

THE WEATHER

Cloudy, possibly occasional rain in extreme west portion tonight and in east Tuesday; slowly rising temperatures

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Pres. Roosevelt Seeks To Explain Battle Over Bonus

GIVES FACTS IN LETTER TO LEGION HEAD

Chief Executive Says Advocates of Bonus Do Not Have Interest of Veterans at Heart; Says Amount Of Original Bonus Already Overdrawn

Washington, Dec. 31.—(AP)—President Roosevelt, in a letter on the bonus issue, said today that "those who advocate the payment of these certificates at this time for the purpose of stimulating business certainly cannot have given the interest of veterans much thought."

The President's letter, dated December 27, was addressed to Commander Garland R. Farmer of the American Legion Post at Henderson, Texas. It replied to a letter from Farmer asking for information on the cash bonus issue.

"I appreciate your letter of recent date," Mr. Roosevelt said, "and it is particularly interesting in that it confirmed an impression that I have had for some time; that is, that the bonus question is not well understood even among the veterans themselves."

The President intimated in his letter a special memorandum prepared for him describing the issuance of the bonus certificates and its various features.

The amount which is printed on the face of every adjusted service certificate," Mr. Roosevelt said, "is not the amount of the basic or original bonus (totaling \$1,000,000,000) voted by Congress, but it is an amount plus 25 per cent added for the deferred payment which, with interest at 4 per cent compounded annually over a 20-year period will produce the face of maturity value."

"This would seem to dispose of the question as to whether the obligation is immediately due."

The President said another feature was that out of the 3,500,000 certificates outstanding, 3,048,409 veterans had borrowed \$1,690,000,000 or more than the present worth of their bonus certificates.

"I feel sure that many of the veterans have not given the question sufficient study to realize the vast sum required to meet the demands suggested, the President continued.

CITY READY TO USHER IN 1935

Noisy Celebration Expected Here Tonight As Community Welcomes New Year

After enjoying one of the best Yuletide seasons in years, Greenville people turned their attention today to observance of the New Year tonight and tomorrow.

Banks and the postoffice will be closed tomorrow in observance of the arrival of the New Year, and work will be resumed the next day.

All banks in the county will be involved in the closing. It was stated Saturday, and employees of the various institutions will have ample time to take part in the number of social events, many of them of an informal nature, to take place tonight and tomorrow.

While all departments of the postoffice will be closed, the general delivery window will be open from 11:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m., to take care of its patrons. There will be no mail deliveries on either city or rural routes.

Although no general celebration has been planned, watchnight services will be held tonight at various churches of the city, and the New Year probably will be greeted by noisy celebrants along the principal streets of the city.

The ringing of bells and blowing of horns, as usual, will take place to live up to the passing of the old year and advent of the new. Although public announcement (Continued on Page Four)

Late News Flashes

Marooned Fliers Rescued Morehouseville, N. Y., Dec. 31.—The four survivors of Friday's plane crash near here were brought safely back to civilization today and rushed to St. Elizabeth's hospital in Utica.

Ernest Bryner, pilot of the American Airlines ship was suffering severely from exposure, frozen feet and apparently congested lungs. His brother Dale the co-pilot, had a fractured jaw. J. H. Brown, aviator, and R. W. Hmbrook, of Washington a passenger, also received emergency treatment.

All were sped by ambulance from the Department of Conservation to Utica. Two had to be brought out by bob sleds and the other two walked.

Quake Shakes California Berkeley, Calif., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Today's earthquake in the south (Continued on Page Six)

CONCERN HERE CHANGES NAME

Carolina Kelvinator Co., to be Known As Carolina Sales Corporation

The importance of Greenville as a distributing center was emphasized today in announcement of the change of name of the Carolina Kelvinator Company and facts in connection with its six years of record making activity here.

The company beginning tomorrow will be known as the Carolina Sales Corporation. The change of name was made necessary because the old title had grown obsolete through the addition of several new lines during the past six years. The concern originally started out with the distribution of Kelvinator refrigerators exclusively.

There will be no change in the business management or officers of the company, it was stated. E. G. Flanagan will remain president, W. E. Kooker, vice-president, James T. Little, secretary-treasurer and general manager, and E. E. Rawl, sales manager and advertising director.

Compared with its first year's business six years ago, the company during the year just closing, showed a 1400 per cent increase in business with an increase in employees of from 2 to 24.

The company began operation with the distribution of Kelvinators in 30 counties in Eastern Carolina. It now covers a territory comprising the two Carolinas with 138 dealer outlets through which the various products are distributed.

The company is now distributor of Kelvinator refrigerators, Philco radios, Universal ranges and other electrical appliances.

So great is the volume of business that the Express Company has established a branch in the Sales Corporation headquarters here to expedite the handling of express shipments.

Incoming and outgoing freight and express this year was approximately 4,000,000 pounds, the office records revealed. The organization is the fourth largest distributor of Kelvinator refrigerators in the entire United States. During the present year it has led the entire country in greater performance in the distribution of both Kelvinator and Philco.

The company is one of a number helping to establish Greenville's reputation as one of the principal distributing centers in this part of the country, and reflects the tremendous amount of business done here from year to year.

NEGRESS HELD IN LIQUOR CASE

Lulu Blount Lands in Jail When Police Find Liquor in House During Dance

Lulu Blount, colored, landed in jail here Saturday afternoon when police raided her home on Cross Street during the height of a holiday dance and discovered a considerable amount of liquor.

She was given preliminary hearing today and bound over to county court under bond of \$200. Unable to raise bond, she was remanded to jail to await trial.

Police said they raided the house when the party was at its height, discovered three and half gallons of contraband beverage, in addition several pint bottles and glasses filled with the beverage. The arrest brought the dance to an end and the woman was taken to the police station to await hearing.

FOUR MISSING FLIERS FOUND BY SEARCHERS

Marooned Airmen in Adirondacks Expected to be Rescued Sometime Today

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Searchers have reached the four marooned fliers in the Adirondack mountains, Lieutenant C. C. Jackway, of the Massachusetts National Guard, reported today after a trip over the spot.

"I circled over the wrecked plane very low for several minutes," Lieutenant Jackway said after he returned to the Albany airport.

"There were a number of people with the marooned men," The Lieutenant said. Lieutenant C. I. Emerson of our outfit arrived with food at my altitude, and I left."

Jackway's news caused William I. Gerry, manager of the American Airline here, to predict that the plane in 20 below cold since Friday, without food would be started back to civilization by the rescuers probably at noon today.

It was not known which of the several searching parties had accomplished the terrific task, in snow three feet deep, of reaching the distressed party. The parties, which entered the forest from Morehouseville and Hoffmeister, six miles north of the spot, had been conceding the best chance as the plane lay north of the semi-circular mountain side.

FIVE PRIESTS SLAIN IN RIOT

Members of Red Shirt Organization Jailed in Mexico, D. F., to Avoid Trouble

Mexico, D. F., Dec. 31.—(AP)—Armed reserves held back aroused residents of suburban Coyacan today as 57 young members of a red shirt organization charged with slaying five defenseless Catholics outside their church were transferred to the federal penitentiary.

One of the Red Shirts was beaten to death by the townspeople and authorities ordered the reserves removed after reports that residents were arming for an attack on the jail.

Four men and a woman of the crowd which emerged from worship fell dead under the fire at close range. The Red Shirts group was holding an anti-clerical demonstration in front of the door of the church.

