

Continued cloudy tonight and Sunday. Some warmer.

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PALMER EXPLAINS FINAL CONCLUSION OF RECENT STRIKE

Attorney-General Tells How Strong Hand of Government Ended Issue. OPERATORS SAY THAT HE WOULD COMPROMISE OWNERS THOUGHT PROPOSED INCREASE WAS SURRENDER OF GOVERNMENT RIGHTS

Washington, Dec. 20.—Attorney General Palmer told a Senate coal investigating committee today a full story of his own and the general government actions in connection with the strike of bituminous miners, concluding his testimony with the declaration that the "firm, strong hand of the government" finally had forced the miners to yield. Alfred M. Ogle, chairman of the executive committee of the bituminous coal operators association, took the stand a moment after the Attorney General concluded and told the committee that Mr. Palmer endeavored on Friday, December 5, to induce the coal operators to compromise with the miners on a basis of more than the 14 per cent wage increase suggested in behalf of the government by former Fuel Administrator Garfield. Continuing, Ogle surprised the committee with the assertion that Mr. Palmer had told the operators Federal Judge Anderson at Indianapolis, who issued an injunction against the strike leaders on the government's application, might "act in a characteristic fashion, and put a lot of union leaders in jail" thus precipitating a "terrible industrial situation."

"We replied," said Ogle, "that we considered the proposal a cowardly, dastardly surrender of the rights of the public and the government. We considered it a compromise of principles far more important than any question of the wages of miners, or our own profits as operators of coal mines. We thought it a question of the maintenance of law and order in the United States."

Ogle's testimony given after Attorney General Palmer, who was before the committee practically the entire day, had left the room came as the climax to a series of revelations concerning the government's movements in the strike. The operators' chairman refused to divulge details when first put on the stand, but finally told his story after getting permission to consult his attorney, Rush Butler, who was also called as a witness.

Chairman Freelinghuysen, of the Senate committee, indicated after conclusion of the hearing that the investigation would be continued on the strength of the information brought out. The Attorney General, aided by questions from Senator Townsend, Republican, Michigan, took the committee over the entire ground traversed by the government in the strike. After Fuel Administrator Garfield, who later resigned because of the settlement, and the miners had rejected a 14 per cent wage increase and a retention of the present price on coal, the government, he said, had "prepared to fight the thing out." Then John J. Keegan, an attaché of the department of labor, brought about successful mediation. John L. Lewis and William Green, president and secretary, respectively, of the United Mine Workers, came to Washington on their own volition, Mr. Palmer said, and held two private conferences with him in one day.

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TOMLINSON TELLS OF DEFINITE WAY TO BETTER PRICES

Wilson Man Tells of Cotton Situation in Address in City Today. ORGANIZE EFFORT IS NECESSARY IN FUTURE SOUTHERN MEN MUST PROTECT ONLY MONOPOLISTIC PRODUCT OF THE SOUTH.

Speaking before a splendid body of representative farmers and business men of this county in the court house here this morning, L. S. Tomlinson, Wilson, president of the North Carolina branch of the American Cotton Association, declared that cotton is the only monopolistic product of the South, and that people interested in the future development of the country should stand behind every organized effort to bring about more equitable prices and proper distribution so vitally essential from the field to the city.

He spoke briefly on conditions surrounding the cotton future at the present time showing in a vivid way just why cotton for the past several years had not been properly recognized, and the things imperatively necessary in bringing about proposed plans now under way by the American cotton association. In part he said:

"Why are all the people of the South not interested? It is the only monopolistic natural product we have. The other business interests have not helped the farmer as they should in getting for the farmers directly and every other interest indirectly, the profit they should out of cotton. It is a southern proposition which is larger than farm-

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SAYS GOVERNMENT HAS NO POWER TO STOP IMPORTATION

Judge Sankey of English Court Holds Action on Certain Goods Invalid.

London, Dec. 20.—The government's anti-dumping bill now pending in the House of Commons authorizes appointment of a Trade Regulation Committee which would have power to prohibit the importation of goods at prices below the selling prices in the country of manufacture.

This committee also would be authorized to regulate temporarily the exportation of certain goods and the granting of credit for the purpose of re-establishing overseas trade.

The committee would be composed of the President of the Board of Trade, three cabinet ministers, three government officials and some members of the House of Commons.

The bill would confer power upon the Board of Trade to temporarily prohibit the importation of certain specified classes of goods which would compete unfairly with home industries; but the Board of Trade's embargo would last for only 21 days and at the expiration of that time would be subject to the approval of the Trade Regulation Committee.

The Board of Trade under the bill would have power to investigate the books of manufacturers and sellers and would be authorized, subject to the approval of the committee, to prohibit exportation until three years after the war of 11 specific articles, including gold and silver coin, fuel, meat, wheat, sugar, opium and cocaine.

To promote foreign trade the Board of Trade would be authorized to grant credits not exceeding \$26,000,000 at any one time.

It would also enable it to insure goods subject to extraordinary risks.

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OFFICERS ELECTED FOR COUNTY POST AMERICAN LEGION

Dr. Laughinghouse Elected Post-Commander at Meeting Last Night. SEVERAL COMMITTEES ARE ALSO APPOINTED POST GOES ON RECORD FOR HEARTY ENDORSEMENT OF MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

On account of the unfavorable weather conditions, last night, the attendance at the meeting of the Pitt County Post of the American Legion was not as large as expected. However, a very good number was present and the officers were elected.

Since every section of the county was not represented it was decided to elect officers for a period of only three months. During this three months period, the officers, with the assistance of the committees appointed will do considerable advertising, and at the next meeting for election of officers, three months from date, it is hoped that the entire county will be represented, so as to elect officers for the entire year. The meeting last night was called to order by J. B. Kittrell, who has been acting as Post Commander. After a general discussion as to the workings of a Post the following officers were selected:

Post Commander, Dr. Chas. O'H. Laughinghouse, Greenville; 1st Vice Commander, Dr. Cecil Garrington, Bethel; 2nd Vice Commander, Harvey Furmage, Farmville; Secretary, J. H. Rose, Greenville; Treasurer, W. T. White, Ayden.

The appointment of the membership committees was withheld until a later date. These committees will be appointed from page one.

BIG DEPLETION OF AMERICAN FOREST OF MUCH CONCERN

United States Department of Agriculture Gives Result of Observations.

Washington, D. C. 20 The rate of depletion of the forests of this country is more than twice, probably three times what is actually being produced by products other than firwood. Consequently, high price of lumber are not wholly due to increased costs of production. An important factor is the ever-retreating sources of timber supply. Already the supplies of all with the exception of the South, and even there most of the mills have not over 10 to 15 years' supply of virgin timber. Already the Southern pine is being withdrawn from many points as a competitive factor and its place taken by western timbers. This inevitably results in added freight charges, which the customer must pay.

These facts are called to public attention in the annual report of the forester of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, recently published. Their presentation is accompanied by a plea that the Nation adopt an enlarged program of public acquisitions of forests by the Government, the States, and municipalities, and protection and perpetuation of forest growths on all privately owned lands which may not better be used for agriculture and settlement.

GERMAN PAYS GREATER PART OF DEBT TO ALLIES

Berlin, Dec. 20.—Minister of finance Erzberger told the national assembly today that a greater part of the twenty billion marks in gold payable to the Allies under treaty has already been delivered. It is added that the entente, therefore, is morally bound to supply

OLD NORTH STATE EXTOLLED IN CITY EDUCATION FRIDAY

North Carolina Day Observed in Closing Exercises of Holiday Season. SENATOR HARDING TELLS OF EDUCATIONAL NEEDS SEVERAL FEATURES INCLUDED IN PROGRAM OF MORE THAN ORDINARY INTEREST.

The Greenville High School closed the holidays yesterday afternoon. At the regular assembly period of the school a North Carolina Day Program was rendered as follows: America, the School; Recitation, "Carolina," Mary Bagley Overton; Song, "Ho for Carolina," the School; Declaration, Extract from one of Aycock's Speeches, Dink James; Song, "I Love Carolina," High School Glee Club; Address, "North Carolina," Hon. F. C. Harding; Solo, "One Fleeting Hour," J. H. Rose; Song, "The Old North State," the School.

Throughout the state yesterday North Carolina Day was observed. The program for the day was designated as Aycock School Improvement Day. The idea was promulgated by the State Department of Education at Raleigh. The idea being to bring to mind the great work of North Carolina's Educational Governor both as an honor to him, and as an inspiration to the rising generation to continue the good work.

The woman who thoroughly understands men may not be able to write good poetry, but she is apt to be a good cook.

The opportunity of a lifetime seldom has a label on it.

ESKIMO HUTS ARE TO REMAIN SIMPLE WAY FOR HOUSING

Plans to Modernize Eskimo are Not Considered Advisable by Authorities.

