



# Social and Personal

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Mrs. C. W. Dunn left last night to attend the funeral of her brother in Jacksonville, Fla.

A-2c B. T. Batson arrived yesterday from Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico, to spend the Christmas holidays at home.

Mrs. Robert C. Weatherly Jr. of New York City is spending the holidays with her brother, Dr. Walter C. Humbert, and Mrs. Humbert on East Sixth Street. It is the first time Dr. Humbert and his sister have been together at Christmas in 20 years and is Mrs. Weatherly's first visit to the Coastal Plain section of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Greene and sons Bill and Mike of 1203 Overlook Drive are spending Christmas in Wilson with Mr. Greene's family.

Miss Sudie May Spain is at home from Salem College to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Spain.

Mr. John A. Kanak Jr., who is attending Parks College of Aeronautical Technology of East St. Louis, Ill., is at home for the holidays.

Roy Taylor, student at the University of North Carolina, is spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Tommie Calhoun, 204 E. 12th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Andrews Jr. and daughter Page have arrived from Brunswick, Ga. to spend two weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ostrander will arrive today from Ann Arbor, Mich. to spend the holidays with Mrs. Ostrander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Braxton.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert J. Lucas have arrived from Waco, Texas to spend the holidays with Mrs. Lucas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Braxton.

Miss Lytle Batchelor and Mrs. Olive Lytle Rambo of Detroit are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Batchelor.

**Midweek Prayer Service**  
The midweek prayer service will be held at Memorial Baptist Church tonight at 7:30 o'clock.  
The topic for discussion will be the Birth of Christ.

**Midweek Prayer Service**  
The midweek prayer service of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will be held Wednesday evening, 7:30 o'clock, in the Youth Chapel. The pastor will conduct the service. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

**New Arrivals**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Branch of Winterville announce the birth of a daughter on December 21 in Pitt Memorial Hospital.

## Carrow-Hudson

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hudson of Grimesland request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Bernice Mae, to Grover Carrow of Chocowinity, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carrow, on Friday, December 25, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church. The public is invited.

## Miss DuPree Honored At Dessert Bridge

Continuing a series of social courtesies extended Miss Emilie DuPree, bride-elect, Miss Peggy Barnhill and Miss Cora Pauline Moore were hostesses at dessert bridge on Saturday.

A Christmas motif was used throughout the Barnhill home.

Miss DuPree was presented a corsage upon her arrival and a silver bread tray and a piece of silver in her chosen pattern.

Egg nog and salted nuts were served as guests assembled and after several progresses nut bread, fruit cake, ambrosia, and coffee were served.

High score prize was awarded to Miss DuPree, floating prize to Mrs. C. L. DuPree, mother of the bride, and low score was presented to Miss Peggy Barrow.

## J. T. May Funeral To Be Held On Thursday

J. T. May, 64, died enroute to Pitt Memorial Hospital at about 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. He had been ill for three days and in failing health for several years.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon by the Rev. F. B. Cherry, Free Will Baptist minister of Black Jack, and burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. May spent all his life in Pitt County and had lived in the Black Jack and Simpson communities all his adult life. He was a member of the Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church. He was married to Maggie Barrow of Craven County, and she died in 1924. Then he was married to Roland Spain of Pitt County in 1928, and she survives. Also surviving are two sons and two daughters by his first marriage, William T. May, Lloyd J. May, and Mrs. Lillian Pope of the Simpson community, and Mrs. Richard Bone of Sims, his second marriage. Mrs. Robert Earl Manning of the Simpson community, Mrs. Ernest Lee Buck of Greenville, Pvt. Johnnie Earl May of the U. S. Army now stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga., and Curtis and Hazel May of the home; and twenty-one grandchildren.

Some old graves in Connecticut are covered with "wolf stones" which are flat stones designed to protect bodies from wolves.

# 30 Years Ago Today

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A Christmas cantata, "The World's Redeemer," was given in Memorial Baptist Church Sunday evening by the Memorial Baptist choir. The choir is composed of Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Bridgers, W. W. Lee, E. E. Rawl and W. T. Lipscomb Jr., Organist and director Mrs. J. L. Fleming.

A flock of youngsters—more than 600 strong—swopped down on the Teachers College last night to meet Santa Claus at a reception arranged by the Rotary Club. He was accompanied by Jack Frost, who brought his frost along—there was a scarious evening for Greenville youngsters—an event that will long be in their memory.

Miss Nancy King has returned from a visit in Philadelphia.

Misses Elizabeth Gaskins and Sara Guiley, who are attending school in Greensboro, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Roy Corbett, Dink James, Robert Little, Bert Moyle, Billie Brown and William Tyson, students at UNC, are spending the holidays with relatives in Greenville.

# Work Postponed On Naval Bases

WILMINGTON, N. C. (AP)—Proposed building at three North Carolina Naval bases has been postponed because of a national economy program.

The Wilmington News said yesterday that it was told by a House appropriations subcommittee in Washington that projects costing \$3,846,446 have been curtailed.

The paper said a transport finishing hangar which was to have cost \$2,134,000; a turbine engine test cell costing \$553,850; and an air interceptor training facility costing \$770,191, all at the Cherry Point Marine Air Station, were postponed.

A theater and chapel costing \$185,000 and a building for family quarters costing \$78,375 were postponed at New River.

At the Naval Air Facility at Weeksville, a helium purification plant costing \$125,030 was postponed.

# Santa Came To The Wrong Party

for the Christmas party at Mrs. J. W. Sanderson's kindergarten.

The tree was up and trimmed. The kids were excited. The doorbell rang.

Sure enough, it was a resplendent Santa Claus at the door. Mrs. Sanderson was agreeably surprised, and the youngsters were delighted.

With a chance to relax, Santa and Mrs. Sanderson struck up a conversation. And, yep, Santa was at the wrong party.

# To Lead Revival



The Grace Free Will Baptist Church, 557 Evans Street, begins a revival meeting next Sunday night at 7:30, December 27. The revival will be conducted by Rev. James Earl Raper (above) from Nashville, Tennessee. His wife will be with him to render special music. He will be finishing Bible college in Nashville this Spring. Rev. Raper is brother to Rev. William Burkette Raper of Snow Hill.

# Two New Guard Armories Okayed

RALEIGH (AP)—National Guard armories for Thomasville and Bladenboro have been approved by the State Armory Commission.

Their approval brings to 12 the number authorized since the federal-state armory construction program was begun two years ago, State Adj. Gen. John Hall Manning said yesterday.

Each of the two new projects will cost about \$100,000. They still must be approved by the National Guard Bureau in Washington.

Gen. Manning said bids will be opened at Kinston, Jan. 21, for the construction of a new armory there. Other armories constructed or in the process of construction are at Red Springs, Burlington, Lenoir, Oxford, Zebulon, Lexington, Wilmington, Williamston and Aboke. For these nine, federal expenditures totaled \$660,493 and state funds amounted to \$220,164.

# Two Youths Said Confess Hold-Up

NEW YORK (AP)—Police said two 19-year-olds have admitted taking part in the \$25,000 holdup of dance-master and Mrs. Arthur Murray at their Park avenue apartment Dec. 8.

The youths were listed as Earl Hickson and Joseph Gioia, both of the New York area.

The Murrys were held up at gunpoint by four masked men who got away with a reported \$500 in cash in addition to jewelry.

# Scouts To Try Survival Hike

SHERIDAN, Wyo. (AP)—A group of Boy Scouts will leave here Dec. 28 on a short winter training hike designed to simulate survival conditions faced by big game hunters stranded in the Big Horn Mountains.

Scout Executive Phil White said the youths will be equipped only with bedrolls and warm clothing. They will depend on small animals and vegetation for food.

# Lots Of Advice On Rescuing Pup

CARLSBAD, N. M. (AP)—Boistered by a multitude of suggestions, Fire Chief Ira Stockwell today took his turn at trying to rescue a 2-month-old pup from the bottom of a dry water well.

Ideas by the dozen were offered by newspaper readers and radio listeners.

It all began nine days ago when 5-year-old Teresa Curtis pushed two pups into a hole in her back yard. It's about 10 inches wide at the top and 38 feet deep.

Her cousins, Dan Hardin, 15, and Poe Hardin, 12, rescued one of the pups. They lowered a burlap sack and the pup walked into it. But the other little mongrel shied off.

The Hardin boys have been keeping the trapped pup alive by lowering bowls of milk and cereal.

Yesterday a couple of Boy Scouts tried unsuccessfully to drop a rope loop over the pup and haul him to safety.

New Mexico newspaper and wire service offices were besieged with suggestions for rescue. One of the plans came from a woman who said:

"Send the other puppy down in a basket. The trapped puppy will be so glad to see him he'll climb in the basket too."

A fisherman: "Drop a piece of net the size of the bottom of the hole to the bottom with ropes tied to the four corners. When he reaches for the piece of meat in the center, jerk him out like a catfish."

One man asked, "Why all the fuss?—kick the hole in on top of him."

Another offered, "Fill the well to a depth of two or three feet with corks. Do it slowly so the pup can crawl on top. Then fill the well with water so he'll float to the top."

"Lower a little boy in a stout pair of overalls on a rope," suggested a woman, "and let him bring the puppy back."

An elderly lady suggested building a lattice work ladder and letting the pup climb out.

# Aged Premier Of Luxembourg Dies

LUXEMBOURG, Luxembourg (AP)—The long-time Prime Minister of NATO's smallest member, Pierre Dupong of Luxembourg, died today after a stroke. He was 68.

The veteran politician, Prime Minister since 1937 and a member of his nation's Parliament since 1915, was hospitalized last Friday after breaking his leg in a fall.

During World War II, he traveled widely in the United States and organized a provisional government-in-exile in Montreal. Later, he shifted his administration to London, where the Grand Duchess Charlotte, ruler of the tiny principality adjacent to France, Belgium and Germany, had taken refuge from the Nazi occupation of her land.

Civil government was restored to Luxembourg in 1944, after the Allied ouster of the Germans. Dupong, who was born Nov. 1, 1885, was educated in France and Germany. A lawyer by profession, his first government post was as director general of finance, labor and social welfare, in 1926.

A Christian Socialist, he served as minister of finance, war damage and agriculture in addition to being head of the government.

He was one of the leaders in the postwar movement for European unification, helping to organize the Benelux customs union, set up by Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg in 1948, and aiding in the formation of the Council of Europe with its European Coal and Steel Community.

# Questions Multiply On Finding Man's Body In A Shallow Grave

PATCHOQUE, N. Y. (AP)—How did he die? What is his name? Who sent the letter that led authorities to his shallow grave on Long Island? Why was he buried, possibly alive, in the out-of-the-way spot?

These were some of the questions police had to answer today after digging up the body of a man, apparently a hunter, in a remote clearing not far from Long Island's Great South Bay near Mastic Acres.

One clue was a signet ring bearing on the seal what appeared to be the letters "E. L. O. N." It was suggested that this might be a class ring of some student or former student at Elion College in North Carolina.

An unsigned letter to the commander of Westover Air Force Base, Chicopee Falls, Mass., gave the information that led searchers to the grave. The letter said the dead man was in the Air Force. Results of an autopsy were awaited. In the meantime the cause of death was not clear.

Brookhaven town police said early today that a preliminary coroner's inquiry showed the man was alive when buried, and that leaves had been stuffed into his mouth. It also was reported that his head showed signs of blows.

Last night authorities said the man apparently was shot in an accident, that the face seemed to have been partly blown away and that the body was riddled with shotgun pellets.

However the initial coroner's finding reported no bullet wounds and indicated that reports of such injuries were due to the decomposed state of the body.