Serious developments, including the possibility of a general religious conflict, were feared as result of the killings.

President Lazaro Cardenas was expected to take a vigorous hand against the Red Shirt organization and probably order its dissolution. He was out of the city but his secretary promised a delegation of Coyacan residents that Cardenas would see that justice is done and urged them to await his action.

Government spokesmen denied the Red Shirts is an official organ and said it would not be permitted to exist.

THE NATIONAL WHIRLIGIG News Behind The News.

Washington By GEORGE DURNO

Barrage: Three factors are giving thoughtful labor leaders the cold shivers as they watch progressive developments in the knock down, drag out fight now current in the building trades and metal trades departments of the American Federation of Labor.

First, of course, is the seriousness of the split in the ranks and the effect it will have on the whole organized labor movement.

Amid with the stout spear of Section 7A of the National Industrial Recovery Act, the unions have been moving on all fronts for over a year. Even with unemployment rife and millions of workers unable to pay dues if so minded, the A. F. of L. has been making long strides toward the ultimate goal of speaking for all labor.

And now the labor artillery finds itself throwing a barrage on its own shock troops.

Civil War: A second consideration is that the family quarrel has reached the point of mayhem just at a time when employers are demanding lower wages in the building trades. (Continued on page four)

SERIOUS RIOTING BREAKS OUT IN THE SAAR BASIN TERRITORY



MARTIAL LAW IS SOUGHT TO HALT FIGHTING

Fifteen Persons Reported Injured in Period of "Terrorism"; More Than 50 Shots Fired as Nazis and Anti-Nazis Engage in Disorders

Saarbrücken, Saar Basin Territory Dec. 31.—(AP)—Serious rioting broke out in this area today and anti-Nazis asked the introduction of semi-martial law to suppress the "terrorism gripping the Saar."

About 15 persons were injured in the week-end disturbances. More than 50 shots were fired when Nazi and anti-Nazi battled at Malstatt, a suburb of Saarbrücken. A Hitler youth was wounded and a restaurant, where the fight took place, was sacked. Several persons were injured at Bleiskastel, when an alleged Nazi group broke up an anti-Nazi rally in a hall there.

THAD M. MOORE DIES SUDDENLY

Funeral Services For Prominent Business Man Conducted Sunday Afternoon

Final rites for Thad M. Moore, aged 70, prominent business man and farmer of this county, were conducted from the S. G. Wilkerson and Sons Funeral Home Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. W. A. Ryan, pastor of Eighth Street Christian church. He was laid to rest in Greenwood cemetery with members of Greenville Masonic Lodge No. 284 being in charge of the service. Mr. Moore succumbed to a heart attack at the local hospital Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

He was a prominent merchant of the House Station community, having conducted a store there over a period of many years. He had been active in the mercantile business in this county for 37 years.

The deceased was a member of the Eighth Street Christian church. He spent practically his entire life in the county and in addition to his mercantile interests, confined a considerable part of his attention to farming operations.

He was a member of the Greenville Masonic Lodge and did much looking to the development of the organization.

The funerals were largely attended by friends from this and surrounding communities and the floral tribute was large and beautiful. He is survived by the following daughters and sons: Miss Eliza Moore, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. W. L. Nobles and Miss Sonora Moore of Greenville; Thad Moore, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Carleton, Hugh and David Moore, of Washington, D. C.; Meridith Moore, of Durham; Luther William, Ray and Allen, of Greenville; two brothers, Tip Moore of Pactious and Ed Moore of Beaufort County, one sister, Mrs. Anna Harrison of Beaufort County also surviving, along with four grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Snow Fort Falls, Youth Suffocated

Riviere du Loup, Quebec, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Laval Le Pointe, 11 years old, was suffocated yesterday in the collapse of a snow fort built by himself and his brother, Jean, 13 years old.

The two boys, sons of Alfred Le Pointe, built the fort by digging several feet under the snow. When the side caved in, Jean's head was in the open air but his brother was covered.

For several hours they were trapped, the younger boy slowly suffocating. A passerby finally saw the older boy's head and pulled him out of the snow bank. Laval was dead and his brother suffered from exposure and shock.

Dr. Taylor Dies New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Dr. George Ash Taylor, 67, a member of the Mayflower Society, died of heart disease in his home yesterday.

CREDIT BODY TO MEET SOON

Greenville Production Credit Association to Hold Annual Meeting Jan. 17

The annual meeting of Greenville Production Credit Association, serving the counties of Pitt and Greene, will be held on January 17 at the City Hall in Greenville, it was announced by J. C. Galloway, secretary of the association.

Not only are all of the farmer-borrowers from the association, the holders of Class B stock expect to be present, but Mr. Galloway said today that a most cordial invitation was also extended to all other farmers in the territory served by the association, and that it was hoped that large numbers would accept the invitation.

"Every member of the association," said Mr. Galloway, "is urged to bring one or more non-members with him, as it is our desire that every farmer in this section shall account himself with the credit service which our organization has to offer."

"Directors of the association for the ensuing year will be elected at this meeting. Every member of the association is entitled to cast one vote, regardless of the number of shares he owns, and it is to his interest to vote for men of the highest integrity and business acumen."

"At the meeting a complete report of the year's operations of the association will be submitted. The Production Credit Corporation of Columbia will have a representative at the meeting, who will outline the set-up of the Farm Credit Administration of the third district, the method of control and operation of the production credit associations, and will give an explanation of the association's operating statement from organization through December 31, 1934."

Boy of 15 Held In Auto Theft

Beaufort, Dec. 31.—Within a half hour after Leon Simmon of Wiltshire, who was in town to do his week-end shopping, reported his car stolen, Cherman Holland, of local police force, had found the car and arrested a 15-year-old Smyrna youth. The youngster who claimed he had just borrowed the car to take some girls to ride, did not have any girls when found just out of Beaufort on Highway 10 and he faces theft charges before Juvenile Judge Lawrence Hassell here.

Only Mohammedans are allowed to drive automobiles in Arabia. An English memory expert sold his head for \$5,000 so that scientists might study it after he is dead. Gold to a value of approximately \$100,000,000 has been taken from the sands and creek beds of the Nome, Alaska, region since gold was discovered there in 1896.

SCHOOLS WILL RESUME WORK DURING WEEK

City System to go Back to Work Wednesday and County System Thursday

Students of city and county schools were turning their attention today to the enjoyment of final amenities of the holiday season before trekking back to the school room Wednesday and Thursday.

City schools are scheduled to reopen Wednesday morning after a two weeks' holiday and county schools will resume work Thursday morning after slightly over a week and a half off.

Exercises in keeping with the Christmas holidays were held at all the schools prior to suspension of work for the lengthy vacation period, and thousands of parents were on hand to take part in the various events.

Donald Conley, director of the county school system, said this morning increased enrollment was expected the second term in spite of the fact that virtually all the schoolrooms were crowded almost to overflowing when work was suspended for the holidays.

He declared they had been able to make considerable progress the first half even in the face of unprecedented congestion and hoped to be able to take care of the increase during the spring term so their progress will not be affected.

He pointed to the fact that school buses had been crowded all the year and stated that new arrangements probably would have to be made in some districts to take care of the increased enrollment.

Mr. Conley said they were proud of the fact that school work had not been retarded by any epidemics of sickness and hoped to go through the remainder of the term without any loss of time from this cause.