New York, Dec. 20.—The movement to modernize the Eskimo by providing them with concrete huts in place of their picturesque snow "igloos," as suggested by an official of the United States Bureau of Fisheries, would be the death of the denizen of the icy North, in the opinion of Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Arctic explorer. Not only is the Eskimo devoted to his age-long habitation as the South Sea Islanders are to their traditional garb of flower garlands and fresh smiles, but he is far healthier, warmer and more comfortable in his domed mansion of snow than he could be in any modern house of concrete.

The statement that the natives of the Pribiloff Islands were about to discard their snow huts for modern concrete huts, finding the gales of the Bering Sea too strong for the former, upon which the story of the intended change of Eskimo habits was based, Mr. Stefansson characterized as too silly for discussion. The explorer, talking at his headquarters at the National Geographical Society building here, said that the Pribiloff Islanders had never lived in snow but in wooden huts and that further north, where the natives do live in snow houses, it would be next to impossible to convert them to any other dwelling.

"Their igloo serves as a home for two or three weeks. Then they build a new one. Because it is clean and sanitary. It is as warm and comfortable as your library. A candle gives as much illumination as three electric lights, because of the intense whiteness of the snow. The snowhouse will stand under any conditions. In all, the igloo is as comfortable a home as a man could wish.

NOVEMBER PRICES FOR TOBACCO GOT PAST ALL RECORD

North Carolina Market Eclipsed All Records in History of Industry. WILSON, WINSTON-SALEM AND GREENVILLE LEADING REPORT FOR NOVEMBER GAVE AVERAGE \$5.00 HIGHER THAN IN OCTOBER.

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 20.—The prices paid for the tobacco sold on the North Carolina markets during the month of November have been higher than at any time in the history of our industry, according to the Monthly Tobacco Report issued today by the Co-operative Crop Reporting Service of the Department of Agriculture. The average price of sales during the month was \$67.04, Spring Hope reaching as high as \$86.05 average for its monthly sales, and the lowest average price on any market was \$41.00. The season's average price as reported to December 1, is \$53.15, which is about \$5.00 higher than last month's report, including the October sales. The quality of the crop as reported was 80 per cent of normal (full). Though the average yield was low, the increased acreage has made a production almost equal to last year's phenomenal crop of 330,000,000 pounds, which had a value that put North Carolina first among the States.

"The largest markets selling last month show interesting prices. Those selling over three million pounds are Wilson, 4,975,101 pounds firsthand and total sales of 7,646,127, averaging \$66.16 per hundred pounds; Winston-Salem, 5,749,453, and total 7,045,006 pounds at \$62.01; Greenville, 3,042,523, total 4,388,005 at \$73.13; Kinston, (Continued on page five.)

LIFE TERMERS OF STATE PRISON ARE TO GET 30 YEARS

Governor Bickett Issues Sweeping Order Commuting Terms of 35 Prisoners OPPOSED TO ETERNAL PUNISHMENT ON EARTH COMMUTED PRISONERS INCLUDE SOME OF THE MOST NOTORIOUS OF STATE.

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 20.—Gov. T. W. Bickett yesterday issued a blanket order commuting to thirty years each, the sentences of all the life termers in the State Prison. Thirty-five prisoners, including two women, are thus given hope of freedom under the Governor's expressed belief that "no man ought to suffer eternal punishment in this world."

In only one case would the commutation thus granted effect the freedom of the prisoner. This was in the case of Aunt Sarah Wycoff, convicted in Graham county in 1879 of murder. But Aunt Sarah, now aged and very feeble, has several times refused pardons with the statement that she prefers to spend the rest of her days in prison, where she is well cared for and, apparently, happy.

Noted criminals are included in the batch of thirty-five commutations, some of them saved from the electric chair only by the heroic efforts of counsel and friends and by gubernatorial clemency. But the action of Governor Bickett was in line with his policy announced recently when he granted a commutation to a life-terminer with the declaration that he was opposed to life sentences.

"This world is not the place for eternal punishment," said the Governor yesterday, explaining his action. "When you leave a man his life, you have no right to take away his hope. There is no opportunity of making a better citizen of a prisoner or of developing manhood when he has nothing before him save the prospect of prison walls for the remainder of his natural life."

The Governor explained that the matter of commutation for life termers was first presented him by men whom he had pardoned, men who had been sentenced to life terms. In view of their stories he achieved a new view of the situation and unhesitatingly announced his policy.

CHILDREN OF POLAND SANTA CLAUS TO VISIT

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 20.—For the first time in five years, Santa Claus and his reindeer are setting out this Christmas to visit the children of Poland, Serbia, Rumania and other European countries, little folks whom the war denied Christmas presents for so long a time that they really didn't believe in Santa any more!

And when he slips down their chimneys, what do you suppose will be in his pack? Toys made by Johnny and Jimmy and Mary and Sue, children of America. The first installment of these American-made toys have been sent overseas by the Junior Red Cross. More are to follow, for toys are as badly needed by the children of Europe as food is. Many of them haven't had so much as a rag doll in five years.

The Junior Red Cross is furnishing pamphlets to its members everywhere showing just how to make dolls out of discarded child-boxes of the toilet room, cigar boxes and other household materials. These pamphlets can be had on application to division headquarters in Atlanta.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are the only days left for Christmas shopping, and from now on it will be a rush.

BATHING BEAUTIES ATTRACT INTEREST IN SPRING OPENING

Mack Sennett Girls Display Various Styles for Tunstall's Store Friday.

Last night at White's theatre, in addition to the regular performance given by Mack Sennett's Bathing Beauties, there was a style show directed by Mr. B. J. Shea, manager of the Beauties with Fur Coats and Evening Gowns furnished by Claude Tunstall, The Fashionable Woman's Clothier, and advanced spring styles shown from the samples of Mr. Ernest Janovitz representing the Isadore Nagel & Co., New York City. Considering the season of the year the showing was a success. Many ladies of the city had the opportunity of seeing advanced spring styles that will enable them to form ideas as to what they will demand for their spring and summer wardrobe later. The Bathing Beauties, in addition to being splendid models for bathing suits, were very bewitching in the costumes shown by Mr. Tunstall. The dresses of Mr. Janovitz consisted mainly of copies of imported models that portend the fashions for spring. Those who failed to see the display by the beauties have much to regret.

THIRTY LIVES LOST WHEN SHIP SINKS IN CAPE BLANCO

Bandon, Oregon, Dec. 20.—At least thirty lives were lost when the oil steamer J. A. Chansler bound from Portland for San Francisco, was wrecked off Cape Blanco Thursday night, according to Earl Dooley, member of the crew who was washed ashore near here early today. Besides Dooley another unidentified man was saved. The ship struck a reef and a score of the crew of fifty-one is still unaccounted for.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

State of North Carolina, Pitt County. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of my brother, Geo. R. Garrett, deceased, late of Pitt county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at the office of D. M. Clark in the Town of Greenville, on or before the 1st day of December 1920, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned at the above stated place.

This 1st day of December, 1919.  
 R. M. GARRETT,  
 Administrator of G. R. Garrett.  
 D. M. CLARK, Attorney.  
 M. L. Howard, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late William Harris, of Pitt county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned administrator, or his attorneys, within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This November 13<sup>th</sup>, 1919.

J. H. HARRIS,  
 Administrator.  
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KEEP EYE ON HENS

Hawaiian Owners of Chickens Are Sleeping Lightly.

Fearful That Mms. Pele, the Goddess Who Lives in Kilauea Crater, is Eager for More Poultry to Furnish Her Dinner.

Owners of coal-black game cocks in Hawaii are keeping out an eye to see that the chicken house is locked securely every night.

And that's all because the volcano of Kilauea is now the most active it has been for 35 years.

Six months ago Kilauea was sputtering away in its mile-wide bowl of burning, molten rock, with the level of the flaming crimson sea of boiling lava 900 feet from the top of the crater.

The night that Secretary of the Navy Daniels and his party paid Kilauea a visit—the latter part of August—the level of the seething lava lake was about 50 feet below the crater's top.

Several overflows already have occurred. A cone which once jutted 500 feet above the crater's top has melted away into the sea of fire. Two hours after the secretary and his party left the main crater and a second smaller one, caved in, joining the craters.

And Kilauea still is going strong. As to the connection of all this with coal-black game cocks? Oh, that's very simple.

Many years ago, when the islands first were becoming a white man's land, Kilauea became angry. It roared and hissed and sputtered and the ground shook. Then the lava overflowed and moved slowly down the mountain side toward Hilo.

The native Hawaiians had been Christians but a comparatively short time. Their fright knew no bounds, for the island legends are full of the tales of what Kilauea did when Mms. Pele, the goddess who lived in Kilauea's crater, became angry.

So the Hawaiians prayed that the flow might stop, but it didn't. Then they danced, but that was ineffective.

Finally, forgetting their Christianity for a time, they sent a party by canoe to Honolulu to consult a few remaining priests of the days when they all worshiped the strange South sea deity.

MANY LOST FORTUNE TRYING TO GET RICH

Hundreds Caught Under Stock Market Landslide But Those Who Invested in Government Securities Are Safe.