Officials were looking into the possibility the dead man was an airman absent without official leave from Camp Kilmer, N. J., since Nov. 16. He was not otherwise identified.

The only reported clues to his identity were a cleaner's tag from Patchogue, Va., found in the clothing; the ring with what appeared to be the initials "E. L. O. N." on the seal; and a statement in the letter that the man was in the Air Force and had been stationed at Westover. It was noted that Patchogue is near another Air Force base, Langley Field.

However, a Westover spokesman said no base attaché was missing to his knowledge.

At Mitchell Air Force Base, here on Long Island, it was reported that the letter sent to the Westover commander was postmarked last Saturday, Dec. 19, in New York City.

The letter said the writer had been hunting on Nov. 13 in Suffolk County, the eastern part of Long Island, with a companion. The writer said his friend had been "accidentally, fatally injured."

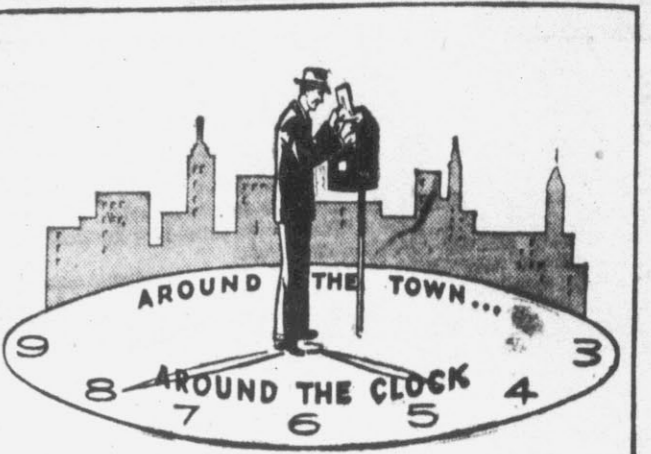
Enclosed in the letter was a detailed sketch showing where the body was to be found.

Westover contacted Mitchell, which in turn notified the Brookhaven police. Skeptical officers met at Mastic Acres, 10 miles from here, and proceeded to follow the instructions in the letter.

Just as the letter said they would, they found a four-foot pile of underbrush. Under this pile and about 18 inches below the surface they found the body, face up. It was dressed in a gray sport shirt, brown slacks and blue sweater.

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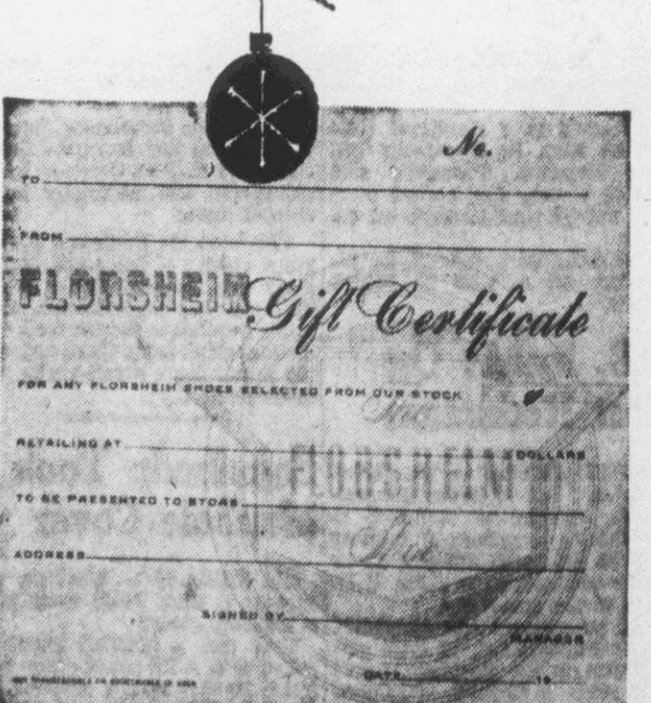
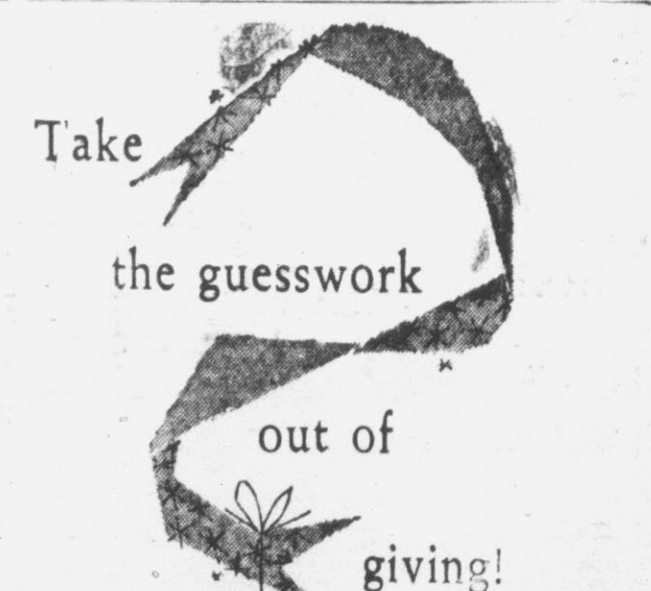
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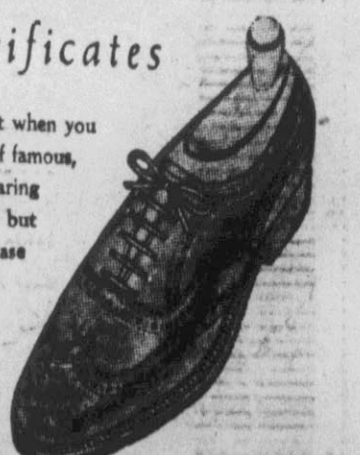
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### Church Dispute Hearing Ends, Judgment Awaited

NASHVILLE, N. C. (AP) — Testimony and final arguments in the drawn out North Rocky Mount Baptist church squabble were completed yesterday. Superior Court Judge Malcolm C. Paul said his judgment in the case will be announced next week.

The Rev. Samuel H. W. Johnston and Dr. Harold W. Tribble, president of Wake Forest College, were the final witnesses yesterday. Johnston, the church pastor, led a faction of the church which voted

last summer to withdraw from the Southern and Bible Baptist conventions. The minority faction later asked a restraining order against Johnston's faction from using church property.

Judge Paul, who is hearing the case without a jury, said his judgment in the case probably will come the first of next week.

During his testimony yesterday, Johnston said his life "had been imperiled." He told reporters later he had received a clipping in the mails with a picture of a man "on the gallows" drawn on it. He said he had turned it over to the State Bureau of Investigation.

Dr. Tribble testified as an expert on customs, usages and practices of the Baptist church.

Final arguments yesterday were made by John R. Hughes of Greensboro for the defense and U. S. Rep. Harold E. Cooley of Nashville representing the plaintiffs.

### 'Walking Proof' Christmas Spirit Is Good Medicine

By JAMES BACON

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Lou Costello today is walking proof that there is no medicine like the spirit of Christmas.

Last Oct. 20, Lou suffered a serious collapse. This was the round comic's sixth critical illness in 10 years and it understandably started mumbblings that the little guy had taken his last pratfall.

Even his studio decided to replace Abbot and Costello with another comic team in a scheduled movie.

Movie studios are in hard days now, days in which sentiment has no place. Since 1943, Lou has had three rheumatic fever attacks, one gangrenous gall bladder operation and one bear internal drowning from fluid that invaded his tissues.

His doctor was worried. He told the comic a month ago that he must close his Sherman Oaks home and move to Palm Springs for a rest.

But Costello refused because of Christmas. People who have known Lou for a long time will tell you that no one gets more fun out of Christmas than he.

The doctor knew that and was afraid this year would be too much for a man as sick as Lou.

His home is a mecca for all the children of Sherman Oaks. He has spent as much as \$3,000 in decorations. This year the whole house is lit up like a giant Christmas tree. Gliding across the roof is a life-sized Santa with reindeer and sleigh. On another wing is a chimney with bubbles blowing continually, and another Santa.

In the yard another life-sized Santa, talking by electrical animation, greets all the children. Christmas carols play off recordings around the clock. Cars, loaded with kids, creep bumper to bumper down the street.

On Christmas Eve comes the climax. Lou will gather all his family and close friends in the den and then, with a little ritual all his own that begins promptly at midnight, will hand out lavish gifts one by one.

### Still Destroyed

Pitt County ABC officers destroyed a 50-gallon moonshine still in Bethel township Tuesday.

Officer J. M. Ward said the still was complete with a copper coil, 50-gallon cooler and 50-gallon barrel fermenter, and appeared to have been in operation recently even though officers found no mash at the still.

Officers Ward, H. B. Lilley and R. W. King took part in the raid on the still which was located about two miles west of Bethel.

### Friend Told Him Of Auto Wreck

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Atty. John P. Green, on his way to work, stopped at a wreck and noticed the license number on one of the cars was one issued to a state official.

At his office, checking up, he asked his law partner, Barefoot Sanders, "How would you go about finding out who has license plate No. 80-128?"

### Called To Fire Here Yesterday

The fire department sub-station answered a call at the home of Miss Lelia Higgs at 107 Pennsylvania Avenue yesterday afternoon when a gas heater caught fire.

Firemen reported that the fire burned a hole through the floor and up a wall shorting out some electrical wiring.

"That's easy," answered Sanders, a state representative. "It's mine."

And that's how Sanders learned his wife and baby were in a bad wreck, although not seriously injured.

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### U.S. Exports Of Flue-Cured Leaf Showing Growth

RALEIGH (AP)—U. S. flue-cured tobacco exports this year increased 30 per cent over those for the corresponding period last year, according to Tobacco Associates, Inc.

The company, devoted to finding foreign markets for the flue-cured leaf, said 321 million pounds were exported this year compared with 248 last year.

The organization's November-December report stated:

"Economic recovery and the balance of payment situation in most countries which use our tobacco have reached the most favorable point of the post-war period. Such conditions usually permit consumers more freedom in choosing the goods they purchase and also favor a continued high level of foreign usings of U. S. flue-cured tobacco."

The report noted "the first sustained downturn in cigarette consumption" in this country since the early 1930s. For July-September this year consumption was 6.1 per cent below the same period last year.

However, it pointed out that "cigarette smoking has increased by leaps and bounds in recent years." Although several reasons have been advanced for the recent decline, many experts "feel that this rapid growth is just leveling out for a time."

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### Stage Gallows Took His Life

WAILUKU, Hawaii (AP)—William Isaac Kamiko, 40, escaped from Olinda prison in a stolen car. It ran out of gas yesterday on a main highway and he hailed a passing car.

Out jumped Warden Alfred O. Souza of Olinda and two trustees. "You're just the man I'm looking for," said Souza.

Kamiko made a break.

The warden fired three shots, the first two in the air—the third at Kamiko.

Kamiko, who had been serving a seven-year term for burglary, was reported in good condition at the Maui County Hospital.

### Fugitive Hailed The Wrong Car

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A 50-year-old prisoner, insisting he could "do a better job" than a court-appointed attorney, pleaded his own case yesterday and ended by wishing the jurors a merry Christmas.

The Circuit Court jury replied by returning a guilty verdict and sentencing Sol Newstead to two years in prison—the maximum for obtaining narcotics fraudulently.

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Broadcloth Pajamas	\$2.98 to \$3.98
Nylon Duster Robes	\$10.95
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Quilted Duster Robes	\$8.95 to \$14.95
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## At Least The Ice Has Been Broken

Moscow says it is ready and willing to join in "confidential or diplomatic" talks with the United States and other powers to discuss the harnessing of atomic energy for peaceful means.

