

WEATHER REPORT
Cloudy and slightly colder on the south coast tonight. Friday cloudy followed by rain.

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SEEK TO EMPower ROOSEVELT TO MAKE ECONOMIES

House Leaders Move To Give New Yorker Power To Slash U. S. Expenses

TWO SCHEMES ARE DRAWING MUCH INTEREST

South-wide Movement To Improve Condition of Growers Gets Underway; Legislative Control of the Crop at the Gin to Stabilize Marketing And Production Sought; Long-Talmadge Plan Considered

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—(AP)—Blanket authority to permit President-Elect Roosevelt to carry out wholesale economies in government expenditures after he takes office was proposed today by two Democratic House leaders.

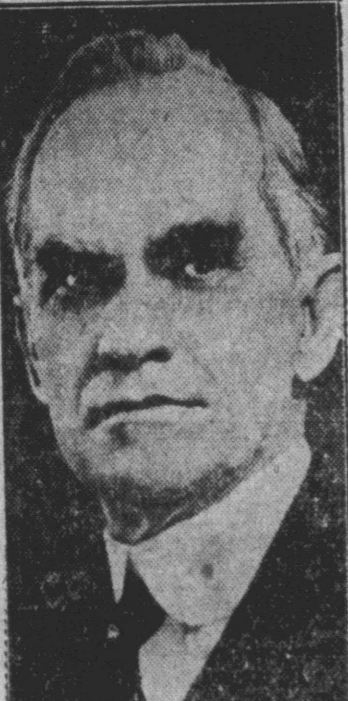
Representative Rainey, Democratic floor leader, and Chairman Byrns of the House Appropriations Committee today said that along with the beer tax and continuation of the Federal gasoline levy, it might be possible to bring the budget into balance if this authority is granted.

Rainey said the Democrats hoped that it will not be necessary to impose any irritating taxes, and that the House Ways and Means Committee would survey the situation next week.

"We can't trust the estimates of the present Treasury Department as to the income of the Federal government," Rainey said.

"The Republican Treasury Department will have to be cleaned out so we can get some reliable information," he said.

Speaker Candidate



This is a new picture of Rep. Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee, chairman of the house appropriations committee and candidate for speaker in the next congress. (Associated Press Photo)

Governors Talk Cotton At Memphis, Tenn.

SEEK FAIR TAX VALUES FOR COUNTY

Tax Relief Association Adopts Resolutions at Mass Meeting Here Today

Adopting four separate and distinct resolutions dealing with the operation of the county government, the Pitt County Tax Relief Association in a mass meeting at the courthouse this morning demanded that "farms and homes be placed on the tax books at their fair value under existing extraordinary circumstances in a fair effort to save the homes and farms from confiscation."

After adopting of the resolution dealing with the tax question, the meeting also adopted resolutions calling for discontinuance of the farm and home demonstration departments and the reduction of expenses of other governmental agencies in keeping with the depressed financial situation existing throughout the country at this time.

Another resolution asked that the county representatives in the General Assembly cause to be repealed (Continued on page four)

BABY SUBMARINE GIVEN TRIAL



A midget undersea craft invented by Simon Lake and designed for salvage work and other peaceful pursuits was tested off City Island, New York, in the presence of scientists and engineers. Dr. William Beebe, naturalist, Lake and Frank Crilley, deep sea diver (left to right), are shown aboard the craft during the trial. The submersible, called the Explorer, is only 22 feet long and has a six-foot beam. (Associated Press Photo)

SPEAKERSHIP RACE HOLDING THE SPOTLIGHT

Several to Make Bid For Job When Legislature Opens Next Wednesday

Raleigh, Dec. 29.—(AP)—With the 1933 session of the North Carolina General Assembly convening here next Wednesday, the race for the speakership in the House will reach a climax the night before when the Democratic majority holds its caucus.

There will be only eight Republicans in the House and the man the Democrats nominate in their caucus will be elevated to the speakership in the organization of the legislative body.

In 1931 when there were only six members of the minority in the House, the Republicans made no efforts to have a say-so in the organization. When the speaker was (Continued on page four)

Single Workable Plan To Boost Prices Of Staple Sought At Conference

DR. PERKINS IS NAMED U. S. COMMISSIONER

Greenville Man Appointed by Judge Meekins to Succeed T. E. Beaman

Dr. J. W. Perkins, former practicing physician and prominent Greenville business man, has been appointed U. S. Commissioner here to succeed Thomas E. Beaman, who was arrested several weeks ago on a charge of accepting bribes from bootleggers and conspiracy to violate the prohibition law, it was reported in official circles here today.

The appointment was made by Judge Meekins at Washington several days following the arrest of Beaman, it was said, but did not become generally known in official (Continued on page four)

TWO LEADERS ASK 'BLANKET' AUTHORITY

Rainey and Byrns Believe That if President-Elect is Given This Authority it Will be Possible to Bring the Budget Into Balance; Would Clean Out Republican Treasury and Find Out What is Happening

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 29.—(AP)—A single workable plan to boost the price of cotton was sought by governors of the principal cotton producing States as a South-wide conference on the problem was opened here today.

As the conference began two proposals evolved yesterday by the executive committee were laid before the governors and their representatives.

One scheme favored by a majority of the executive committee would exercise legislative control of the crop at the gin to stabilize production and marketing.

The Long-Talmadge cotton holiday for 1934 was favored by a majority of the committee. The plan received its name after its originators, U. S. Senator Huey Long, of Louisiana, who was governor of that State at the time, and Governor-Elect Talmadge, of Georgia, who suggested the late for its application.

Year Of Chaos Fails To Daunt China's Leaders

By MORRIS J. HARRIS

Shanghai, Dec. 29.—(AP)—As 1933 nears China looks back upon a year of tragedy and turmoil, but finds herself with the gravest of her international and domestic problems unsolved.

Leaders refuse to hazard a guess as to what the New Year will bring to this sick giant of Asia, but all profess confidence that in the end—meaning few years or many—the big world problems now centering in eastern Asia will be settled and, for the great part, according to the dictates of China.

Manchuria Faces Chaos

Japan's military occupation of Manchuria and institution of the protected state of Manchukuo constituted the greatest foreign threat to China since the disastrous Sino-Japanese war in the closing years of the previous century.

As 1932 passes, Manchuria volunteers continue to press the latest empire's officials. The coming year promises to be one of chaos there even while the League of Nations tries to settle the problem.

In memory, too, exists the assault which Japan launched upon Shanghai late last January. For six weeks an army of more than 50,000 backed by a naval armada, was held at bay by the Chinese nineteenth route army. Eventually there was a truce.

Race Losses Counted

What was gained remains a matter of opinion. Japan says she broke the Chinese boycott. China declares she showed the world that her soldiers on defense were equal to those of any other nation.

The principal results were huge losses of lives and property.

But Shanghai has traveled a long way along the comeback road and today, under increased tariffs, is the source of a river of revenue for the Nanjing regime.

Home Politics Mixed

Domestically the unity of China continues more of a theory than a fact. The powerful clique in control of Canton maintains only a nominal allegiance to Nanjing. The central provinces are aflame with communism; the north has too many troubles of its own to permit it to give active aid to Nanjing.

HOOVER GOES FOR BIG GAME

President Speeds up Fishing Trip in Florida and Enters Atlantic

With President Hoover in Florida inland passage, Dec. 29.—(AP)—President Hoover speeded up the leisurely Southern cruise of his fishing fleet today in an effort to reach deep sea fishing grounds off Palm Beach tonight instead of tomorrow and to get in an extra day of angling.

Acting under orders to hoist anchors even before daybreak, the Presidential flotilla turned from an outlet of the Florida inland passage into the open Atlantic in the vicinity of Fort Pierce.

Lawrence Richey, one of Mr. Hoover's secretaries, explained that the unexpected speed was the result of the Chief Executive's decision that the deep sea hunt of the game fish might as well be reached as soon as possible.

The luck of the fleet so far had not been so good.

STATE RIVERS ON A RAMPAGE

Roanoke, Neuse and Cape Fear Reported at Flood Stage From Rains

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 29.—(AP)—North Carolina rivers surged into flood today as light rain continued to fall in most sections of the State and water-soaked pieces of mountain-side had slipped across railroads and highways in several places in the western part of the State.

Lee A. Denson, in charge of the U. S. Bureau here, said all streams in the west were rising. Most are approaching, or are already slightly past the flood stage, he said. Damage will be small unless rains continue, he added.

The Roanoke River, approaching a fourteen-foot stage at Weldon, was expected to reach its crest tomorrow with water nine feet above flood stage. The Neuse was almost two feet out of its banks at Smithfield with a fifteen and a half foot stand, and will probably go to sixteen feet tomorrow.

At Elizabethtown the lower Cape Fear was close to sixteen feet—four feet above flood stage—with indications it would rise a foot more before tomorrow.

ARREST MAN FOR SHOOTING

Jesse Whitehurst Held Here Today For Beaufort County Authorities

Jesse Whitehurst of Beaufort county, wanted by the Washington authorities in connection with a shooting affair during the Christmas holidays was arrested by Pitt county officers in Pictolus township last night.

Washington police were notified of the capture this morning and were expected to come to Greenville sometime today to take Whitehurst back to Beaufort county to face trial.

Whitehurst, who officers said was visiting an uncle in Pictolus was standing in a store when Deputy Sheriff Herbert Harris drove up to the front of the place in quest of his man. Whitehurst was said to have rushed to the door and made an attempt to escape but Harris was upon him before he barely got outside the building and placed him under arrest.