Whether or not many persons from this section were "caught" in the recent slump of the New York market probably will never be known, and there is no way of estimating the amount of money lost. But it is definitely known that many men and perhaps a number of women were badly "stung" and that their losses ran far into the millions of dollars.

It goes without saying, of course, that their losses came from the market collapse of certain securities or because they were unable to weather the storm when stocks, which they had bought on margin, suddenly depreciated. In other words, much of the loss was because men and women lured by the promise of great profits matched their wits with the old war horses of the speculation game, and a result many little fortunes were wiped out.

Many business men realized some time ago that certain market quotations in Wall Street were abnormal—of course all of them realized the risk of speculating on vague promises of profit—and warning after warning was issued to the men and women of moderate means not to endanger their money in any get-rich-quick scheme which might be offered.

Those persons who invested their savings in such standard securities as Liberty Bonds and Victory Notes, or Treasury Savings Certificates or War Savings Stamps intending to hold to maturity, were not caught in the land slide, for government securities are always redeemed at full face value upon maturity. They provide the best protection in the world and the men or woman whose investments are represented by such securities—and who holds these securities—is always absolutely safe regardless of anything that may happen in the speculative stock markets of the country.

Of course the immediate market value of Liberty Bonds and Victory Notes fluctuates, but holders of these securities may rest absolutely easy because the changes in the market prices of these government securities are far less than in other bonds and their intrinsic worth with the Government back of them demands that on maturity they will be paid for at just exactly one hundred cents on the dollar— "Better safe than sorry."

HOW COLD AFFECTS SOUNDS

Numerous Examples Can Be Given, but Exact Reason is Hard to Explain.

A close observer describes two phenomena of nature not easily explained: First, that natural sounds are very different in the colder than in the warmer months of the year; and, second, that waters have different tints during the colder and warmer months.

A number of examples occur to prove the first phenomenon. Who has not noticed the contrast in the noise of the wind in different seasons when it blows around the corner of the house—in summer what a soft, mellow tone it has and in winter what a harsh, rough whistle?

Then, again, let us stroll along the banks of a stream in May, June or July, and we will observe that the water will then make a gentle, babbling sound, while in November or winter it will, with not great volume, make a hoarse, gurgling noise.

Still again, if we ramble in the woods during late spring or early summer, we cannot but notice with what a softness and mildness the wind has been blowing through the tops of the trees; on the other hand, what a roaring it makes in cold weather.

Perhaps the trees being with or without foliage may cause some difference, but it will be observed in May, before the leaves are out to any extent, there is even then a marked difference between that time and December. Often we have heard it along telegraph wires during the summer and winter, and have noted the contrast.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

DISEASE SPREAD BY ANIMALS

Scientists and Physicians Have Prepared a Strong Indictment Against the Beasts.

Although animals are not affected by the sickness and communicable diseases of man, yet, for some unexplainable reason, the scientists and physicians declare that a whole host of oftentimes fatal ailments of mankind are traceable to the beasts, says Popular Science Monthly.

The horse is blamed for spreading glanders, rabies, lockjaw and other diseases of five or more syllables. Dogs and cats are branded as the circulators of rabies, parasitic worms of different kinds, fleas and ticks.

The cow is the worst offender. The list of diseases laid at her barn door is headed with tuberculosis and grows constantly more blood-curdling, until we wonder why physicians and scientists consent to the use of milk, butter and cheese which still lead the dietitians' list of nutritives.

Rats, squirrels and fleas spread the bubonic plague. We are prepared to believe that lice and bedbugs, flies and mosquitoes are the rapid transit lines for yellow fever and malaria. We are willing to forego the luscious oyster all the year around, if need be, to avoid typhoid fever.

SUMMONS.  
 North Carolina, Pitt County  
 Florence Murphy,  
 vs.  
 Robert Murphy.  
 In the Superior Court.  
 The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt county for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce.

and the said defendant will further like notice that he is required to appear before the clerk of the Superior court of said county held on the 19th of January, 1920, at the court house of said county, in Greenville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 17th day of Dec. 1919.  
 J. F. HARRINGTON,  
 AVERY GAYLORD, Atty. Itw4wks  
 Clerk of the Superior Court.

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Have you remembered each of your friends? Come to see us and let us help you Lots of Toys and Dolls for the little ones—many useful gifts that we could suggest.

Handkerchiefs  
 Box of Silk Hose  
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 Beautiful Selection of Towels.  
 Purses and Bags  
 Bath Robes for all the Family.  
 Beautiful Kimonos in Silk and Crepe.

Suits, Coats and Dresses  
 We have a large stock that must go.  
 If it is prices that will be an inducement, let us show you.  
 New Furs arrived today. Priced \$15 to \$68.50.  
 Childs' Fur Sets in a great variety, they will please the little ones.

Shop early, you can get better selections, better service. Store opens 8 A. M., closes 6 P. M.

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# Get The Right Present For Christmas



Where do you buy your RINGS?

ONE of the customers of this store was asked that question by a friend, not long since—and the customer told us. She mentioned that friends were constantly admiring her rings—commenting upon their unique settings and the fact that she NEVER LOST A SETTING.

The same comments of quality and dependability might sincerely be made of every article that comes from this store. In the case of the rings, we cheerfully give much of the credit to the W. W. W. Gem Set line. They come to us guaranteed and we KNOW THEM because we KNOW THE MANUFACTURER.

These rings are nationally advertised and they come to us and to you with a constantly increasing prestige. They are really a TRADE MARKED ring and fully up to the high standard demanded in this establishment.

We feel—and with pride—that our best advertising is the advertising our loyal patrons give us—unsolicited.

**W.W.W. RINGS**

In addition to Rings, this store has an exquisite line of Brooches and Pins of all kinds, Bracelets, Wrist Watches, Cuff Buttons and everything in Cut Glass. Can you imagine anything more suitable for Christmas presents?

**A. G. Walters**

## State Food Commissioner Against "Lazy Woman's Flour"

Wilbur F. Cannon, Colorado's pure food and drug commissioner, has prepared the following article for reproduction in several eastern magazines:

"It seems that it is the consensus of opinion now among authorities that pellagra, which has been so prevalent in the southern states, is caused by some error of diet. Some food is eaten in excess, that lacks the necessary constituents to promote good health, and some food is eaten which has had the desired elements extracted or destroyed. Scientists are going blindly in the dark with only a measure of success in finding what the trouble is.

"They have about concluded that it is caused by the lack of an element called vitamin.

### THEY ARE A MYSTERY.

"Nobody knows exactly what vitamins is. No one has been able yet to catch one. None has been exhibited in the national museums. But, still, it is known that they exist.

"It is pretty definitely understood that vitamins do exist and that the lack of them produces pellagra. In endeavoring to ascertain what particular food is lacking peculiar substances we arrive at conclusions by eliminating one food after another, and then taking up another for consideration.

"At the present time, self-rising flour is under consideration. This flour is considerable of a fake. Its price is out of all proportion to its intrinsic value. It's a lazy woman's delight. Any woman who is fool enough to pay the flour trust 10 to 20 per cent. more for a bag of flour because she is too lazy to put a teaspoonful of baking powder in a quart of flour ought to have the pellagra. In fact, she ought never to be on speaking terms with vitamins.

### ORDINARY FLOUR.

"Self-rising flour is simply ordinary flour containing a certain per cent. of phosphate of lime, or burnt alum, or both, and bicarbonate of soda. These are just the ingredients that are used in baking powder. The only difference is that in baking powder the water is dried out of all its ingredients and they are kept dry in a tin can.

"When they are put in the self-rising flour, however, the flour contains a great deal of moisture, and in a warm climate like in the southern states, when brought in to contact with certain elements resembling nitric acid in the flour, caused by bleaching, the bicarbonate of lime, or burnt alum, being heated and warmed by moisture in the flour, and in the humid atmosphere, the bicarbonate of soda, decomposes in this place and the carbon dioxide escapes through the flour.

"It is thought that perhaps this process of decomposition, or what is called rancidity, is the cause of the vitamin and that the vitamin is destroyed by the heat. This is a subject worthy of careful study and we should take no chances in our attempts to swell the rolls of the flour trust."

### NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County in a certain special proceeding entitled Ed. Anderson et al. vs. Gertrude Smith et al authorizing and appointing P. R. Hines and Julius Brown, Commissioners to sell the land hereinafter described, the undersigned commissioners will on Saturday the 17th day of January, 1920 at 2 P. M. before the postoffice door in Ayden, N. C., expose to public sale the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lying and being in the Town of Ayden, N. C., and bounded on the North by Second street, on the East by the heirs of Caleb Worthington, on the South by the lands of Jesse Mumford and on the West by an alley, containing one half of an acre more or less, it being the same land upon which J. J. Smith was living at the time of his death.

Terms of sale one third cash, four fifteenths in one year, three fifteenths two years and three fifteenths in four years.

