

THE WEATHER

Probably rain tonight and Tuesday. Rising temperature in central and northeast portions.

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DECLARE DRILLING FOR OIL HERE TO BEGIN EARLY DATE

Mrs. Jack L. Westbrook Statement That Work Will Go Ahead Despite Rumors to Contrary.

The seeming delay in completing contracts for the drilling of oil on the Westbrook property here has led to many rumors to the effect that the project has been abandoned and that a new company will be organized and drilling on an adjacent piece of property will get under way in the near future.

When interviewed regarding the rumors, Mrs. J. L. Westbrook today declared that the delay was due to failure to secure suitable contracts for the drilling from the parties first considered and that contracts with other parties were now being drawn and would be executed tomorrow.

She declared that the work of drilling for oil here would get under way at the earliest possible date and would proceed without interruption once it was begun.

In contradicting the rumors that the Westbrook Company would not drill for oil, Mrs. Westbrook furnished the following signed statement:

"The number of misquotations and unfounded statements which have come to my attention in the matter of drilling by the Westbrook Drilling Company are unfortunate at this time. The business of successfully accomplishing the drilling for oil and gas is serious inasmuch as enormous sums of money may be invested with no result owing to mismanagement.

"I feel very sure the people of Greenville and Pitt county wish no disaster similar to other drilling enterprises, where hundreds of thousands of dollars of the peoples' money has gone to no result.

"The Westbrook Drilling Company are going to drill immediately in spite of any and all reports to the contrary—the contract orders for lumber and contracts for the building of the derrick with its 112 feet of height, are ready for execution.

"There will be no delay in commencing the work or in hurrying the drilling to the desired results.

"It has been necessary to overcome lack of confidence justly acquired by other failures. It has been necessary to proceed slowly that the name of Greenville, Pitt county, and the entire North eastern section of our state stand before the world as intelligent business-like and successful in a venture which has never before been accomplished in this state—the bringing of oil and gas to a successful asset.

"Gossip to the effect other than this must be relegated to the position of children's fairy tales. The well is to be drilled immediately—honestly—and successfully.

Westbrook Drilling Co., By Mrs. Jack L. Westbrook."

To illustrate how dull things in Washington may become between sessions, the big issue there at the moment is whether bicyclists will be permitted to disregard traffic signals.

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—The Senate investigation of bribery charges against Senator Gould of Maine, was postponed today until January 4, to give the Senator's accusers time to complete their case.

Senator Walsh, Democrat of Montana, who sponsored the resolution of inquiry, will obtain official documents from Maine and the courts of New Brunswick to substantiate the charges. These will be presented to the committee when it meets again and Gould will then present his defense.

The charges involved a gift of \$100,000 in 1911 by Gould to J. K. Flomlin, the Premier of New Brunswick. It was alleged Gould handled the money as a bribe from a railroad he represented.

New York, Dec. 13. (INS)—An entire squad of detectives today was assigned to a search for Herman Rittner, described as an international crook and jewel thief so notorious that he has so far entirely baffled detection while preying on the wealthy society leaders of the United States and Europe.

The recent epidemic here of germs which is being spread by a man posing as a window cleaner is credited to Rittner, who is said to use a dozen altars. His total loot is estimated at \$1,000,000.

The police of Miami have also issued an appeal to authorities throughout the country to be on the look-out for him.

He is said to spend his winters in the Florida resort.

Some of the recent robberies which the police have definite evidence were committed by Rittner include:

\$280,000 from Myron C. Taylor November 2.
\$60,000 from Miss Muriel Wartz last April.
\$20,000 from Mrs. Frederick R. Childs, November 4.
\$20,000 from Miss Mary C. Crimmins, November 4.

Found at Last



Here is the first picture of Kenneth G. Orniston, radio operator and missing defendant in the Amice Semple McPherson conspiracy case in Lee Angeles. This picture was taken in Chicago, where he was brought after having been found at Harrisburg, Pa. (International News)

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Coroner's Jury To Probe Slaying Wayne Farmer

Goldboro, N. C., Dec. 13. (INS)—A coroner's jury was impaneled at noon today to investigate the slaying of Gary Warrick, 20 year old Wayne County farmer. Warrick was alleged to have been shot Sunday by his father Louis Warrick. Warrick is being held in jail here without bond.

QUESTION DAVIS AS TO DECLINE IN ARMY'S STRENGTH

Committee Will Demand Information as to Five Year Air Program.

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—Secretary of War Davis will be called to account to Congress for the decline in the strength of the army it was announced today by the House Military Committee. The committee also will demand information from the war department as to what plans have been made to put the five year air program into effect.

Another Solution For Booze Problem Offered Congress

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—Another solution for the booze problem was offered Congress today. A minimum alcoholic content for liquors would be fixed by Congress and the states would be permitted to legislate within this minimum under a resolution introduced in the House by Rep. La Guardia, (R) of New York.

Chooses Capitol As Place to Die

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—John W. Caldwell, an aged war veteran, who came to the U. S. Soldiers Home here several years ago from California, chose the rotunda of the capitol today as the scene of attempted suicide. He shot himself through the head and is dying at casualty hospital.

GOV'T DEMANDS FULL PUNISHMENT FALL AND DOHENY

Justice Hoehling Denies Motion to Direct Verdict of Acquittal in Oil Case.

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—The government today demanded full punishment of former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall and E. L. Doheny, multimillionaire oil operator, or their criminal and dishonest conspiracy to defraud the nation of invaluable oil lands. In dramatic fashion Owen J. Roberts, special oil counsel, recited to the jury, which shortly is to pass judgment, the details of the oil leases which began with the loan to Fall of \$100,000 and ended in Doheny's acquisition of the Elk Hills, Cal., oil reserves. Doheny, Roberts referred to as a man who used the power of his money to get influence brought to bear on government officials.

Fall was described as an impetuous cabinet officer. With the jury excluded, opposing counsel to Justice A. A. Hoehling as to the manner in which the jury is to be instructed when the case finally is placed in their hands. Frank Hogan, for the defense, made more than 40 points; Owen J. Roberts made about 30 or the Government.

TODAY

Assorted News, Paichitch Is Dead, Alepenta And Javan. How Could He Lose?

NIKOLA P. PAICHITCH is dead. That means nothing to all most one hundred and fifteen million Americans, but it means a great deal to Serbians, whom the able old statesman had served for many years. He was about to take charge of the government again when death took him.

Major Copul, President's Coolidge's physician, says some Egyptians had false teeth. He has a set found in the N.A. mud made by the Greeks who now sell you fruit and other things. Such teeth were rare. Even in George Washington's day the making of them was very clumsy. The ancients went through old age without false teeth or eye glasses.

The Japanese Emperor has pneumonia, but is better. May he recover soon and his government maintain its friendly attitude to the United States.

A college authority says college men fail, not for lack of learning but for lack of character. There is no enough discipline in universities, Dr. Brown, tells the Union College alumni association.

Colleges treat boys from 18 to 23 as though they were men whereas usually they are children.

On the other hand the West Point Academy seems to overdo discipline. A first year cadet, A. J. Van Leeuwen, trying to stand straight and stiff enough to please his superiors, strained his back and broke his neck.

Young West Pointers, still and straight, are fine to see and great to fight, their superior officers. But it is an agile mind rather than a stiff neck that makes a great soldier. Napoleon was very slouchy, also Frederick the Great.

Yesterday's earthquake was in Chile, strong shocks in several towns. Many Chinese say quakes are caused by the earth dragon turning on his sleep. The earth's crust is still settling, sinking here, rising there, as it has done for a thousand million years, getting more stable all the time.

It is said that in this country there is more commercial "lying mileage" than in any other. For that thanks are due to President Coolidge and Postmaster General New, who have encouraged air mail routes, flying back and forth by mail carriers most desirable, does not mean building up national air defense.

Japan, when she recently placed an order in England for 25 flying machines of 1,000 horse power each—we haven't even one of that kind in this country—did not rely on private enterprise. One of our 48 states could buy Japan, but the intelligent Japanese know that rich or poor, NO PRICE is too high for national safety.

The Countess of Suffolk and Berk, evidently does not know that the Bible forbids you to call your brother "Raca"—thou fool. She says, in court, that he brother, Mr. Leiter is a fool but lucky. Every idea he ever had was bad but the family's Chicago real estate increased in value more rapidly than he could get rid of the estate funds.