Although the nature of the charge against the prisoner had not been fully determined here it was understood he was wanted for assaulting another man with a shotgun during the Christmas holidays. He escaped immediately after the shooting, and nothing had been heard of his whereabouts until he was tracked to the home of his uncle by local officers last night.

Naval Enlistments

New Bern, Dec. 29.—Among the fifteen young men recently enlisted in the navy through the office here were Lockhart Wilson Joyner, of Windsor; George Graham Stevenson, of Washington, and Howard Haskett Rhodes, of Stonewall.

CUPID PUSHES ASSAULT HERE

God of Love Renews Attack After Setting Record During Christmas.

Not content with sending a record number of couples to the altar prior to and during the Christmas holidays Dan Cupid continued today his assault on the hearts of the lovers of this community, it was revealed by records in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Although the mythological god of love, like the remainder of the community, took two or three days off for observance of the Christmas holidays, it was indicated by the issuance of three licenses to marry here yesterday that he intended carrying on his activities until the first of the year, if not longer.

The shortage of money may trouble some people, employees of the office of the Register of Deeds said today, but not Cupid, who is no respecter of seasons or economic conditions, and is as apt to start a campaign during periods of depressions as in the best of times.

Two of the couples applying for licenses yesterday were white and one colored. Two of them came from Greenville Township and one from Chicod. They were:

William Dawson to Miss Ida Herrin, both of Chicod Township.

Bruce Tyson to Miss Lela Earle Taylor, of Greenville.

Negier Hines to Carrie Magie, colored, of Farmville.

The heart assault has touched nearly every section of Pitt County and was expected to set up a new record for the season of the year as it did before Christmas. The major part of the applications was made by white people, although quite a number of colored couples found their way to the altar.

KILLS TWO AND THEN HIMSELF

Florida Man Commits Crime in an Effort to See His Wife At Miami

Miami, Fla., Dec. 29.—(AP)—Raleigh E. Still, 32-year-old mechanical engineer, shot and killed his six-year-old son, his brother-in-law, wounded his mother-in-law and then ended his own life after he attempted to see his estranged wife last night.

Mrs. R. P. Parnell, widow of the brother-in-law, said Still came once to the home, inquired for his wife, and then left when he was told she was not there. Shortly afterward, she told officers, he returned with a pistol.

ROOSEVELT TO VIEW FINANCES

President-Elect to View Nation's Problems Before Taking Office

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 29.—(AP)—With the end of his time as governor of New York only two days away, President-Elect Roosevelt was clearing his desk for his successor, Lieutenant-Governor Herbert Lehman.

Injured Youth Resting Quietly

Wesley Johnston, nine-year-old son of Mrs. F. V. Johnson, who received a broken back when hit by an automobile at the intersection of Fourth and Biltmore Streets yesterday afternoon, was reported to be getting along as well as could be expected today at Pitt Community Hospital where he was carried immediately after the accident.

Although his condition was considered serious, physicians held out hope for his recovery.

The youth, who had been skating with several playmates, started across Fourth Street in route home when he was struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. Maybell Edmundson, of Scotland Neck. His back was believed to have been broken when the car swerved across the curbing into a vacant lot, dragging the youth underneath the machine.

FOOD INDUSTRIES SHOW RESISTANCE TO TRADE SLUMP

(Year-End Review)
By C. M. CHESTER
(President, General Foods Corporation)

New York, Dec. 29.—(AP)—An expenditure of about 30 per cent of our national income was required in 1932 to feed our people. This demand has given work, directly or indirectly, to about half of the people now employed.

The latest available government statistics for food and kindred products show that employment stood at 87.1 per cent of the basic average—that of the twelve months of 1926. In manufacturing industries as a whole, employment was down to 59.9 per cent. Payroll totals stood at 69.7 per cent, against 39.9 per cent for general industry.

Compared with industrial classifications generally the food companies have resisted the onslaughts of depression seasonably well, according to figures for the first nine months of 1932.

The industry has had its disturbing factors during the year, but we believe that they are largely of temporary significance due to the current business situation, and do not destroy the long range outlook for this relatively basic business.

During the last three years millions of people have returned to the farm, and more millions are raising their own vegetables and fruits. Commodity prices have experienced drastic declines. There have been price disturbances and uncommodically low inventories.

These factors have appeared during other major depressions, however, and should begin to clear up with any return of buying power and confidence. The industry has reduced operating expenses, and many companies appear to be "quick on their feet" ready to take advantage of shifting conditions.

Improves After Fall From Horse

Judson Blount, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Blount, who was painfully injured when he fell from a horse yesterday afternoon was reported as resting quietly at the home of his parents today.

The youth was said to have received a broken bone above the wrist when the saddle slipped and he fell from the animal.

PUSH M'COIN PROBE IN MD.

Henderson Police Head Goes to Hagerstown to Confer With Authorities

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 29.—(AP)—J. H. Langston, chief of police of Henderson, arrived here today and went into conference with Capt. J. J. Cassidy, of the Hagerstown police, over the disappearance of R. S. McCain, prominent Henderson attorney.

The North Carolina man, according to an anonymous letter, was killed in Virginia and his body buried near Hagerstown.

Henderson, N. C., Dec. 29.—(AP)—Indication that R. S. McCain had supposed something might happen to him and an expression of belief by Virginia authorities that he had not been murdered, today heightened the mystery surrounding the Henderson attorney's disappearance.

Meanwhile, however, there was no let-up in the effort to trace clues contained in an anonymous letter which described how the man was slain and his body buried off the highway between Hagerstown and Uniontown, Pa.

Late News Flashes

McCain Seen in Columbus
Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 29.—(AP)—The possibility that former State Senator R. S. McCain of Henderson was in Columbus Christmas was being probed by police here today.

McCain disappeared from Henderson, N. C., December 22.

Assistant Detective Thomas Scully of the Columbus police department reported today that a person whose name he withheld had told him that a man resembling a postcard photo of McCain was in Columbus the night of December 24.

Scully reported this development to North Carolina authorities and asked them to send him another picture of the missing man.

Desires McCain's Body
Henderson, Dec. 29.—(AP)—A. B. Webster, business associate of the missing R. S. McCain, Henderson attorney, today desired McCain had bought two \$1,000 bonds and given them to his wife because "he was afraid something might happen."

A report from Raleigh the attorney and member of the State Advisory Budget Commission had purchased two North Carolina State bonds which could have been turned into immediate cash, was denied.

The report said the 60-year-old man made the purchase for the protection of his wife "if anything happens to me."

Webster said McCain did buy on November 15, one \$1,000 bond which he gave to his wife and that a check of his private papers revealed the attorney paid a \$500 debt on a personal note at the First National Bank here December 21, the day before he disappeared, showing he was not leaving with a lot of cash.

Schooner in Distress
Norfolk, Dec. 29.—(AP)—The schooner Edna Hoyt is in distress off Diamond Shoals lightship as Cape Hatteras, according to a message (Continued on page four)

NEW REGULATIONS FOR UTILITIES URGED

Charlotte, Dec. 29.—Work of obtaining signatures to petitions to be presented to the North Carolina Legislature which meets next month, seeking new regulatory legislation for public utility corporations, has been completed, C. A. Mees, president of the Fair Utility Association, said last night.

Although no complete check-up has been made, it is understood that approximately 30,000 signatures have been obtained.

Mr. Mees is still working on the draft of the proposed legislation and he already has received requests from legislators to be permitted to use his legislative proposals for introduction in the House.

Officials of the association have not yet decided upon the member of the House who will be asked to sponsor the legislative proposals. The officials are confident that they have a majority of the House membership favorable to the bill. The fight on it, if any develops, is expected to come in the senate.

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ABOUT TOWN

It will be interesting to the public generally to note that President-elect Roosevelt is credited with being opposed to a general sales tax. Although Mr. Roosevelt has not revealed his position on the question, it is said by those close to him that he is opposed to any kind of sales tax principles.

The incoming president evidently realizes that the people have just about all the tax burden they are able to carry and hopes to be able to raise additional revenue for balancing the nation's budget from some other source.

The position is entirely opposite to that of President Hoover and will undoubtedly receive general favor throughout the country, especially by that great mass of people who know that taxation affecting everybody would increase the burden deplored so widely throughout the nation.

The Kiwanians have hit upon a happy idea of how to carry Christmas cheer to those who would know little of the joys of the Yuletide without public effort.

Visiting the East Carolina Training School for boys at Rocky Mount the first of the week. Kiwanians of two divisions distributed gifts to the youngsters and then heard interesting accounts of what the institution is doing to improve their condition.

The school is of a correctional nature—for the handling of boys coming before juvenile and higher courts and whatever the public does for their benefit should play an important part in moulding their future lives.

Greenville Kiwanians provided for fifteen youngsters, nine of whom were from this county, the remainder coming from surrounding counties without Kiwanian clubs.

The Christmas party idea at the school was such a pronounced success that it is hoped to make next year's affair more extensive than this year. It at least reveals to the young men confined there that they are being thought of by benevolent organizations and are not social outcasts because of being sent there for training.

East Carolina Teachers College hopes to have more success in basketball than it did in football, and with the addition of "Runt" Bostic former high school star, hopes to be able to set something of a record this season.

The collegians making their first bow on the gridiron the past season were vanquished in the majority of games, but in basketball they believe the story will be an entirely different one.