This 17th day of Dec. 1919.  
P. R. HINES & JULIUS BROWN,  
Hawkwicks Commissioners.

### NOTICE.

North Carolina, Pitt County  
Lizzie Holliday  
vs.  
Major Holliday.

In the Superior Court, January term 1919.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced against him in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce;

And the defendant will further take notice that he is required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina at Greenville, N. C., on the 19th day of January, 1920 and answer the complaint which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on or before the 19th day of January, 1920 and answer the complaint which will be filed in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on or before the 19th day of January, 1920, or the relief therein prayed will be granted.

This December 17th, 1919.  
J. F. HARRINGTON,  
Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County.  
Hawkwicks

### Great Tibetan Industry.

By far the largest herds of musk deer are to be found on the southern shores of the Koko-Nor, and the supply of musk there (at Taochou) is larger than the quantity that comes through Suiyuan. In fact, great quantities of musk do not come to Suiyuan at all, but are sent east to Yuchow, in Honan, where a fair is held in the ninth and tenth moons, many of the Suiyuan traders visiting this place. At Tachienlu musk is the most valuable export, practically every hong reeking with it, and nearly all the Tibetans who come from the far interior bring some with them. The price of medium musk there is thirteen times its weight in silver.

### Shark Leather Here.

From being an implacable enemy to man science is making the shark expiate its crimes by helping to reduce the high cost of living. For the tiger of the sea has now become a source of leather to clothe millions of pairs of feet.

Experiments with shark leather indicate that it may be used for practically everything now made of cattle leather. It is even claimed that shark hides have one great advantage over cowhides in that the "splits" are amazingly strong. A "split" is simply a peeling of the hide—something like the veneer cut from a slab of wood.

### Dove That Built Great City.

When mighty Amru went to conquer Egypt he camped on the east bank of the Nile opposite Memphis that great 20-mile-long capital of mud bricks, whose western verge was the pyramids and whose mud brick houses have all vanished. Amru crushed the Egyptians and came back to get his camp to move over and occupy Memphis. A dove had built in the folds near the top of his tent. Blood-bathed Amru, the ruthless, would not let her be disturbed. A new city started about his tent. It grew northward along the Nile. It is today Cairo. Memphis is only a name.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED SINCE REPORTS YESTERDAY

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the register of deeds since the report of yesterday afternoon:

White—Miss Pattie Simmons Dowell, of Ayden, to Edward W. Glass, of Stokes township.

Miss Minnie Irene Harrington, of Ayden, to P. M. Gurganus, of Ayden township.

Miss Ruth Brown, of Pitt county, to J. R. Winslow, of Gates county.

Miss Sadie Dixon to Hyman Miller, both of Chatham township.

Miss Gertrude Critcher, of Greenville, to D. E. Taylor, of Norfolk.

Colored—Florence Hunt, of Swift Creek township, to Robert Dawson, of Lenoir county.

Alice Blount to Albert Newsom, both of Carolina township.

Mary Little, of Greenville township, to T. H. Wilkins of Nash county.

# SKATING AT

Forbes & Morton's Warehouse the 22nd and 23rd at 7:30 P. M. A \$5.00 bill will be given to the lucky skater Tuesday night. Come and win it.

**J. S. Morton Mgr.**

# Advertise In The Reflector

## Help the Operators Serve You Better

Telephone subscribers are urged to call by number and not by name. In a community of this size the operators cannot possibly remember the names all subscribers; when you call by name you delay your service and hamper its efficiency.

All telephones are known to the operators by numbers which are on the switchboard directly in front of them. The directory is your index to the switchboard and should be consulted before making a call.

Call by number and help the operator serve you better.

When You Telephone—Smile.

**HOME TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY**

JACK BLANKS, Manager.

# First Greenville Store to Install the Measuregraph

## Now in Operation in Our Yard Goods Departments

First, as most Greenville people know, to adopt any innovation which experience and the science of merchandising has shown will make for the improvement of the store's service and multiply the conveniences it extends its patrons, we are pleased to announce the installation of the "Measuregraph"—a machine so contrived that it measures a piece of goods accurately, even to the fraction of an inch, and computes its cost before the eyes of the customer—in each of our yard goods departments.

The Measuregraph is made to correct any tendency on the part of inexperienced salespeople to give short measure or to overcharge.

### A Marvel of Accuracy

What the Measuregraph will do for our customers, our co-workers and ourselves is set forth in the following lines:

Eliminate errors in measurement.

Eliminate wrong extensions on the sales checks.

Eliminate errors due to interruption.

Raise the efficiency of our sales force.

Reduce the nervous strain to which sales people are subjected.

Save time for customers.

Save time for salespeople.

Make scissors unnecessary, with goods that can be torn. Its use lowers prices by reducing waste.

Measuring and Computing are mechanical operations purely, and are best done on a machine.

This new method provides a logical and modern way of doing business.

And, finally, it inspires confidence, because the measurement and computations are always visible.

### The Measuregraph

"More accurate than hands, more dependable than mind"  
We invite everybody to see them in operation now on all our piece goods counters. Salespeople will be glad to explain them.

**C. T. Munford**

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SATURDAY, DEC. 20, 1919.

QUESTION NO. 2.

What Pitt county newspaper was established by home boys thirty-eight years ago, has been conducted by home people ever since, and has always been an ardent home booster? Ask Mother.

Even Carranza would feel embarrassed in presenting defensive argument in interest of his nation.

Uncle Sam is doing a tremendous business just now selling revenue stamps to go on notes and deeds.

That embargo against the moving of intoxicating liquors in the south probably meets with greater general favor than the government realizes.

"Blind Tigers" are hanging close to home these days, fearful that the riff will make them see things through the bars instead of the bottle.

If the weather man continues to think real winter weather is advisable for the holiday season, probably he will slip in a little snow to carry out his ideas more fully.

After senate spends just a little more time in discussing the Cummins railroad bill it is very probable a decision will be in view. This, however, may be several months away.

When a fellow is doing his best to accommodate somebody and then gets complained at or spoken to with a grouch, it makes him feel like saying "What's the use."

Mr. Palmer says the final termination of the coal strike was no definite settlement of the strike in actuality, but a decided victory for the government. Anyway, the changed situation certainly suggests that he is right.

Settlement of the Fiume question which has been giving Italians so much concern recently should cause unusual gratification in that country, particularly, since the city has become of such great importance.

Senator Borah has been so kind to mail out several thousand copies of his recent address before congress condemning the league of nations and the treaty, but who on earth cares about reading such literature?

Attorney-General Palmer claims that consumers can control prices throughout the United States, and one more time the gentleman has proven his ability of capably judging conditions of his nation.

When you rush into a place to be waited on these busy days, do not lose your head because everything does not stop for you to be served in a minute. The other fellow has an equal right as you to be served in his turn.

Latest news reports indicate that snow is falling in many states at this time, and it is expected that greater territory may be taken in before it is all over. North Carolina, fortunately, has not been visited by the snow king, but the mercury has gone down to zero with strong probability of going lower than that. Ice hanging from trees, telegraph wires, and buildings is out of the ordinary, but it appears now that people are going to have a change of becoming acclimated.

Representative Richard Olney, of Massachusetts, has requested President Wilson to proclaim demobilization immediately so thousands of vets may have the pleasure of knowing that the war time ban has been lifted, even though for a short time. The request doubt met with some consideration, but it is easy to bet that no more whiskey will be available to the public before the national measure goes into effect.

KEEP WAR RISK INSURANCE.

It is regrettable that so many former service men are not keeping up their government life insurance issued through the Bureau of War Risk Insurance in Washington. The fact seems to be due largely to widespread confusion and lack of information as to the right of former service men to permanent government life insurance, and the process by which this insurance may be retained.

The demobilization of our armed forces was so rapid and was attended by such uncertainty on the part of service men as to future civil occupations and permanent places of abode that it was not surprising that many of the men gave little thought to the matter of insurance. Others doubtless thought the original term insurance War Time Insurance ceased when they were demobilized and did not know it might be converted into any one of the several forms of permanent government life insurance (Converted Insurance). Still others, immediately upon their return to civil life, felt financially unable to continue the insurance. They should now take advantage of the liberal provisions for reinstatement.

CHEMISTS WATCHING RAINBOW SUGAR.

That all samples of so-called "rainbow" sugar so far examined by the Bureau of Chemistry have been found to be colored by harmless dyes is the statement of the United States Department of Agriculture, whose pure food experts began testing samples of this product soon after it appeared on the market. Repeated inquiries coming to the bureau from many parts of the country seem to indicate that considerable quantities of this sugar have been supplied to grocers.

The department states that in accord with the provisions of the Food and Drugs Act it will continue to examine samples of this tinted product to ascertain whether or not harmful dyes are used in the future. Only colors known to be harmless have been used in the samples tested and under the Food and Drugs Act their use can be continued so long as they do not conceal inferiority. The sugar so far examined is harmless, sound, and superior, so that the practice of the refiners does not conflict with the provisions of this law.

