brothers, Frank and Jesse Sutton of LaGrange; and two half-brothers, Walter C. Carville of near Snow Hill, and Will Sutton of Lagrange.

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Services Held For Drowned Couple

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Whitaker, of Chocowinity, were drowned at about 4:30 o'clock Tuesday morning when their automobile ran into the canal at Wilkerson Creek Bridge at Leechville in Hyde County. The bodies were recovered late Tuesday afternoon.

Funeral services were held at the Chocowinity Baptist Church Friday afternoon at two o'clock by the Rev. J. E. Hoyle, Baptist minister of Winterville. Burial was in Trinity Cemetery near Chocowinity.

James L. Whitaker spent nearly all his life in the Chocowinity community. He was in the U. S. Army, during World War II and served three years overseas.

Surviving are a son, Jimmy Whitaker, and two daughters, Sandra Kay and Sharon Whitaker, all of the home; his mother, Mrs. Liney Whitaker of Chocowinity; his father, Will Whitaker of Oak City; two brothers, Herman Whitaker of the U. S. Air Force, now stationed at Vance, Okla., and Donald Ray Whitaker of Chocowinity; and four sisters, Mrs. Clyde Turner, Mrs. Marvin Ross and Mrs. Sam Becham of Norfolk, Va., and Mrs. Kenneth Wilkins of Lakehurst, N.C.

Mrs. Whitaker is survived by a son; two daughters; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Edwards of Leechville; three sisters, Mrs. R. B. Tunstall of Edwards; Mrs. Rufus Elks of Chocowinity; and Mrs. Willie Elks of near Greenville; and four brothers, E. D. Edwards of Washington, Lathel Edwards and Adrian Edwards of Norfolk, and Darrell Edwards of the U. S. Air Corps, now in Tampa, Fla.

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Capitol Square

(Continued from page four) DIFFERENT — The developing situation does not mean that Luther Hodges has any more of that intangible thing called "personality" than Pat Taylor, or that William Umstead has any less than Kerr Scott. Nor does it necessarily mean they will do a better or worse job. It means simply that their method of approach to public questions is different. Governor Umstead will conform to traditional pattern without attracting so much individual attention; and Lieutenant Governor Hodges will be more individualistic and less orthodox.

Pitt Holiday . . .

(Continued from Page One) Injured were Arthur Vines, 23, who received a head injury and hand injury. He was admitted to the hospital. Also injured was Allen Rogers, 18, lacerated ear.

Rogers was cited to court on a charge of careless and reckless driving.

Property damage was the only victim of a two car accident near Hickory Grove Church on highway 33 yesterday.

Cars driven by John K. Briley, 68 of Route 2, Robersonville and William Hyman, Route 1, Stokes collided at the intersection of a rural paved road and NC 33 around 4:30.

Patrolman Perry, quoted Briley as saying that he stopped at a "Stop" sign and did not see a car, pulled onto the highway and struck the oncoming car driven by Hyman.

No one was injured and no arrests were made.

Driver Charged

A charge of failure to yield the right of way was lodged against a 36 year old Negro woman, last night after her car was involved in an accident with a second car at Ballards Crossroads.

Charged is Bessie Conner Becton, 36 of Route 1, Greenville.

According to Patrolman D. E. Perry, the Becton car was leaving a service station, swung onto the highway making a wide circle into the path of a car driven by Isaac Carl Morris, Jr., of 206 Ridgeway Street, Greenville.

An estimated \$500 damage resulted in the accident, which damaged the left front of Morris car and the right front of the Becton car.

No one was injured. The accident occurred at eight o'clock.

A Bevoir man escaped serious injury when his car overturned on NC 102 East of Ayden last night around 8:30.

A car driven by Sylvester Morris of Route 4, age 32, attempted to pass a car driven by Shady M. Strickland, 16, of Ayden, at the same time the Strickland car started to make a left hand turn.

In attempting to avoid the Strickland car, the Morris car went across the left hand side of the highway, onto the shoulders of the highway, back across the road overturning several times, and down into a field.

Traveled 300 Feet

The car traveled a distance of 300 feet before coming to rest.

The 1950 model car was demolished. Morris received only bruises and cuts about the face.

Patrolman Bill Whitehurst and Delton Perry cited him to court on a careless and reckless driving charge.

Morris car scraped the Strickland car as it passed it but damage was estimated at only around \$10.

A car driven by Willie Killebrew, 32 year-old Negro man of Tarboro, overturned eight miles South of Bethel around 10:30 last night.

Investigating officer D. E. Perry stated that the driver told him he met a car on his side of the highway and that he pulled his car off onto the shoulder of the road and in doing so overturned.

Damage to the car was placed at \$500, by the officer.

No one was injured and no charges were placed.

The accident occurred on a rural paved highway.

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