This announcement by the Kremlin comes three weeks after the proposal was made by President Eisenhower before the United Nations, and after Pravda and other communist propaganda organs have thoroughly taken to task the proposal by President Eisenhower.

The initial reaction of the Kremlin was anticipated by American officials who added it would probably take some time for the Russian leaders to study thoroughly President Eisenhower's proposal and come up with their official reply. In the meantime, it was expected that the Russians

would denounce the proposal.

Even in the official reply which expressed Russia's willingness to join in such a meeting proposed by the United States, President Eisenhower's proposal was criticized. Then too, the Russians, in their reply, added that the nations participating in the discussion should also take upon themselves "the solemn and unconditional obligation not to use the atomic hydrogen weapons of mass destruction."

It can be expected that the Kremlin will seek to use the proposed talks to their own advantage if they possibly can. It might well be expected that the Kremlin will use any agreement on the banning of atomic and hydrogen weapons to further their goal of world conquest if possible.

Nevertheless, the proposal by President Eisenhower has made some headway as a positive and progressive step toward easing world tension and building toward a better world through the development of atomic energy for peaceful means.

There are many hurdles to be surmounted before the proposal blossoms forth into reality; but at least the ice has been broken.

There is always the outside chance that the Kremlin may change its long standing position and sit down to talk with leaders of other nations in good faith.

## Christmas<sup>o</sup> Holiday And The Highway Traffic

Warning after warning has gone out to motorists who will be on the highways during the Christmas holidays.

The estimates of those who will not return alive from Christmas jaunts already run more than 500, and unfortunately, such estimates are usually conservative.

There isn't a driver in Pitt County who does not know the fundamental rules of highway safety, and is capable of carrying them out if he will but do it. During the holidays, with the increase in traffic on the highways, and the possibility of poor driving conditions, it will be more important than usual that safe driving habits are followed.

In Pitt County alone during 1953 there have been 14 people killed in highway accidents, and there have been another 111 people injured. Over all of North Carolina so far this year more than 1,060 people have lost their lives in traffic accidents and another 12,500 have been injured.

Safe driving has become a necessity for the preservation of life and limb for those who take to the highways. It behooves the drivers of Pitt County to exercise extreme caution in driving during the holidays in order to protect their own lives and the lives of others.

## Strength for the Day

By EARL L. DOUGLASS  
LIGHT AND REVELATION

"And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the beauty of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid."

Here we have a tableau. Men are looking up into heaven; a message is coming down out of heaven. And this tableau is given to us that we may be eternally reminded as to the way life in its fullness is to be lived.

The curse of modern times is secularism. Modern man has made so many discoveries and has learned so many new truths that he has come to believe that his patterns of thought—which have discovered so much scientific truth—are the patterns by which all truth is to be discovered.

But the greatest truth is spiritual truth, and spiritual truth is not discovered according to the patterns of science but according to the patterns of faith. We learn the most important truth in the world when we stand looking up into heaven, and the only truth worth anything is the truth that comes down from God Himself.

Two thousand years ago on a bleak hill in Judea, a group of humble shepherds looked up into heaven and the greatest truth that has ever been revealed was spoken to them out of heaven.

Listening men! Vocal hearts!

## National Whirligig

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON—The Roosevelt-Truman theory that corporate bigness alone constitutes a greedy, grasping and illegal monopoly is slowly crumbling under recent court decisions, the Eisenhower Administration's more sympathetic attitude toward business and Congressional revision of the anti-trust laws. It marks the end of a generation of government hostility toward private initiative and progress.

More than any other development at Washington, perhaps, these generally unnoted events emphasize the really sensational change of climate here. Instead of the Roosevelt-Truman fear and suspicion and distrust of the industrial and banking communities, the government now regards them as basic to the nation's soundness and prosperity.

SWITCHED TACTICS—Presidents Roosevelt and Truman so regarded them during World War II, when they called upon these same corporations to build an "arsenal of democracy." But when the conflict ended, the Department of Justice instituted a batch of suits against the combinations which had brought victory.

In campaign years, too, these firms were popular targets. They were lambasted as "economic royalists," "Wall Street predators," "insidious forces" and "invisible interests," a propaganda line which the Kremlin still echoes as a battle cry in the cold war.

Ironically, the firms recently absolved of monopolistic guilt are the very ones so frequently used as political scapegoats in recent years—namely, the du Ponts and about 20 Wall Street investment banks. Both were extremely unpopular around the White House and the D of J from 1933 until the Republicans took over, because of their heavy contributions to the defunct Liberty League and the Republican Party.

IMPORTANT COURT RULINGS—Economically and militarily, however, the recent court rulings and the Administration's more understanding attitude are extremely important. With the free world dependent on America's productive and financial might in the

## Sun Shining For Big Business

WASHINGTON—The Pentagon considers it vital that our industrial strength should not be sapped by pettifogging lawyers and politicians on a hunt for votes.

As Judge Paul Leahy, a Roosevelt appointee to the Federal District Court, said in dismissing the six-year-old complaint against the du Pont's cellophane subsidiary, the country's largest chemical-making firm should "not be punished for its success."

Only a few weeks ago, Judge Harold Medina in New York dismissed the Government's suit against a group of the nation's largest investment firms after 18 months of exhaustive hearings. He found no ground for action.

Despite the outcome, the protracted litigation cost many millions of dollars for both sides. In fact, the uncertainty led the du Ponts to abandon plans for constructing several additional factories.

BIG BUSINESS OUT OF DOGGHOUSE—Whether deliberately or not, Attorney-General Brownell recently watered down charges of monopolistic practices against the du Pont firm, General Motors and the United States Rubber Company. The original Truman complaint charged that the du Ponts used their stock control to "force" the automobile and tire companies to buy almost all their products from the Delaware firm.

Now, whether because of facts developed at the Chicago trial or because of the new philosophy at Washington, the government merely suggests that the purchases "seem to prefer" du Pont brands. And the preference now extends, Uncle Sam concedes, only to three du Pont products instead of all its varied output.

Brownell has also dropped anti-trust action against the Sunbeam Corporation, which manufactures mixers, shavers, irons and coffeemakers. He did so because Congress had legalized the practices upon which the Truman Administration brought suit.

It looks as if big business has escaped from the White House kennel.

## Charlotte Situation Must Be Cleared Up

Charges brought by a federal grand jury investigating of racketeering conditions in Charlotte, and the behavior of police officials there should make North Carolina's leading city take a good look at its internal police affairs.

If the activities which the grand jury alleged go on in Charlotte without opposition from the police force, that city could provide an ideal base from which the illegal activities could be extended to other parts of both North and South Carolina.

The findings of the federal grand jury in its investigation of illegal activities in Charlotte are sufficient to bring both federal and state law enforcement forces into action to clean up the situation. If conditions are such that the Charlotte police force as it now is will not clean up the illegal activities which persist in the "Queen City" of the Carolinas, other forces should move in to alleviate the conditions.

The citizens of Charlotte, who have the major stake in the odorous situation which has been exposed, must shoulder the responsibility of insisting that the situation be cleared up, and fight the issue to the hilt if necessary.

In our opinion, the entire citizenry of both North Carolina and South Carolina will feel the effects if unbridled racketeering is allowed to exist in Charlotte.

## Selected Shorts

HAGERSTOWN, MD., MORNING HERALD: "With human nature what it is, the surprising thing is that so few succumb to temptation and that such an overwhelming majority of the law enforcement officers of this country are so industrious, conscientious and incorruptible . . ."

By LYNN NISBET

HARRIS DINNER — The "Buck Harris Dinner" staged at Lumberton each of the past 20 years the week before Christmas has become more than a local affair. Originated by Frank McNeill as a one time party at conclusion of Judge W.C. Harris' first term of court in Roberson county after he went on the bench, the affair has grown from year to year and has attracted some of the best speakers in the country.

Last year's speaker was Judge John J. Parker, senior judge of the Fourth Circuit Court. He made the virtually the same talk about necessity for the United States to accept the obligations of world leadership that he repeated a few weeks ago before the American Bar Association and received worldwide acclaim.

The 1953 dinner was held Friday night at Lorraine Hotel with about 150 guests, including members of the Supreme and Superior courts, several solicitors and leading lawyers from over the state. The speaker was Sydney Alderman, vice president and general counsel of the Southern Railway.

Before getting a very scholarly discussion, evidencing a lot of research, about the disputed authorship of the Shakespeare plays, he got off some wit and wisdom about subjects more familiar to the guests. The menu included quail and venison, and the speaker opened with the comment he "qualified at the thought of serving venison at a dinner honoring a buck." He referred to the "Motorized administration" in Washington, and observed that it "is better to be frantic than static." He expressed amazement at what the courts could do the meaning of words, especially such terms as discrimination and segregation.

He discussed the Baconian, Devere and other hypotheses about

## Yes, Virginia, There Is—



## Somebody Told Me Happiest People In Our Area

Last night at Greenville's TV station the bedraggled staff was the happiest lot of people in Eastern Carolina! Manager Hartwell Campbell, Chief Engineer Hank Tribble, Engineers Heber Adams and Bill Elks and Film Editor Mack Nicholson were in good shape, considering the fact that they didn't rest their heads on a pillow Monday night. It's a shame I don't have the names of the tower crew, who not only stayed out of bed, but worked up on the tower, in order to get WNCN on the air.

Several times during the running of the coaxial cable the steel jacks ran into problems they could not solve, so it became necessary for the engineers to go up the 250-foot tower. Heber Adams was the first to go up, but the most frequent to go aloft was Bill Elks.

Even as late as 10:30 last night reports were coming in from all over Eastern Carolina about the excellent reception viewers were enjoying. The staff particularly enjoyed a report that we were being received in Norfolk, Va.

Program production and switching of films and slides was admittedly a little rough at first, but considering the physical abuse of the engineers and the fact that it was a first-night performance the management was well pleased. "I wouldn't trade this staff for any in the country," Hartwell said.

The next big question for WNCN viewers to ask is, "When will the live network programs come in?" The telephone company has promised January 1st, and will deliver by at least that time. Already the picture has

## What Other Editors Are Thinking

THE GERMANS AGREE WITH DULLES (Rocky Mount Telegram)

Not all Europeans have cried "foul" at Secretary of State Dulles' warning that our NATO allies should either create a unified army or risk American withdrawal and reappraisal. Ironically, of all the Europeans, our former enemies in two World Wars, the Germans are the most pro-American, anti-Russian and realistic. West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's Christian Democratic party which controls the government has hailed the American stand as "logical and natural."

"We have pointed out time and again that there would come a time when American patience would end and when the American government could no longer bear the responsibility of having her own people carry the main burden of Western defense. . . . This point seems to have been reached." To that German sentiment, we would echo a loud "Amen." We'll take our hats off to our new allies. The doughy Germans have had the courage to speak the unflattering truth about European defense. To our knowledge this is the first time that any governmental group of any nation has expressed such a thought. On the contrary the old refrain has always been "more, give us more and more, if you don't we'll succumb to Communism from within or without and that will be just too bad for you."

In case France persists in opposing the six-nation European Army and the plan should collapse, the Germans favor a separate military alliance between the United States and themselves. The French, faced with this possibility may decide that the European Army isn't so bad after all.

Whatever happens, future developments will be influenced by Mr. Dulles' frank and refreshing realism. He has spoken to our allies in plainer language than his predecessor Dean Acheson ever dared to use and the heavens didn't fall. On the contrary, this new policy of enlightened self interest on our part promises to pay rich dividends.

And I thank you,  
JACK EDWARDS

## Around Capitol Square

WORLD-WIDE — The celebration at Kill Devil Hills observing the 50th anniversary of powered flight was a world-wide affair. A number of North Carolinians participated, along with National figures and British flyers. The fact that the program did not feature more North Carolinians has been occasion for some criticism, perhaps more commendation.