The method employed in tinting the sugar examined is relatively simple and adds very little to the cost of the product and nothing to its food value. Refiners state that the shortage of sugar has created an opportunity to place on the market considerable reserve stores of this colored product which ordinarily is used only for confections. They deny that they have colored their stocks of white sugar in order that a higher price might be demanded for it.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR COUNTY POST NO. AMERICAN LEGION

(Continued on page four.)

appointed from all the different townships in the county so as to give them an opportunity to bring in members from all sections of the county.

The appointment of an executive committee was withheld until a later date.

The following entertainment committee was appointed: J. C. Lanier, J. B. Kittrell and L. J. Smith. Assistants to the entertainment committee will be appointed later, and will represent all sections of the county.

Post Chaplain—Rev. T. J. Vickers.

On motion of D. J. Whichard, Jr., and seconded by J. H. Rose the Post voted to go down on record as heartily endorsing the erection of a Memorial Hospital for Pitt county.

A membership fee of \$2.00 per year was agreed upon. This amount including subscription to the American Legion Weekly, membership to the International Post and the State Post. Also charges for legion button which will be furnished every member, the balance to go to the treasury of the local post.

Application cards for membership will be obtainable within the next few days, and it is up to every ex-service man in the county to join thereby making the Pitt County Post one of the best.

The Reflector has been doing its part to help make Christmas shopping easy. Give him an automobile. Give her a house and lot.

With the Churches

Immanuel Baptist Church.

Dr. Geo. W. Morrow, the famous orator and lecturer from Michigan will speak at the 11 o'clock service. Dr. Morrow is recognized as one of the most earnest and forceful speakers in America. All who appreciate real oratory should hear him tomorrow. He is here in the interest of National Prohibition and every Christian of whatever name or creed should give the cause of prohibition his best personal support at this time.

Sunday school at 9:45. Special classes for everybody who comes.

will be announced at the morning service whether or not there will be a service at 7:30 P. M.

You will receive the glad hand of welcome at this church.

F. W. B. Church Services.

F. L. Harris, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. Sermon Sunday night at 7:30. Come and worship with us.

Christian Church.

Lee Sadler, pastor. Regular services tomorrow. The Christmas music which was announced for tomorrow night has been postponed.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. C. H. Bascom, rector. Fourth Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion 7:30 A. M.

Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m. Church school and Bible class 9:45 a. m.

Morning sermon: Christ Coming Among us to Succour. Evening sermon: The Print of the Nails.

A cordial invitation extended to all to attend divine service.

Presbyterian Church.

S. K. Phillips, pastor. 9:45 A. M.—Sunday school. If you came last Sunday do it again, if you didn't come, start tomorrow.

11:00 A. M.—Morning worship: Sermon: "The Wise Men" Worship tomorrow

6:30 P. M.—Christian Endeavor. Every member present.

7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship. The weather looks bad, but set yourself against it, and go to church tomorrow. Traveling men welcome.

8:00 P. M.—Sunday school at Masons. Preaching at 4:00 P. M.

ASKS AID OF SCHOOLS IN COLLECTION 1920 CENSUS

The schools are asked to aid the Census Office in collecting the 1920 census, which begins January 2, in an appeal to teachers issued by Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education. In his statement, Dr. Claxton says:

"Teachers and school officials, and the children in the schools as well, can help the Government with the Fourteenth Census of the United States, which begins January 2, 1920, by making clear to all people in the community how important the census work is."

"The enumeration of the population during a census of the United States always presents numerous difficulties—among them apprehension on the part of the people, particularly those of foreign birth or extraction, that their answers to the enumerator's questions will cause increased taxation, legal entanglements or other consequences injurious to their welfare. The schools can assist materially in quieting such unfounded fears and at the same time acquaint all persons with the main questions included in the census schedules."

"It is therefore, earnestly hoped that school teachers will see the opportunity presented them as public servants who come in contact with large numbers of people to correct any erroneous opinions about the census which they may hear. It is no less earnestly hoped that school children will convey to their homes the information that taking the census is a gigantic task that can only be successfully carried out if all the people co-operate by giving the census enumerator correct and complete answers to all questions."

A special circular for the use of schools has been prepared by the census bureau and will be distributed to teachers in the larger cities.

When the money of some people converses it uses a megaphone.

Jarvis Memorial Church.

9:45 A. M.—Sunday school. A place for every member of the family.

11:00 A. M.—Teaching, subject, "Good Will to Men."

3:30 P. M. Address, subject: "America's Opportunity at Home and Overseas." By Dr. Geo. W. Morrow."

3:00 P. M.—Sunday school at the Cotton Mill.

3:00 P. M.—Sunday school at Cannon Swamp School House.

3:00 P. M.—Sunday school at Bruce School House.

6:45 P. M.—Epworth League. Miss Ethel Timberlake, leader.

7:30 P. M.—Christmas musical by the choir.

Memorial Baptist Church.

W. H. Moore, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. W. T. Lipscomb, Supt.

Every member of the Sunday school is requested to bring a gift for the children at the Thomasville Orphanage special music.

You are cordially invited to all the services of this church.

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL

Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Sunday 7:30 P. M.

1. Prelude.

2. Hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

3. Prayer.

4. Anthem, "Hark the Notes of Joy."

5. Anthem, "Thee We Adore."

6. Solo, Noel's, "O Holy Night," Mr. J. L. Rose.

7. Responsive Reading.

8. Offertory.

9. Anthem, "The Shepherds of Bethlehem."

10. Quartette, "Underneath the Christmas Starlight."—Misses Joyner, Parker, Thomas and Mrs. Hadley.

11. Anthem, "Unfold, Ye Portals," from South's "Redemption."

12. Benediction.

Vocalists: Miss Arlene Joyner, Mrs. R. Jones, Altos: Miss Nell Thomas, Mrs. Hadley, Tenors: Mr. Charles James, Bases: Mr. J. L. Rose, Mr. Wiley Brown. Organist: Miss Lillian Parker.

The best and most lasting Christmas gift is a year's subscription to The Reflector.

NOTICE. North Carolina, Pitt County. Piney Eborn vs. Joe Eborn. In the Superior Court. The derendant above named will take notice that an action, entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of procuring an absolute divorce, and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before J. F. Harrington, Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, on the 18th day of January 1920, at the court house in said county, Greenville, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanding in said complaint. This 18th day of December, 1919. J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court. F. G. JAMES & SON, Attorney. 19

Cakes--Cakes Cakes Cakes of All Kinds Pound Cake, Marble Cake, Layer Cakes, Chocolate and Coconut, Cream Puffs fresh every day. Birthday and Wedding Cakes made to order. People's Bakery Phone 12

NOTICE In order to give our employees a much needed rest and enable them to properly observe the Xmas Holidays, the three Banks of Greenville will be closed for business on Thursday, December 25th, and Friday, December 26th. In order to accommodate those patrons who may wish deposit surplus cash, the Banks will be open from 7:30 to 9 P. M. on Christmas Eve. THE FARMERS BANK THE GREENVILLE BANKING AND TRUST CO. THE NATIONAL BANK

IF IT'S REAL ESTATE WE HAVE IT Eight room dwelling, modern improvements, Chestnut Street. Six room dwelling, water and lights, paved street, located on Chestnut Street. Five room dwelling on Myrtle Street—Lot 50 x 150 feet. Eight room dwelling, modern improvements, large lot, West Greenville. Five room dwelling, corner lot, in good location, West Greenville. Four room dwelling, Cotanch Street. Six desirable lots in the "College View" property, in front of the Training School. Five desirable lots in Greenville Heights. Three valuable lots on Third Street in rear L. H. Pender. If you wish to buy A HOME before the NEW YEAR apply promptly to MOSELEY BROTHERS REAL ESTATE DEALERS

**PERSONAL**

Mr. J. W. Taylor, of Washington, was here yesterday, on business.

Mr. J. E. Howard, of Durham, spent some little time in the city.

Mr. G. F. Roberson, of Bethel, visited in Greenville yesterday.

Mr. S. M. Crisp, of Falkland, spent the day in Greenville yesterday.

W. E. Savage, made a short business trip here yesterday afternoon.

Mr. W. A. Savage, of Winterville, spent the day here yesterday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Thompson, of Pittsboro, visited in Greenville for several hours Friday.

Mr. W. D. Harrington, of Winterville, spent a short time here yesterday afternoon.

Mr. James Little, who is attending school at Chapel Hill, is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. Morton Johnson, who is attending A. & E. College is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. R. D. Stokes, of Winterville, was in the city yesterday for several hours.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sumrell and children, of Raleigh, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown.

Mr. C. P. Bigler, representing the Young Men's Christian Association, spent several hours in Greenville Friday.

Messesrs. Herbert Lawls and Dan Parker, of Robersonville, spent several hours in Greenville Friday, on business.

Mr. Bill Strothers, the "human spider," and the world's champion climber is in the city today. Mr. Strothers lived here several years ago, and his many friends are congratulating him upon the success which he has attained.