Buying real estate in Chicago, New York and a hundred other places in the United States, for years past, has been a game in which you could not lose.

The real estate buyer was like the man in the "gentlemen's poker game" in which it was not necessary to show your hand.

Asked if he had won he replied "How could I lose?"

Lord Ninchape says missionaries are to blame for the upheaval against Buddha in China. This calls indignant denials from Bishops and others.

MUSCLE SHOALS QUESTION UP IN CONGRESS TODAY

Indications Republicans Will Block Closing Deal South-Closing Power Companies.

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—The four year struggle to dispose of the government's \$150,000,000 Muscle Shoals project was reopened in the Senate this afternoon when Senator Duncanson (R) of Ill., chairman of the Muscle Shoals commission, urged adoption of the commission's majority report, recommending a lease of the property to the associated power companies of the South.

Duncanson declared the offer was the best ever received for the project even better than Henry Ford's famous bid. He made his argument, however, knowing that Republican leaders plan to refer the report along with a new bid from New York capitalists to the Senate agriculture committee for their consideration.

Duncanson urged approval of the associated power bid because it is the best bid offered and the best which he obtained on the terms stated in the resolution creating the commission. The bidder furnished guarantee to safeguard the production of nitrogen and other fertilizer ingredients contained in the deal, default in this particular will involve not only loss of returns on the large capital investment of the bidder in the fertilizer enterprise but also upon an almost equally large investment in transmission lines and other power equipment.

Trial of Alleged Slayer Canton Editor Started

Canton, O., Dec. 13. (INS)—Don R. Mellett, slain publisher of the Canton Post, was killed because of his editorial attack against bootleggers, and Put E. McDermott was one of those who conspired against the deceased prosecutor C. B. McClintock in outfitting his case to the jury at the opening of Mellett today. McClintock was indicted for the murder of Mellett today.

Would Print Journal OF THE Congress OF Confederate States

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13. (INS)—Representative Lindsay C. Warren has introduced a resolution in the House providing for the printing of the Journal of the Congress of the Confederate States of America.

Dismiss Action Against English

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—The Senate today formally dismissed impeachment proceedings against ex-Federal George W. English of St. Louis who resigned a few days before his scheduled impeachment trial.

RED GRANGE HEADS FOR THE SOUTHLAND

Chicago, Dec. 13. (INS)—Having closed the American professional football cage season here, Red Grange and his New York Yankees were today en route to the Southland. They play the first game of their southern barnstorming expedition, at Atlanta, Ga., tomorrow.

The season's final, played before 10,000 fans at Comiskey Park was one of the best games ever seen on a local gridiron. Red and his gang finally won out over the Chicago Bulls 7 to 3.

In the Affairs of Nations



WILLIAM S. CULBERTSON



LAWRENCE D. TYSON



AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN



CHARLES G. DAWES

Because of his success as Minister to Rumania, William S. Culbertson was to be promoted to a more important post, the White House said. Charges were made in Congress that Lawrence D. Tyson, of Tennessee, spent \$1,800,000 in his Senatorial campaign two years ago. Sir Austen Chamberlain, British Foreign Minister, and Charles G. Dawes, Vice-president of the United States, were awarded the 1925 Nobel peace prize.

FOUR VIOLENT DEATHS IN STATE OVER WEEK END

One Homicide, One Accidental Shooting and Two Auto Fatalities Make Up Toll.

Raleigh, Dec. 12. (INS)—Violent death took a toll of four lives in North Carolina over the week-end.

Gary Warrick, Goldsboro youth, was fatally shot by his father, Louis Warrick, during an argument in which the elder returned his son for getting drunk for a second whom the elder Warrick had arrested, according to the charge.

Logan Freeland, 15 year old Logan Station youth, was killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun by his own hands.

John L. Harrison, aged resident of Harts, died from injuries sustained yesterday when his automobile turned turtle near Winston-Salem.

R. D. Martin of Greensboro State College student, was killed here in an automobile crash. Funeral services will be held at Greensboro this afternoon.

DEMOCRATS WILL CONTINUE FIGHT FOR TAX REVISION

Move Will Be Made To Discharge House Ways and Means Committee.

Washington, Dec. 13. (INS)—Democratic leaders in the House today announced their decision to continue a fight for tax reduction.

A move will be made to discharge the House Ways and Means Committee, which on Saturday voted not to consider any tax revision bills at this session.

Under the rule, it was explained by Rep. Garrett, of Tenn., Democratic leader, a majority of members must sign a discharge petition. The action cannot be taken until the matter has been before the committee for 30 days.

Republicans, holding a majority in the House, refused to regard seriously the Democratic plan.

FIFTEEN ARE DEAD RESULT BLIZZARD SWEEPING WEST

Most Severe Storm of Winter Sweeping Through West and Northwest.

Chicago, Dec. 13. (INS)—At least 15 were dead today in the wake of the most severe storm of the winter which was accompanied by rapidly dropping temperatures and blinding snow throughout widely separated sections of the north-west and middle west.

JOHNSTON COUNTY GRAND JURY WILL HEAR MURDER CASE

Witness in Forsythe Killing to Appear Before Grand Jury This Afternoon.

Smithfield, Dec. 13. (INS)—The Forsythe murder case, in which Robert Sparrick, Robert Stephenson and Evelyn Britt, of Durham, are defendants, probably will be presented to the Johnston County grand jury late this afternoon or Tuesday morning.

This announcement was made this afternoon by Solicitor Clawson Williams of Sanford who will prosecute the case should indictments be returned against the three accused persons.

According to the Solicitor, Evelyn Britt, is under \$5,000 bond to appear before the grand jury at its investigation. A number of other witnesses have been subpoenaed, he declared.

A Wake County Coroner's jury Thursday ordered Sparrick, Stephenson and the Britt girl held for Johnston County authorities on charges of murder and that the Britt girl, who had been released on bond, be re-arrested and held without privilege of bond.

However, the Britt girl was at free on bond today. It was learned the Wake and Durham County Sheriff both declared that they had made no effort to arrest the girl.

Raleigh, Dec. 13. (INS)—Missing in their hunt, of circumstantial evidence tightening around the alleged slayers of L. G. (Mighty) Forsythe, picturesque runner, were expected to be heard before a Johnston county grand jury late today.

Indications are that the now sensational murder mystery which occupied the eyes and attention of a Wake county coroner's jury for nearly three weeks, will not be presented to the Johnston investigators until this afternoon, at the earliest.

Solicitor Clawson Williams, of Sanford, who will prosecute the murder charges against the trio accused of Forsythe's slaying should the grand jury bring indictment against them, conferred here today with Conover L. M. Waring, of Wake county, to "finalize" the case with the case.

This afternoon the solicitor will return to Smithfield, where he is slated to present the case to the grand jury. A half dozen or so witnesses have been subpoenaed to testify before the body.

The three defendants were ordered held without bond for Johnston county officials on charge, of murder by the Wake county jury. However, only one of those today was being held behind prison bars. He is Robert Sparrick, who probably will be transferred to the Johnston county jail today.

Robert Stephenson, against whom a murder charge also has been brought, is still at large, having eluded officers of three counties for nearly three weeks. Officers received today that his arrest was imminent.

Evelyn Britt, 18 year old Durham girl, accused of having been in the rum laden automobile with Sparrick and Stephenson when Forsythe was killed, and hurled from the speeding car, was still free on bond today, despite the fact that the Wake jury Thursday ordered her re-arrested and held without privilege of bond.

Irvington, N. J., Dec. 13. (INS)—Irvington, with its calendar back to normal today, rode automobile, motor bus and trolley car to court to watch the wheels of justice, operate a 150 persons arrested Sunday for violation of a Puritan "Blue Law" more than 150 years old, which has never been repealed.

The sudden return to Puritanism was the result of a demand made by theatre owners, whose theatres two weeks ago, were ordered closed on Sundays in compliance with the "blue laws," that the antique code of the ancient laws be rigidly enforced.

AVA DUPOIS WOULD'N YOU LIKE TO HAVE HER STOCKING TO HANG UP? 10 DAYS LEFT FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING!