He expressed appreciation of the fine work which had been done by the various schools during the first part of the school year, and looked forward to the new year with keen anticipation, hoping to maintain the fine record made during the first half.

Reports Increase New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Increases in November employment and pay rolls in the steel industry over the preceding month were reported today by the American Iron and Steel Institute, although the total employed was under that of November, 1933.

HEAVY DOCKET FACES COURT

Fifty or More Cases to Be Considered by County Tribunal Here Tomorrow

Faced by one of the heaviest dockets in months, County Court will convene tomorrow morning for its regular sitting after celebration of the Christmas holidays.

Court took only one week off for observance of the Yuletide, that being last week, and consequently the sitting scheduled for last Tuesday was abandoned.

Although virtually all other public buildings and institutions will be closed tomorrow for observance of the New Year, court will begin its grind with indications that at least two days will be required to finish the docket.

J. F. Harrington, Clerk of Superior Court, said this morning that there was a docket of fifty-odd cases. These constitute actions heard by lower courts during the past two weeks and bound over to the higher tribunal.

Mr. Harrington said the docket would contain decidedly more assault cases than any single term in recent months. There will also be the usual number of charges of violating the prohibition law, in view of the number of distillers and bootleggers nabbed by officers while they were plying their unlawful trade during the holidays.

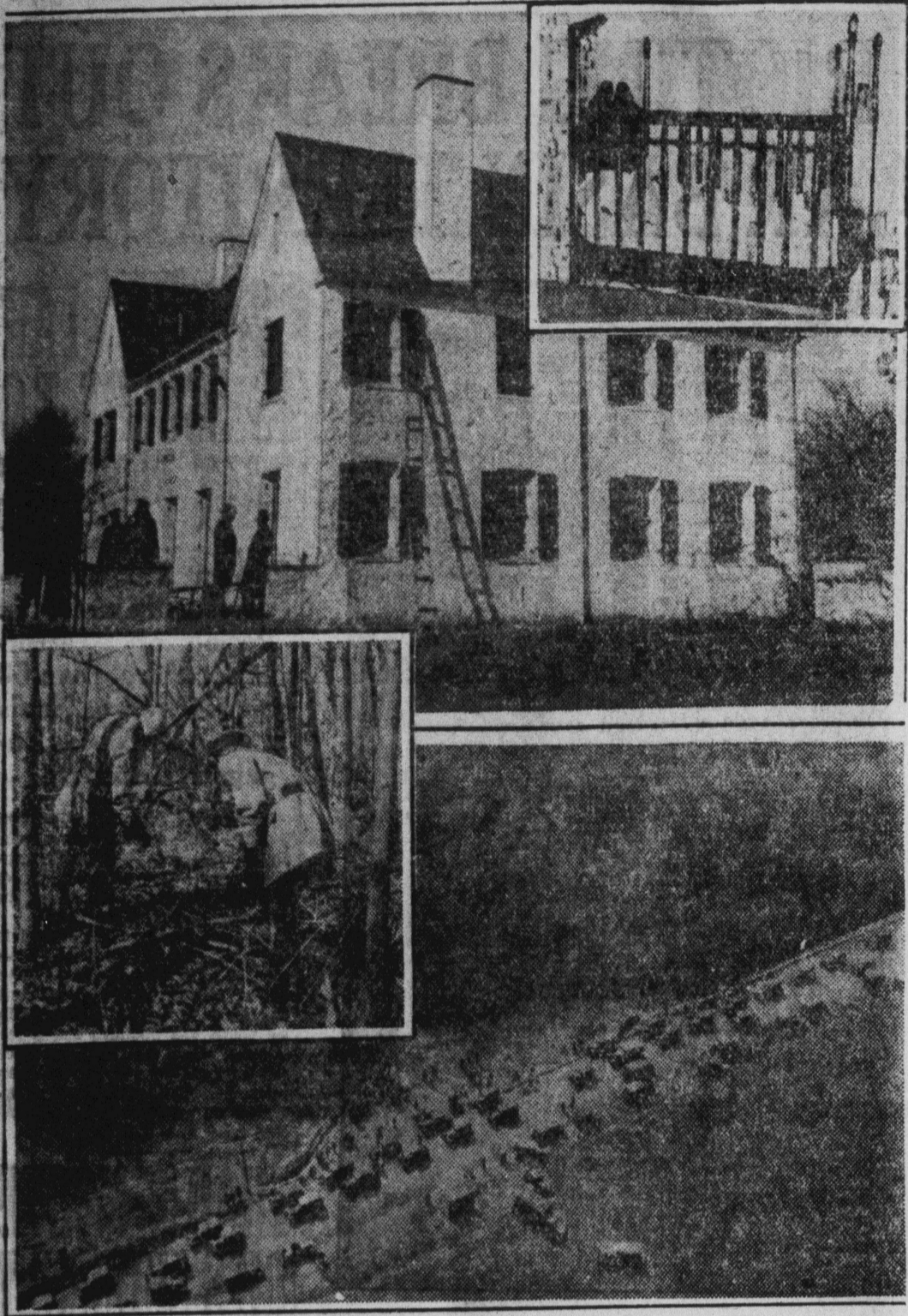
In addition, there will also be several charges of reckless and careless driving with drunken drivers taking the spotlight of the entire docket.

There has been a pronounced increase in the number of drunken drivers appearing before the court in recent months, and the defendants recently have found their drivers' licenses revoked for a longer period as the court acted to reduce this form of violation on the public highways of the district.

While there will be a few charges of larceny this form of violation is considerably less than in recent months, probably because the thieves were looking for Santa Claus to provide for them without their being forced to resort to their usual practice of gaining a livelihood on the unsuspecting public.

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# News OF THE Day IN Pictures



NO FIRST ACT in stage drama parallels the stark tragedy of the kidnaping and murder of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., the early episodes of which are shown above—the empty crib—the Lindbergh home at Hopewell and the kidnap ladder—the hunt—and the sensational discovery of the body. (Associated Press Photos)