It requires time to build sports machines just like it does anything else and the young men should not be discouraged if they do not come out with as many games to their credit as desired. This will come later when they have gained greater experience and material necessary to a brilliant showing. They should bear in mind that they are contacting schools that have been in the game for many years and have assembled some of the best material in their respective fields of sports. In later years the collegians should be able to offer stiff competition for the best of them.

The death of Bishop Cheshire at Charlotte was received with profound sorrow throughout the state and in other states also.

He was one of the best known figures in the religious life of the state for many years and his death brought to an end a colorful career of service to humanity.

Men of this type are always a distinct loss to the community in which they live, but the principles which they followed in everyday life will remain forever to guide the footsteps of others straining their arms to catch the torch left by such leaders.

The holidays are over just about, but Greenville business men continue to have large stocks of goods

Buying Barbara
by Julia Cleft-Adams Author of "YOU CAN'T MARRY"

SYNOPSIS: Farrell Armitage comes to a bargain with the girl he loves, Barbara Quentin, to put off for a year her marriage to brilliant, crippled Mark Lodely. Farrell agrees to try to cure Mark, and to launch him as an artist in that time, hoping that when Mark no longer excites Barbara's pity, her love for him will vanish. Farrell's aid is Lella Cane, who had expected Farrell to propose to her. In a fit of cruelty Mark has given Barbara an emerald which Barbara and Farrell learn had once been Lella's—by finding a portrait Mark did of Lella.

Chapter 16
THE VICAR'S POND

The Reverend Hayden Frere sat beside his pond and stirred in it with a muddy stick.

From the banks of the pond, which was at the bottom of the garden, he could look out over Kings Mallard and meditate upon the fifteen thousand destinies which, bounded by the golden bay and the purple hills, wove their ways in and out of that strange pattern that is daily life.

Round him, as he sat and dabbled absently, the garden lay neglected and wild. For—"I will not be known as a sanctimonious old man who loses roses and children," he would vow to his intimates. "And other kind of saintly old man, if you must, but not the kind that dodders round with a basket and a pruning knife; and I don't like children—or only a very few, very clean ones. I like the creatures in my pond."

A step behind him made him turn—and his stick nearly slid into the water.

"You know you're being selfish, vicar, and you're ashamed of yourself," declared Lella Cane, advancing upon him.

"I say, Lella—watch that creature behind the big green stone—I'll send him over to the bank." (The stick plunged and tapped.) "There now. There he goes. What'd you think of him?"

"I think he's very well suited to his disgusting little pool."

"No, no, he's not so bad. Watch him peer at me round that old tin. Now, does he remind you of anyone?"

"Yes. Of father."

The vicar began to laugh again and laughed until he had to wipe tears from his eyes.

"You are a mischievous old thing," smiled Lella, lighting a cigarette from a leather case. "But he certainly is a terribly like father." Amusement left her voice. "Like father, dodging and hiding and smirking at the bottom of his disgusting little pool." She jerked her neat head towards the town at her feet.

"Oh, no, my dear Lella! One pool, you know, is very like another. Kings Mallard, Toxter, London, New York all much the same except for size."

"I wish I had a pond."

"Aren't you going to marry Farrell?" asked the vicar.

"No. By the way, he's coming up presently to see you before he goes back to town," she added. "and I want a lift. You don't mind my wlaying him here?"

"Not at all. I was afraid you had come to tea." The old eyes twinkled relievedly. The vicar did not like tea, but almost every day some charitable matron or other made it her business to call and preside over the tray and the singing kettle.

"I never thought you would catch Farrell, when it came to the point," he added with that devastating frankness that glinted under his amiability like chain-mail under a silken skirt.

Lella flushed a little but smiled. This mischievous, incalculable, wise old man was the only human being for whom she felt any depth of affection; possibly because she was slightly afraid of him.

"But you—you'd have given us your blessing if—"

"Of course, my dear, if you had asked it!" He touched her hand, gentleness itself. "Now, suppose you stop running after rich and wrong-headed young men and marry for love instead. It used to be fashionable, you know; it will be again. Fashions, I'm told, always come back. And you've got too much money already."

"Father's money. Every time I spend twenty shillings, nineteen of them—whisper together."

"I daresay they do." The vicar was tranquil. "They're plenty to whisper about."

"Vicar, do you know whom Farrell wants to marry?—Barbara Quentin. He's gone quite mad about her. No, not mad—granite-hard. Implacable purpose. Cave-man. He met her yesterday afternoon and proposed to her in the evening. They were out all night—"

"My dear Lella!"

"But they were! Arguing like hell. She kept on wiping her shoes on him and he kept on kissing them. Or words to that effect. He didn't come back to South-the-Water till nearly breakfast. I wish you'd seen father's face!" She threw a stone at the creature in the pond. "I've been roped in on Farrell's side—by

Farrell—and I expect you will be, too. That's one reason why I thought you'd better know about it."

"Ah!" said the vicar. "Thank you. But I'm not sure I am so easily roped."

Ridiculous, infantile tears had sprung to her eyes—and the old man looked up and saw them.

"I feel rather like that myself," he said in his quiet, indrawn voice. "My dear, dear boy... Some time ago I remember thinking that if he and Barbara Quentin met he might be attracted to her. Very powerfully attracted. I remember thinking what a tragedy that would make of his life—It's very disheartening to think that I've preached fortitude to others all these years and yet now here I sit without a shred of it... I am dismayed at the thought of tragedy for my boy."

"When you listen to him," remarked Lella, swallowing the petty jealousy, "you're not so sure about the tragedy part of it. He's dead sure he'll get her." She forced a laugh. "He doesn't reckon on Mark."

"He doesn't reckon on Barbara." The vicar stared down into Kings Mallard; Lella stared down into the pond. The sun was near the rim of a cloud and there was a chilly little wind. She got up.

"I'm getting bored with your pond. Let's walk indoors for Farrell."

"Yes, one does get bored with it," agreed the vicar, not moving. "But one comes back to it. And one gets angry and frightened about it, but still one comes back to it. You'll find that." He picked up his stick again and stirred violently; then leaned forward and watched the miniature upheaval in the little water-world—the obscurity, the emotion. "What did you really come to see me about?" he asked, suddenly shrewd.

"I wanted—I suppose I wanted you to give me advice. But I don't fancy you will."

"I think I have given you all the advice I can... Ha, there's little sugary-face darting about again! Do you want Farrell to marry Barbara Quentin, knowing that she doesn't love him?"

"Wouldn't it wipe out most of my problems?"

"No, my dear Lella, it would not. You have too nice a conscience for that."

"Vicar!"

"I beg your pardon, I forgot that it is an insult to youth to tell it that its spiritual fashions are fashions that have come back... What I am trying to remind you of is that even if Farrell marries Barbara—even if you marry Mark—"

"I can't talk about that," she muttered.

The vicar swung round in his seat and cooked a piercing bright eye up to hers.

"—you will still have to do something," he concluded tranquilly, "about those nineteen whispering shillings."

She stood silent. A slim, unyielding, tan-heated figure... It would be nice—in a way—to be what he thought her... She looked down the hillside and saw a distant, climbing car. Farrell's Dealet.

She said hurriedly, as though Farrell would stop her—

"He's butted in on their wedding, anyway. He told me Barbara had agreed to postpone marrying Mark for a year."

"When did she agree to this?"

"Last night."

"Then I think she must have changed her mind, because only an hour ago Mark Lodely was up here

asking me to marry them at nine o'clock next Thursday morning instead of at twelve, as previously arranged. He said, if I recollect, that he would be on his way to London and wouldn't want to be kept waiting."

"But Farrell told me that he'd made Barbara promise—"

"I don't think that any promise will effectively separate two people who genuinely intend to marry,"

THAT TECHNOCRACY QUESTION

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of six daily articles about Technocracy whose predictions of possible economic collapse started a far-fung controversy. The articles give a new insight into Technocracy and present other statistics pertaining to the displacement of men by machines, energy consumption, debts and other points involved.

By J. R. BRACKETT
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New York Dec. 29—(AP)—Energy is Technocracy's fundamental word. It is on the basis of the rapid increase in the use of energy that Howard Scott, Technocracy's director, has stated that drastic changes must be made in this economic system to save it from possible collapse.

Technocracy is the name of a group of engineers working at Columbia University in an "Energy Survey of North America," the purpose of which is simply, according to public statements, to make a technical analysis which, if successful, the Technocrats believe would indicate necessary corrections in the economic system.

Here is why Scott believes energy is so important.

(1) For all the years of man's history up to about 1800, he used the energy resources of the earth at about the rate of 2,000 calories per capita (a measure of energy) per day. He used little coal, no electricity, and scarcely any of the devices which need energy. Then suddenly the machines came, and today man uses about 150,000 calories per capita per day—a gain of 75 times.

(2) But, in the meantime, man did not change materially his methods of directing society. What change there was probably occurred at a rate similar to the rate at which it has changed in all history. In other words, energy flowed into the social mechanism at a rate entirely new in history, and society was not prepared to cope with that change.

(3) The result has been a disorderly and fluctuating use of energy, resulting in fluctuation in production of goods, depressions and unemployment. The nation has attempted to progress, figuratively speaking, in an ox-cart equipped with a 1,000 horsepower airplane engine. This, Technocracy believes, will become increasingly difficult.

Other economists have stressed the importance of power, but some of them object to the greater stress which Technocracy has given it. They further consider that a comparison between 1800 and now is not particularly revealing, pointing out that relatively speaking the nation made probably as astounding gains in the last century as in this one to date.

F. G. Tyron of the Institute of Economics in Washington has written that "the industrial production of a nation may be gauged by its use of power."