**YOUNG PEOPLE OF CITY ENJOY DANCE IN CAROLINA CLUB ROOMS**

The young people of the city had quite an enjoyable dance last evening in the Carolina Club rooms. Many couples participated in the dancing. Music was furnished by the local orchestra.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH MUSICAL IS POSTPONED**

The Christmas musical which was to have been given in the Christian church tomorrow night has been postponed. The date will be announced later.

**CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FOR THE ORPHANS**

The members of Memorial Baptist Sunday school will take gifts for the children of the Thomasville Orphanage to Sunday school tomorrow morning. These gifts will be packed and shipped Monday so as to reach the orphanage by Christmas eve.

**POST OFFICE WILL OPEN THREE NIGHTS FOR PARCELS**

For the convenience of local people and to enable them to avoid the rush during the day at the post office, the parcel post window will be open for one hour—7:30 to 8:30—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. This extra hour each night will be only for mailing Christmas parcels, which patrons are urged to wrap carefully and address plainly before coming to the window. Co-operate with the office force in helping to make the heavy Christmas mail move as smoothly as possible.

**PHILATHEA CLASSES SEND DONATION TO OTTEEN HOSPITAL**

The Philathea classes of the Memorial Baptist and the Jarvis Memorial Methodist Churches sent a donation of \$17.50 to the Otteen Hospital to be spent in flowers for the boys on Christmas day.

**BORN**

Friday, Dec. 19th, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whichard, a son.

It is getting late to shop early now, but you need not put it off until the last hours before Christmas.

The trees and electric wires got a considerable coat of sleet yesterday evening and last night.

The streets and stores were crowded with holiday shoppers today.



**DR. GEO. W. MORROW, NATIONAL SPEAKER OF THE ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE WHO WILL SPEAK AT THE METHODIST CHURCH IN THIS CITY TOMORROW AT 3:30 P. M.**

**GEO. W. MORROW TO SPEAK IN THIS CITY TOMORROW**

Geo. W. Morrow will speak in this city twice tomorrow at 11 o'clock. He will preach in the Immanuel Baptist church, and at 3:30 P. M. he will speak in the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church on "America's Opportunity at Home and Overseas." This is one of the prohibition rallies which are being held throughout America. The admission will be free, but an offering to aid in financing the world prohibition movement will be taken.

**SHARON LODGE A. F. AND A. M. Regular Communication of Sharon Lodge No. 78 A. F. and A. M. Monday evening 7:30 o'clock. Degree work. H. E. AUSTIN, Sec'y.**

**TOMLINSON TELLS OF DEFINITE WAY TO BETTER PRICES**

(Continued from page 1.)

The great trouble has been the lack of confidence by the farmer in his product and the lack of confidence of the others in our interests, make cotton on a profitable rather than a poverty basis. It is a vision of what cotton is. We are living in the garden spot of the world and are the most illiterate and the most backward in the United States. The manufacturers and laborers of the East are organizing the grain and stock growers of the middle west, and the fruit growers of the West are organized and these sections have modern homes on the farm, modern churches, schools and hard surface roads. What have we in this State? Fewer children in high school than any western state, to say nothing of our roads, homes and other buildings. Every thing we buy is controlled by an organization, yet we attempt individually and singly, to cope with organization formations and what are the results?

Only five cotton crops out of fifty have been profitable. Could any other business stand one year of profit out of each ten years? In the state of Iowa, where stock and grain are protected by organization, two per cent of the women work in the fields. In North Carolina twenty-six per cent of the women work in the fields. By making profitable crops of tobacco and cotton for the last four years, Pitt county property is worth four times as much and we have five times as much money as five years ago. This shows what a profit to the farmer means to us.

"The bulls of the world are our friends, and the bears are our enemies, of the cotton farmers are lined up with the bears and of the worst enemies is a bear cotton farmer, who the lower and faster the price of cotton goes, the worse he wants to sell. Those who supported the cotton organization in the spring, 1919 and stood by it, sold good grades for thirty cents, and poorer grades for twenty-five cents, while those who thought they knew best, got twenty-two to twenty-five for best grades and ten to twelve for low grades.

"Now, what could we do in the south if the whole business interest of the south stood for a profitable price? It means more to the south than any other project ever undertaken.

Because, if we get the price we can keep all our pledges to the various church movements, we can pay salaries to teachers and preachers build the best of roads and most complete and comfortable homes, without it we are paupers in a few years, as conditions may soon change and we may have to look to ourselves.

The warehouse system is our only salvation. Our organization is ineffective without it, and the warehouse system will be poor pay without the organization we have mentioned.

A rural editor refers to his mother-in-law as the "queen of terrors." Women are always in quest of something—but a conquest seems to suit them best.

**NOVEMBER PRICES FOR TOBACCO GOT PAST ALL RECORD**

(Continued from page one.) 3,801,416, and total 4,174,523 pounds at \$68.77; Rocky Mount sold 2,993,381 pounds first hand and the total sales were 3,411,008 at \$67.64, and Henderson 2,883,426 pounds producers, and total of 3,066,166 at \$74.83. The markets averaging over \$80.00 were Spring Hope \$86.65; Fuquay Springs, \$83.08; Youngsville, \$81.89, and Apex \$81.25.

The first-hand sales as reported for the month were 49,820,437 pounds. The total sold, including producers and resales, amounted to 54,110,773 pounds at an average price of \$67.94. The total sales for November of last year were 78,027,069 pounds. The report shows the producers total season's sales to December 1st to be 205,610,018 pounds, this includes conservative estimates for the few reports which are missing. Total sales reported for the year ending July, 1919, were 339,049,197 pounds, and for the year ending July, 1918, 249,033,374 pounds, and this year's production bids fair to exceed the 300,000,000 pound mark. The acreage survey made by tax listers, which will be published soon by the Co-operative Crop Reporting Service, shows the State has 554,000 acres. The average yield per acre as reported is 560 pounds, which indicates a larger production than was generally expected.

The ten counties having over 10,000 acres of tobacco are: Nash, 18,244; Wake 17,162; Wilson, 15,659; Stokes, 14,871; Edgecombe, 12,981; Granville, 12,587; Rockingham, 12,165; Johnston, 11,542; Lenoir, 10,887; and Person, 10,186. Of the 190 warehouses operating in the State, 73 are within this area. The large markets outside draw from all counties within reach.

"The 1919 preliminary estimate for the United States crop is 1,316,553,000 pounds, which is an increase of 38,491,000 pounds since October 1. The 1918 December estimate was 1,340,019,000, and the average production for the five years from 1913 to 1917 was 1,690,641,000. The total acreage estimated for 1919 is 1,774,300, which is an increase of 14.5 per cent over the 1918 acreage.



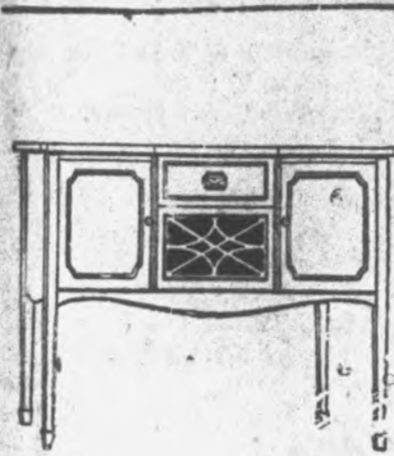
What is to be? A verb, of course. No married man is henpecked if he buys his own neckties.

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**THE MACK SENNETT BATHING BEAUTIES**

at White's Theatre

Were selected from the samples of Mr. Ernest Janowitz representing Isadore Nagel & Co. of New York. They will be on display at our store early in January, dont forget the many selections we have to offer you on all winter styles shown last night.

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**T. J. MOORE, Cashier.**  
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**DEEDS OF TRANSFER FILED SINCE REPORTS YESTERDAY**

The following deeds of transfer have been filed in the office of the register of deeds for registration since the report of yesterday evening:

Henry Sheppard to William Cox, consideration \$300.  
 Henry Sheppard to William Downing, consideration \$400.  
 Henry Sheppard to J. L. Lacy, consideration \$400.  
 E. M. Stokes to Peter Chapman, consideration \$8000.  
 L. T. Hardee to Powell Rice, consideration \$3500.  
 J. L. Johnson to Sheppard Wilson, consideration \$1000.  
 J. A. Mills and wife to H. E. Dixon and wife, consideration \$1200.  
 J. F. Thigpen and wife to R. N. Simon, consideration \$1,000.  
 J. S. James and wife to R. E. Curran, consideration \$456.75.  
 J. S. James and wife to Tom Jackson, consideration \$808.  
 L. A. James and wife to Tom Jackson, consideration \$11,500.  
 Adelaide Fleming to R. L. Smith, consideration \$45,603.  
 J. D. Rollins to J. R. Whitehurst, consideration \$3650.  
 J. A. Bullock and wife to Lawrence Willoughby, consideration \$6000.  
 J. S. James and wife to R. A. Worthington, consideration \$9775.  
 J. O. Proctor, et al., to John Evans, consideration \$1694.  
 James Vandiford to W. B. Vandiford, consideration \$800.  
 J. M. Dixon and wife to J. E. Winslow, consideration \$11,175.