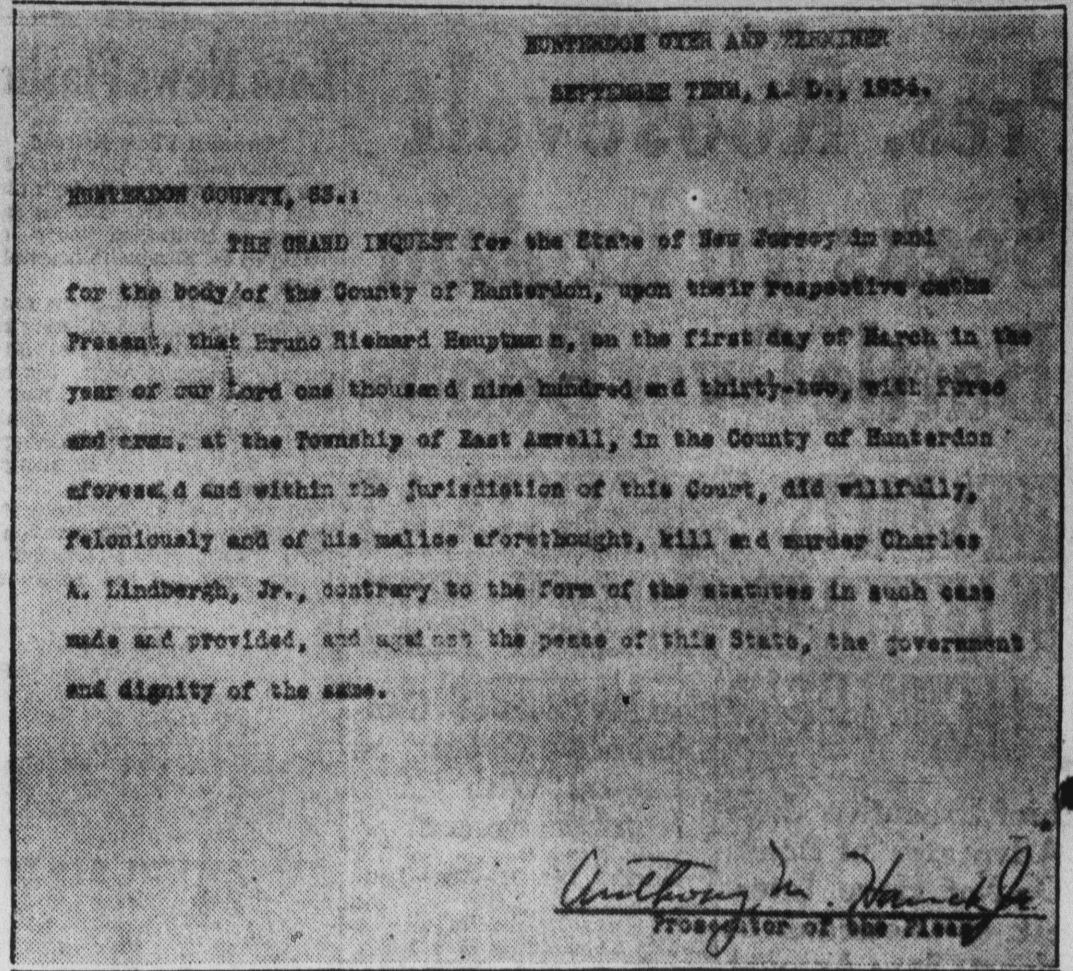
NO PLAYWRIGHT EVER conceived a character more puzzling or enigmatic than Bruno Richard Hauptmann (above), the defendant in the Lindbergh case. His unshaken reply to all cross-examination has been: "I did not kill the baby. I was not in New Jersey at all." (Associated Press Photo)



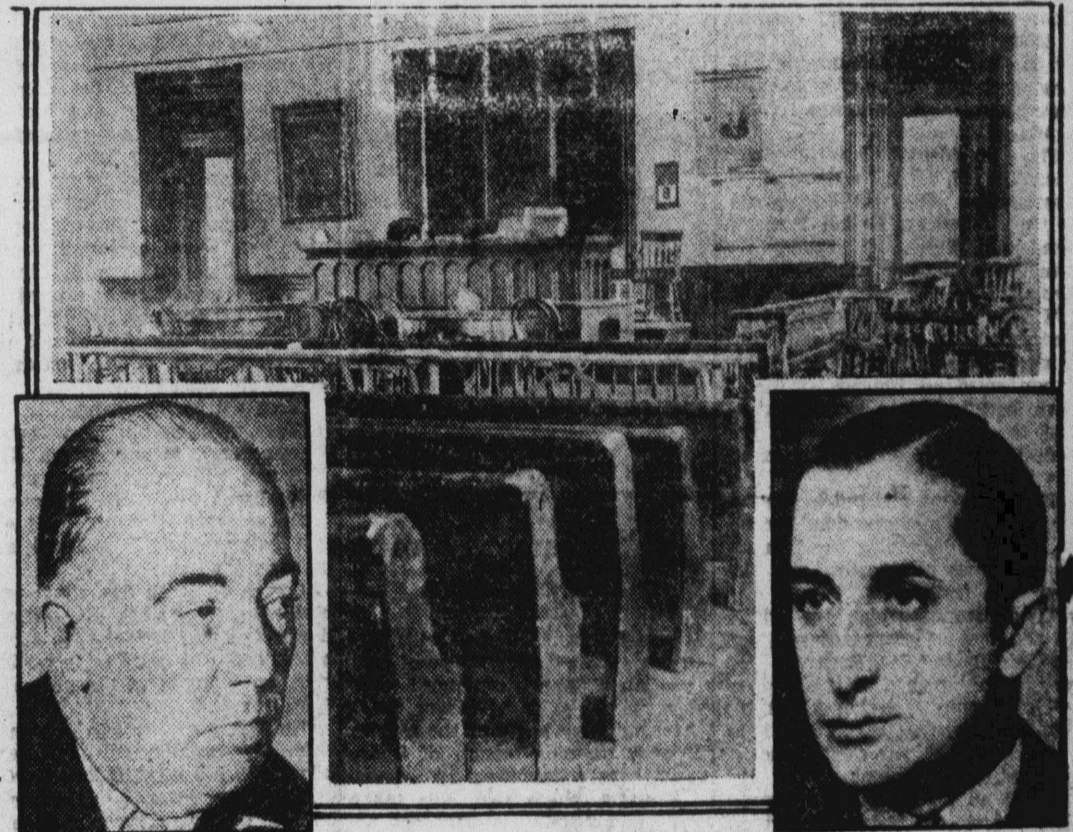
CHARACTERS IN ONE of the most sensational tragedies in history, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and Mrs. Lindbergh inspired the sympathies of the entire world. They are expected at the Hauptmann trial to give voice publicly and officially for the first time to what happened on the night of March 1, 1932, in the lonely house in the Hopewell hills. (Associated Press Photo)



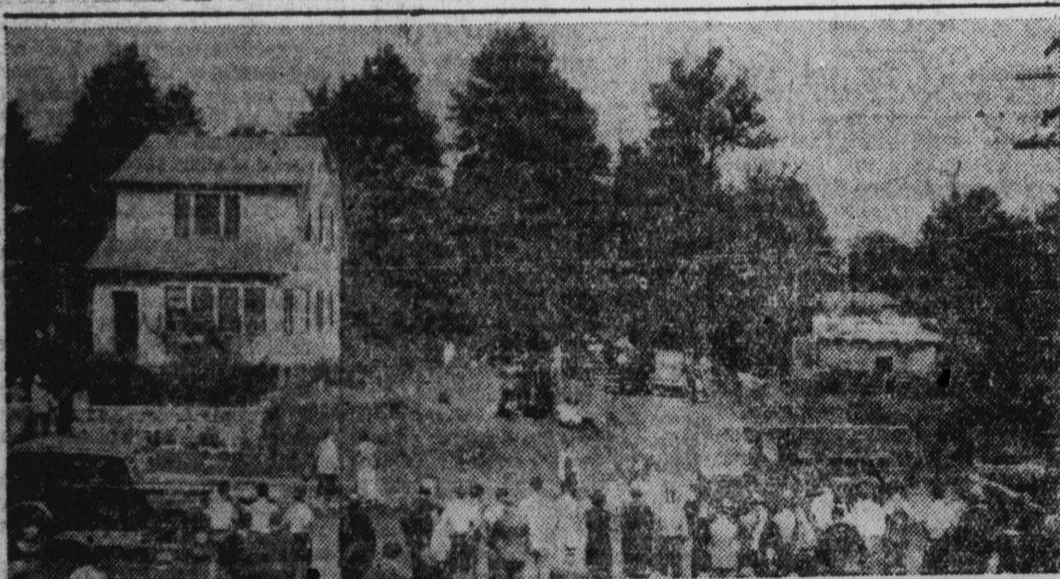
IT IS A STRANGE role that the wife of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, formerly a waitress, plays in trial of the German carpenter. The mother of a son about the same age as the Lindbergh child when it was kidnaped, she is expected to be present at all court sessions. She is shown above with her son, Manfred. (Associated Press Photo)