Greenville Man Listed Among the Great in Observer

In a series of sketches of the "Great and Near Great" by Fletcher Pratt, appearing each Sunday in the News and Observer, yesterday's issue carried the following sketch of L. Ames Brown, former Greenville boy, who early in his literary career spent one summer writing for The Reflector:

You would think that a man who had undertaken the job of getting publicity for a whole country and that country the United States of America, who had the reputation of being one of the youngest brilliant men of his time, who had written thousands of words in newspapers from Atlantic to Pacific, would not shy off from a reporter.

But he did.

He was, all the while, willing to be quite anxious to do anything he

could, but he was as uncomfortable as a fish in oil or some other unfamiliar element. He fidgeted as he announced that he was born in Greenville, North Carolina; he blushed when he admitted that he had not yet reached his 34th birthday, and he seemed when he agreed up to having been a contributor to the "North Carolina Review" the soundest and solidest of periodicals, before he was 25.

The squirming continued, but out of the process, which must have been nothing short of torture to this generally modest North Carolinian, certain facts finally emerged. At their briefest and briefest, they were something like this:

His name is L. Ames Brown, the L standing for the fine old Southern name of Lee. His father was William Benjamin Brown of Greenville, and his mother Nancy Lee Ames Brown, both of them well known in that part of the state. He himself, the L.

Ames Brown of this sketch, was born at Greenville, and went through grade school and high school with out doing anything particularly eventful except stand extremely high in all his studies. He entered the University of North Carolina, again stood somewhere near the head of all his classes and graduated with an A.B. and honors in 1910. He decided that he wanted to get a more thorough education and came back to the same place, being awarded an A.M. in the surprisingly short time of one year.

With a taste for writing that had developed considerably at the University of North Carolina and the natural ability of it that had brought him scholastic honors, he naturally turned to journalism as offering the best career. He was fortunate enough to begin in a bright spot, on the local staff of the Baltimore Sun, a paper of high reputation and with an enviable staff. He did so well that he was soon appointed Washington cor-

Here It Is in Black and White

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26 LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will not be liable or responsible for any debts, obligations or charges incurred by Lita Grey Chaplin, wife of the undersigned, or any one in her behalf.
Dated: December 2, 1926.
CHARLES CHAPLIN.

DEBTS—The University Mkt., 10596

Here is a reproduction of a notice that appeared in a Los Angeles paper following the separation of Charles Chaplin, the movie comedian, and his wife.

(International Newswire)

respondent for the News and Observer and later for the Nashville Tennessean.

In the meanwhile, he had been doing some writing on the outside, and when an exceedingly well thought out and capably argued article on prohibition drifted in at the offices of the North American Review, the editors of that great periodical didn't stop to inquire whether the author was 50 or 15. They accepted it and wrote for more, and the result was a series of articles that gave L. Ames Brown something like national prominence in the writing field which is supposed to be devoted to the pundits of literature.

He followed up this success with other articles in other periodicals, the Atlantic Monthly, the World's Work and the Review of Reviews being among them, and earned the status of one of the soundest and most serious thinkers among the younger generation of literary men.

He was in Washington when the war came on, and when the United States decided to go into the publicity business in the prosecution of the war, they turned to L. Ames Brown. He was appointed director of publicity, and as he brought something new to his magazine articles, he made something new of propaganda.

"This," America said to the world, "is propaganda. Some other countries are doing their utmost to propagandize in a subtle way. That's dishonest. All our propaganda is marked as such and it's fair and square. Do whatever you want to with it, but we recom-

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THE FARMERS BANK

Wishes to announce that the funds in the Christmas Club will be paid to its members on Wednesday, December 15th.

FARMERS BANK

Greenville, N. C.

He finished the 72 hole in 193 strokes.

Larry Nobbeitz of Cleveland, finished with a 60 and a 77 yesterday to place second, having a total of 137 strokes.

Bill Behlhorn, of Chicago, who stayed out in front for the first two days of the tournament, cracked yesterday and finished in a tie with Johnny Farrell of New York for third place. Each of them took 169 strokes.

George Von Elm of Los Angeles, national open champion, finished with 299.

His assailants fired one shot from an automobile, police raid, and as the man lay writhing on the sidewalks, leaped upon him, and beat him.

Police believe that enemies had made by a series of raids on bootleg establishments, conspired to take his life.

COOPER WINS THE MONTEREY OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT

Del Monte, Caly., Dec. 13.—(INS)—Beating his closest opponent by two strokes, Harry Cooper of Los Angeles, today was the winner of the Monterey open worth \$5,000 in prize money. Cooper, who won the \$10,000 Los Angeles open last year, will receive \$1,200 of the prize money.

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Opened Friday morning with very satisfactory results. The public's confidence in Blount-Harvey's prices were well demonstrated by the hundreds of buyers that came and bought and will come back. We would like to number you among these this week. Winter hasn't begun, yet you have the opportunity of buying your winter clothing needs here at substantial reductions.



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- MEN'S EXTRA TROUSERS**
\$3.50 and \$4.00, Sale Price **\$2.85**
\$5.00 to \$7.00 Quality, **\$3.95**
- \$40 and \$50 Fashion Park, Men's and Young Men's Suits **\$29.50**
- \$35.00 and \$37.50 Men's and Young Men's Suits **\$24.95**
- \$10.00 Boys Suits and Overcoats **\$7.45**
- \$7.50 Boys Suits and Overcoats **\$4.95**
- Men's Hats Up to \$5.00 Sale Price **\$1.95**
- Men's \$2.50 up to \$3.50 Dress Shirts with detachable collars to match **\$1.69**
- Our entire Sweater Stock **20 Per Cent Off**
- 81x90 Sheets, of good quality **89c**
- Wool Nap Blankets, double bed size **\$2.69**
- \$5.00 Rayon Silk Bed Spreads Sale Price **\$3.95**
- \$16.50 Boys Blue Chevriot Suits, 1 long and 1 golf pants Sale Price **\$10.95**



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LOCALS

D. D. Overton Sr. and D. D. Overton, Jr., left last night for Baltimore, where D. D. Jr. will enter Johns Hopkins Hospital for treatment.

Kenneth Galup, of Fayetteville spent the week-end here.

Judge D. H. Bland and son, Powell, of Goldsboro, spent yesterday afternoon here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hobgood and children, spent Sunday afternoon in Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Elmore spent Sunday night in Rocky Mount, having left in response to a message stating that Mr. Elmore's sister had been hurt in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Sarah Heller, of Chapel Hill, is here today.

Mrs. J. H. White, of Windsor, who has been visiting Mrs. D. M. Nichols, has returned home.

Charles F. Blanchard left this afternoon for Orlando, Fla., where he was called on account of the death of his mother. Mrs. Blanchard will be buried in Bangor, Me.

B. F. Buck, of Grimesland, was here today.

MRS. C. S. FORBES ENTERTAINS

Complimentary to Mrs. George F. Hadley, Recent Bride.

Mrs. C. S. Forbes most enjoyably entertained Saturday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. George F. Hadley, a recent bride. The home was attractively decorated with Christmas decorations and the Christmas idea was profitably carried out in the table appointments, prizes and refreshments.

As the guests arrived, they were cordially welcomed by the hostess, Mrs. George F. Hadley and Mrs. G. B. W. Hadley and invited into the reception hall where Mrs. Hortense Moyer, Mrs. W. L. Best and Mrs. S. T. White served hot tea and sandwiches. They were then shown to the nine tables placed for bridge.

Miss Willie Skinner won the top score prize and Miss Gladys Moore, the consolation. The hostess presented Mrs. Hadley a beautiful Christmas plant and Miss Adelle Le Taft, bride-elect, a party vase.

At the conclusion of the games, miniature Christmas trees were placed on the tables for center-



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Grade 1—Miss Coates, James Thomas, Elizabeth Dickinson, Elizabeth Coppedge, Vivian Earl Stocks, Ernestine Hobgood, Helen Settle, James Mills, Leon Meadows, Glynn Allen, Helen Perkins, Robert Musselwhite.

Grade 2
Jean Hodges, Jamie Merritt, Francis Swiman, Elizabeth Wilson, William Bailey, George Loufaires, Harding Sugg, Ernest Willard, Louis Wilkerson, Harvey Deal.

Grade 3
Ronald Stay, Mary Council Horne, Louis Stewart, Ficklen, Marian Wilson, Helen Foley, Martha June Gates, Irya Cobb Dunn, Matt Phillips, Charles Barr.