Red Men meet tonight.  
 Tomorrow will be the last Saturday before Christmas and the business people are looking for a rush of shoppers. A man may have something to sell, but other people will not know it unless he tells them.

**SEVERAL LIVES LOST WHEN BRITISH FREIGHTER SINKS**

Halifax, Dec. 19.—Forty-three members of the crew of the British freight steamer Kanxman were drowned at sea and the ship is supposed to have gone down, according to a wireless intercepted at Camerdown station today. The survivors are aboard the steamer which was due to arrive in New York Monday.

You can get some helpful holiday shopping hints by watching The Reflector want columns.

**GLAD TO TESTIFY**

**Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."**

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly . . . Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then . . . it would last . . . two weeks, and was so weakening and my health was awful.

My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three . . . I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui.

I am married now and have 3 children . . . Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

If you are nervous or weak, have headaches, backaches, or any of the other ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial? Recommended by many physicians. In use over 40 years. Begin taking Cardui today. It may be the very medicine you need.

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**NOTICE**

North Carolina, Pitt County.  
 By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed and delivered by H. B. Hardee and wife Maggie Hardee to F. A. Elks, dated 31st day of October, 1918, and recorded in the Register's office in Pitt county in Book T-11, page 40, the undersigned mortgage will, on Saturday, the 27th day of December 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, expose to public sale before the court house door in Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to wit:

"Lying and being in Chicod Township, Pitt County, N. C. and beginning at J. K. Mills' corner at an iron stake in the edge of the Washington and Greenville Road and running eastwardly with said road to J. B. Hill's corner, thence with J. B. Hill's line to Tar River, thence up Tar River to J. A. Mills' corner, thence with his line to the Washington & Greenville Road, thence to the beginning, containing 60 acres more or less and being the same land set out and described in the aforesaid mortgage."

This sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the terms of said mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the amount due. This the 25th day of November, 1919.

F. A. ELKS,  
 Mortgagee.  
 29-11aw-4wks  
 F. C. HARDING, Attorney.

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 Permanently relieved without sickening. One Pill at night will do the work.  
**RAMON'S LIVER PILLS**

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C. D. Rountree Home Place on Pitt Street, 8 room house, modern conveniences. Easy terms.

Five room bungalow on Dickinson Avenue. Easy terms.

Two 5 room Bungalows and vacant lot on Broad street, rear of Z. V. Murphy residence.

Six room residence fronting on Evans street at Eleventh. Modern conveniences. Also five room residence on Eleventh Street.

One vacant lot on Chestnut Street conveniently located.

Three desirable building lots in College View property to rear of H. C. Sugg. Easy terms.

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Four houses on large lot in front of Star Warehouse.

Two houses and lots on First and Green streets. Terms Reasonable.

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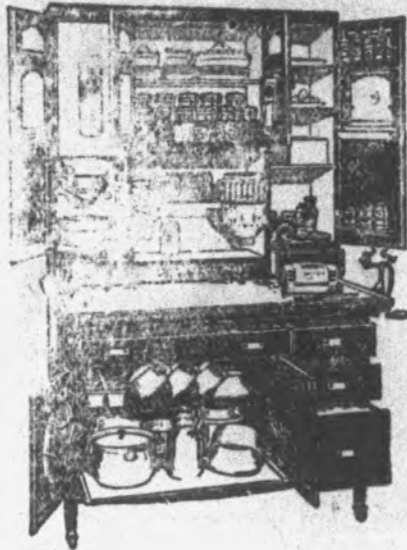
**The "OLD RELIABLE" Extends**

Christmas Greetings and all Good Wishes to all it's friends thru-out the section  
 The market re-opens Tuesday Jan. 6th. and you will find us on the job  
 to prove to you that the "OLD RELIABLE" still leads-

**The Centre Brick Warehouse**

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**Carter's Little Liver Pills**  
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**For Constipation**

If you can't get all the exercise you should have, its all the more important that you have the other tried-and-true remedy for a torpid liver and bowels which don't act freely and naturally.

Take one pill every night; more only when you're sure its necessary.

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**CHALKY, COLORLESS COMPLEXIONS NEED CARTER'S IRON PILLS**

## CAUCUS IS CALLED FOR SELECTION OF LEADER IN SENATE

Senator Underwood's Supporters Resent Action of Nebraska Senator.

PROPOSES DEFERMENT TILL AFTER CHRISTMAS

Contest Between Hitchcock and Underwood Has Bearing on Treaty Issue.

Washington, Dec. 19.—A call for a conference of Democratic Senators Saturday to select a leader to succeed the late Senator Martin, of Virginia, was issued today by Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, who is contesting with Senator Underwood, of Alabama, for the place.

Some of Senator Underwood's friends were outspoken in criticizing Senator Hitchcock's call.

"It's an outrage," said Senator Harrison, of Mississippi, who has been active in behalf of the Alabama Senator. "Up to now Hitchcock forces have been urging that the conference be postponed until after the treaty is settled and also until more Democratic Senators are in town. There are a half dozen of Mr. Underwood's friends absent now who cannot be gotten back in time with this notice of only 48 hours."

A compromise was suggested in some quarters, proposing that Senator Hitchcock be made leader and Mr. Underwood be promoted to Mr. Hitchcock's present position of vice-chairman or assistant leader of the Democratic conference, a position which would give Mr. Underwood management of many measures.

An objection by Senator Underwood's friends to a vote Saturday in the absence of about a dozen Democrats, Senator Hitchcock tonight agreed for voting by all absentees, either by telegraph or arrangements of pairs. This concession, Mr. Underwood's managers said, does not meet entirely their objection and they said the opposition to a vote Saturday would be continued.

In the interest of the Hitchcock candidacy Senator King, Utah, tonight placed his resignation as secretary of the Democratic conference in Mr. Hitchcock's hands for presentation if necessary to meet possible objection that election of Mr. Hitchcock would give the West two conference officers.

Settlement of the contest between Senator Hitchcock and Senator Underwood is the only business to come before the conference. The outcome was said to be in doubt with a very close vote predicted.

Friends of Senator Underwood intimated today that they might endeavor to postpone a vote until after the holidays when the full Democrats membership, including Secretary Glass as the successor of Senator Martin, of Virginia, is expected to be present.

### MUNFORD'S STORE INSTALLS NEW MEASUREGRAPH MACHINE

C. T. Munford's store has just installed a Measuregraph, a machine for measuring and computing the price of dry goods instead of using the old form of yardstick and multiplying on the part of saleswomen. The machine is one of the first introduced in this section of the state, and is something out of the ordinary to those who have never seen one in operation.

### NOTICE North Carolina, Pitt County. Justice's Court, Before B. F. Tyson, J. P. J. B. Harding vs.

The American Oil & Paint Company. The defendant above named, The American Oil & Paint Company, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before B. F. Tyson, a Justice of the peace in and for Pitt County, North Carolina, for the purpose of recovering from said defendant the sum of Two Hundred Dollars due by the defendant to the plaintiff, J. B. Harding by reason of the defendant's having stopped payment of its check No. 7822, in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, duly issued by it to its sales agent, S. J. Smith, Smith, which said check was endorsed by plaintiff and subsequently paid by him.

The defendant will further take notice that the plaintiff has caused a warrant of attachment to issue in this cause against all the property owned by it, said American Oil and Paint Company, in the county of Pitt, State of North Carolina, returnable before B. F. Tyson, Justice of the peace at his office in Greenville, N. C., on Monday, the 19th day of January, 1920 at 12 o'clock M., at which time, the defendant is required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, or the relief asked by plaintiff will be granted.

This Dec. 19, 1919.  
B. F. TYSON,  
Justice of the Peace.  
L. W. GAYLORD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

### LAND SALE

By virtue of the power contained in a decree of the Superior Court, in the Special Proceedings therein pending, Numbered 2294, and entitled Annie E. Andrews, widow of J. H. Andrews, deceased, Ruth L. Andrews and the other heirs at law of said J. H. Andrews. Ex Parte, the undersigned will expose to public sale before the Court House door in the Town of Greenville, N. C., On Monday, January the fifth, 1920, at 12:00 M. the following described lots or parcels of land, to-wit:

First lot—Situated in the Town of Bethel, adjoining the lot of Miss Lydia Briley on the East, Tarboro Street on the north, the Thad Rowe lot on the west and W. R. Bullock on the south, containing three-eighths of an acre, more or less, and being the same lot decided to J. H. Andrews by J. A. Taylor and wife, by deed dated January 17th, 1905, and recorded in E-8, at Page 157, in the Register of Deeds' Office of Pitt County.