He calculated an index of energy consumption between 1899 and 1926 and found that, using 1899 as 100, consumption in United States increased to 310—about three times.

Going back to 1849 and using actual heat measurements, he calculated

that production in 1849, not including water power for which there were no figures, was 173 trillion B. T. U., a measure of energy; that by 1899, including water power, it was 7,246 trillion B. T. U., and in 1923, it was 24,434 trillion B. T. U.

Technocracy's statistics are that total energy production in 1840 was 75 trillion B. T. U. and that it was 27,000 trillion B. T. U. in 1929—a gain of 353 times.

Technocracy said most of this increase has occurred since 1900, when, according to Technocracy, production was 2,640 trillion B. T. U. This figure compares to Tryon's 7,246 trillion B. T. U. for 1899. The two groups of statistics may not be exactly comparable, due to differences in methods of computation. They are similar for the last decade, however.

Neither set of figures make comparable calculations relating the growth of energy to growth in population. Since population increased, the per capita gain of energy was not as great as the total gain.

Tyron calculated that energy consumed increased at about the rate of 5 to 7 per cent per year after 1899, as compared to an increase in the physical volume of production of 4 per cent per year. Comparing 1899 to 1916, Tyron found that population gained a total of 36 per cent; physical volume of agricultural, manufacturing, and mining production, and railroad transportation increased a total of 80 per cent, and energy production 105 per cent.

As to what machines used this energy, Carroll Roop Daugherty, in a U. S. Geological Survey Bulletin, has calculated that, using 1899 as 100, capacity to use power increased from 6 to 1900 if automobiles are included. If autos are not included, the change was from 16 to 399.

This indicates that much more than half of the consumption of energy was accounted for by the automobiles in using oil and gas, and that by excluding autos from the general computations of B. T. U., the gains would not seem so important as an influence on production.

Farrell drives away with Lella, tomorrow, and struggles to forget a certain darning emerald.

to the main road; thence said main road a west course to the beginning, containing 35 acres more or less known as a part of the Shade Adams land as conveyed by W. F. Carroll and wife to Dennis Wilson by deed recorded in Book J-9 at page 308.

This the 10th day of Dec. 1932. S. O. Worthington, Trustee. Dec. 13.1tw-4wk

NOTICE OF SALE
UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Mary B. Dail and husband, W. H. Dail Jr. to William Montgomery and J. Harry Cunningham, Trustees, on the 16th day of September, 1929, as appears of record in Book D-18 at page 226, of the Register of Deeds office of Pitt County, and pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County entered on the 13th day of October, 1932, by His Honor J. Paul Frizelle, as appears of record in Minute Book No. 30 at page 57, of the office of the Clerk of Pitt Superior Court; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured in said deed of trust, and the terms and conditions thereof violated, and demand having been made upon the undersigned Trustees to advertise and foreclose, and the Court having directed said Trustees to re-advertise and foreclose as contained in said order, the undersigned Trustees, pursuant to said order and terms of said deed of trust, will offer for sale upon terms of cash before the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday, the 2nd day of Jan. 1933 the following described piece or parcel of land, with improvements thereon, lying and being in the town of Greenville, County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, immediately on the North side of Fifth Street and the West side of Jarvis Street and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the intersection of Fifth and Jarvis Streets at the point where the northern property line of Fifth Street intersects the western property line of Jarvis Street, and running thence with the western property line of Jarvis Street (which is the inside edge of the cement sidewalk) North 30 degrees 15 Mins. East 251.72 feet to R. S. Neal's corner on Jarvis Street; thence with the said R. S. Neal's southern boundary line North 59 degrees 45 Mins. West 146.88 feet to a stake in A. B. Ellington's line; thence South 30 degrees 15 Mins. West 251.72 feet to J. Knott Proctor's southeast corner on Fifth Street; thence with the northern property line of Fifth Street (which is the inside edge of the cement sidewalk) South 59 degrees 45 Mins. East 146.88 feet to the northwest corner of the intersection of Fifth and Jarvis Streets, the point of beginning, and being lots numbered 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 in Block "B" of the College View property, a plat of which is recorded in Map Book No. 1, at page 84, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This sale is made by reason of the default in said deed of trust and violation of the terms and conditions thereof and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County directing a foreclosure pursuant to the terms of said deed of trust. The purchaser at said sale will be required to make a deposit of ten per cent of the purchase bid to show good faith awaiting confirmation of said sale, and in the event the successful bidder at said sale shall fail to make said deposit immediately following the sale, the property will be immediately re-offered for sale at said time and place. The purchaser will be required to assume and pay taxes for the year 1932 upon confirmation of

sale. THIS the 2nd day of Dec. 1932. William Montgomery, J. Harry Cunningham, Trustees. Lewis G. Cooper, Atty. Dec. 3-1tw-4wk

NOTICE OF SALE
PURSUANT to authority conferred by an Order signed by Honorable R. W. Herring, U. S. Referee in Bankruptcy, in the matter of Charles Samuel Forbes Bankrupt, directing the trustee in Bankruptcy to disclaim title to the property hereinafter described, and under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by C. S. Forbes and wife, Lella S. Forbes, to Dink James Trustee dated February 19, 1931, and recorded in Book T-18, page 494 of the Pitt County Registry, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and other stipulations in said instrument violated, and the owner of said indebtedness having requested this foreclosure, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Court House Door in Greenville, N. C. on Monday, January 9th, 1933 at 12 o'clock noon all the following described property to-wit:

All right title and interest of C. S. Forbes in and to the tract or parcel of land and residence formerly occupied by Mrs. Clara J. Forbes as her home and more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at a point on the East side of Evans Street, the corner of the building now occupied by The Hood System Industrial Bank; thence parallel with said Hood System Industrial Bank building and Fifth Street to the southwest corner of the Montgomery-Ward Building; thence a southerly direction parallel with Evans Street to the Helen White or Hadley line; thence a westerly direction and parallel with Fifth Street to the Eastern line of Evans Street; thence a northerly direction along the Eastern line of Evans Street back to the BEGINNING. This the 9th day of Dec. 1932. Dink James, Trustee. Blount & James, Attys. Dec. 10-1tw-4wk

(Tomorrow—Machines and Economics)

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Dennis Wilson and wife, Emily Wilson, on the 28th day of Dec. 1926, to S. O. Worthington as recorded in Book E-18 at page 200, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, the undersigned will offer for sale for cash at public auction before the Court house door in Greenville on Thursday, the 12th day of January, 1933 at 12 o'clock noon the following lands:

Situate and being in Winterville township, Pitt County, beginning on the south side of the main road leading from Cox Mill to Greenville in the said Dennis Wilson line and runs a south course to Ed Worthington line; thence an East course with the said Worthington line to John Page's line, a corner; thence a north course with said Page line

before the court house door in Greenville, N. C. offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

First Tract: Situated in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of R. I. Smith, N. R. Cox, W. N. Cox and others, and beginning in the public road, R. I. Smith's corner and runs S. 12 1/2 E. 13 poles to a stake; thence E. 66 poles to a stake; thence S. 8 2/3 poles; thence a northerly course with said canal to a lightwood knot on the canal; thence West 151 poles more or less, excepting one acre conveyed to the County for public school site.

Second Tract: Beginning at G. W. Cox's corner on the Greenville Road; thence running up said Road N. 10 W. 57 poles to a stake on the edge of the said road; thence N. 87 1/2 E. 23 poles to a ditch; thence down the various courses of the ditch to the lead ditch; thence down the said ditch 16 poles to a maple and small pine near said ditch; thence N. 14 E. 20 poles to a stake in a Branch; thence N. 5 E. 16 poles to a stake near a group of pines; thence — 39 poles to G. W. Cox's line and with said Cox's line to a known corner on the edge of Turkey Cook Swamp; thence with another of said Cox's lines a westerly course to the beginning, containing 70 acres more or less. One-eighth acre is reserved for grave yard being the same land conveyed to R. I. Smith by J. A. Stokes. This the 19th day of Dec. 1932. Arthur B. Corey, Trustee. Bank of Winterville, Owner of Debt. Harding & Lee, Attys. Dec. 20-1tw-4wk

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Dennis Wilson and wife, Emily Wilson, to B. D. Forrest on the 27th day of March, 1922, recorded in Book K-14 at page 103, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured, the undersigned will offer for sale for cash at public auction before the court house door in Greenville on Thursday, the 12th day of January, 1933 at 12 o'clock noon the following lands:

On the South side of Tar River and on the South side of the public road running from Curtis Corey to Cox Mill; bounded by the lands known as the John Samson Smith; Henry McLawhorn, Tobe Wilson, Josephus Gaskins, now owned by Amos Garris and wife, containing 30 acres and being the identical land conveyed to A. W. Ange & Co. by John Page, which is recorded in Book C-11, page 74 in the public registry of Pitt County.