Grade 4
Margaret Eakes, Margaret O'Brien, Mary Dorcas Harding, Louise Spear, Julia Folov, Virginia Kasey, Joseph Smith, Tom Wilson, Carey Warren.

Grade 6
Lucy James, Elizabeth Carr.

FIRST PART CREATION "THE GOLDEN ROOM"

Sweet singers, nimble dancers, funny comedians with new jokes, wonderful music by their own orchestra, together with brilliant costumes and beautiful scenery combine to make the first part of Van Arnam's Minstrels an entertainment of interest and a feast for the eye. While the recapitulation of the show or olio consists of seven separate novelty acts, each one different from any of the others, Van Arnam's Minstrels, who appear at White Theatre for one day only, Friday, December 17, provide over two hours of fun and amusement.

MEETING OF D. A. R.'s

(Reported)
The third meeting of the Greenville Patriots chapter of the Daughter, of the American Revolution, was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ficus on Dickerson Avenue. Notwithstanding the inclement weather, many members were present. The program opened with the flag salute, the reading of the creed and the ritual. This being the tree planting program, Mrs. R. L. Smith, chapter regent, made an interesting report of the trees planted by the members of the chapter last week on the Greenville-Farmville highway. It is the plan of this chapter, in co-operation with the Farmville chapter to plant cypress myrtle trees along the highway connecting the two towns.

Mrs. Smith also made a splendid talk on the historical trees in North Carolina.

Mrs. Herman Duncan then read the poem "Trees," by Joyce Kilmer.

A very interesting lesson "The Origin of Our Flag" was then given by the flag chairman, Miss Jessie Moyer.

This was followed by the reading of Christmas greetings by Mrs. H. Frederick Jones.

Miss Jessie Moyer rendered a beautiful vocal selection "The Star" by Rogers.

At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious sweet course was served by Miss Helene Higgs and Mrs. H. H. Duncan.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS TO MEET TONIGHT

Greenville chapter No. 50 of Royal Arch Masons will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

SANS SOUCI CLUB TO MEET

The Sans Souci Book Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. B. Kittrell on Fifth street.

KING FERDINAND LOSES WEIGHT

London, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Dimitris from Bucharest today stated that while the condition of King Ferdinand of Roumania is better, he has lost weight until he now tips the scales at 108 pounds. The monarch is kept to a rigid diet of sugared tea and meat extracts.



WHITE'S THEATRE Friday, December 17th

Oil Magnate and Wife at Trial



Edward L. Doheny, oil magnate, and his wife, who testified in his behalf, are shown leaving court in Washington where Doheny and former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall were on trial on charges of conspiracy growing out of the Elk Hills oil leases.



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Catholic Church Commences Mission

The mission at St. Peter's Catholic church, on Second street, opened last evening with simple and impressive ceremonies. The pastor, Rev. Father Gable, carried the large realistic crucifix, through the aisle to the altar. He was followed by the distinguished Passionist missionary, Rev. Father Egbert, C. P., of Springfield, Mass.

This young missionary enjoys the reputation of being an able and eloquent orator. His eloquence has gripped congregations both in the North and the South.

After extending a warm welcome to protestants, Father Egbert quoted the kind words of Rt. Rev. Chas. H. Brent, protestant Bishop of Buffalo. Addressing the Yale Club in New York City this prelate said: "One of the chief aims of protestantism should be to understand the Roman Catholic church from its own literature rather than from that of other churches." The missionary then expressed the regret that there are so many who are content to accept the caricature of the Catholic church as painted by her enemies. He strongly invited non-Catholics to avail themselves of this opportunity of the mission, that they might earn the truth about the Catholic church. He then explained some of the practices of the church. His words are in part:

"It seems almost incredible that there are still people in this enlightened twentieth century who are of the opinion that Catholics adore or worship statues or images. Catholics do not adore idols of wood and stone and marble. The adre God and God according to the first commandment of God Himself. Pictures and statues are used in the Catholic church in much the same way that family portraits are honored in the home, or the statues of civic heroes, are set up in parks or public buildings. The purpose of such objects is to keep alive memories worth preserving. They inspire high and noble thought, and encourage others to follow their example.

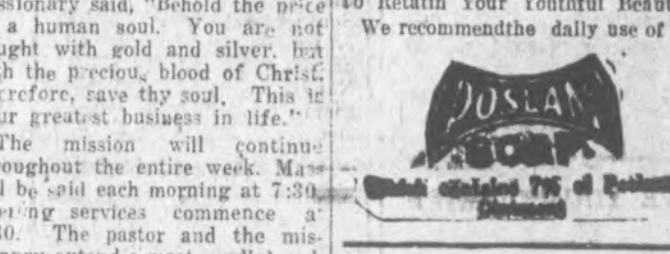
To perpetuate, therefore, the pernicious and prevalent error that Catholics adore images, and idols is unfair, untrue and unjust.

Another query that is frequently made is, "Why do Catholics bless themselves, is this not a superstition?" The answer to this question is very simple and beautiful. The cross is the standard of the Christian faith—the sign of salvation. Ages ago, St. Paul declared, "God forbid that I should glory save in the Cross of Christ." Like this great champion of Christ crucified, the Catholic church glories in the remembrance of that symbol of faith and love. As our government flies its flag over ship and port and public building, so the church crowns her steeples her altars, her tombs of the dead with this emblem of hope and salvation. From the earliest centuries Catholics blessed themselves with the Sign of the Cross. By this beautiful act of salvation they, as well as Catholics today, give a profession of their belief in the Blessed Trinity, and recall the tragic death of Christ our Saviour on Calvary. What Chris-

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Kneads Dough



Mrs. Antoinette Robins, of New York, sued a baking company for \$50,000, charging they used a picture of her in this pose for advertising purposes. The company insisted it was another girl.

Daily News Letter
 Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 11. (INS) — Gone beyond recall are the days of wooden ships and iron men. Six mammoth lake ships are now under construction on the ways of the American Shipbuilding company, which will provide veritable hotel accommodations for the crew. Shades of Columbus and Drake imagine if you can seventeen tiled bathrooms for the members of each vessel's crew. Plate-glass windows in the bathroom doors and the crews quarters filled in oak.

Each of these new steamers will cost close to \$1,000,000 and will be the last word in solid comfort. Fourteen hundred men are working on the Lorain, Ohio ways to have the ships ready for an early date and when they will be turned over to the purchasers each vessel will be completed in every detail. Pots and kettles will be in place, ready for the cooks and even the beds (not bunks) in the crews quarters will be made up ready for their occupants, who will have good reason to sing: Oh For the Life of a Sailor.

When a craft now under construction is completed the Interstate Steamship Company of Cleveland will boast the largest ship on the Lakes. This boat will be 643 feet long, 65 feet wide and will have a capacity of 13,500 tons.

Days when in order to get a drink of the forbidden beverage with excess alcoholic content you had to sneak up an alley and give the prescribed number of knocks at some door that looked like a hen house and pig sty have been shoved into oblivion in Cleveland.

Today, bootlegging (that is what bootlegging exists despite the vigilance of the federal authorities) is conducted on a high class and aristocratic plane, as visitors to this city are rapidly finding out.

In fact one of the largest suites of offices in the downtown district is occupied by a concern, whose undercover business is purveying, serving to the desires of those searching for liquor.

This concern issues monthly price lists on everything from common ordinary dry gin, alleged to be Gordon's and said by connoisseurs to be their softest particular brand of Mumm's Extra Dry champagne.

A force of bookkeepers are in charge of the accounts, and according to the vice-president of the concern, Christmas orders are coming early this year.

A slight setback was dealt the purveyors in alcohol by the Federal Agents who confiscated three hundred bottles of champagne that was being brought into Cleveland from Canada via lake steamer.

But, the heads of the firm assure all that they will have the regular Christmas supply in stock for your demand.

Recently the same bootlegging concern adopted a new method of delivering their wares to customers. A client in a downtown hotel notified the bellboys as is usually done, that he desired some stimulants.

In about a half hour, a young lad, dressed in the approved covered coat or debutante styles and looking like the lad for the latest thing in tuxedo coats, entered the hotel with a small handbag and delivered the order to the gentle-

man craving refreshment. A check up revealed that some ten girls are employed by the high class concern to make deliveries, obviating the need for shiftless-eyed corner of the mouth males, who attracted instant suspicion.