WORTH NOTING

U.S.C. OF C. NOW LISTS SPECIAL DAYS, WEEKS

Up until this year, the Department of Commerce has published an annual booklet listing the special promotional days, weeks and months, plus sponsors. Because of budget troubles, there was no 1953 edition, so this department has been listing upcoming events each month.

Because the Chamber of Commerce of the U.S. has started publication of an annual booklet, this department herewith unfolds itself as herald of Orderless Decoration Week (January 3-9), National Anniversary of the Tea Bag (January 12-21), Cagle Bird Week (November 21-27) and all the others, and suggests those interested order "Special Days, Weeks and Months" from the Chamber of Commerce of the U.S., Washington 6, D.C. The book is 25 cents, a dime more than the Government used to charge, but it comes out before the first of the year, which was something the Government never quite accomplished.

## Business Today

### Information Is Free

By ELMER ROESSNER

A year or so ago, this space was devoted to the difference in business attitudes of Europeans and Americans; it was pointed out that Europeans normally conceal processes, methods and data from competitors.

The great work that the Department of Commerce, the Federal Reserve Board, the Securities Exchange Commission and other bodies, national, state and even urban, do in keeping business informed would be largely impossible in Europe because of inherently secretive nature of almost every businessman about his own business.

Our trade magazines, associations, daily newspapers, chambers of commerce and other organizations spend a lot of their energies passing along information of value to business.

As a result, sooner or later, almost every businessman sees some article that stirs him to remark, "I wish I had more information about that. If I just had a few more facts, maybe I could apply the idea to my own operation. But . . ."

Know what to do? Just sit down and write a letter to the company or the man, who seems to have the information!

Of course, sometimes the answer will be, "We cannot release any more information than appeared in the article," or "Further information is in the hands of our researchers and, if deemed advisable, will be released sometime in 1964," or "The information given was more than it was our purpose to disclose and we have no intention of making any further facts public," or "If you have a sincere interest in the gadgets mentioned, you may enter your order on the enclosed form," or "The article you mention is a complete mystery to me and as far as I know, our company is not making atomic energy pills. . . ."

There may be runarounds. But

in a surprisingly higher percentage of cases, the inquirer will get a letter back saying, "From your letter, I know exactly what you are up against. We had that same problem a year ago, but we put the chamber on the isoblast, and hooked in a transistor between the whistle and the pendulum. I am enclosing a copy of the report of our chief engineer, old Bill Bailey, the best transistor expert in the business." Some answers won't be so affirmative, but the chances are five to three that the answer will be friendly and, if possible, informative. A 3-cent stamp may save \$10,000 in research expenses. America is like that.

SOME PHOTOCOPIERS MAY VIOLATE LAW

The great increase in photocopy machines in offices also means an increase in the chances that the law will be broken inadvertently. As many an office worker does not know it is illegal to photocopy bonds, auto registrations, passports, draft cards, drivers' licenses, Treasury notes and stamps.

APPLIANCE SHIPMENTS DROP 12.1 PER CENT IN OCTOBER

Manufacturers' unit shipments of major appliances in October were the lowest for any October since the end of the war, and the lowest since May, 1952, according to the Retailing Daily Major Appliance Index.

October shipments were 12.1 per cent below September and 14.4 per cent under October, 1952. The sharpest September-October drops were in chest freezers, down 35.9 per cent, and refrigerators of 9 or more cubic feet, down 29 per cent. Ironers, vacuum cleaners, gas ranges and refrigerators under 6 cubic feet showed increases.

The index also shows that shipments for the first ten months of this year were above last year's shipments of all appliances except ironers.

## The Famous North Pole Couple

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Would your wife let you out even one night a year, if you spent it all curled down and up strange chimneys?

Certainly not. But Mrs. Santa Claus does—and isn't the least bit jealous of her husband. This makes her the world's most understanding wife.

So why not give a little long overdue recognition to this good girl dame as the nominee for "Woman of the Year"? And how about making old Santa himself the "Man of the Year"?

It is time we make a break in tradition and give these honors to a family team. And who has better earned the award, century after century, than Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus?

Some time they ought to share a Nobel peace prize, too. It would be hard to name a couple who have done more for international good will.

In an era of doubt they have preached and practiced the bright renewal of belief. They are as old-fashioned as long underwear, but as modern as faith itself must always be. In an atom age they still go on dutifully demonstrating that no man can know happiness who tries to remain an atom unto himself.

Working as a happy team together, Mr. and Mrs. Claus must have brought delight and joy to a billion children in their time in a universal giveaway program that crosses all countries and is heedless of all politics. And they show no signs of retiring on an old age pension or complaining. "Children are getting so bad the whole thing is no longer worth while."

So far as I know neither Santa nor his wife believes there is such a thing as a bad child. What other childless couple do you know who have an attitude like that?

If history records where Santa found his bride, the fact has escaped me. But if there are any more like her, I know a few backsliders who certainly would be glad to propose to one.

Mrs. Claus deserves to be named "Woman of the Year" if only because she has proved a good gal can win fame in the career of housewife, even though she does her housekeeping in a place as remote as the North Pole.

It is well known by the elves that Mrs. Claus actually supervises the North Pole toy-making operations during most of the year. But does she insist on a seat by Santa's side, when he makes his annual sleigh ride around the globe? Not Mrs. Claus. She lets her old man get all the applause, because she believes a woman's place is in the home—on Christmas eve, anyway.

"Besides," she has placidly confided to friends, "I'm a backseat driver—and with all that pack of toys in the back seat, there really isn't room for me. And besides that, it is just common sense to let a husband out one night a year by himself, and no questions asked."

You ought to see how glad Mr. Claus is to come creeping home on Christmas morning.

Between them, Mr. and Mrs. Claus help keep alive a force more explosive than a million hydrogen bombs—the timeless power of human love and understanding in a yearning world eternally lonely for these twin vitamins of the human soul.

Nominations closed. All in favor say "Aye." Those opposed, say-but how could anybody oppose them?

We give you the "Man and Woman of the Year"—Santa and his lady:

## Annual 'Buck Harris Dinner' No More A Local Affair

One visitor who commended the emphasis on outsiders compared the occasion to the General Assembly and the official residence of the Governor in Raleigh. Majority of the citizens of Raleigh are far more interested in the mayor and city council than in the Governor and Legislature.

So it was that while North Carolina newspapers and radio stations were represented, the news coverage was as complete as for any event anywhere in the world in recent times.

Another reason for the general rather than local emphasis was the distribution of the costs involved. A group of reporters tried to estimate the cost of the military aircraft flying around. The figures ranged from \$50 million to \$125 million. The item of fuel for the big jet fighters and bombers was estimated all the way from \$25 thousand to a quarter million. That indicates how little the reporters really know about such things.

A sobering thought suggested one of the older newsmen dealt with another phase of the worldwide scope. He said that the display of aerial might by U.S. Air Force, Army and Marine personnel and equipment was a reminder that other nations have comparable power for distribution.

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# Westfall-Henderson Vows Are Spoken In Double Ring Ceremony



A five o'clock double ring ceremony yesterday afternoon in Immanuel Baptist Church united in marriage Miss Dorothy Nell Henderson and Lt. Jack Dewayne Westfall. The officiating minister was Rev. J. A. Neilson.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Elisha Lane Henderson of Greenville and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kenneth Westfall, of Harrisville, West Virginia.

The church was simply decorated with baskets of large white chrysanthemums, seven branch candelabra and smilax. The altar was banked with Oregon and Coonite fern.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. John Moss, organist, and Miss Barbara White, soloist, who sang "Because" and "Entreat Me Not To Leave Thee."

Mr. Robert Carpenter of Harrisville, W. Va. was best man and ushers were Lt. William Corbin of Kinston and Harrisville, Mr. B. A. Hoft Jr. of Chapel Hill, Lt. Bob Bass of Sea Level, and Mr. Craven Hughes of Greenville.

As the bride's matron of honor, Mrs. John C. Getzinger of Golds-

The groom's mother was gowned in navy blue lace with which she used white accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Woman's Club. Greeting guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Knott Proctor, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Adams presented them to the receiving line.

White chrysanthemums were used throughout the club in the decorations, with snapdragons used as the centerpiece on the refreshment table. The punch table had a bowl of frosted fruit. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Waters served punch and Mrs. F. D. Duncan served bridal loes. Presiding at the register were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Paschal.

Mrs. Westfall was educated in the Greenville City Schools and is a graduate of the University of North Carolina. While there she was a member of the Alpha Delta Pi social sorority, a cheer leader and president of the Women's Swimming Club. She also has a diploma from the New York School of Interior Designs and has been engaged in decorating.

Lt. Westfall entered the College of Engineering at West Virginia University in September, 1948, majoring in Aeronautical Engineering. While at the university he was an active member of the Charles A. Yeager Chapter of Arnold Air Society, Air Force Honorary; National Society of Scabbard and Blade, National Military Honorary; and the Society of Aeronautical Sciences. He received his commission from the AFROTC and entered active duty in October, 1952. At the present time he is in the pilot training program of the Air Training Command, U.S. Air Force.

For traveling the bride changed to a dressy suit of grey opal Forstman flannel, a geranium red felt hat and grey accessories. She wore a corsage of white roses lifted from her bouquet.

After a short wedding trip, Lt. and Mrs. Westfall will be living in Big Spring, Texas, where Lt. Westfall is stationed in the Air Force. Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Henderson entertained the Westfall-Henderson bridal party and out-of-town guests Monday evening at a three course buffet dinner at their home on East Ninth Street.

Throughout the home a bridal motif was used. Guests were served from the dining room table that was adorned with a bouquet of white snapdragons and fern. Branched candelabra held burning white tapers. Lovely arrangements of chrysanthemums and garza mums were predominant in the living room. Auxiliary tables where guests were seated after being served, were centered with crystal holders and white candles tied with net. Each holder was surrounded with white flowers and greenery.

A wedding breakfast was given Tuesday at noon by Dr. and Mrs. Carl Adams and Miss Nancy Adams at their home on East Fifth Street in honor of the Westfall-Henderson wedding party and out-of-town guests.

As guests arrived they were greeted in the living room where a Christmas motif was used. The bridal party was seated at the dining room table, which was covered with a white cut work cloth and centered with a silver bowl of garza mums and chrysanthemums. White tapers in candelabra were placed throughout the room. Other guests were seated at auxiliary tables in the living room and the sun room.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin with off shoulder neckline, outlined in lace and iridescent sequins, period bodice, long tapering sleeves and a full skirt extending into a cathedral train. Her imported veil of Brussels lace was chapel length and was attached to a coronet of pearls. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls, a gift of the groom. She carried cascade bouquet of Snow White roses.

The bride's mother wore a capri blue lace dress with pink accessories and a corsage of pink roses.



**COLLISION KILLS FOUR**—Four young people died in this crumpled auto which was hit broadside near Knoxville, Tenn., by a 109-car Southern Railway freight train. The auto was carried 500 feet and tossed into the air before coming to rest against a signal post. None of the freight cars overturned. (AP Wirephoto).

## Turkey Again Dominates Food Markets For Week

**FOOD REVIEW**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

That Christmas bird, the turkey, completely dominates the scene at America's food markets this week. Generally prices will be much the same as those prevailing at Thanksgiving. Smaller types may be a little higher because supplies are not large.

If you're in a hurry—or tired—you can find pre-stuffed turkeys in some stores. Ducks, capons and chickens also can be had in that state.

Most vegetables will be plentiful, with prices fairly reasonable. There are good supplies of iceberg lettuce and celery. All types of onions and potatoes are available at low prices. There's a wide selection of sweet potatoes.