This the 10th day of Dec. 1932. B. D. Forrest, Mortgagee. Sam O. Worthington, Atty. Dec. 13-1tw-4wk

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust dated October 15, 1930 executed by R. I. Smith and wife, Sarah Smith, to Arthur B. Corey, trustee, which appears of record in Book N-18 at page 561 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured and the cestui que trust having called upon said trustee to foreclose said trust, the undersigned trustee will on Friday, the 20th day of January, 1933 at 12:00 o'clock noon before the court house door in Greenville, N. C. offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Swift Creek Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of W. C. Purser, the Worthington heirs, and containing 243 acres, more or less and being the same land described in a deed of trust recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book U-15 at page 30 to which reference is made; and also, a tract of land conveyed by Rebecca A. Moore to P. S. Moore by deed dated the 27th day of February, 1925 to which reference is made. The above lands being described by metes and bounds in the mortgage above referred to. This the 8th day of Dec. 1932. J. R. Harvey and L. J. Chapman, trading as J. R. Harvey

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed dated February 27, 1925, executed by P. S. Moore and wife, Lucy Moore and Rebecca A. Moore, to J. R. Harvey et al. and recorded in Book U-15 at page 408 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, the undersigned mortgages will on Saturday, the 7th day of January, 1933 at 12:00 o'clock noon before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C. offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

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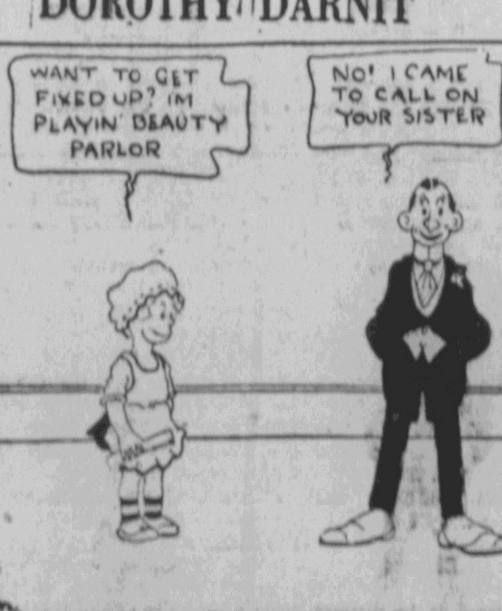
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Social and Personal

G. T. Stokes of Ayden, was here today.

Miss Virginia Perkins has returned from a visit in Washington, D. C.

Major and Mrs. D. S. Wilson, Miss Olive Wilson and Master D. S. Wilson, Jr., of Newport, Rhode Island, were guests of Mrs. W. B. Wilson yesterday and today.

Laurel Perkins of South Boston, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and E. L. Perkins.

L. R. Whitchard and Ernest B. Whitchard of Stokes, were here today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Honeycutt and little son, Gattis, Jr., have returned, after spending the holidays in Western North Carolina.

J. B. Eure of Ayden, was here today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Moore left today for Maysville, Ky.

Clarence East of Coolemees, is visiting his brother, H. A. East.

Clutemant, P. V. Johnston, Jr., of Fort McPherson, Ga., who has been spending the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. F. V. Johnston, left today.

Miss Eulalie Perkins and Singleton Walker have returned to their home in Richmond, Va., after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perkins.

Louis Gaylord, Jr. is visiting relatives in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Parker and little daughter of Henderson, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perkins, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cutchins III have returned to their home in Whitakers after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Cutchins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Perkins at Stokes.

Herman Evans, Samuel Erwin, Lindsay McArthur and Joe Henderson of Bell Arthur, have returned from a week's visit in Florida.

Miss Melba Keener of New Bern, is the guest of Miss Grace Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Fleming and Ernest Fleming, Jr., of Rocky Mount spent yesterday here with relatives.

W. K. Whitehurst of Parmele, was here yesterday.

W. S. Tyson has returned to Washington, D. C.

Julian Perkins has returned to Asheville, after spending the holidays with relatives here and Stokes.

Mrs. Perkins III, Friends of Mrs. Curtis Perkins will regret to learn that she is ill.

CUTS MILLION FROM LEGISLATIVE REQUEST

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 28.—The University of Illinois will reduce by \$1,000,000 its legislative request for operating expenses as compared with the operating appropriation made by the last legislature.

President H. W. Chase has announced "Salaries of the faculty and administrative staff will be reduced approximately 10 per cent by action of the board of trustees as a result of a reduction of \$500,000 in the salaries item of the proposed legislative budget," he said.

Bell Arthur News

Miss Allie Robertson of Farmville, spent the day with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Willoughby Monday.

Robert McArthur and sister, Miss Emma, left Tuesday for Wilmington to visit friends there.

Mrs. J. R. Smith and son, Billy, spent Christmas in Snow Hill.

Lindsay McArthur, Joe Henderson and Sam Erwin are spending the holidays in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Nash Joyner and Mrs. Ike Nichols visited Mrs. J. B. Joyner Monday.

H. B. Mayo and Miss Olive Clarke visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack Smith Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Little and family of Wilson, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nichols this week.

Messrs. James Wilkerson and Stewart McArthur spent several days in Norfolk last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sheppard of Snow Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McArthur and son, Alvin, Jr., spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. William McArthur.

Miss Elmer Joyner went to Goldsboro one day last week.

Look Two Ways At 1933.

The ancient Roman god Janus, for whom January is named, had two faces. He looked into the experience of the past while facing the problems of the future. This course also is a wise one for modern investors to follow.

Look back! What was the safest, surest kind of investment through the trying tests of 1930, 1931, 1932, Building and loan!

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No investor ever has lost a single cent in this association—and earnings always have been paid promptly and as promised. Whether you have a large or small amount to save—whether you want to put away a little every month or invest a large lump sum—we invite you to avail yourself of our proven protection and earning power.

If you will come in, or write, we will be very glad to give you the details of our investment plans. Home Building & Loan Association, Evans Street, phone 48—(Adv.)

Miss Fleming Recovers.

Friends of Miss Nina Fleming will be glad to know that she is able to be out following an illness of influenza.

Miss Long Ill.

Friends will regret to learn that Miss Henrie Long is ill at her home on East Fourth street.

J. H. Blount Ill.

Friends will be sorry to learn that J. H. Blount is ill at his home on East Ninth street.

Charles Whedbee Ill.

Friends of Charles Whedbee will regret to learn that he is ill at his home on West Fourth street.

Ballard's X Road

Mr. Cleveland Williams filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

The Sunday School gave an interesting program appropriate to the happy season.

Miss Lyda Tyson is at home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Baucum of Farmville, were visiting at Mr. F. L. Holloway's Monday.

We regret that Mr. Roy Drake and family have moved from this community to Craven county. Our best wishes go with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Crawford were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rob Jones near Lizzie Sunday.

"Possum" hunting is becoming a popular pastime among some of the young people (and older ones too).

Messrs. Verna Joyner and Nannie Smith Flannagan, accompanied by Messrs. Glenn Tyson and G. S. Nichols, were quite successful on their first expedition of this kind.

Miss Louisa Jones Allen and little sister, Dora Dean, spent Christmas with their aunt, Mrs. Edward Boweb, in the Ormondville community.

Mrs. J. R. Anderson who has been on the sick list, is better. We are glad to know.

Mrs. J. T. Pilgreen visited her son, Mr. Walter Sutton, near Kingston, Christmas.

Mr. Lyman Hatem and Mr. Thos. Coor of Greenville, were hunting with Mr. Ulysses Joyner, Jr. one day last week.

Miss Pattle Sutton was the guest of Miss Ruth Sutton in Kingston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Mazingo have moved into the Cobdale section. We wish them much success in their new home.

The entire Reflector family has the very best wishes of every subscriber in the Ballard's community for a happy and prosperous New Year.

FORD LEADS IN AUTOMOBILE SALES

Despite virtual absence from the market for several months early in 1932 due to the introduction of new models, Ford led all competitors during the first ten months of the year in sales of commercial cars and trucks, according to an announcement today by J. H. Wood, Jr., manager of the Norfolk Ford branch, and E. G. Flanagan, president of Planagan Buggy Co., local Ford dealers.

The statement, which was based upon official figures reported by R. L. Polk & Co., showed that Ford during this period, had registered a total of 37,991 units, or 36.1 per cent of the total of 105,282 units of all makes. This compared with 55,754, or 34.7 per cent of the total, for the next make.

It also was pointed out that since Ford reentered the market in the spring, Ford sales of commercial cars and trucks consistently have exceeded sales of other makes.

College Game Cancelled.

It was announced today that the basketball game between the E. C. T. C. quint and Roanoke Rapids which was scheduled to be played here tomorrow night, has been cancelled. The college boys will open their season next week with a team to be announced later.

SMALL FARMS PAY BEST NOW, SURVEY REVEALS

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Big farms like big business, may encounter the greatest difficulty in hard times is the conclusion of the farm management department of Michigan State College.

The report was made after a survey showed that the average Michigan farmer went into the "red" last year by \$676 compared with an average loss of only \$263 for 771 farms in 1930.

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Jean Dairumple, voted as having the most perfect complexion of New York's private secretaries, is one of Broadway's most versatile women. A former vaudeville star, she is now personal secretary and general manager to a stage producer, and in her spare time manages a motion picture theater. (Associated Press Photo)

RED OAK NEWS

The wedding of Miss Magnolia Stokes of Red Oak community, and Mr. Oscar Kerman of Norfolk will be solemnized in Red Oak Christian Church next Sunday evening at six o'clock. This serves as an invitation to their friends as no written invitations will be sent out.

Christmas passed very quietly and pleasantly in our community. Friends and neighbors visited each other. Mrs. Tob Evans visited Mrs. Tom Manning. Miss Irma Pollard and Miss Mary Selma Pittman of Macleodfield visited Mrs. B. L. Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Allen and daughters, Inez and Edith Glynn, visited relatives in Craven county. Mrs. R. R. Tyson had as her visitors Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Edwards, Miss Annie Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hardee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Jackson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Edwards and family, Mrs. James Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tyson and children and their guests. Mrs. Kid Tyson and son, John Wyatt, spent the holidays with Mr. E. J. Conklin of Carey.