Federal authorities learned these details when one of the dry raiders called up a well known bootlegger to deliver some of his stock-in-trade, and one of the girls entirely unsuspecting walked into the net.

Her story, it is said will result in the bagging of the master minds behind the concern.

RESALE OF REAL ESTATE BY COMMISSIONERS
 Resale of Real Estate by Mortgage

By authority of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed and delivered by C. E. Crisp to A. O. Beddard, dated October 30th, 1924, and recorded in Book M-15, page 29, public registry of Pitt County, and by authority of law and an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County, the undersigned will on Monday, December 27th, at 12 o'clock M., before the court house door in Greenville, expose to public sale for cash, the following described real estate:

Situate in the town of Winterville, on the west side of Railroad Street; beginning at a point in railroad right-of-way, Dr. B. T. Cox corner and runs a westerly direction, 120 feet to J. S. Barber's line, thence south 16 feet to center of brick wall which divides the two stores formerly owned by E. F. Tucker, thence with center of said wall an easterly course, 120 feet to railroad right-of-way, thence north 16 feet with right-of-way to beginning; and being the store and lot of A. O. Beddard, and being the identical property formerly owned by E. F. Tucker.

This sale will be a re-sale of said property on an advance bid of 5 per cent on \$700 bid herebefore made for said property, a 10 per cent deposit will be required at time of sale to make good bid accepted and reported. This December 10th, 1926.

A. O. Beddard, Mortgagee
 By Bank of Winterville, Assignee

F. M. Wooten, Atty.
 13-11w-2wk.

Long Pedal



W. A. Patten, fifty-six, arrived in Miami, Fla., on his bicycle, having pedaled from Minneapolis, Minn. He averaged 100 miles a day.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

The undersigned Executor will on Monday, November 29th, 1926 at the residence of the late Bryant Tripp, in Winterville township, sell for cash the personal property belonging to said estate, consisting of:

1 horse, 1 mule, 1 disc harrow, 1 two-horse wagon, and all farming implements used on said farm to run a two-horse crop; Also 1 log cart and bank, some corn and fodder and possibly other personal property; All the household and kitchen furniture.

The sale to begin at 11:30 a. m. No property delivered except for cash.

This November 15th, 1926.

H. E. Tripp, Executor
 F. G. James & Son, Attys.
 16-11w-4wk.

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

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That tract of land in Bethel township upon which the said Samuel Edwards and wife, Jackie Ann Edwards, now reside. Being on both sides of the new road leading from Greenville to Bethel and on Grindle Creek, adjoining the lands of Louis Highsmith, T. W. C. Moore, J. J. Jones, and the 110 acre tract adjudged to belong to J. C. and W. A. Taylor in suit entitled J. C. and W. A. Taylor vs. W. J. Robertson et al., in which action Samuel Edwards and wife, Jackie Ann Edwards were intervenors, containing 165 acres, more or less, and being the land described in two deeds, to-wit: One from T. W. C. Moore to Samuel Edwards, recorded in Book P-8, at page 170, and the other from J. J. Nobles to Samuel Edwards, recorded in Book D-4, page 131. Reference to both of said deeds is hereby made for accurate description. This conveys all of said two tracts described in said two deeds, except the 110 acres now owned by J. C. and W. A. Taylor, under judgment rendered in said cause. This the 26th day of November, 1926.

Albion Dunn, Trustee
 20-11w-4wk.

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TEN MORE DAYS

Just ten more shopping days and Christmas will be here. If you have not already done your Christmas shopping you have but little time left for it and each day you delay you are running a greater chance of being unable to secure the various articles you desire to purchase as gifts to your friends and relatives.

Not only are you inconveniencing yourself, by your delay, but you will make it impossible for hundreds not to enjoy Christmas. The clerk in the various stores must necessarily remain on duty until all the Christmas shopping is over and the crowding of several days' work into one day on Christmas Eve will leave them in no condition to enjoy Christmas Day when it arrives. Get your shopping now. Begin it over with as soon as possible—avoid a last minute rush and you will have a happier Christmas and will make it possible for others to enjoy the day also.

DON'T WRITE IT "XMAS"

The Charlotte Observer very wisely, under the above heading, protests against the use of the term "Xmas" for Christmas. We are glad that some daily paper has taken up the matter, for just how people can be so thoughtless as to use simply the letter "X" to indicate Christ's name is rather amazing to anyone who stops to think.

"Xmas," intended to represent the birth of the world's Redeemer, is a sad reflection upon our thoughtfulness. More power to the Charlotte Observer in under taking to change the use of this term. The Observer says: "Is the 'X,' which used in 'Xmas,' intended to be used algebraically as a symbol for an unknown quantity?" It would certainly seem that thinking was not a part of the policy of people who use the term "Xmas" instead of "Christmas," but most people have done so thoughtlessly and without any reflection upon the divine origin or meaning of the term. — Manufacturers Record.

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NEW GOVERNOR OF TEXAS FACES A HARD TRYOUT

Dan Moody in Early Thirties, Will Take Over Ma Ferguson's Job.

Fort Worth Tex., Dec. 11. (INS)—After an experimentation in state government by the election of a woman, in the person of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, the state of Texas is awaiting the result of another departure from established custom in the election of one of the youngest executives ever to head a great state.

Government-elect Dan Moody, who will take office early in January, is a brilliant young attorney still in his early thirties.

It was he who, as Attorney General during the regime of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, started the series of investigations of state departments and affairs under Texas first woman governor. From the outset he fought a stubborn battle against the Fergusonists but his efforts were rewarded when the recent election of the legislature appointed an inquisitorial body to probe the conduct of several state departments, particularly the highway department where it was ex-

Moody centered his attack on the alleged government proxy of ex-Governor James E. Ferguson, husband of the noted woman governor, who himself was impeached several years ago.

As a result of this impeachment a desire for her husband's vindication prompted Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson to enter the political arena as a candidate for governor two years ago. During her gubernatorial campaign she exhortated the "Ku Klux Klan and its political activities in Texas.

Mrs. Ferguson has won a notable victory at the polls and during the first year has seen the Klan ousted from the control it once held on the state government, as well as that of the counties and municipalities.

She did not fare so well in other matters, however, for her opponents have charged time and again that the real governor was not Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson but her husband, James E. Ferguson whom they alleged was the power behind the throne, dictating appointments and in general doing pretty much as he used to when he was occupant of the state executive chair in his own right, they still.

Practically the whole of the Ferguson administration has been marked by the most intense and uncompromising attacks at every possible opening. Her opponents have assailed what they term her abuse of the pardon powers, of the governor. They have criticized her appointments to the various commissions they have delivered broadsides against the contracts awarded by the state highway commission, charging that James E.

Energy Foods for Cold Weather



WINTER days! The tang in the air stirs young and old to be up and doing! School absorbs the minds and hearts of the children to whom it is their whole business in life. It absorbs their energy, too, as much as does the play and recreation of leisure hours, for the brain needs many calories on which to work. It is the mother's job to see that the busy growing bodies and brains get proper foods, proteins, starches and minerals which are so necessary. A little forethought in stocking the shelves of canned foods will give the housewife ready command of vegetables which contain the right food elements in the most easily digested form, corn, navy, lima and stringless beans, spaghetti, sweet potatoes, peas. They contain starches to supply fuel, protein to build muscle, mineral and vitamins to keep little bodies in good condition.

Not only are the prepared vegetables in the most easily digested form, important for the health of children and grown-ups alike, they are in the most convenient form. How simple it is for her to scan the luncheon or dinner menu to make it thoroughly balanced by the addition of one of her quickly prepared canned foods.

White potatoes, everyone knows are high in starch, but not so many people know that lima beans are even higher and that sweet potatoes are

highest in starch of all vegetables. Lima and navy beans, known generally as laked beans, have the added merit of containing a high percentage of protein and for that reason they form a well balanced dish. Red kidney beans are much the same. Only a point or two lower than potatoes in starch are peas. This is fortunate for they are always well-liked and a can of peas may be prepared in a number of tasty ways. Neck and neck with peas in starch and in goodly proportion of protein, we find parsnips and right close behind comes corn. Other vegetables that must not be neglected in the diet that gives energy are squash and stringless beans, also turnips.