Turnips, spinach and escarole are labeled good value by produce men. Carrots and fresh peas are on the high side.

And for Christmas stockings, there are lots of apples, pears and citrus fruits. An ample supply of chestnuts is on hand.

Here's the line-up on meats this week: beef generally is about the same as last week, with scattered reductions on such items as sirloin steak and rib roast. Lamb price are mostly unchanged while pork is up in some places and lower in others. Frying chickens showed a

downward tendency, with price cuts of two to four cents a pound. One meat specialist for a food chain said beef, veal and lamb should climb soon at the retail level because wholesale prices are edging up.

The price of coffee is on the rise again, primarily because there's a chance that demand will exceed supply. Coffee futures hit a new high in the 71-year history of the New York Coffee & Sugar Exchange and roasters across the country began announcing increases in wholesale coffee prices. One large chain upped pricetags on its own brands of coffee by a penny a pound at retail. However, it may be a month before the wholesale price boosts are passed on to store customers.



**SWITCHES**—H. Glenn Weber, who served as chairman of the Missouri delegation to the Republican national convention in 1952, said he is quitting the GOP and switching to the Democratic party because of his "keen disappointment" with the Eisenhower administration. Weber, 44, said the reactionary old guard now controls the GOP. (AP Wirephoto).

**NOTICE OF SUMMONS**  
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF FAYETTE  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT  
J. L. JOLLEY, Plaintiff  
vs.  
LILLY MARTIN JOLLEY,  
Defendant

To the defendant above-named:  
You will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced against you in the Superior Court of Pitt County for absolute divorce on the grounds of two years' separation, and complaint in said action has been duly filed in this Court. You will further take notice that unless you appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff on or before the 8th day of January, 1954, or within 20 days thereafter, judgment will be granted against you as prayed for in the complaint.

This December 8, 1953.  
D. T. HOUSE JR.  
Clerk Superior Court  
Dec. 9-16-23-30

This Is Your  
**gift center**  
John Lautares  
Jeweler  
Opposite Bolt-Tyler

## Windmill Serves As A Museum

CIUDAD REAL, Spain (AP)—A windmill, 52 feet high described as the biggest in Spain and one of the largest in the world, has been built in the village of Valdepenas, in the Mancha wine region. This is the first step in the reconstruction of the windmills which were given world fame through Miguel de Cervantes' classic "Don Quixote."

The new windmill, with three floors, is a museum for works by the local artist Gregorio Prieto, founder of the "Association of Friend of Windmills."

One U.S. airline dispatches hypothetical jet airliners across the United States daily as a training device, says the National Geographic Society.

# WNCT Schedule Week Of Dec. 20th

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
5:00—Cactus Jim	5:00—Cactus Jim
6:00—News	6:00—News
6:15—Sports	6:15—Sports
6:20—Weather	6:20—Weather
6:25—Safety Tips	6:25—Safety Tips
6:30—Riders of Sage	6:30—Piano Taps
6:45—Farm Facts	6:45—Farm Facts
7:00—Kit Carson	7:00—News Reel
7:30—Sports Album	7:15—Dick Carter
7:45—Band of Day	7:30—Favorite Story
8:00—Life With Father	8:00—You Bet Your Life
8:30—Red Buttons	8:30—4 Star Playhouse
9:00—Badge 714	9:00—I Led 3 Lives
9:30—Unexpected	9:30—Living Book
10:00—Wrestling	10:00—Late Show
11:00—News, Weather & Sports	11:00—News, Weather & Sports
11:15—Sign off	11:15—Sign off

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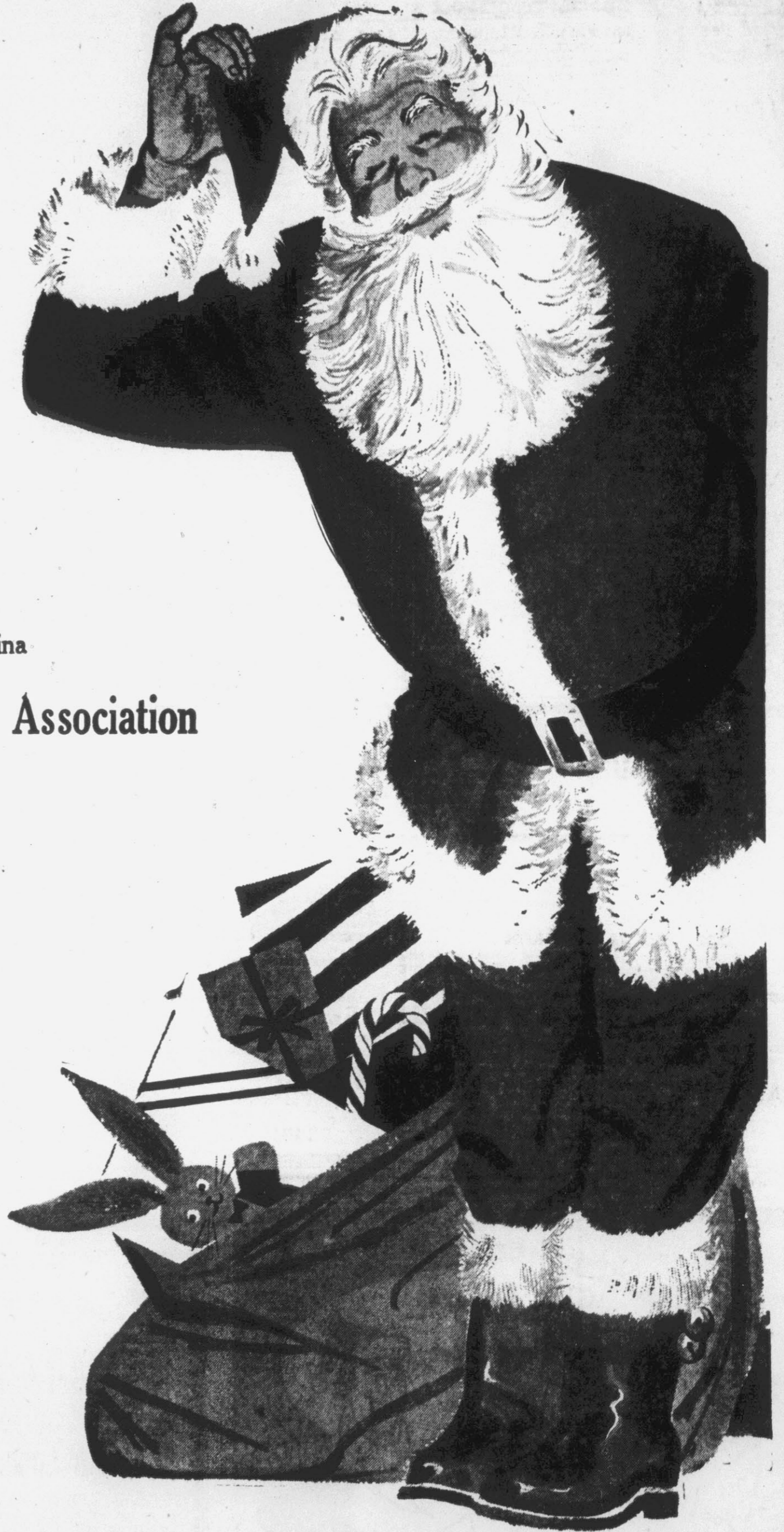
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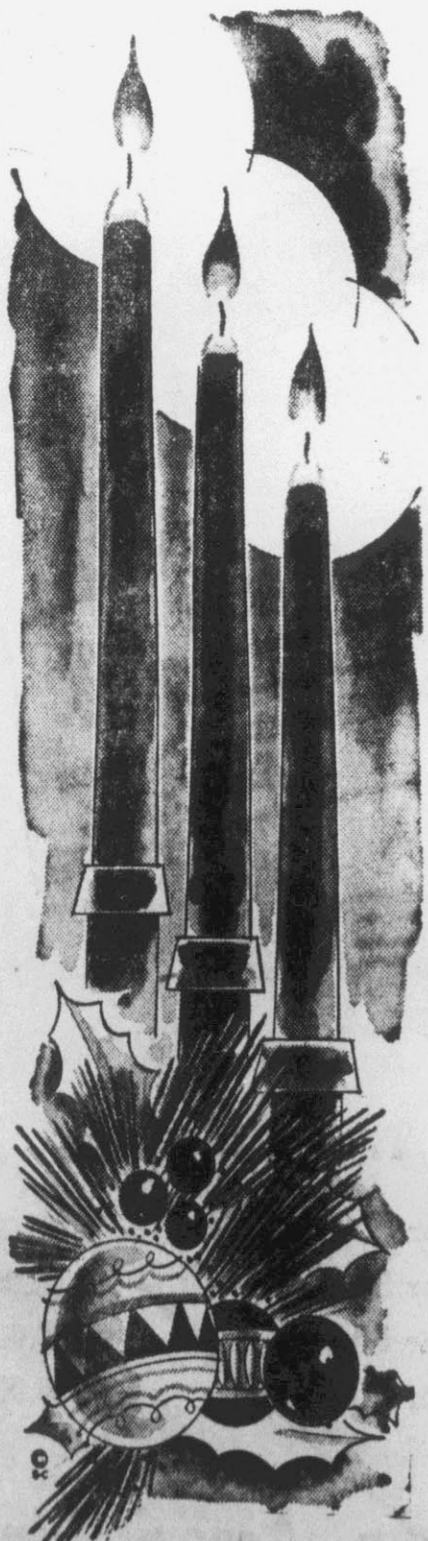
## From the Greenville Furniture Dealers Association

The value of friendship cannot be measured in dollars and cents. Yet we count the friendship of our customers as our most important asset, our most dearly cherished possession.

That's why our Christmas message is primarily one of warm, deeply felt gratitude to all of you whose loyalty and good will have made possible our growth, progress and success.

It is our firm resolve always to conduct our business in such a manner as to confirm your confidence, hold your friendship, and merit the privilege of serving you for many, many years to come.

It is our sincere wish that the joys of the season may shine brightly in your home and in your heart at Christmas and that the New Year may bring you an abundance of good health, deep happiness and rich fulfillment of your dearest desires.



The members of the Greenville Furniture Dealers Association will be closed Friday and Saturday, December 25th & 26th for Christmas holidays.

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Blinds Solve Window Problem

By VIVIAN BROWN AP Newsfeatures Writer Windows may be drawbacks in home interior planning...

Two or more small windows huddled together may be made to look like a picture window...

Another pretty effect is the use of sheer curtains in place of the blinds. Or sheer curtains of organdy, nylon or marquisette may be draped criss-cross across the blinds.

Ballard's X Roads News

There were 166 present at the Piney Grove Baptist Sunday School Sunday morning...

On last Friday evening, Mrs. Mathew Vandiford was hostess to the December meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Piney Grove Baptist Church...

'Foolish Fifties' Really Dangerous

OMAHA (AP)—The sugar daddy in his "foolish fifties" really exists and he's usually pretty mixed up emotionally...

Pen Said Useful To Subversives

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP)—Pen pals for servicemen have been banned at the Sacramento Signal Depot.

Tires Slick

One Day Service Recapping Goodyear Deluxe Rubber GAMMON Supply

Quick Towel Tricks



MITTEN-RUB... Toweling mitts make shampoo fun. Neatest trick of the week is using wonderful job of drying the hair worn-out bath towels to make after a shampoo...

Advertisement for Mountain Ridge Straight Bourbon Whiskey, featuring a bottle image and pricing: \$3.35 per 4 1/2 quart, \$2.10 per pint.

Advertisement for Saieed's, featuring a clock graphic and the text 'OPEN TIL 8 FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE'.