THE ABOVE DOCUMENT provides the crux of the impending third act of the Lindbergh kidnaping drama—the indictment for the murder of the Lindbergh baby of Bruno Richard Hauptmann by the state of New Jersey. (Associated Press Photo)



THIS MODEST LITTLE COURTROOM at Flemington, N. J., will provide the setting for the "trial of the century," and what might be termed the third act of the Lindbergh kidnaping drama. Seldom has a trial called for such extensive preparations and the courtroom will become a world theater—with batteries of telegraphic instruments, reporters, news reel men, radio commentators and photographers broadcasting the drama. Two of the principals, Edward J. Reilly (left), defense attorney, and Attorney General David T. Wilentz (right), the state's prosecutor, are shown. (Associated Press Photos)



THE ARREST OF Bruno Richard Hauptmann, after 18 months of ceaseless effort on the part of federal, New Jersey and New York City authorities, provided a sensational second act to the Lindbergh drama. The Hauptmann house and garage, where the ransom bills were found—Hauptmann at arraignment—and later behind bars, illustrate this chapter of the case. (Associated Press Photos)



PROPERTIES IN THIS sensational play are shown above—mute evidence gathered by the state—the ransom money found in Hauptmann's possession—the kidnap ladder, said by an expert on woods to be identical to wood found in the Hauptmann home—Hauptmann's handwriting compared by experts to that in the ransom notes—and the strange symbol drawn on the kidnap messages (lower left). (Associated Press Photos)

# Social and Personal

S. R. Harris left Sunday for Orlando, Florida, on a business trip. George Wilkerson left today for Castalia to resume his teaching after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilkerson.

Miss Christine Wilkerson has returned to Windsor after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Wilkerson, who have been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilkerson, have gone to Wendell to visit Mrs. Wilkerson's parents. Miss Margaret Strickland of Tarboro, is spending a few days with Miss Dell Cannon.

B. T. Cannon, A. R. Cannon and Bill Cannon have returned to Maysville, Ky., where they are on the tobacco market.

Miss Nannie Rowlett and Miss Ruby Stocks returned today from Richmond, where they spent the week end.

Mrs. H. S. Baggs, Misses May and Jean Baggs, Fred and Hoke Baggs, Jr., left Friday for a visit in Winston Salem.

Rev. H. F. Jones of Baltimore was here today en route to Raleigh. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sugg spent today in Raleigh.

J. J. Gilbert left yesterday for Washington, D. C., after spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hodnett and Mrs. Bettie Clark have returned from Danville, Ky., where they have been spending the holidays.

H. S. Ragdale has returned to Carthage, Tenn., after spending Christmas at home.

S. B. Law has returned to Mount Sterling, Ky., after spending the Christmas holidays at home.

Miss Rosalie Richardson, of New Bern; Miss Nancy Hart, of Tarboro and Miss Mary Dorcas Harding of Wilson, were week end guests of Miss Julia Gaylord.

Mrs. Marvin Sugg left Saturday for Charleston, S. C., to join Mr. Sugg, who has been transferred there by General Motors. She was accompanied to Charleston by Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sugg.

Mrs. R. W. King left yesterday for Port Chester, N. Y., to visit her son, Howard King.

Milton Harrington has returned to Horse Cave, Ky., after spending the holidays at home.

Little Miss Elizabeth Bridgers spent the week end with little Miss Betsy Hobgood.

Mr. and Mrs. Remmie Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reaves and P. C. Burwell, of Petersburg, Va., who have been guests of Mrs. Selma Carson Moore, have returned home.

John H. Voigt of Charleston, S. C., is visiting his niece, Mrs. Ernest L. Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Haygood have returned from Atlanta, Ga., where they have been spending the holidays.

Mrs. J. C. Butler has returned from a visit in Greensboro.

Mrs. Thomas McGee has returned from Winston Salem, where she has been spending the holidays.

**Miss Woolard Ill**  
Friends of Miss Doris Woolard will be sorry to learn that she is ill at her home on Evans street.

**Mr. Person Recovers**  
Friends of T. A. Person will be glad to learn that he has recovered from an attack of influenza.

**Birth Announcement**  
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Heath, of Kinston, announce the birth of a son, John Kinsey Heath, on Saturday, December 29, 1934, at Pitt Community hospital. Mrs. Heath was formerly Miss Maude Johnson of this city.

**Round Table Club**  
The Round Table club will meet with Miss Nellie Denny on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

## Social Calendar

**TUESDAY**  
3:30 p. m.—The Round Table Club will meet with Miss Nellie Denny.

7:30 p. m.—Chapter 149 Order of Eastern Star will meet.

**WEDNESDAY**  
8:30 p. m.—The choir of Memorial Baptist Church will meet.

**THURSDAY**  
3:30 p. m.—The Woman's Club will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The "B" Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The choir of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The Young People's Choir of Memorial Baptist Church will meet for rehearsal.

**FRIDAY**  
3:30 p. m.—The George B. Singletary Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet.

**Holiday Parties**  
The holiday season in Greenville has been unusually gay with dinners, dances, buffet suppers, and numerous other forms of entertainment.

Outstanding among the many attractive affairs were given by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stokes, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. White, Colonel and Mrs. E. G. Flanagan, Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Park, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Blow, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Long, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lipscomb, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ficklen.

The German club dance on Thursday evening, and the Cotillion club dance Friday evening were preceded by a number of parties. There were also a number of informal suppers.

Following the Cotillion club dance Miss Mary Elizabeth Ferguson was hostess to a number of guests at breakfast.

There are other attractive affairs planned for the few remaining days of the holiday season.

**Birth Announcement**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bulluck announce the birth of a daughter, Peggy Gould, on Thursday, December 27, 1934.

**Red Oak Club Meeting**  
The Red Oak Home Demonstration club will meet with Mrs. Billy May Wednesday, January 2, at 2:30. All members are urged to be present.

**San Souci Club Postponed**  
The meeting of the Sans Souci Book club has been postponed from Tuesday afternoon, January 1, to Tuesday, January 8th, when Mrs. G. J. Woodward will be hostess.

**Hostess at Supper**  
Preceding the German club dance on last Thursday evening, Mrs. Selma Carson Moore delightfully entertained at a buffet supper, honoring her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Remmie Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reaves and P. C. Burwell, of Petersburg, Va.

Decorations suggestive of the Yuletide were used throughout the home.

A delicious three-course turkey supper was served to about twenty guests.

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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

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Men's Rubber Heels ..... 25c

Ladies Half Soles and Heels ..... 65c

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**Have Tonsil Operations**  
Vivian Glenn and James Ellis Brewer are getting on nicely following tonsil operations at Pitt Community hospital.

**Birth Announcement**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cherry, of Bethel, announce the birth of a daughter, Betty Jean, on Friday, December 21, 1934.

**New Years at St. Peter's**  
The opening of the New Year is, incidentally, the Feast of the Circumcision of Christ in the ecclesiastical calendar, and a holy day of obligation. The services for the members of the Catholic church will be at 7 and 7:30 a. m.