Hot vegetables make the best luncheon for school children. With minds set on getting back to the school room and the playground, they are inclined to hurry and should therefore lunch on easily digested food. Milk, of course, they must have, a pint a day each at the very least, and fruits. Hawaiian pineapple, for instance has not only minerals, energizing sugar value in its syrup, but a large protein content as well. This is true of many other canned fruits.

Cream soups supply milk in the diet very well, and soup as a first course has its best use in preparing the stomach for its task of digesting other foods. Among the most important soups in calory and vitamin content are first, cream of tomato soup, then

plain tomato soup, pea soup. Bean and corn soup, too, have many calories and vitamins. How easy they are to prepare when the housewife has only to open a can and add seasoning, or at the most an equal quantity of milk or water. Try your child on a lunch of cream of tomato soup, spinach and a poached egg. You will like such a lunch, too, and will be glad to share it, particularly since it takes such a short time to prepare. For another day, make the lunch of a can of Italian spaghetti with a simple dessert such as rice pudding or fig pudding and a glass of milk. Spaghetti comes entirely ready to serve and has a tasty bit of cheese added to the tomato sauce. The cheese adds a few precious calories as well.

Dinner, too, must supply many calories to all the family through fall and winter days. A corn pudding will be popular. Make it with a can of corn to which a pint of milk, two well-beaten eggs and tablespoon of butter are added. Season with salt and pepper and bake in a buttered baking dish until set and brown. For another dinner serve candied sweet potatoes, easy to prepare when canned sweet potatoes are used. A medium size can will serve six persons. Put layers of sweet potatoes into a baking dish, sprinkling each layer with brown sugar. Pour a half cup of melted butter over the completed dish. Marshmallows put on top a few minutes before removing from the oven will make it a special treat.

Legal Advertisements

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed by J. A. Griffin and wife, J. I. Griffin, to M. K. Blount, Trustee, under date of July 13, 1926, as will appear by reference to Book N-36, at

page 80, in the office of the Register of Deeds in Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the note therein described the undersigned Trustee will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction before the court house door in the Town of Greenville, N. C., on Wednesday, December 29, 1926, at 12:00 o'clock noon the following described real estate:

First Parcel: Lying and being situate in the county of Pitt, Ayden Township, State of North Carolina, in the Town of Ayden on the East side of the A. C. L. Right of Way on the North side of Hart Street, beginning at a stake, J. A. Griffin corner, A. C. L. Right of Way and running with said Right of Way 144 feet and Sinches to a stake, thence an Easterly course parallel with Hart Street 230 feet to Blount Street, thence a South-erly course with said Blount Street extended 144 feet and 8 inches to Griffin corner, thence a Westerly course with Griffin line 300 feet to the beginning, containing one acre, more or less.

Second Parcel: In the Town of Ayden on the East side of the Railroad, beginning on the North side of Hart Street at the Junction of the Northern line of Hart Street with the Eastern line of the Right of Way of the Railroad, thence South 88 degrees West 20 2-5 poles to Blount Street, thence with Blount Street North 67-1-4 degrees East 8 1-2 poles to a small ditch, thence with said ditch 88 degrees West 20 2-5 poles to the line of the Right of Way of the Railroad, thence South 6 1-2 degrees West 8 1-2 poles with the Right of Way to the beginning, containing by estimation 1 2-5 acres, more or less known as the Ayden Milling and Mfg. Company property.

This the 27th day of November, 1926.
M. K. Blount, Trustee
Blount & James Attys.
29-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust, bearing date November 20, 1924, from A. G. Walters to W. H. Woolard, Trustee and recorded in the Register of Deeds Office for Pitt County in Book N-15, at page 467, default having been made in the payment of the notes therein described, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale before the Courthouse door, in the Town of Greenville, N. C.,

at public auction for cash on Monday, January 3, 1927, at 12:00 o'clock noon, the following described real estate:

All those certain lots of land lying and situated and being in the County of Pitt and State of North the town of Greenville and being lots Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in Block 'K' formerly owned by I. A. Lang on plat of land and known as part of Lang property as surveyed and platted by W. B. Fluharty, C. E., plat of which is on record in Pitt County, Register of Deeds Office in Plat Book 1, at page 207 to which said plat reference is hereby made for a more perfect and complete description by metes and bounds.

This the 2nd day of December, 1926.
W. H. Woolard, Trustee
Blount & James Attys.
3-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 9th day of February, 1923, by W. M. Monk, Benjamin W. Loughby and Lawrence Purvis, Trustees of I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 8706, Bell Arthur, North Carolina, to Julius Brown, Trustee, default in payment having been made, the undersigned will on the 27th day of December 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, before the court house door in Greenville, North Carolina, expose to public sale the following described tract of land: Lying and being in the town of Bell Arthur, Heaver Dam Township, Pitt County, N. C., and described as follows to wit: One part of lot No. 10 in Block G fronting 20 feet running back in depth 100 feet, lying and being in the town of Bell Arthur, N. C., and known and being the same lot where the Lodge No. 8706 now stands, and being the same land which was conveyed to I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 8706 by W. M. Monk and wife, which deed is recorded in Book E-14, page 56 of the Pitt County Registry.

Terms of sale, cash.
This the 22nd day of November, 1926.
Julius Brown, Trustee
23-11w-4w.

MORTGAGEES' SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the power vested in us by that mortgage which was executed to us on the 20th day of January, 1926, by J. W. Whitfield and wife, Annie Whitfield, and which mortgage is duly recorded in the Register's office for Pitt County in Book H-16, at page 60, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, we shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction at the Court House door in the Town of Greenville, at 12:00 o'clock noon, on Friday, December 31, 1926, the following described tract of real estate, lying, being and situate in Bethel Township, in the County of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to wit:

Bounded by the lands of J. L. G. Manning, R. D. Whitehurst et al and also bounded by Lots No. 2 and No. 3 and being lot No. 1 in the division of the Mary E. Whitfield land, and containing by estimate 64 acres, and being the same tract of land conveyed to Martha Whitfield by Mary E. Whitfield by that deed of record in Book G-11 page 84 of the Pitt County Registry, and the same land upon which J. W. Whitfield and wife, Annie Whitfield, now reside.

This the 29th day of November, 1926.
Z. V. Bunting,
Sallie L. Bunting, Mortgagees
Albion Dunn, Atty.
30-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of that certain order made in the case entitled Edward Jolly, individual, vs. Richard Irvin Jolly by Edward Jolly, Guardian, vs. J. H. W. Whitehurst, Lulu J. Whitehurst, Guardian for Margaret E. Whitehurst, and Lulu J. Whitehurst, individually, the same being S. P. N. 2721, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, the undersigned as Commissioner will offer for cash to the highest bidder at public auction, on Monday, December 20, 1926, at 12:00 o'clock noon, the following described lands, to-wit: Lying and being situate in Bethel Township, Pitt County, being part of the lands described in deed made by J. A. Manning, Sr. to Courtney Whitehurst, bearing date August 6, 1888, and recorded in Book Y-4, at page 13, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a corner, the lines of Henry Long and Kelly Whitehurst, and running North 76-00 West, 74 Rods to the line of Sam Whitehurst; thence with the line of the said Sam Whitehurst, North 28-00 East, 52 Rods to the line of R. W. A. Manning; thence with the line of R. W. A. Manning, South 81-00 East, 50 Rods to the line of Henry Long; thence with the line of Henry Long South 3-00 West, 56 Rods to the beginning point and containing 20 3-4 acres, more or less, by an actual survey made by J. S. I. Ward, Public Surveyor, on December 19th, 1925.

This the 18th day of November, 1926.
M. K. Blount, Commissioner
20-11w-4w.