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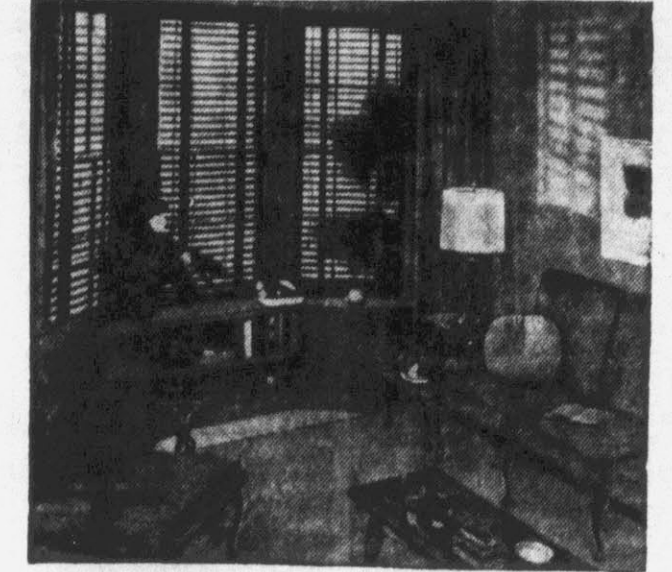
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Channel 9

TONIGHT

9:00 to 9:30

Advertisement for John Lautares Jeweler, featuring a gift center illustration and text: 'This Is Your gift center John Lautares Jeweler Opposite Belk-Tyler'.



WINDOW ELEGANCE—Blinds and walls are painted the same color to bring new importance to large window area.

Advertisement for Lautares Bros. Jewelers, featuring the text: 'Buying Diamonds? Buy Only From A Registered Jeweler See George Lautares Greenville's Only Registered Jeweler at LAUTARES BROS. JEWELERS Across From Guaranty Bank'.

Advertisement for Garris Grocery, featuring a festive illustration and text: 'Your One Stop Food Store! More Food For Less Money! Nothing but the Best! MAKE IT FESTIVE, MAKE IT GAY, BUY CHRISTMAS FOODS FROM US TODAY!'.

Table listing grocery items and prices: Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce can 19c, Libby's Pumpkin, No. 2 1/2 Can 24c, Diamond Napkins, 80 Count 2 for 22c, etc.

FRESH VEGETABLES—Snap Beans, Cabbage, Squash, Turnip Salad, Collards, Parsley, Cucumbers, Peppers, Cauliflower, Celery, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Raisins, Fruit, Nuts, Candy, any kind, any quantity.

Table listing meat items and prices: Swift's Select T-Bone Steak, lb. 98c, Choice Chuck Roast, lb. 69c, Choice Boneless Stew, lb. 69c, etc.

Advertisement for Garris Grocery, featuring the text: 'GARRIS GROCERY Greenville's Food Center GRADE 'A' MARKET E. FIFTH CONTANCHE ST. 3168 DELIVERY'.

Large advertisement for Motorola TV, featuring a cartoon character and text: 'IF YOUR GOAL IS BIG SCREEN TV... Better See Motorola TV with Double-Power Picture'.

Advertisement for Vandyke Furniture Store, Inc., featuring a radio illustration and text: 'IF YOU CAN'T SEE IT, HEAR IT BEST ON A Motorola Radio... VANDYKE Furniture Store, Inc. Dickinson Avenue Dial 2054'.



THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW!

By FAGALY and SHORTEP



Joe Friday's Sidekick Started Out As Cupid

By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD (AP) — This may come as a surprise to Dragnet fans, but Joe Friday's sidekick made his movie debut as Cupid in 1916.

so he could play boy or girl roles. During the '20s, he starred in the "Penrod" series. His best-remembered role was in "All Quiet on the Western Front" in 1930.

Revolving Fireplace Tried In Clinical Class



ROUND THE HEARTH—Mrs. Robert Thrun and two of her three children enjoy the revolving fireplace she designed.

AP Newsfeatures

A REVOLVING FIREPLACE
The fireplace is mounted on a truck wheel bearing and has brakes to keep it from turning too fast.

Mrs. Robert Thrun, wife of a New York lawyer designed the fireplace for the family's summer home at Sullivan, Me. It is built from a steel tank, four feet in diameter, and can be turned to send heat toward the dining, kitchen or living areas of the big room in the modern, one-story dwelling.

living areas of the big room in the modern, one-story dwelling. The fireplace is mounted on a truck wheel bearing and has brakes to keep it from turning too fast.

Mrs. Thrun—her winter home is at Croton-on-the-Hudson, N.Y.—studied architecture at Columbia University. She also designed the summer home.

The Thruns have three children, Sally, Roberta and Robert Jr.

Had To Provide His Own Answer

HIBBING, Minn. (AP)—No one answered when Fred Odegard, acting police chief, telephoned a filing station repeatedly to get details about a burglary.

Then the chief realized why there was no answer. Burglars had ripped the telephone off the wall. The instrument, taken to police headquarters for fingerprinting, was at his elbow.

Wires Crossed In Clinical Class

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP)—Questions put to Dr. Harry Steinmetz' clinical psychology class at San Diego State College included: "What do you consider your most valuable asset?"

Only two in the class answered "Intelligence", and they both misspelled it.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of Verna Lee B. Arthur, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the undersigned administrators on or before the 25th day of November, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

O. J. STANCILL & J. RUSSELL STANCILL, Administrators of the estate of Verna Lee B. Arthur.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having this day qualified as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of W. G. Stokes, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned Executor at Stokes, N. C. on or before the 23rd day of November, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

W. F. STOKES, Executor of Will of W. G. Stokes, deceased.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executor of the Will of Henry W. Brown, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned Executor at Greenville,

N. C. on or before the 1st day of December, 1954, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

LARRY E. BROWN, Executor of the Will of Henry W. Brown, deceased.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

NORTH CAROLINA
PITT COUNTY
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
F. W. GODWIN

vs.
NIKKIE SCOTT GODWIN
The defendant above named will

take notice that the above entitled action has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce on the grounds of two years separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, in Greenville, North Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the 29th day of January, 1954, and answer or demur to the complaint heretofore filed in said case, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 8th day of December, 1953.
D. T. HOUSE JR.
Clerk Superior Court
Roberts & Stocks, Attys. for Pitt
Dec. 9-15-23-30

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Education For Doctors Costly

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. (AP)—The high cost of a medical education is barring many qualified students from U.S. medical schools. A report read at the annual convention here of the Association of American Medical Colleges said a sample of 26 schools showed the yearly cost of attending medical school ranges from \$1,200 to \$1,850.

Make Do. A GOOD RACK to keep trays and flat pans upright in a kitchen cabinet can be had by using a phonograph record holder. (Popular Science).

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Could You spare \$11,000 cash TO PROTECT YOUR RIGHT TO DRIVE. NORTH CAROLINA'S New Safety Responsibility Law Is STRICT. After January 1, 1954 you better have plenty of ready cash or a rich uncle willing to put up bond for you if you are going to take a chance on driving a car without the liability insurance you need. Pitt County Insurance Exchange. Greenville Agencies Listed Below: W. C. Harris Insurance Agency, 116 W. 5th St. Jack Wallace Ins. & Real Estate, 918 E. 14th St. Goodson & Flanagan Ins. Agency, 311 Evans St. Turnage Real Estate and Ins. Agency, 223 Cotanche General Insurance Agency, 314 Evans Street. H. A. White & Sons Ins. Agency, 403 Evans Street. Willard & Webb Insurance Agency, 120 E. 5th St. Moseley Bros., Inc., 425 Evans Street. Page-Barba Ins. & Real Estate, 904 Dickinson Ave. Keel and Bennett Ins. Agency, 1715 Dickinson Ave. Godfrey P. Oakley Ins. Agency, 317 Cotanche Street. Hooker & Buchanan, Inc., 511 Evans Street. Tadlock Mutual Insurance Agency, 322 Evans St. Farmville Agencies Listed Below: Pitt County Insurance Agency, 106 N. Main Street. Commercial Insurance Co., 139 S. Main Street. Fountain Agencies Listed Below: J. M. Horton Insurance Agency. J. A. Mercer Insurance Co. Bethel Agency Below: Ives Insurance Agency. Stokes Agency Below: Tyson Bros. Insurance Agency. Winterville Agency Below: C. D. Langston Insurance Co.

# The Quest

ELSIE MACK

**By ELSIE MACK**  
**SYNOPSIS**  
 "Trumpet at Noon," a novel on which Kelly Fraser had long worked, was about to be published in New York. But Kelly would not be present to sign the contract for it, because Kelly Fraser was dead. New Dale, his loyal and faithful young widow, would have to sign it for him. Their marriage had been happy and brief.

**CHAPTER THREE**  
 WHEN Kelly came back with his bag, Dale was standing in front of the store by her car, a dark-green convertible, excitingly new. For years Grandmother had been saying that their old sedan should be put out to pasture before it fell apart on the road, and last month a high-pressure car salesman had talked Grandy into buying a new model. The man's mouth had dropped open and remained open in a round O of awe when Grandy said:

"Better make it two, Mister. One for my granddaughter, here. Time she had a car of her own, for that mail route of hers. Yes, make it two."

The salesman finally closed his mouth and stopped staring at Grandy's bony elbows sticking out of his cardigan sleeves, and the patched old jeans. "Cash, Mr. Collier?" he whispered.

Grandmother winked with malicious enjoyment at Dale as Grandy said indignantly, "Certainly, cash!"

Kelly threw his bag in the back. "How far?" he asked, climbing in beside Dale.

"A mile. We're right on the lake."

"A farm?"

"Yes—Well, no. Not any longer. Grandy retired this year."

She slowed at the railroad tracks, crossed after looking both ways, and drove down a straight gravel road with tall cedars on each side.

"The real-estate men barked at Grandy's heels for years to get him to subdivide the lakeshore property into lots for summer cottages," Dale said. "Grandy just sat back and barked right back at them. Said as long as he could plough a straight furrow, danged if he was going to have men in fancy shirts and women with bare midriffs overrunning his property!"

Laughter rippled up appreciatively through the man at her side.

"But Grandy is seventy-six," much comfort to a man who has helped bring as many calves and lambs into the world as Grandy has. A great man with animals, Grandy is."

"You live with your grandparents?" Kelly asked.

She nodded. "My mother was a nurse and my father a doctor. They worked together in a hospital at Nanking," Dale said. "Farming is no job for a man that old. He has sold most of the land and all the animals, and torn down all the out-buildings." Her eyes were briefly shadowed, as she said, "They banded off cholera when I was five."

Her awareness of no sense of loss was an unconscious tribute to Helen and John Collier.

"And you've lived here all your life?" Kelly asked.

"All my life." Except for those five years, and the year in town taking a secretarial course, but even then she had come home every weekend. "I work in the store, on Joshua Wragge's books. And I deliver the rural mail."

"You could get a better job in town with your training couldn't you?"

She shrugged. "I suppose I could, if I wanted to. But I like it here." She added, with real honesty, "I've never wanted to live anywhere else."

She heard his drawn breath at the unexpectedness of blue water through the stand of slender young birches, as she turned sharply right at the shore.