**Resumes Inquirers' Class**  
For the benefit of those who are interested in the discussion of the problems of religion, a class will be held at St. Peter's rectory every Tuesday evening during the winter months. A part of each evening will be devoted to the instruction of those who wish to make a thorough study of Catholic teaching, but the object of the class will be to consider the relation of religion and present day problems. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested. In the first meeting tomorrow evening the topic of "God and the World" will be discussed.

**Mrs. Winstead Hostess at Luncheon**  
Mrs. J. L. Winstead was a gracious hostess at luncheon on Saturday, honoring Mrs. William Collier, of Norfolk, Va.

The table was attractively appointed, centered with a white Christmas tree on a reflector, with red candles in silver holders placed at either end. The place cards were also suggestive of the Christmas season.

A tempting five-course luncheon was served to Mrs. Collier, Mrs. Reid Perkins, Miss Frances Moseley, Mrs. Jack Edwards, Mrs. Curtis Perkins, Mrs. Vance Perkins, Miss Frances Norman, Mrs. J. L. Fleming and Mrs. Winstead.

## Three Ordered To Court Following Attack on Girl

The wife and two children of Paul Hill, operator of a cafe here, were recognized today for their appearance in police court Wednesday morning to answer to a charge of assault and battery.

The charge grew out of the alleged attack upon Miss Agatha Corbett, cashier at Hill's cafe, by Mrs. Hill, her daughter, Lucille and son, "Saff."

Police said Mrs. Hill and her children entered the cafe early this morning and made what was described as an "unprovoked attack" upon the young woman, who had been employed at the cafe since last spring.

The attack, it was said, followed Miss Corbett's return to the cafe after having accepted a position with another firm here. Police were notified while the fight was in progress and recognized the three for their appearance in court Wednesday.

Miss Corbett, it was stated, was taken home and put to bed, suffering from painful bruises and scratches about the face and body. Hill is a Greek and has been operating a cafe here for a number of years. Police could advance no cause for the fight.

## NEW WEDDING RECORD SEEN

**Indicated Today Last Year's Mark Will be Shattered by Slight Margin**

Although the issuance of marriage licenses hit the toboggan immediately after Christmas, it was indicated today the record of last year would be shattered.

Records in the office of Register of Deeds J. C. Gaskins indicated this morning that the issuance of nine licenses during the latter part of last week would enable the office to better last year's record of above the 750 mark.

Colored people as usual led the march to the altar during the last two days, although the whites took a spurt on one or two occasions during the Christmas holidays and snatched away the honor.

Employees of the office of the register of deeds were busy today compiling final records in the marriage field, and were overjoyed to overshoot last year's mark, although the margin will be small.

The total for this year, however, will not be available until tomorrow as today is the last day of the year and usually chalks up quite a number of marriages.

Those obtaining licenses to marry over the week-end were:

Thessally Manning to Edith Tripp, both of Swift Creek township.

Wayland Stallings to Russell Buck, both of Greenville township. William Ainsley to Mattie James, both of Carolina township.

**Colored**  
James L. Green to Carrie Smith, both of Greenville.

William Stewart to Lottie Pittman, Ayden.

Elmer Ormond to May Carman, Greene county.

John Barnes to Marietta Holmes, Fountain township.

Morris Mayer to Mary Ethel Jacobs, Greenville.

Zeland Edwards to Jessie McCoy, Ayden.

**Ask Open Hearing Of Striker's Death**

Charlotte, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The Observer says the executive committee of the North Carolina Federation of Labor, in a meeting at Salisbury Saturday, demanded of Governor Ehringhaus that he require an open hearing into the death of Ernest Riley, strike picket slain at Belmont during the recent strike by a National Guardsman.

The paper adds: "So far Gaston county officials have failed to order an inquest into Riley's death. Both the coroner at the time, and his successor in office, have said that an inquest has not been deemed necessary."

Raleigh, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Governor Ehringhaus said last night that he had "not received" the request reported to have been made of him by the executive committee of the



Miss Ethel Rowland

"Queen of the Regiment" is the appropriate title bestowed upon Miss Ethel Rowland (above) of Raleigh. Miss Rowland has been selected "Queen" of the N. C. State College R. O. T. C. Regiment by Cadet Colonel John Stanko, athlete star and high honor student, whose home is in Steubenville, O.

As "Queen of the Regiment" Miss Rowland will lead the Eighth Annual Military Ball with Cadet Colonel Stanko when it is held at the College this Spring.

North Carolina Federation of Labor to hold an open hearing into the death of Ernest Riley, a strike picket slain at Belmont during the recent textile strike by a National Guardsman.

"Such a request may possibly be at my office tomorrow morning, but so far it has not come into my hands," the Governor stated.

More than 17,450 marriage licenses were issued in New York City during the first seven months of 1934 as compared with 14,921 for the same period of the preceding year.

## PREPARES TO CLEAN SEED

**Farm Department to Give Attention to Cleaning Tobacco Seed Next 2 Weeks**

E. F. Arnold, director of the local farm department, today announced the beginning of operations for recleaning tobacco seeds for growers of the county.

The farm director said machinery had been set up at his office for taking care of the demands of the farmers and urged those desiring seed recleaned to get busy at once.

The seed department will be in operation for the next two weeks, Mr. Arnold said, or from the present until January 15, and adequate help will be on duty at the office throughout the day to take care of cleaning operations.

Only 146 pounds of seeds were recleaned last year, the farm head said, the smallest amount handled for any single season in years. The smallness of the output last year was due to the fact that the department confined most of its attention to the tobacco and cotton sign and didn't have ample time for recleaning operations.

Mr. Arnold stated that full time would be allotted to this department between now and the middle of next month and urged growers in need of this service to visit the office at their earliest convenience.

## Another Fatality From Auto Mishap

Bennettsville, S. C., Dec. 31.—(AP)—The death toll in a head-on automobile collision here yesterday was increased to three today when Mrs. R. L. Freeman and T. B. Herndon, both of Bennettsville, died in a hospital.

Mrs. Minnie Vista Quick, of Marlboro county, died shortly after the wreck three miles north of

here on the Cheraw highway. Attendants at the Marlboro hospital said five others injured in the collision probably would recover. Vernon Mace, of the Cheraw CCC Camp, received injuries about the body and legs. Coroner Paul Covington inpanelled a jury this morning and will probably hold an inquest tomorrow morning. Bennettsville police said they were told the accident occurred when Herndon attempted to pass a wagon and ran into the automobile driven by Ben Frank Moore, of Bennettsville, which contained Moore's two sisters, Mrs. W. S. Hendley, of Columbia, and Mrs. Freeman. Moore had been to Columbia to get his sisters after their mother had suffered a stroke there earlier in the day.

American business investments in foreign countries total more than \$14,000,000,44; 63 per cent of the amount is invested in enterprises in North, South, and Central America countries.

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Also wishes to express his appreciation for the loyal patronage he has enjoyed during the past and hope to serve you during the New Year.

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# ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective January 1st, The Name of

## The Carolina Kelvinator Co., Inc.

Will Be Changed To The

## Carolina Sales Corporation

This company was originally organized for the purpose of distributing Kelvinator products through parts of North and South Carolina. Since that time our activities have been enlarged to include other products which constitute more than fifty percent of our gross sales.

It can be therefore easily determined that our present company name is not entirely applicable and that for the best interests of our company it is desirable to adopt a new company name more suitable to our general activities.