NOTICE

North Carolina—Pitt County
In the Superior Court
Shirley Givens
vs.
Lula Givens

The defendant, Lula Givens, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt County to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. The said Lula Givens will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County on the 18th day of December 1926, or within twenty days thereafter and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 15th day of November, 1926.
J. F. Harrington,
Clerk of Superior Court.
By E. F. Tucker, D. C.
Julius Brown,
Atty for Plaintiff.
16-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed by H. D. Barnhill to C. L. Everett, Trustee, under date of March 24, 1925, as will appear by reference to Book H-16, page 525, in the office of the Register of Deeds in Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the note therein described, the undersigned Trustee will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public auction before the court house door in the Town of Greenville, N. C., on Wednesday, December 20, 1926, at 12:00 o'clock noon, the following described real estate:

That part of lot No. 38 in the plan of the Town of Greenville, beginning at a stake, the South-east corner of the lot, sold by C. M. Bernard and wife, Lucy G. Bernard, to Julia Sutton on First or Fourth Street and running Easterly with said street 22 feet, thence Northerly parallel with Julia Sutton's line 175 feet, thence Westerly 22 feet to said Julia Sutton's line, thence with said line Southerly to said Street, the beginning, containing 1-12 acre, more or less; and the same land deeded by Julia Sutton et al, to David Barnhill under date of April 11, 1922, of record in Book I-9, page 568.

This the 26th day of November, 1926.
C. L. Everett, Trustee
Blount & James Attys.
25-11w-4w.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed by T. E. Johnson W. L. Vaughan, Trustee, on the 8th day of November, 1919, which deed of trust appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in book 1-13, page 563, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction before the court house in Greenville on Friday, December 31, 1926, at noon, the following described land to wit:

That tract of land in Pactolus township, known as lot No. 3 in the division of the lands of the late J. G. B. Grimes. For accurate description reference is made to said division, which appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Map Book No. 2, page 64. tract No. 3 containing 19.5 acres.

This December 1st, 1926.
W. L. VAUGHAN,
Trustee
F. G. James & Son, Attorneys.

LAND SALE

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County, made in Special Proceedings, No. 2733, entitled G. W. Pittman, G. H. Pittman, et. als, ex parte, the undersigned Commissioner will sell at public auction, before the court house in Greenville at noon on Friday, December 31st, 1926 the following described lands to wit:

1st Tract. Lying and being situated in Fountain township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Charles E. Pittman, the land of Robert Pittman and others and being lot No. 3 in the division of the lands of Geo. W. Pittman, containing 21 acres more or less.

2nd Tract. That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Farmville township, Pitt County, North Carolina, beginning at a stake in the road, corner of lot No. 1, thence along said road 12 poles to a stake, corner lot No. 3, thence S. 76 1-3 W. along the line of lot No. 3 to little Contentnea Creek, thence with said Creek to corner of lot No. 1; thence with line of lot 1, N. 72 1-3 E. to the beginning containing 21 acres, more or less and known as lot No. 2 of the G. W. Pittman home place.

This sale is for partition among the heirs at law of the late Robert Pittman. Terms will be cash.
This December 1st, 1926.
F. G. JAMES,
Commissioner

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of that certain order made by Hon. J. F. Harrington, Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County in S. P.

No. 2720, entitled Lulu J. Whitehurst, Minnie Manning and husband, Oscar Manning, vs. Margaret G. Jones and husband, R. E. Jones, John Pearly Whitehurst, Russell Whitehurst, Thelma Whitehurst, Roy Whitehurst and Elizabeth Courtney Whitehurst, the last four named being minors and represented by J. H. W. Whitehurst, Guardian and J. H. W. Whitehurst, individually, the undersigned Commissioner and Executrix, will offer for sale, before the court house door in the Town of Greenville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, December 20, 1926, at 12:00 o'clock noon, the following described lands, to-wit:

Lying and being in the County and State aforesaid, in Bethel Township, about 3 miles West of the Town of Bethel, adjoining the lands of T. A. Whitfield, on the North by the Edgecombe County line, and on the West by Centoe Creek, by Jenkin's land on the South, and on the Andrews and Corey Land on the East, containing about 161 acres, more or less and being that part of the old home place owned by J. H. G. Manning at the time of his death.

This the 18th day of November, 1926.
Lulu J. Whitehurst,
Commissioner and Executrix
20-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of power vested in me by that Deed of Trust which was executed to me on the 21st day of January, 1924, by Calvin McLawhorn and wife, Nancy McLawhorn, and which is duly recorded in the Register's office for Pitt County in Book G-15, page 233; default having been made in the payment of several of the notes in said Trust secured, I shall offer for sale at Public Auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door, in the Town of Greenville at 12 o'clock noon, Monday, December 20, 1926, the following described parcels of real estate, lying, being and situate in Ayden Township, in the County of Pitt, and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

Lot No. 2 containing 9.91 acres.
Lot No. 3 containing 9.85 acres.
Lot No. 4 containing 11.6 acres.
Lot No. 5 containing 11.6 acres.
Lot No. 6 containing 10.5 acres.
Lot No. 7 containing 10.5 acres.
Lot No. 8 containing 10.75 acres.
Lot No. 9 containing 10.75 acres.

All of said lands are particularly described on that certain map of the Calvin and Nancy McLawhorn lands which was made by W. C. Dresbach, surveyor, on January 1st, 1924, which said map is duly recorded in the Register's office for Pitt County, and to which reference is made for a more certain description.

This the 18th day of November, 1926.
George Prescott, Trustee
Albion Dunn, Atty.
18-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust, dated November 25th, 1919, as appears of record in Book M-13, at page 80, of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, executed by M. C. Ferrell, Trustee, to J. I. Simmons, Trustee; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, and application having been made to the undersigned Trustee pursuant to the terms of said deed of trust, the undersigned Trustee, will on Saturday, the 18th day of December, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, before the court house door, in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tracts or parcels of land, to-wit:

All those certain tracts of land lying, situated and being in the county of Pitt and State of North Carolina, near the town of Grimes, land, and being Nos. (2) two, (3) three, and (4) four, containing 291 91-100 acres, Two Hundred, Ninety-one and Ninety-one one hundredths acres, on plot of land formerly owned by Lew's Mills, and known as R. O. Jeffress land, as surveyed and plotted by Sherman Clodfelter, a plot of which is on record in Pitt County, Register of Deeds office in Book 2, page 81, to which said plot reference is hereby made for a more perfect description.

Tract No. 2, contains 104 acres
Tract No. 3 contains 86 60-100 acres.
Tract No. 4 contains 101 31-100 acres, making a total of 291 91-100 acres.

This sale is made to satisfy the indebtedness secured in said deed of trust and the purchaser will be required to make a deposit of ten per cent on the day of the sale to await confirmation of said sale.

This the 16th day of November, 1926.
J. L. Simmons, Trustee
Skinner, Cooper & Whedbee, Attorneys.
18-11w-4w.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by W. A. Mills to W. B. Harper, Administrator of C. O. Harper, deceased, bearing date of January 15, 1921, which said mortgage appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book Y-13, at page 125, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secur-

ed, the undersigned mortgagee will on Monday, the 20th day of December, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, before the courthouse door in Pitt County, expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Situate in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, lying on the West of the public road leading from Black Jack to Vanceboro and bounded on the East by the lands of Mattie L. Harpe, on the West by the lands formerly owned by Calvin Mills, on the North by the lands of G. W. Mills and on the South by the lands of R. M. Williams, containing 22 acres, more or less, and being the tract of land upon which the said W. A. Mills and family reside.

This the 4th day of December, 1926.
W. B. Harper, Admr.
C. O. Harper, Mtgee
P. C. Harding, Atty.
5-11w-2w.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed by Claude Edward, and wife, Annie Edwards, to F. J. Forbes, Trustee, on the 19th day of November, 1923, which deed of trust was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book B-15, page 546, the undersigned trustee will sell at public auction, for cash, before the court house in Greenville on Monday, January 10th, 1927, the following described tract of land, to-wit:

Situate in Chicod township, said county and state, adjoining the lands of Dr. C. M. Jones, J. O. Proctor and Bro., and others, being a part of lot No. 5 of the division of the Stanley A. Arnold land, plat of which division being recorded in Map Book No. 2, page 135, in the public register of Pitt County, containing 15 acres.

This December 10th, 1926.
F. J. Forbes, Trustee
F. G. James & Son, Attys.
11-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Edgar Barnes and wife, Della Barnes to J. H. Taff, Trustee, on the 11th day of June, 1924, which said deed of trust appears of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in book E-15 at page 306, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned trustee will on Saturday the 8th day of January, 1927, at 12 noon, before the courthouse door in Pitt County, expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Being lot No. 7 in Block G of the Beverdale Subdivision as is shown on map made by D. C. James Surveyor, on April 29, 1914, recorded in map book No. 2 at page 36 in the public registry of Pitt County, and being the same lot conveyed to Edgar Barnes an dwife by deed recorded in book C-15 at page 191. This the 3rd day of December, 1926.