"Here is the house," she said. White and square, it blazed in the sunlight, and all its windows shone. Wet-weather joints or not, Grandmother polished her windowpanes; she also saw to it that the

## Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
1. A drug
  6. Sign of sorrow
  11. Hypnotic sleep
  12. Black birds
  14. Sun god
  15. Act of erasing
  17. And: Latin
  18. Land measures
  20. Western Indians
  21. Ostrich
  22. Platform
  23. Congeals
  27. Sin
  28. Vessels for heating liquids
  30. Egg that swims
  32. Compass point
  33. Spill over
- DOWN**
35. Legal paper
  37. Worthless: colloq.
  39. Additions to buildings
  41. Loved ones
  44. Constellation
  46. Fish
  48. Composition for two
  49. Facts
  51. River islands
  53. Insect
  54. Pronoun
  55. Regard with honor
  58. Note of the scale
  59. Withdraw
  61. Posted
  63. Deals out scantily
  64. Ox raised for slaughter



**WASP FOR COWL**  
 ARIA ERA OLEA  
 REAPPEAR MILD  
 TAMER TEAPOTS  
 RESERVE  
 BAA SAD ETAPE  
 OSPREY ANELES  
 SETON ERG ENS  
 SCANTER  
 PROTEIN ROAST  
 ROPE SEASONER  
 AVER LAY MIRE  
 YENS EDE SLAY

## Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

- DOWN**
1. Landing place of Noah's Ark
  2. Old exclamation
  3. Numeral
  4. Unbleached color
  5. Chairs
  6. Relied
  7. Part of the head
  8. Assert
  9. Concerning
  10. Mocks
  11. Commerce
  12. Gas freely
  13. Understands
  14. Transgressions
  22. That man
  24. Act of selling
  26. Vehicle on runners
  29. Bottom of the foot
  31. Nourishes
  34. Gratifies
  35. Sinner
  37. Point opposite the zenith
  38. Made a harsh sound
  40. Cut of a plant
  42. Close-fitting jacket
  43. Place which another had
  45. Preposition
  47. Stalks
  50. Seed covering
  52. Drive away
  54. Sooner than
  57. Cravat
  60. Toward
  62. Football position: abbr.

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house was painted regularly. "Two things I can't abide," she often said, "dirty windows and peeling paint." Seeing the house now through Kelly's eyes, Dale felt a surge of pride in it.

A hundred yards from the shore, on her left, was a tidy box of a clapboard cottage. Dale pointed it out to Kelly through a cleft in the cedar windbreak. "The hired man used to live there," she said. "It's empty now."

The cottage although Dale did not know it then was to be her heaven, or haven, her maelstrom, but on that gold-bright May afternoon, she murmured, "It's empty, now," and forgot it as she led Kelly into the big white house that was her home.

Grandmother's capitulation to the new boarder's charm was evident at dinner that evening in the hand-crocheted lace tablecloth—usually brought out only on anniversaries and at Christmas—and the thin old Georgian silver and the Majolica fruit-bowl centerpiece. But Grandy, in his Chippendale elbow chair with its upholstered back and

the chair pads, sat in his usual place under the Falcon Hunter engraving, ate heartily, and reserved judgment.

"Dale tells me that your hired man's cottage is empty, Mr. Collier," Kelly said, when Grandmother was carrying in the dessert. "I'd like to rent it."

"What for?" asked Grandy bluntly.

"To live in," Kelly said easily. "I'm writing a book. A place like that would suit me fine."

"Aha!" said Grandy. "A book, hey?" He said it as if he had just discovered the presence of a communicable disease at his dinner table—which astonished Dale, who knew Grandy as an inveterate lover of books. "The cottage is not for rent," he snapped. "At my age, I'm not going to start landlording. For sale, it is."

Kelly looked unperturbed. "I'll buy it, then."

Grandy looked as if he were going to give this Kelly Fraser his comeuppance, and then he said mildly, "You always this impulsive, young man? Could be a pig in a poke."

Kelly cocked an impudent brow at the old man. "Is it?"

Grandy grunted. "Price is steep."

"You name it, Mr. Collier."

Two pairs of eyes met and held unwaveringly. Whatever Grandy saw in the younger man's must have satisfied him, for he finally nodded slowly.

So Kelly bought the cottage, moved in, and set up his typewriter.

"I had no idea writers worked so hard," Dale marveled one July evening. She was sitting on the dock with Kelly, watching the gulls swoop blackly through the sunset air and skim the shrimp-colored water. "Grandy," she added, "is impressed."

Kelly laughed. "I had an idea, when he balked over selling me the cottage, that he lumped authors with congenial loafers!"

She nodded, laughing agreement with him before she sobered. "But you do work hard. And it's perfectly obvious that you don't have to."

"No, it's not for the money, Dale," he said thoughtfully. "My father left me a lot of money when he died. Maybe I don't want to use that, and this," he drummed his knuckles on his wooden leg, "as an excuse for idleness."

"Polished idleness," she nodded. "I've got something worth saying, Dale. That makes the sweat of writing—and its discouragements and despair—worth while. Besides," he grinned, "there's the odd moment of elation. And there's always hope. I like every doggone part of it."

She slid her hand into his. "I know."

(To Be Continued)

Here's how to care for woodwork. Wipe cupboards, moldings, and door and window frames and sills often with a wrung-out soapy cloth. When woodwork wax gets gummy, remove it; wash with a soapy cloth, rinse and dry before re-waxing.

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**Robersonville News**

Mrs. Glenn Whitehurst was rushed to Tayloe Hospital, Washington, Wednesday night for an emergency operation. She will return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberson, their daughter, Miss Mary Drew Roberson, and his mother, Mrs. Carrie Roberson, left Saturday to tour Florida until the first of January.

Mrs. Selma Meadows is visiting Mrs. Dathan Strickland of Raleigh.

Mrs. Alice Skinner of Cannonburg, Pa., and her mother, Mrs. Jimmie Roberson, of Washington spent Friday with Mrs. Skinner's grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Sparks.

Lee Harney had a tonsilectomy at Tayloe Hospital Friday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard T. Harney, spent the night in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Little and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray attended the celebration at Kitty Hawk. Miss Blanche Waters entered Martin General Hospital in Williamston Wednesday where she will receive treatment for a week.

Mrs. Bill Elliott and family of Edenton were guests of her brother, Mr. William W. Taylor Jr., and Mrs. Taylor Saturday. The two families were joined by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor Sr. spent Sunday in Kinross with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Taylor and children.

Sgt. Marvin Winberry spent several days with relatives. He has been stationed in Germany for 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barnhill returned Friday night from Chicago where they attended the American Farm Bureau Convention.

Miss Esther House of Elizabeth City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas House.

Mr. Glenn Whitehurst, an elec-

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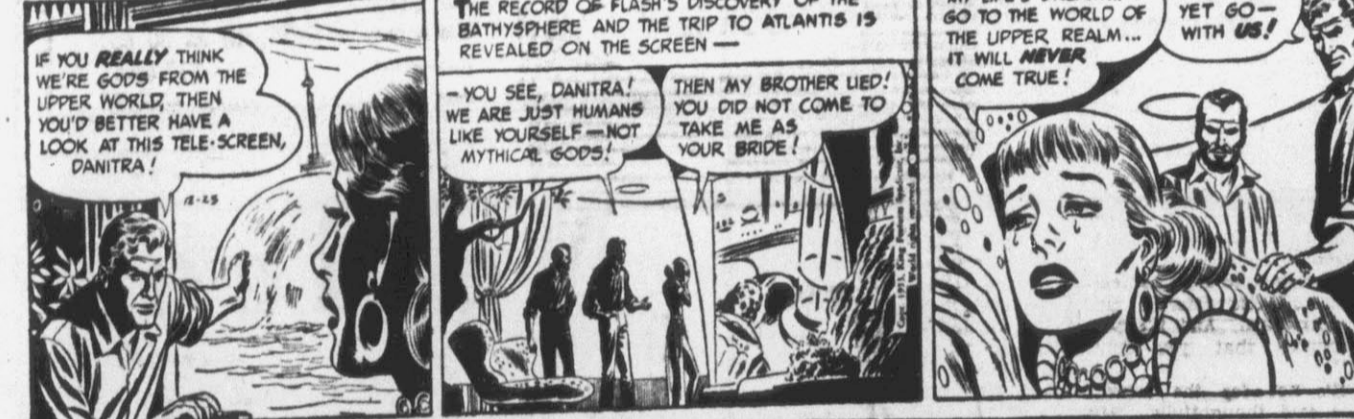
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Accreditors Business English night courses starting soon. Enroll now. Regular winter term Jan. 4th. Mrs. V. C. Baker, P.O. Box 858, Phone 4103. Oct. 24-14

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On balance, however, the market remained lower with losses running to around a point at the most. At one time Douglas Aircraft was off 2 1/2, but it traded later at only a fractional loss. The stock was down 2 1/2 yesterday when the market suffered a slump.

Business maintained a moderate pace at around 1,600,000 shares for the entire day. Yesterday's total came to 1,720,000 shares.

Major divisions with depressed prices included aircrafts, distillers, oils, railroads, and motion pictures. Others were mixed including the steels, motors, coppers oils, and chemicals.

Lower stocks included Santa Fe, Standard Oil (N.J.), General Motors, U. S. Rubber, Schenley Industries, and United Aircraft.

Higher were Southern Railway, American Telephone, American Smelting, Du Pont, U. S. Steel, Chrysler, and Sinclair Oil.

**CHICAGO (AP)—(USDA)**—Salable hogs 7,000; butchers extremely active; very uneven 50 to 1.00 higher; instances fully 1.25 over Tuesday; mostly 75 or more up; sows to 75 higher; bulk choice 180-230 lb butchers 25.50-26.00; latter price freely; top 26.15 sparingly; most 240-260 lbs 25.00-25.50; bulk 270-315 lb butchers 24.25-25.00; choice 350-550 lb sows 21.25-23.25; a few light sows to 23.75; good clearance.

Salable cattle 9,500; calves 300; active; slaughter steers and heifers steady to 50 or more higher; extremes 1.00 higher on steers; bulls steady; cows and vealers fully steady; bulk choice and prime steers 24.00-28.50; about a dozen prime loads 28.75-29.50; load lots prime 1,425-1,550 lbs 27.50-28.50; most good to low choice steers 20.00-23.50 two loads 1,000 lb commercial Holsteins 16.00; choice to low prime heifers 22.00-25.50; good to low choice 17.00-21.50; utility to low good 10.50-16.50; utility and commercial cows 9.50-12.00; canners and cutters 8.00-10.00; utility and commercial bulls 12.50-16.00; cutter bulls 10.00-12.00; commercial to choice vealers 17.00-24.00; cull and utility 8.00-16.00.

**RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)**—Hog markets were steady to 50 higher today. Tops at 24.00 at Tarboro, Hamilton, Newton Grove, Dunn, Mount Olive, Goldsboro, Bailey, Burgaw, Wilson, Clarkton, fair Bluff, Greenville Snow Hill, Robertsonville, Farmville Rocky Mount, Smithfield and Fayetteville; 26.75 at Beulahville, Warsaw, Kenly, Laurel Hill, Elizabethtown, Siler City, Freeman, Micro, Kingston, New Bern, Benson, Lumberton and Clinton; 23.50 at Rich Square.

**CLOSED TWO DAYS**  
GRIPTON—Town Manager Robert Wheeler announced today that the town office would be closed Friday and Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

**COLONY**  
THURSDAY — 1 Day  
Technicolor Drama!  
THE  
**VANQUISHED**  
Starring  
**JOHN PAYNE**  
**COLEEN GRAY**

This Is Your  
**gift center**  
**John Lautares**  
Jeweler  
Opposite Belk-Tyler

**STATE**  
TODAY — THURSDAY  
Leo Gorcey  
And The  
Bowery Boys  
in  
"Let's Go Navy"

**OPEN 'TIL 8 FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE**  
SAVE THAT 20%  
ON YOUR GIFT PURCHASES,  
ALSO TOYS. DON'T WAIT  
**Saieed's**

**BELLOWS CLUB BOURBON**  
\$3.65  
4 1/2 QUART  
This whiskey is four years old.  
**BELLOWS & COMPANY**  
BALTIMORE MARYLAND

## A MORAL TALE

Being the Sad Account of How a Metropolis missed its Big Chance.