Second Lot—Situated in the Town of Bethel, said State and county, bounded on the north by the John Rollins lot, on the east by Stanley Barnhill's lot, on the South by Tarboro Street and on the west by Ed. Howard's lot, containing about one-fourth of an acre, more or less, and being the same lot conveyed to J. H. Andrews by W. H. James and wife, by deed duly recorded in Book G-8, Page 206, of the Register of Deeds' office of Pitt County.

This sale is subject to confirmation by the court and the terms of the sale

### COMMISSIONERS SALE OF LAND.

In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk, Jesse Fleming, Administrator of Delzora Fleming, and Jesse Fleming, heirs at law of Delzora Fleming.

vs. Isaac Eborn and Rowena Eborn, infants under the age of 21 years, appearing by their guardian ad litem Henry Eborn.

By virtue of power vested in us by that decree of the Superior Court of Court House door in the Town of Greenville, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the 20th day of December, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situated in Pactolus Township in the County of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block "G" in the plat of the Town of Pactolus, as surveyed and platted by the East Carolina Land and Improvement Company, and being the same parcel of land that Pitt County made in the above entitled action on the 18th day of November, 1919, we shall offer for sale at the was conveyed to the late Delzora Fleming by C. E. Bradley and wife, and recorded in Book E-9, at page 103 of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is made.

This the 18th day of November, 1919.  
ALBION DUNN,  
19 1tw-4wk Commissioners.

There's many an old turkey gobbler wishing he could return to childhood days.

# More Wagons Than Any Body In Pitt County

We have two carloads of Thornhill Wagons, one load of Wire-fencing and Nails and a general line of Farming Implants.

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# Forbes & Morton

Wish to thank their many friends and patrons for the patronage and hearty support they have received during this season and wish all

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

The Market Re-opens Tuesday, January 6th.

# Forbes & Morton

ASK THE MAN WHO SELLS WITH US.

# FOR THE HIGH DOLLAR Sell Your Tobacco With JOHNSTON & FOXHALL

"IT WILL PAY YOU TO SELL WITH US."

## WANTS WANTS WANTS

**FINE BRIGHT TOBACCO LANDS,** cheap for quick sales. Ranging from \$25 per acre and up. Also fine for dairying, grain, stock and cotton. Write to Mr. W. L. Jones, or Mr. S. H. Martin, formerly of Pitt county, but who now resides near Blackstone, Va., agents for the Virginia Carolina Realty Co. of Blackstone, Va. 22-1mo

**ANYONE DESIRING TO HAVE** wood cut with a gasoline saw, see or call G. E. Cherry. 10-11

**LOST—A CLAY BANK COLORED** milk cow. Ends of horns sawed off. Strayed off Saturday morning. Finder notify W. F. Worthington. 6-11

**FOR SALE—ONE SAXON ROAD** ster, electrically equipped. Good condition. Price \$275 for quick sale. Apply this office. 12-11

**WANTED—ONE ROLLER TOP** Desk. See C. W. Harvey. 11-11

**FOR SALE—ONE HIGHEST GRADE** Kroggers Player Piano. This is the very best and finest piano made worth \$900, for a quick sale \$650 or will trade for a good car. B. W. Frizzell, Greenville R. 2. 10-10

**TAKEN UP—ONE BLACK HOG,** weight 200 pounds, slit in left ear, unmarked in right, been in my field since last march and I have just taken her up. Owner can get same by paying charges and damages. W. J. Hardee, Grimesland, R. 1.

**FOR SALE—ONE USED DODGE** car. Prices right. Hines Bros Motor Co. 12-11

**CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE.** Frost Proof Jersey Wakefield and Charleston Wakefield Cabbage plants for sale. Cash supply orders of any size, 25c a hundred, \$200 per thousand. Special prices on large quantities. Handsome stocky plants. L. C. ARTHUR, Greenville, N. C. 14-11

**I HAVE A LIMITED NUMBER OF** Victrolas on hand, consisting of \$110, \$130 and \$200 types. I also have high class Sonoras on hand. If you cannot obtain these in your city, command me and I will be glad to ship one. G. G. Fineman, Tarboro, N. C., phone 98. 17-11

**WANTED TO BUY—A SMALL** farm. B. W. Frizzell, Greenville, R. 10-10

**ATTENTION, YOU COTTON AND** Tobacco Farmers: If you want a fine 100 acre farm near the big markets of Greensboro and Winston-Salem (land like you have to pay \$300.00 an acre for at \$125.00 per acre) write J. H. Field, Climax, N. C., immediately. One mile railroad station, ten trains each day, on sand-clay road 24 feet wide, 40x70 barn, 11 room dwelling, telephone, churches and schools. Terms of payment can be arranged. 10-eod 2wk

**FOR SALE—LARGE SIZE PAPER** shell Pecans. Apply to E. B. Ficklen. 15-11

Dollar Days on Coats, Suits, Serge and Tricotine Dresses Thursday and Friday, 18th and 19th. Claude E. Tunstall.

**SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS** at McClellan 5 and 10 Cent Store. 3t

**NOTHING SWEETER FOR A LADY** friend than a box of "Lady Mary" Candy. C. B. Whichard. 2t

**GIVE THAT GIRL A CHRISTMAS** perfume set. They are beauties. Warren's Drug Co. 3t

**EVERYTHING IN TOYS, TOO NU-** merous to mention, at McClellan 5 and 10 Cent Store. 3t

**NEW CORNED HAMS FOR CHRIST-** mas at 39c. J. L. Starkey. 3t

**FULL LINE CHRISTMAS AND NEW** Year Cards at Warren Drug Co. 3t

**CELERY, GRAPE FRUIT, ORANGES,** Apples, Lemons, waiting for you at C. B. Whichard's 2t

**LARGEST LINE OF NOCUT GLASS** ware ever shown here at McClellan 5 and 10 Cent Store. 3t

**FANCY BOX PAPERS AND CORRES-** pondence cards. Warren Drug Co. 3t

**TOILET ARTICLES OF ALL KINDS** for Christmas presents. Warren Drug Co. 3t

**BIG LINE CANDIES, FRUITS AND** nuts, cheaper than elsewhere, at McClellan's 5 and 10 Cent Store. 3t

**LOST—LEMON-SPOTTED BIRD** puppy, female, four months old. Return to E. B. Thomas for reward. 3t

Send The Reflector a year to an absent friend or relative and it will remind them of you every day in the year.

**CREAM PUFFS FRESH EVERY DAY** People's Bakery. Phone 129. 20-8t

**NOTICE** For sale, Tuesday Dec. 30th, at 10:30 a. m. two horses, one mule, hogs and all farming implements, corn, fodder, tobacco sticks. Reason for selling, ill health. J. B. JOYNER, Greenville, N. C. Beaver Dam township, 1 1/2 miles east of Arthur. 20-7t

**YOU CAN SECURE YOUR 1920** Calendar by calling at our office, Dees Monument Works. 2t

**COMFORTABLE FURNISHED ROOM** wanted. Address Gilbert, care Reflector. 3-22

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### A FEW SALES MADE MONDAY

## Sell At Gorman's

Market re-opens January 6th.

|                          |                    |                       |         |
|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| Gormans sold Wednesday   | 109,518 pounds for | \$51,551.58, average  | 47.04   |
| Scrap and common tob.    | 22,742 pounds for  | 2,027.69, average     | 8.91    |
| Leaving                  | 86,776 pounds for  | \$49,523.89, average  | \$57.07 |
| The market sold for week | 927,906 pounds for | \$426,092.35, average | \$45.92 |
| Gormans sold for week    | 347,336 pounds for | 173,489.79, average   | 48.91   |
| Other Six Houses         | 580,570 pounds for | \$252,602.56, average | \$43.51 |

Take the tobacco sold by Gormans from that sold by the market and it gives Gormans an average of 35.40 per hundred more than other houses. Gentry and Gorman "Daddy" all tobacco sold on their floor and it makes a big difference.

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| The market has sold to date | 26,555,952 pounds |
| Gormans has sold to date    | 7,958,026 pounds  |

We thank you one and all for the patronage we have received. Wishing you a merry Xmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year, we remain,  
Your friends,

## Gentry & Gorman

"THE LEADERS"

GENTRY PULLS & GORMAN PUSHES and the steam plant does the rest.

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| Morris & Tripp 1334—34 66 80 | 89 90 96 100 103 | \$1177.44 | \$88.26 |
| Tingen & Cox 952—84 90 90    | 98 100           | 879.72    | 92.46   |
| Moore & McLawhorn 204—59     | 91 93            | 181.40    | 88.92   |
| Langston & D. 532—25 35 91   | 95 100           | 408.84    | 76.85   |
| Corey & Worthington 672—40   | 92 96 98 100     | 578.64    | 86.10   |
| Tripp & Bright 654—56 61 84  | 85 91 99         | 570.32    | 87.20   |
| Cleve & White 876—45 84 95   | 99               | 708.56    | 80.88   |
| Corey & W. 380—52 90 92      | 100 100          | 335.96    | 88.41   |