The Carolina Sales Corporation will succeed the Carolina Kelvinator Co. Inc., in its entirety, accepting and absorbing all of the assets and liabilities of the prior company on the effective date. There will be no change in financial structure, management, personnel, policies or products handled. This change is primarily a change in name only.

We wish to express to you our appreciation for your fine patronage, and trust that this company under its new name may enjoy its continuation.

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Today is the last day to drive your car with that 1934 license plate, so if you don't have new plates, you must have your car in tomorrow or be arrested, according to latest word from Raleigh.

When you finish making out your New Year's resolutions for tomorrow, then make one final resolution to try at least to live up to some of those good resolutions you have made.

With the opening of Congress this week and our State Legislature next week, the people of our nation and State will turn their attention to the formation of policies that will govern us for the coming two years.

TOMORROW—A NEW YEAR

Entering upon a new year tomorrow most of us view in advance the days of 1935 with a certain degree of optimism. While it is not expected that the year will start off with any bang or a boom, there is little doubt that by the end of the year we will find that it has been even better than the year now coming to a close.

If you want the new year to be a better one, it is necessary for us to remember that we must have a part in making it so, and let our New Year's resolution be a determination to do our part in every movement to bring greater health, happiness and prosperity to one and all during 1935.

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ected demand for legislation limiting or denying the right of labor to strike on government projects.

When you remember that Uncle Sam is financing directly or indirectly the bulk of construction work in progress, any such action would be a solar plexus blow to the A. F. of L.

This legislation may not finally pass but smart labor leaders saw the handwriting on the wall back in the fall of 1933 when the A. F. of L. had its annual convention in Washington, D. C. At that time Ed McGrady, for years the A. F. of L.'s legislative agent, had been made a principal assistant to General Johnson in NRA. He is now as Assistant Secretary of Labor.

I did not kill Osborne

By VICTOR BRIDGES

SYNOPSIS: Molly O'Brien, Nick Trench, Jerry Mordant and Jimmy Fox have come down to Hambridge on Jerry's yacht to try for some information about John Osborne. Osborne stole a valuable formula belonging to Molly, worked a while in a deserted factory at Hambridge, and then was murdered. The formula disappeared, and Peter Orloff is also searching for it. Now Molly and Nick are going to examine Osborne's workroom, and Jerry is to try to extract some information from the people with whom Osborne boarded at Hambridge.

Chapter 39 THE TRAP

It was the first time Molly and I had been alone together since I had said good night to her in the bedroom at the flat. The memory of that moment had been constantly with me, but in the unsentimental atmosphere of a small boat, and the tense excitement of our joint enterprise, it had gradually come to appear like some remote dream.

Whether she even remembered the kiss she had given me I was at a loss to tell. Tired out and half drugged, as she had been, it was quite possible that she had acted merely from an instinctive feeling of gratitude, and that when she had awakened next morning the whole incident had been entirely forgotten.

She had certainly greeted me without the smallest trace of embarrassment, and ever since then she seemed to have included both Jerry and myself in a kind of frank and affectionate comradeship, which, as far as appeared on the surface, made no distinction between the pair of us.

All the same, as we walked along the uneven shore, I found it a trifle difficult to preserve that detached and alert frame of mind which the occasion obviously demanded.

She had slipped her arm through mine, and the soft pressure induced such a pleasant thrill that the machinations of Mr. Orloff and his friends seemed for the moment to be comparatively unimportant.

I felt an almost overmastering longing to tell her how much I loved her. I wanted to sit down beside her there and then on the wet grass and...

"What are you thinking about, Nick?" With a guilty start, I came back suddenly out of my dream.

"Lots of things," I prevaricated. "Jerry chiefly. I wonder if we were right in letting him go up there alone?"

"I didn't altogether like it," she admitted. "Still, we've got to do something, and on the whole it seemed to be the best plan. I'm sure he'll bully Mrs. Goodland a lot better than you could."

"You don't know all my accomplishments," I protested. "I can be a perfect fiend with women when I'm in the right mood."

She laughed softly. "That's just your conceit, Nick dear. Why, I wouldn't trust you to dismiss a housemaid—not if she was pretty."

I produced the keys which Jerry had returned to me, and opening the iron gate, held it back for Molly to pass. It swung to behind us, and, having tested it to make sure that it was properly closed, I followed her up the rough causeway and unlocked the big front door.

THANKS to Jerry's previous investigations, we were more or less prepared for what awaited us. On stepping inside, we found ourselves in an empty circular-shaped hall, lit by a couple of long, grimy windows.

Out of this ran a broad corridor leading to what had evidently been the principal manufacturing room, a large, barn-like structure, with a domed glass roof, where rows of stout wooden trestles and a pile of stacked benches could be dimly discerned in the grey light that filtered down from above.

an impressive array of plugs and switches shining from the brick wall behind it. Molly uttered a sudden exclamation. "Look at that, Nick! It's exactly like the small furnace father used to have in his laboratory at home. Oh, yes—this is where Osborne worked all right!"

She hurried forward, and following her down the passage, I paused for an instant to examine the door which Jerry had presumably left open. It consisted, as he had said, of a single slab of solid steel.

Judged by its appearance, the weight must have been considerable, but the whole thing was so beautifully poised that it swung to and fro at the lightest touch.

Leaving it half closed, I stepped across to the furnace, which Molly was scrutinizing with rapt interest. "Practically a duplicate," she announced excitedly, "and, what's more, it's made by the same people—the Acme Electric Corporation of Buffalo—there's the name on that little plate."

"Money no object, evidently," I remarked. "I wonder what it cost Avon, fitting him out with all these gadgets." "Some of them may have been here already. This room was specially built for making experiments in—that's obvious."

"How do you know?" I inquired. "Look at the door and the thickness of the walls. As Jerry said, it's just like a prison cell. You could blow yourself up in here quite comfortably without hurting the rest of the building."

"Well, I'm glad Osborne didn't do anything so idiotic," I remarked thankfully. She glanced up. "Why, Nick? It would have served him right and it would have saved you a heap of trouble."

"Quite so," I admitted, "but as a set-off against that I should never have met you." FOR an instant her blue eyes rested on mine with a kind of half grave, half smiling tenderness; then, to my utter bewilderment, her whole face suddenly went white and rigid.

"Look!" she gasped. "The door!" I spun round in a flash, but I was too late. Before I could move, the great slab of steel had swung forward into its place, shutting us in ruthlessly and silently, like the doorway of a vault. Almost simultaneously I heard the sharp click of a key.

"My God, Nick! We're trapped." I had flung myself across the room and was already wrenching feverishly at the handle. It twisted backwards and forwards in my grip, but nothing further happened.

Thrust and strain as I would, all my efforts were useless, and at last, releasing my hold, I stood staring helplessly at the blank, immovable barrier in front of us.

"You have my congratulations, Mr. Trench. The last time I called on you, you expressed a hope that we should meet again. I trust you are now satisfied."

It was Orloff's voice, faint, but distinctly audible, and at the sound of those smooth, mocking tones a chill sense of utter despair crept into my heart. I drew in a long breath.

"So it's you, Orloff," I said steadily. "You seem to have a habit of turning up when you're not expected."

There was the ghost of a laugh. "I keep my word, as you will shortly find out."

The voice seemed to come from somewhere over my head, and, looking up, I caught sight of a narrow iron grating let into the brick wall above the top of the door.

"Very interesting," I replied, "but I take it that you haven't shut us up in here in order to discuss your own psychology."