Mr. Tyson and Mr. Bill Manning went to Raleigh and Goldsboro. Miss Charlotte Tyson and Mr. Johnnie Timberlake spent Christmas day with Mrs. Herman Allen in Greenville. Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Tyson visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jenkins Sunday afternoon. Miss Lillian Allen visited Miss Dorothy

SET AGE OF EARTH AT THREE BILLION YEARS

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 29.—It would require quite a number of candles to decorate a birthday cake for mother earth, according to scientists at the University of Toronto who set the earth's age at 3,000,000,000 years.

OFFICERS HUNTING FOR NEGRO GUNMAN

Sanford, Dec. 29.—Sanford and Lee County officers are looking for Ike Melvin, negro, who shot Thomas Hooker, also a negro, here on Christmas Day.

Hooker received a pistol shot wound in his stomach. After having the bullet extracted at the Lee County Hospital, he was removed to his home in the colored section.

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These facts, according to J. P. Gwaltney, district manager of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, are known to comparatively few motorists.

"If you drive fast," says Mr. Gwaltney, "you can't avoid high oil consumption. Of course some oils consume much faster than others, just as some oils are more affected by the heat of the engine and oxidize faster. The speed at which you drive has a lot to do with the amount of oil used than the miles you travel. Thousands of miles of carefully controlled tests have established these facts."

"How often to change the oil in a crankcase is a problem each driver must decide for his own car. No hard and fast rules can be laid down. Regarding the recommendations for changing given by the car manufacturer, it is well to bear in mind that these oil suggestions are for new motors and motors in first class mechanical condition, and even then are modified by driving conditions. Old cars always use more oil."

The tremendous heat generated in the automobile engine at high speeds, according to Mr. Gwaltney, causes motor oil to oxidize, forming sludge and interfering with proper circulation and lubrication. Oxidation is also responsible for formation of carbon. With some oils this may be negligible while with others the condition is exaggerated.

"To be on the safe side," says Mr. Gwaltney, "it is seldom wise to run more than a thousand miles between oil changes. Not only has oxidation lowered the lubricating and protective qualities of the average oil by that time, but in spite of air filters, oil filters, and other devices, enough fine road dust has come in through the breather tubes and the carburetor to cause dangerous friction and wear—and higher consumption of oil. The faster one drives the more often the oil should be changed."

The average car, according to the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, is driven about 7,500 miles a year. "When you are tempted to skimp on oil," says Mr. Gwaltney, "think over the following facts, and remember that oil costs

a lost leg than repairs."

"If your crankcase holds five quarts of oil, and one quart of oil is consumed every two hundred miles, your total oil bill for a year would be less than \$18,000, with motor oil at 25c a quart providing it is changed every thousand miles. If you put off changing for two thousand miles, you save only about \$300 a year, the lowest premium you could possibly pay on insurance against big repair bills."



By WILLIAM GAINES

New York, Dec. 29.—I have a couple of elaborate compliments for Helen Hayes to start the New Year for her. Of course praise is no novelty to this actress, but, considering the source of these remarks, even she could not accept them lightly.

It was no less a person than Noel Coward, who rhapsodized over her work when I talked to him the other day in a Beekman place apartment. Coward thinks some of the things she has done in the movies are "simply magnificent." He brought the matter up himself.

Eugenie Leontovitch (or "vich" if you prefer to leave out the last D), who came near playing forever in "Grand Hotel," went to see Miss Hayes three times in "The Sin of Madelon Glaudef."

Leontovitch, too, happened to apply the adjective "magnificent" to Miss Hayes' performance. "Each time I saw her, I got my money's worth—crying," Leontovitch told me. "I love to cry when I go to the theater and Helen Hayes—ah, she was magnificent!"

So what, Mrs. MacArthur?

Celebrity Praise

It can't be said that it's a very frequent occurrence when one celebrity voluntarily heaps praise upon another in the course of interviews or informal discussions. But neither is it infrequent.

Looking back over the past year, it seems to me that the famous ones most liberal with their praise for other famous ones were the Hollywood folk, visiting in town. And I

don't mean log-rolling praise with which one employee of a certain movie company basted the stock of another member of the same outfit—you bet I don't. That's very, very rare.

But Joan Crawford paying homage to Lilyan Tashman's style, Lilyan Tashman complimenting Joan Crawford as a good sport—those are events that stand out in one's mind.

For Autograph Hounds

It does seem as though celebrities constantly hounded for their autographs would grow rather sick of the whole business, but the amazing fact is, that some celebrities are autograph gatherers themselves.

I have in mind Paul Muni and Edward G. Robinson, who have been asked for their signatures thousands of times. Well, sir, they turn right around and ask other people for autographs.

Both of the masked little Ann Ronell, the 23-year-old song writer from Omaha, to sign her name to copies of her latest piece of popular music.

Miss Ronell's list of hits includes the often-heard "Rain on the Roof."

This business of autograph hunting, by the way, shows little decrease so far as the general public is concerned. The ranks are constantly replenished by new enlistments, and these nights young boys and girls of grade school age are staying up late to catch their favorites at first

nights.

At the stage door on Katharine Cornell's opening night a half dozen of the youngsters waiting for her with fountain pens and pads in hand should have been in bed long before.

A Madison Avenue dealer in old scripts and rarities tells me that the value of the general run of autographs is less than nil today. He added grumpily that he can't, for the life of him, see why people waste their time trying to accumulate them.

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TWO GAMES ARE SET FOR STATE OUTFIT

Raleigh, Dec. 29.—The two football games State College has scheduled with Davidson and South Carolina for 1933 will likely be played on Riddick Field in Raleigh. Dr. Ray R. Sermou, athletic director, has announced.

Dr. Sermou said yesterday that the two dates recently announced for the games would probably also be switched. South Carolina replacing Davidson on October 28 and Davidson replacing the Gamecocks on November 11.

If such arrangements are made, four games and probably a fifth will be played on State's home grid, iron next fall. The other two are with Florida on October 13 and North Carolina on November 4. The fifth contest would be with some member of the Little Six on September 22 as the Wolfpack's opening toe.

Christmas holidays ended yesterday at N. C. State's basketball cagers when Coach Ray Sermou sent the squad through the first of six drills to be held before the opening of school on January 3.

Coach Sermou drilled the cagers for more than an hour during the morning and afternoon sessions, capping off each drill with a practice game.

The players showed the effects of a week's holiday, but were able to hit the basket with regularity.

The Red Terrors open their 1933 season with George Washington University's court artists in Washington on January 4.

SPORT SLANTS

By ALAN GOULD

It has taken the winter baseball. It has taken the winter baseball pow-wow to bring out some of the year's best stories, mellowed and improved upon by the re-telling.

Ed Barrow of the Yankees tells one about Lou Gehrig and Charley Ruffing in the opening game of the world series with the Cubs.

Lou, it seems, was all excited, manhandling his old college spirit, while Ruffing, the ex-miner, was calm and somewhat bored by Gehrig's exuberance.

During the game Lou kept going over to the box, patting Charley on the back and reminding him that he only needed to "show 'em the old stuff" and "bear down and we'll do the rest."

In the sixth inning Gehrig apparently detected a slight tendency on Ruffing's part to stumble. "Stay right in there, Red; we've got them on the run," Lou informed the unruffled Ruffing.

The pitcher looked at Gehrig in a matter-of-fact way, and said: "Say, Lou, what town are we in?"

This floored Gehrig. He did not come over to pat Ruffing on the back even once thereafter.

Clark Convinces 'Em
The 1932 professional football season has furnished convincing proof to the East and Middle West that Earl Harry (Dutch) Clark of Colorado College was not the recipient of over-enthusiastic recognition when he was named All-America quarterback on the 1928 team sponsored by The Associated Press.

This was the only team to invade Clark when the all-star compilations were made four years ago, but even then his exploits were beginning to attract notice beyond the Rocky Mountain Conference, where he ran wild for three years. His first sortie was to the Pacific Coast for the annual East-West game in 1928, where he impressed critics with his all-round ability.

With the Portsmouth (Ohio) Spartans this year Clark achieved the best all-around record of any back in the National League circuit, sharing with Glen Presnell, former University of Nebraska halfback, the offensive drive that routed the famous Green Bay Packers in the deciding game of the professional season.

This was an upset comparable to Pittsburgh's defeat of Notre Dame; in fact, it probably stunned at least one hundred experts who already had named the Packers as one of the three outstanding teams in any sport for 1932.

Popularize Pro Game
On the whole the Green Bay Packers do not need to make any apologies for their current downfall. This team has done more than any other factor to popularize professional football and attract fans who appreciate technical football at its best.

It has, in a way, done for the pro grid what the New York Yankees did for baseball. Like the Yankees, the Packers have demonstrated that there is always an end to invincibility.

SEEK FAIR TAX VALUES FOR COUNTY

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The law dividing the County Commissioners into two classes and that the entire board be up for election every two years.

The meeting, one of the first the association has held in some time, was well attended in spite of inclem-

ent weather, and was marked by several speeches dealing with public conditions.