J. B. TAFT, Trustee
J. J. Perkins,
Owner of Debt
F. C. Harding, Attorney

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust, executed by Stella R. Forbes and husband, R. A. Forbes, to F. R. Dudley, Trustee, under date of January 7, 1926, as will appear by reference to Book H-16, page 2, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the note therein described, the undersigned Trustee will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction before the court house door in the Town of Greenville, N. C., on Wednesday, December 29, 1926, at 12:00 o'clock noon, the following described real estate:

Situate and being in the Town of Greenville, North Carolina, at the corner of Paris Avenue and Myrtle Street and fronting 50 feet on Paris Avenue and 150 feet on Myrtle Street and being lot No. 7 in Block 'J', as shown and designated on the plat of Higgs Brothers property made by Desbach and Clark, Civil Engineers in January 1910, which said map or plat is of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book M-3, at page 256, and being the same property described in the deed from R. A. Forbes to Stella R. Forbes, dated December 18th, 1920 and recorded in Book J-13, at page 418, Pitt County Registry.

This the 26th day of November, 1926.
F. R. Dudley, Trustee
Blount & James, Attys.
29-11w-4w.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of E. A. Johnson, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This December 4, 1926.
MAGGIE A. JOHNSON
Administratrix

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Market Report

GRAIN CLOSE
Chicago, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Grains closed generally higher today. Wheat up 1-2 at 1 1-2c; corn 3-8 to 5-8c lower; oats 1-4 to 3 cents higher.

Wheat started 3-8 to 3-4c lower and immediately declined further and to new low prices on the present movement. Continued weakness at Liverpool was the depressing factor. Estimated receipts here were 50 cars.

Corn opened unchanged to 1-4c better under light offerings. Trade was fairly broad, local, were busy. Estimated receipts were 33 cars.

Oats started unchanged to 1-4c lower. Trade was rather light and featureless. Locals sold moderately but the offering were well taken. Trade was moderate. Estimated receipts were 61 cars.

Provisions were easier.

COTTON
New York, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Cotton closed steady today; 8 to 13 points up; spots up, 12.50.

Dec.	12.22	12.33	12.22	12.33
Jan.	11.87	12.01	11.86	11.97
Feb.	12.09	12.26	12.09	12.21
Mar.	12.34	12.48	12.32	12.44
Apr.	12.54	12.68	12.53	12.61
May	12.71	12.83	12.41	12.78

MARKET LETTER
New York, Dec. 13.—(INS)—In view of the better grade of industrial and railroad stocks was the outstanding factor in the stock market today. Demand for stocks of this class created buoyant tone, the market as a whole. The pre motor show move in motor stocks continued under the lead of Chrysler, and stocks in this group were firm in the face of rather drastic cuts in price, of a well known make of cars.

The call loan rate advanced from 4 1-2 to 5 per cent; but funds were available under that rate in the outside market.

Chrysler succeeded Nash in the leader of the motor share group. Huge block of this stock appeared on the tape of the unanticipated advance of the stock to above 41 completing a 7 point rise on the move. General Motor, again oc-



This is Cardinal Vannutelli, dean of the College of Cardinals and oldest living member of the Papal government. This picture was made in Rome on his ninetieth birthday, December 5.

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Found



Kenneth G. Ormiston, radio operator, wanted in connection with the conspiracy charges brought against Aimee Semple McPherson (below), Los Angeles evangelist, was found at Harrisburg, Pa. Mrs. McPherson was alleged to have been with Ormiston at the time she told police she had been kidnaped.

case government.

The Mexican Foreign Office cleverly checkmated this move by offering recognition to the Saca government as "the legal and constitutional" government of Nicaragua.

Mexico is a sovereign nation and is entitled to sell arms to any recognized government in the world. Hence 2,000 rifles were landed on the coast of Nicaragua last week under the very noses of the protecting American warships and marines. With all the legality on the side of the Mexicans, the State Department apparently did not care to risk an open clash by trying to stop the shipment.

The appeal of President Diaz to the world to come to his aid immediately followed.

The Diaz manifesto, expected to create intense resentment in Mexico City, and Washington, is anticipating the accusation that the document was inspired, if not actually written, by the State Department's representatives.

It will, in any event, impose a further strain on, the already severely strained relations between Mexico, City and Washington.

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TAKE STEPS MAKE AVIATION SAFER

Government Erects Altitude Chamber For Testing Efficiency of Airplanes.

Washington, Dec. 11.—(INS)—Another step in the government's campaign to make air transportation safe was announced today by the U. S. Bureau of standards.

An altitude chamber in which aeronautical instruments may be tested under conditions equivalent to those 40,000 feet above the earth's surface has been perfected by the bureau.

Initial tests will simulate altitudes of not over 12,000 feet in important aeronautical instruments, such as mercury barometers, rate of climb indicators and height measuring devices, will be operated at conditions found in the higher atmosphere.

The chamber, a huge steel tank, permits an observer to make the synthetic flight along with the instruments, and thus take observations as to the behavior of measuring devices with greater accuracy.

The tank is the first and only one of its kind in existence and is said to meet a long felt need in aeronautical investigations.

By the use of pumps the air within the chamber is rarified to production conditions found in the high altitudes. The tank is equipped with an arrangement whereby low temperature may be obtained. Experts said that at 12,000 feet the temperature is normally 45 degrees lower than that on the surface and at 40,000 feet about sixty below zero.

When tests are made at simulated altitudes higher than 12,000 feet it will be necessary to feed oxygen into the tank to protect the life of the operator. Doctors also will be at hand to act in case of emergency.

Later an investigation is to be made by the bureau of the performance of radio receiving and sending apparatus from aircraft in the high altitude. In addition to the knowledge of the action of the equipment experts explained that additional data would be obtained on the vagaries of radio waves above the earth.

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Hunters Safe After Being Lost in Jungle For Seven Months

Capetown, S. A., Dec. 13.—(INS)—Dr. H. L. Magoon, formerly of Chicago, and Dr. Van W. MacMillan of Birmingham, Ala., have arrived here after having been lost in the African wilds for almost seven months.

The two Americans, set forth on a big game hunt, and dismissed their guide for incompetency and fought their way through the

SAYS WORK WAR DEBT COMMISSION IS NOW COMPLETE

Washington, Dec. 13.—(INS)—Congress has been advised by secretary of the Treasury Mellon that the World War Debt Commission is practically complete and that there is no occasion, for extension of its life, it was learned today.

The commission expires February 1, unless extended by congress.

If the occasion should arise subsequently to undertake negotiations covering debts not yet funded, the matter might be handled informally by the Secretary of the Treasury and such former members of the debt commission as are in Washington, Mellon said.

Only the Greek, Russian, Liberian and Armenian debts remain unsettled so far as commission is concerned. Russia is not recognized. Armenia has ceased to exist as a government and the Liberian debt is but \$20,000.

Greece has asked further advance prior to settlement of its debt and this could not be granted by the commission without specific authority from Congress.

Rum Runner to Be Returned to New Orleans

New Orleans, Dec. 13.—(INS)—The French rum schooner Arsonne J. on which assistant prohibition administrator J. B. Matthews and petty officer Eugene Handley of the coast guard were missing for a week after the vessel disappeared during a gale off Southwest Pass November 29 will be returned to New Orleans in custody of coast guard cutter SO within a fortnight, according to prediction in official circles, today.

Prohibition administrator O. D. Jackson, expects instructions from Washington today in which he will have orders to Matthews relative to the latter's return to New Orleans.

In that event Matthews and Handley would return aboard a cutter with the prize on which they were buffeted about in the Gulf of Mexico for several days in a gale waiting for patrol boats to obtain fuel supplies before being brought into New Orleans.

It was said in dispatches from Mexico City that "every thing has been cleared up." The French embassy at Washington will interpose no objection to the return of the vessel here because it is said, French registry is invalid.

Just about the time the old man gets through settling up the bills from last Christmas, along comes someone to remind him that there are only 15 shopping days till Christmas.—Gadsden Times.

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