**THERE WAS ONCE A YOUNG MAN WHO WENT TO NEW YORK TO ESTABLISH A KIPPUR CATFISH DYNASTY TAKING WITH HIM A CLUTCH OF KIPPERS...**

**BUT, WHEN HE SOUGHT TO PURCHASE A NEWSPAPER SO HE MIGHT SEARCH THE WANT ADS FOR THE NAME OF ONE WHO'D EMPLOY HIM AS A TYCOON...**

**THE VENDOR DENOUNCED HIM FOR A FOOLTRON FOR NOT KNOWING THE NEWSPAPERS WERE AFFLICTED BY STRIKE AND WERE NOT PUBLISHED ALAS.**

**WITH NO NEWS TO READ HE THOT TO DISPORT HIMSELF AT THE THEATRE BUT KNEW NOT WHERE TO TURN WITHOUT COUNSEL OF AD OR CRITIC...**

**BEARFUL OF SQUANDERING HIS MONEY ON SOMETHING INFERIOR HE TOOK HIS CATFISH TO A PENNY ARCADE TO STUDY THE SITUATION...**

**AT LENGTH HIS COINS WERE GONE AND HE WAS DIRECTED INTO THE SNOW WHERE HE SOUGHT A NEWSPAPER TO PUT UNDER HIS COAT TO FEND THE GROUP... BUT ALAS...**

**BANISHED AND FROZEN HE ATE ALL BUT ONE OF HIS CATFISH WHICH LAST HE WOULD SAVE BY WRAPPING IT IN NEWSPAPER BUT AGAIN, ALAS... (SO HE PUT IT IN HIS HAT.)**

**BESEEKING NEWS OF THE WORLD SO AS TO KEEP ABREAST OF CATFISH TRENDS HE THEN CREEPT INTO A RADIO AND TV SHOP TO HEAR NEWS REPORTS.**

**THE REPORTS WERE MEAGRE FOR LACK OF TIME AND THE PROPRIETOR ESCORTED OUR YOUNG MAN TO THE CLUB WHERE HE LIT ON HIS CATFISH.**

**HE DECIDED TO TRADE HIS CATFISH FOR A GIFT FOR HIS MOTHER BUT WITHOUT DEPARTMENT STORE ADS HE WAS LOST AND LEFT FOR HOME TAKING HIS TRADE WITH HIM...**

**AT ONCE HE READ HIS HOME NEWSPAPER AND SAW THAT A WEALTHY WIDOW OFFERED \$46 FOR A KIPPUR CATFISH... SHORTLY HE WAS A MAN OF MEANS WITH A CIGAR AND CAR.**

**IN HIS WILL HE ORDERED A STATUE TO THE PRESS TO BE INSCRIBED: PRO BONO PUBLICO... AND THAT IS HOW NEW YORK LOST A GOOD BUSINESS AND A MONUMENT.**

*"YOU NEVER MISS THE WATER 'TIL THE WHEEL SHOTS AWAY."*

### Persecution Of Jews, Is Growing

**VIENNA, Austria (AP)—**Western diplomats in Vienna said today a new wave of Jewish persecutions apparently aimed at crushing all opposition to communism is sweeping the Soviet Union's European satellites.

Their assessment followed an announcement by the Union of Communities in Austria (UJCA), last night that it had protested to Communist-ruled Hungary against a secret trial of three Hungarian Jewish leaders reported under way in Budapest.

Reports received in Vienna last week said that three other East European Jewish leaders already have been tried and sentenced in Hungary. Jewish figures in Romania and Czechoslovakia also have been reported either tried and jailed or awaiting trial.

The UJCA protest was made in a communication to Lenard Szeri, Hungarian minister in Vienna. It demanded that the Red Hungarian government free the three men, identified as:

Dr. Bela Denes, former head of the Zionist movement in Hungary; Henrik Galos, former secretary general of the Zionist organization in Budapest, and Abraham Kornitzer, a representative of Hungarian Orthodox Jews.

All reportedly were charged with committing "crimes of Zionist activity and having contacts with Zionists abroad."

### Education Outlay Is Near Passage

**JACKSON, Miss. (AP)—**The Mississippi Legislature today neared the end of a special session devoted to the state's 46-million-dollar school equalization program.

The House yesterday passed and sent to the Senate the controversial financial minimum foundation bill, a key measure in the plan to equalize facilities in white and Negro schools.

The bill would establish minimum salaries for teachers and provide a formula by which the school districts are taxed to pay for the program.

The Senate also revived the highly-debated House resolution to abolish the state public school system if the U. S. Supreme Court rules against segregation.

The move meant that the question of the school system's abolition would remain on the legislative calendar.

Rep. Harry Applebaum called for a complete breakdown of the state's 10 per cent black market whisky tax.

In a letter to Mrs. Thomas L. Bailey, the state tax collector, he said he needed the information for "the handling of proper legislation in the 1954 regular sessions."

Mississippi and Oklahoma are the only dry states, but Mississippi imposes a 10 per cent tax on the sale of illegal liquor.

### Colored News

Mr. William Earl Cox, 22, died Friday at 8 p.m. at James Ewing Hospital in New York City after seven months of illness. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at Zion Chapel F. W. B. Church in Ayden with Moderator S. Hemby officiating. Burial will follow in the Ayden cemetery.

Mr. Cox was born and reared in the Ayden community and was a member of the English Chapel F. W. B. Church.

He is survived by his mother and father, Mr. Glennie and Fannie Cox of Ayden; five sisters, Mrs. Annie Lee Lane and Mrs. Virgie Mae Canaday of New Haven, Conn., Shirley, Delois and Ethylree Cox of the home; three brothers, James C. Hoyt and Ervin of the home; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fleming of Ayden.

Rev. P. H. Mumford, pastor of York Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church, wishes to remind the general public that a special Christmas service will be observed Christmas morning at 6 o'clock.

Have you completed your spiritual preparation for the feast of Christmas?

**MEADOWBROOK DRIVE IN THEATRE**  
Show Starts at 6:45  
ENDS TONIGHT  
"The Snake Pit"  
THURS. — FRI.

**ROBERT AVA HOWARD TAYLOR GARDNER KEEL**  
THE BEAUTY AND THE OUTLAW  
**RIDE VAQUERO!**  
In Stunning COLOR!

mas? The Laymen of Saint Gabriel's offer you welcome to assist at services this evening at 7:30. Come and offer prayers that Jesus may bring His peace to your home.

### NO POLICE COURT TO BE HELD HERE ON FRIDAY

Judge Charles H. Whedbee presided over the midweek session of Police Court today. He will not hold court Friday—Christmas Day. Court will be convened next Monday, December 28.

**PITT**  
TODAY and THURSDAY!  
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MARI BLANCHARD  
**VILLI BARBARE**  
TECHNICOLOR  
The Perfect Gift  
THEATRE COUPON BOOKS  
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**SOUTH 11 DRIVE-IN**  
THURS. & FRI. NITES  
**Stalag 17**  
WILLIAM HOLDEN • OTTO PREMINGER  
Color Cartoon  
ENDS TONITE — WED.  
"Thing Is The Kingdom" & "Rolling Home"

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SAVE THAT 20%  
ON YOUR GIFT PURCHASES,  
ALSO TOYS. DON'T WAIT  
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**Notice To The Motoring Public**  
In Order That My Employees May Enjoy The Christmas Holidays With Their Families  
**My Service Station Will Be Closed**  
All Day Christmas Day and Saturday, December 25th and 26th.  
Please See Us Wednesday or Thursday for Your Driving Needs  
Drive Carefully — Have a Good Time And Enjoy Your Christmas Holidays  
We Will Reopen Monday, Dec. 28  
Many Thanks  
**Rick's Service Center**  
Corner Evans & 9th Streets — Phone 4342

### Record Profits

**CHAPEL HILL, N. C. (AP)—**A report from the North Carolina High School Athletic Assn. shows that four championship football games this year netted a record \$12,723.28.

Figures released by L. J. (Hap) Perry, executive secretary of the association, show the Class AAA game between Durham at Winston-Salem Reynolds netted \$8,528.01; Salem Reynolds netted \$8,528.01; the Class AA game between Charlotte Harding at Hamlet netted \$2,859.76; the Class A game between Massey Hill and Bessemer at Fayetteville netted \$886.56; and the six-man championship between Old Town at Southern Pines netted \$448.95.

### Motor Vehicle License Plate Sales Running Slightly Ahead Of Last Year

Sale of motor vehicle license tags in Pitt county is slightly ahead of last year, and there is a steadier flow of applicants for the 1954 plates.

The license clerk at Home and Auto Supply, 110 West Fifth street, where licenses are sold, today urged car and truck owners to buy their licenses early and avoid the long line of applicants at the end of the year.

State highway patrolmen will start enforcing the state license law February 1.

Motor vehicle drivers without the 1954 plates on and after that date will be subject to arrest for violation of the law, a patrol officer stated.

### Fire Took Lives Of Five Children

**MARINETTE, Wis. (AP)—**A raging fire took the lives of five children early today when the home of the Robert Degayner family burned to the ground.

The children were sleeping on the second floor of the house when the fire started at about 8 a.m. The father, Robert, left the house to call the fire department.

When he returned the fire spread too rapidly for him to enter the house and save his children.

A woman watching the fire said she saw the father try and enter the house by climbing to the roof and entering through a window, but heavy smoke and flames forced him back.

### Find \$915 Sewed In His Clothing

**SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—**Police said yesterday they found \$915 in currency sewed into clothing worn by an 85-year-old retired laborer, who died after being on county relief for 25 years.

A friend said George Daskalakis apparently had saved the money from welfare checks.

### Lester J. McLawhorn Funeral Tomorrow

**AYDEN—**Lester J. McLawhorn, 42, formerly of Ayden, died at his home on Route 1, Beaufort, early Tuesday morning.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at the home by Rev. J. M. Russell, Free Will Holiness minister of Newport. Burial will follow in the Taulde Grove Church cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary McLawhorn; his step-mother, Mrs. Clyde McLawhorn; two sisters, Mrs. Glenn Bowen of Ayden and Mrs. Kathleen Almar of Arlington, Va.; two brothers, Perry and Warren McLawhorn, both of Ayden; a half-sister, Mrs. Edna Stokes of Arlington, Va.; a half-brother, Howard McLawhorn of Arlington, Va.; and five step-children.

### No Ermine If Army Frowns

**SEOUL (AP)—**Movie actress Terry Moore brought her controversial ermine panties and bra to Korea today.

But, she told newsmen, she won't wear them in a show unless she gets full Army approval—highly unlikely in view of the storm of protest in the United States when it was announced she would wear them for troops in Korea.

Ancient Europeans considered the Mistletoe a magical medicine.

### Army Post Bank Is Again Robbed

**FORT MEADE, Md. (AP)—**FBI agents, trying to solve the second bank robbery on this big Army post within 10 months, today sought a heavily bearded gunman who herded three women tellers into a vault and escaped with more than \$9,000.

Dressed in Army clothes, he posed as a customer, pulled off the daylight holdup yesterday and eluded state and military police alerted within minutes of the crime.

Last March 19 a man threatened two of the same women and a male employe with a jar of sulphuric acid, took about \$20,000 and escaped.

### Bill Aimed At Commies Okayed

**PANAMA, Panama (AP)—**Panama's National Assembly gave unanimous final legislative approval last night to a government-sponsored bill outlawing Communist organizations and barring Communists and fellow travelers from public office.

The bill will become law as soon as President Jose Antonio Remon signs it.

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