The resolutions follow: Whereas, Pitt County is almost entirely dependent on agriculture for support of her 55,000 population; and her purchasing power is dependent on the price her people receive for their tobacco, cotton, peanuts, and livestock; that the present prices of these products range about as follows: Tobacco about 12 cents per pound; cotton about 6 cents per pound; peanuts about 1 cent per pound; meat on the hoof about 3 1/2 cents per pound. That these prices are much less than the actual cost of production, and such prices have forced downward the standards of living of the people engaged in farming to a point that is intolerable; and out of these prices they are unable to support themselves and pay taxes levied for the prevailing expense of county government; and,

Whereas, the tax levy for 1932 budget is a little less than \$500,000; that less than one-fourth of the 1932 tax levy has, by this date, December 29, 1932, been paid, thereby jeopardizing our county government and making impossible payment of the county's debt service obligations; and,

Whereas, it is necessary for the well-being of Pitt County as a governmental agency, and the well-being of the citizens resident therein, that such readjustments of the governmental affairs and public affairs of Pitt County be made immediately; that is, without any further delay; that shall guarantee to the citizens of Pitt County their constitutional rights in the preservation of their homes and farms and the maintenance of an efficient and orderly government.

Now, therefore be it resolved by the citizens of Pitt County, now present in mass meeting assembled, called by Pitt County Tax Relief Association, that it is necessary to the government of Pitt County and to the best interest of all taxpayers and citizens of Pitt County:

1. That the homes and farms in Pitt County be placed on the tax books at their fair value under existing extraordinary circumstances in a fair effort to save the homes and farms from confiscation.

2. That, however, much it is desired to continue material growth and progress in government and agencies of government, Pitt County can not go beyond her ability to pay for such; it would be unfair for Pitt County to fall to pay her necessary expenses and fair obligations. Also, it is unfair for her to tax her people beyond their ability to pay; therefore it is necessary for Pitt County to reduce the expense of her government to what her taxpayers can pay in taxes, not have their homes and farms sold and taken from them because of their inability to pay taxes levied against them.

3. Be it further resolved, that this mass meeting and Pitt County Tax Relief Association recognize in the present Board of Commissioners for Pitt County a positive purpose to adopt for their guidance and economy program in accord with the foregoing resolutions, and we, who are adopting such policy, and do pledge to them support of us, collectively and individually, in their present indicated policies, and do petition them to continue firm and steadfast in their economy program, and to further it in service to the people fender them our service and counsel.

4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this mass meeting and Pitt County Tax Relief Association, do hereby appeal to all the voters and other good citizens of Pitt County to refrain from superficial and unfair criticisms of our commissioners and other officials; and especially do we appeal to those who are inclined to be selfish, or who have a selfish interest in mind to abandon such, and to give of themselves and their interest to the good general interest of Pitt County as a whole, and those who refuse to do so we condemn.

Second Resolution.
Whereas, Pitt County's public agencies, specifically the whole-time welfare officer and his secretary; the whole-time county physician, trained nurses and secretary; the whole-time farm demonstration agent and his secretary, and the home demonstration agent, each have served Pitt County people very well, and in a highly satisfactory manner instructing the people in their respective departments; that the expense of these departments, separately, was justified during the period that Pitt County's taxpayers were prosperous but now during the continuance of the present low prices of farm products Pitt County's taxpayers are unable to pay taxes to continue the present expense of the said four public agencies maintained as four separate departments; and,

Whereas, it is to the best interest of Pitt County that the general services rendered by the said four separate departments be continued, but on a less extensive scale, and at less expense; that this be done by consolidating the said four separate departments into one department, and under one general superintendent, and so consolidated continue to the people of Pitt County the actual needed services of the welfare, the public health, the farm demonstration and the home demonstration departments; and,

Whereas, our Board of County Commissioners should have expression of this mass meeting and Pitt County Tax Relief Association on this subject as well as expressions thereon of specially interested groups and specially interested persons.

Now, therefore be it RESOLVED by the people in this mass meeting assembled, that we do respectfully petition the Board of Commissioners for Pitt County that the following named public agencies, to-wit: the welfare department, the health

department, the farm demonstration department and the home demonstration department be immediately consolidated into one department through which the needed services of the said four departments may render the people of Pitt County under the general supervision of a general superintendent, thereby continuing the actually needed services at a possible expense to the taxpayers.

Following the consolidated resolutions resolutions were adopted asking discontinuance of the county farm demonstration and the home demonstration departments.

Be it resolved that it is to the best interest of Pitt County that our representatives in the General Assembly cause to be repealed the law dividing county commissioners for Pitt County into two classes; that the entire board be up for election every two years.

SPEAKERSHIP RACE HOLDING THE SPOTLIGHT

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elected, they cast their votes for Willis Smith, the Democratic nominee to make it unanimous.

R. L. Harris of Person county, is claiming enough members pledged to his candidacy to win the speakership Julius C. Martin of Buncombe county, who had been expected to offer a strong fight, has withdrawn his name from consideration.

There have been reports here that Tam C. Bowie of Ashe county, will make a bid for the important post. R. C. Gerry of Gaston county, also has been mentioned as a candidate, though he has not announced his wish.

It is the speaker who appoints the House committees and their chairmen, and he is a strong factor in legislation by his rule over the body. There are 120 members of the House.

On the other side of the capitol, organization of the Senate is in the hands of the lieutenant governor who presides over the body as "Mr. President." However, a president pro tem, a job much sought, carries considerable power.

Lieutenant Governor-elect A. H. "Sandy" Graham, who will be inaugurated next Thursday—the day following the convening of the legislature—will take over the helm immediately upon assuming office.

Until he takes the oath, R. L. Fountain of Rocky Mount, the present lieutenant governor, will be entitled to rule over the Senate. Mr. Fountain, however, has been in a hospital recently and he is not expected here.

In the event he does not come to Raleigh, the principal clerk of the Senate will preside.

About a week is required for organization of both branches of the General Assembly and for the committees to get down to work.

The 1931 General Assembly, deadlocked over a sales tax fight, was in session five months. Raleigh officials are looking for the 1933 legislature to be here for approximately 80 days.

Members are paid \$600 for their services, regardless of how long the assembly meets—but the rate was fixed on the basis of an average session of 60 days at ten dollars a day.

DR. PERKINS NAMED U. S. COMMISSIONER

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circles until a few days ago.

The naming of Dr. Perkins to fill the important post was received with general interest throughout the community. He has been connected with the government service in past years as revenue collector and U. S. Commissioner.

In recent years however, he has confined his attention largely to development of personal property in and around Greenville.

Beaman, former commissioner, was released from the Martin county jail at Williamston the latter part of last week after providing bond of \$1,000. He will be given hearing at the spring term of Federal court.

Following his arrest at a negro store here several weeks ago, while allegedly accepting a bribe from the storekeeper, Beaman was held in jail under bond of \$10,000. He was given preliminary hearing in Williamston before U. S. Commissioner Manning with his bond being lowered to \$5,000. He was unable to provide bail and was remanded to jail sometime later Judge Meekins granted another hearing and reduced the bond to \$1,000. Several days later the prisoner was able to provide bond and obtain his release. He, immediately returned to his home in this city where he probably will remain until the date set for his trial.

Beaman is a former minister of the gospel and held pastorates in Greenville as well as other towns in this immediate section of the state.

Stock Market

New York, Dec. 29.—(AP)—The stock market again made a brave effort to rally today. Although yesterday's profits were erased by selling in the late hours, it was evident that the professional trader favored the constructive side of the market.

Allied Chemical and Union Pacific rose about two points and issues up a point or so includes American Can, American Tobacco, Fanta Fe, United Aircraft, New York Central and others.

American Telephone, U. S. Steel, and Consolidated Gas were up fractionally. General Motors, which had been sold in solid volume in the previous session, stiffened. Socony, Vacuum was active and fractionally higher.

United Corporation was turned over in considerable volume but was about unchanged. The market carried through with quiet strength in

late trading with quotations holding about half of the day's maximum gains.

Transfers were about 1,400,000 shares. The closing tone was firm.

New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened steady, five to eleven higher on domestic and foreign buying and small offerings.

Prices held steady after the opening although business was too small and fluctuations narrowed. March advanced to 6 1/2, May to 6 1/4, and at the end of the first half hour gains of six to ten points were shown.

There was no fresh development in the late trading.

Around midday prices were ruling to the high, net gains of eight to ten points, March selling up to 6 to 6.05.

(Courtesy Speight & Co.)

	Open	Close	Prv. Cl.
Jan.	5.87	5.97	5.82
Mar.	6.00	6.11	5.96
May	6.15	6.23	6.09
July	6.29	6.35	6.21
Oct.	6.48	6.56	6.41
Dec.	6.62	6.69	6.51

New York spots 615; market quiet 15 advance.

Greenville spots 61-8c.

N. Y. Stock List

American Telephone 102
 American Tobacco 56 3-8
 Anaconda 5 1-2
 Atlantic Coast Line 16 3-4
 Auburn 48 1-4
 Bethlehem Steel 12 1-2
 Coca Cola 72
 Commercial Solvent 10
 Dupont de Nemours 5 1-2
 Electric Power & Light 5 3-8
 General Electric 14 3-8
 General Foods 24 1-2
 General Motors 12 1-2
 Liggett Myers 54 1-2
 Montgomery Ward 12 7-8
 Reynolds Tobacco 28 3-8
 Southern Railway 4
 Standard Oil NJ 29 1-4
 U. S. Rubber 3 3-4
 U. S. Steel 25 1-2

LATE NEWS FLASHES

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sage received today at 11:45 a. m. by naval communications here from the steamer Easton Sun, which is standing by to render any immediate assistance that might be necessary.

The coast guard boat Mendota is steaming toward the vessel, it was learned. The message received from the Eastern Sun follows: "Shoosher Edna Hoyt of Boston, off Diamond Shoals lightship, out of water and leaping. Requires immediate assistance. Will lay off lightship until assistance arrives."

Seek Hearing for Roberson
Durham, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Steps were taken here today to obtain the release on bail of Dr. Mike Roberson, Durham doctor, now in jail at Raleigh charged with murder.

Associate Justice W. J. Brodgen, of the Supreme Court, signed an order requiring Solicitor J. Q. Little, of Raleigh, to appear before him in chambers at Raleigh at 11 a. m. tomorrow to show cause why Dr. Roberson should not be admitted to bail.

Still Probe Roberson Case
Raleigh, Dec. 29.—With a hearing scheduled here tomorrow at 11 o'clock at which Solicitor Little must show cause why Dr. Mike Roberson should not be released on bond, Wake county officers continued an investigation of the case today.

Marchers Demand Food.
Nashville, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Approximately 2,000 men marched to the charities building and unemployment store today and demanded entrance and food. Police were called to maintain order.

After several hours of wrangling following which officials gave assurance that food and work would be provided, most of them returned to their homes.

Would Close School For Flu.
Faleigh, Dec. 29.—(AP)—E. B. Jeffers, chairman of the State Highway Commission and Dr. James Harris, state health officer, today expressed opinion it might be wise at this time to postpone the opening of the public schools of the state for one week due to the prevalence of flu in the state.

Local school authorities, however, must take the necessary action.

Send Aid To Schooner.
Elizabeth City, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Commander W. H. Bennett of the coast guard station here today said a life boat crew from the Hatteras Inlet station, a power boat from Cape Hatteras and a cutter from Norfolk have been sent to the aid of the five masted schooner Edna Hoyt of Boston reported in distress off Diamond Shoals.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed to Trust executed and delivered to W. H. Woolard, Trustee, by R. D. Edwards and wife, Julia Edwards on the 6th day of January, 1929, which said Deed in Trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book D.18 page 877, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale for CASH at public auction before the Court House door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on Monday, the 29th day of January, 1933

at 12 o'clock noon the following described tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows to-wit:

TRACT NO. 1: Beginning at a stake on the New Road, the corner of Lot No. 1 and runs with the line of Lot No. 1 South 78-00 East 152 poles to a stake centered on an elm and small oak; thence running North 13-00 West 33 poles to a stake in the field; thence running South 78-00 East 17 poles to the run of Cow Swamp; thence running down the run of Sow Swamp to the mouth of Cabin Branch; thence running up the run of said branch 115 poles; thence running South 50-00 West 3 poles to a corner; thence running North 66-00 West 41 poles to a large poplar in the New Road; thence running with the said road to the beginning, containing 49 1-2 acres, more or less, and being Lot No. 2 in the division of the N. A. Buck land and being the same tract of land which was deeded to R. D. Edwards by E. C. Buck and wife, Mary L. Buck, on date of November 26, 1910, and being duly registered in Book J-9 at page 576 of the Pitt County Public Registry, and then deeded to Elijah Edwards and wife, Julia Edwards (with a reservation unto themselves of a life estate) by deed dated April 26, 1912, of record in Book E-10 at page 482 of the Pitt County Public Registry, and re-deeded to the said R. D. Edwards by Elijah Edwards and wife (a remainder estate) by Deed dated July 17, 1923 of record in Book C-15, page 205 of the Pitt County Public Registry.

TRACT NO. 2: Beginning at the corner of Lot No. 5 in the Ringold line and runs South 91-2 East to Hardy's Run; thence with the various courses of said Run to the corner of Lot No. 5; thence running North 86-00 West to the beginning stake, containing sixteen (16) acres, more or less, and being the identical land deeded to R. D. Edwards by J. L. Speight, by deed dated November 20, 1913, of record in Book R-10 at page 174 of the Pitt County Registry.

This the 22nd day of Dec. 1932. W. H. Woolard, Trustee. F. G. James & Son, Attys. Dec. 23-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by W. H. Smith and wife, Ada Smith, dated March 20, 1926, and recorded in Book H-16, page 511, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and demand having been made for sale, the undersigned Mortgagee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the Courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., at twelve o'clock noon on the

26th day of January, 1933

the following described property, located in Pitt County, North Carolina, in Greenville Township about two and one-half miles South of the Town of Greenville.

FIRST TRACT: BEGINNING in the run of Fork Swamp; thence South 11-2 West 100 poles to a lightwood stump, the beginning corner of Lot No. 1, according to a Map of record in Book P. P. at Page 794 of the Pitt County Registry; thence North 88-1-2 West 162 poles to a corner of Lot No. 8, being what is known as the Paul Nichols corner; thence North 11-2 East, 240 poles to a corner of Lot No. 5, formerly a pine, according to said map and being the Northeast corner of said original tract; thence South 88-1-2 East 135 poles to an original corner of said tract, being the beginning corner of Lot No. 5; thence South 11-2 West 40 poles to a corner of Lot No. 4; thence South 88-1-2 East 12 poles to the run of Fork Swamp; thence down the run of said swamp to the BEGINNING, and being Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in the division of John Willoughby. Said tract of land adjoining the lands of W. H. Dall, H. L. Coward and others, containing 232 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: That certain tract of land known as the Bithel Anderson lands BEGINNING at a stake in the Forbes and May line, a corner of the Forbes land and runs thence North 4 deg 30 min. East 46 2/3 poles to a stake, a corner of the Coward and Forbes land; thence with the line of the H. L. Coward land South 85 deg 30 min. East 125 poles to a stake; thence in a Southern course parallel with the first line 46 2/3 poles in the May line; thence with said May line North 85 deg 30 min. West 125 poles to the BEGINNING, containing 39 acres, more or less, and adjoining the May lands on the South, Forbes lands on the West, the Coward lands on the North and the lands of R. L. Smith on the East and being fully described on that certain plat of land made by W. C. Dresbach, C. E. March 18, 1926.

THIRD TRACT: BEGINNING at a stake in C. E. Moye's line, at or near the corner of E. W. King and H. L. Coward, and running thence South 41-2 West 46 1-4 poles with Moye's line to another stake; thence South 85-1-2 East 166 poles with W. H. Willoughby's line; thence North 41-2 East 46 1-2 poles to J. A. Lang's line; thence North 85-1-2 West 166 poles with said Lang's and H. L. Coward's line to the BEGINNING, and containing 45 acres, more or less. Adjoining the lands now owned by H. L. Coward, J. A. Lang and L. C. Arthur on the North, W. H. Dall on the East and R. L. Smith and the May land on the South, and the tract herebefore just described on the West, as shown by plat of said land made by W. C. Dresbach, C. E. on March 18, 1926.

All of the three tracts above described adjoining and bounded over by the other, known as the W. H. Willoughby lands and being the

same conveyed by R. L. Smith and wife, to W. H. Smith on Jan. 1, 1926. This Deed H. 14, 1932.

Greensboro Joint Stock Land Bank, Mortgagee. J. S. Duncan, Atty. Dec. 16-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

The undersigned having this day qualified as executor of the estate of J. W. McLawhorn, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having any claims against the estate of J. W. McLawhorn to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned executor at Grifton, N. C., Route No. 2 on or before twelve months from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereof. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement with said executor.

This the 13th day of Dec., 1932. Sam McLawhorn, Executor of the Estate of J. W. McLawhorn. Dec. 13-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred by Deed of Trust, executed by R. E. Brantley and wife Roby Brantley, dated the 1st day of May, 1929, and recorded in Book Q-17, pages 407-408, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, Jefferson E. Owens Substituted Trustee, will at twelve o'clock noon on

Thursday, January 19th, 1933 at the Court House Door of Pitt County in Greenville, North Carolina, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the following land, to-wit:

That certain lot or parcel of land with all the improvements thereon, lying and being situated in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on the Easterly side of Summit Street, lying between First Street and "A" Street, and being Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block "M" of the Lang property, a map of which is recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Map Book No. 1 at page 207 and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of the intersection of First and Summit Streets and running thence with the Eastern property line of Summit Street North 30 degrees 45 minutes East 50 feet to the corner of Lot No. 3; thence with the line of Lot No. 3 South 59 degrees 15 minutes East 110-16 feet to the common corner of Lots Nos. 2, 3, 34 and 35; thence with line of Lots Nos. 35 and 36 South 30 degrees 45 minutes West 50 feet to First Street, thence with the Northern property line of First Street North 59 degrees 15 minutes West 110-16 feet to the point of beginning.

This sale is made on account of default in payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust.

A ten per cent (10) cash deposit will be required of the highest bidder at the sale.

This the 14th day of Dec., 1932. Jefferson E. Owens, Substituted Trustee. Dec. 17-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain deed of trust to the undersigned as Trustee for Pilot Life Insurance Company on March 1, 1929, by J. Y. Monk and wife, Esther Reide Monk, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book Z-17 at page 10, it will under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said deed of trust, and at the request of the cestui que trust, and for the purpose of discharging the debt secured by said deed of trust, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at

12:00 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, January 4, 1933 the following described land, to-wit:

A tract of land in the State of North Carolina, in Pitt County and Farmville Township, beginning at a stake, Henry Joyner's corner; thence North 40° East 209 feet; then North 50° West 209 feet; then South 40° West 209 feet to the beginning, containing one acre, more particularly described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Contentnea Street with the ortherly line of Pine Street; thence northerly with the westerly line of Contentnea Street 209 feet to a stake; thence westerly and parallel with Pine Street 209 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Contentnea Street 209 feet to the northerly line of Pine Street; thence easterly with the northerly line of Pine Street 209 feet

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