"That was not my principal object. The fact is, that you have become a nuisance. So much so that I find it necessary to put an end to your activities. In a few minutes from now you will both be dead."

Molly stepped forward noiselessly and slipped her hand into mine. "What's the sense in murdering us?" she asked calmly. "We haven't got the formula."

Double Role Seen For Lindbergh At Hauptmann Trial For Murder



Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, shown above with his wife, has played an active part in helping track down clues to the kidnaper and murdered of his first born son. He drove 'Jasie' to the cemetery rendezvous where \$50,000 was handed over to the alleged kidnaper.

By WILLIAM A. KINNEY

Flemington, N. J., Dec. 29.—(AP)—The father of the murdered Lindbergh baby is expected to be New Jersey's "star witness" in the trial here January 2 of Bruno Richard Hauptmann.

It is no secret that the prosecution expects the story to be told by the flying colonel to carry tremendous weight with the jury that holds Hauptmann's fate in its hands.

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh's role will be a double one. He will be the young father telling the tragic story of the kidnapping and death of his first born son, of the futile efforts to get the child back unharmed, of the final scene in a Trenton morgue when he identified a tiny baby as that of his child.

He will also be, it is expected, an accuser, identifying Hauptmann by his voice as the man who allegedly collected \$50,000 ransom for the safe return of a child who was then lying dead in a lonely thicket, a few miles from the Lindbergh estate near Hopewell.

Identification by voice is a difficult matter, state attorneys realize. But Lindbergh's is a trained ear, they contend, long attuned to the sound of delicate mechanisms, and the state may ask the jury to believe that the ears which listened intently to the smooth purr of an airplane motor on that history-making transatlantic flight can be trusted to identify a voice heard one dark night near a Bronx cemetery, when, it is presumed, Lindbergh was just as alert and intent as he was on his hop to Paris.

Acceptance or refusal of that identification may prove to be decisive. Dr. John F. Condon, the "Jasie" who negotiated the ransom payment, says the man to whom he gave the \$50,000 was the only one he contacted. It was that man who, when pressed by Condon for

postwar profits of the shipbuilders, are said to be something for any man to envy. British men set an example which was cut-paced here when the chance came.

New York By JAMES McMILLIN

Suicide: New York is disquieted by ominous reports that legislation will be introduced in the New Congress which would place a stiff graduated tax on corporate earnings—a new version of the "soak the rich" movement. The scale of levies that's being talked about would leave large corporations grapes to slice instead of melons.

It's known that enough Congressmen favor action along these lines to make sure such a bill will be drafted and will get considerable support from representatives of the West and South. However, it is not likely to muster enough strength to pass without the administration's O. K.—so the big question among business leaders is where FDR will stand. Most insiders believe he will interpose to save them from drastic punishment unless—as one shriveled observer expresses it—"there are too many McCarters in the woods".

The Con Gas reprisal for the Edison Institute declaration of war has sunk in. Quite a few big—timers—especially in the financial world—are convinced that bitter-end opposition is a form of slow suicide.

Stickless: Some of the participants in that White Sulphur Springs Conference which framed a recovery platform from the business angle are beginning to wonder whether it was wise to be so frank. Their scouts report kickbacks of public opinion from various sectors. In particular their recommendation that the federal government turn back relief projects to states and cities

evidence of good faith, sent Lindbergh's intermediary the sleeping suit the child wore the night it was stolen, and thereby linked himself directly with the kidnaping.

Col. Lindbergh says that man is Hauptmann. The defense strategists may be placed in an unusually delicate position by the expected appearance of Lindbergh on the witness stand.

If he subject the aviator to cross-examination calculated to attack his identification, they may, close observers have said, create an adverse impression on the jury. On the other hand, if his testimony goes unchallenged, a telling blow against the defense may have been struck.

It is expected that Colonel Lindbergh will again be seated at the prosecution's table during Hauptmann's trial, just as he was when the hoaxer John Hughes Curtis was tried and convicted of obstructing justice in the hunt for the baby's kidnapers two and a half years ago.

It is said here that that seat at the prosecution's table is a fitting place for him.

In the 72 frantic days that preceded the finding of the body, the colonel, acting at times independently of the police, spent many sleepless days and nights, always on the hunt. It was he who drove Dr. Condon to the spot where the ransom money was paid, and, deceived by Curtis' stories, made futile trips at sea to contact a non-existent kidnaper boat.

When the child's body was found, all need for caution vanished, and thereafter Lindbergh worked in closest harmony with the police. He testified against Curtis. When Hauptmann was arrested he and Mrs. Lindbergh were on the west coast. They sped by plane, landing at Trenton where Lindbergh conferred with Col. H. Norman Schwarzkopf, director of the kidnaping investigation.

didn't go over so well. Too any people have discovered that the real objective is a sharp cut in relief on the basic first states and municipalities just haven't the money to carry on the present outlay.

A conservative leader remarks that too many people are still in distress for those with large incomes to feel complacent about the future. "If those who have money want to keep it they'd be wise to do everything in their power to speed reemployment. It behooves us to speak very softly—the more so because we have no big stick."

Prepared: Mangers of automobile and steel companies are quietly getting ready for the labor trouble they feel certain is on the way.

That's one reason steel production has stepped up in recent weeks. Customers have been tipped off to get their orders for the next few months filled now—in case a prolonged shutdown makes it impossible to fill them later. So steel states its army, as encouraging as they look on the surface.

The auto makers have tried to minimize the effects of a Mechanics' Educational Society walkout by getting their new tools and dies earlier than usual. Even so they're not out of the woods. This union could come close to tying up a great many plants by pulling out a few key workers. Moreover—although motor unions affiliated with the Federation of Labor are unlikely to start anything on their own account—they might easily join the game once the Educational Society has kicked off. Proportional representation rangles more than ever and they would jump at a chance to redress what they think is a gross injustice.

One thing you can bank on. Both

Sundown Stories

New Year's Eve By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

"We should shout and crow and we and bark and quack," crowed Top Notch. "Ah yes, I am a very superior rooster and I always know what to do." Top Notch drew forth his little mirror from under his wing and looked at himself admiringly.

"We're all quite superior," quacked Mrs. Quacko Duck, who felt very proud of herself since she had put Rip, the dog, who had been sleeping on Willy Nilly's rug in front of the stove, opened his eyes, lifted one ear and asked:

"What is going on?" "Nothing is going on as yet," answered Top Notch, "but soon we are going to celebrate the fact that a new year is coming our way."

"Is it only going to come our way?" asked Rip. "Of course it might not bother to go anywhere else," answered Top Notch, shaking the red comb on his head importantly, "but it always has and so I suppose it will always will. It wouldn't miss Puddle Muddle for anything, however."

"You speak about the new year as though it were a person," cawed Christopher Columbus Crow. "I am not doing anything of the sort," answered Top Notch. Just then Willy Nilly, the little man came in the door. "We must celebrate," he shouted, and out of the box that HELD THINGS JUST FOR FUN he brought forth paper hats, and horns, and whistles. All arguments were forgotten and Puddle Muddle welcomed the new year with all the wonderful noise it possibly could make—and that was a great deal!

Tomorrow—"Puddle Muddle Resolves"

sides will be prepared for a bitter and protracted struggle if it comes. And this time the government will need more than diplomacy to settle basic differences.

Easy: Banking prejudice against long term loans to business doesn't apply to large and prosperous corporations. If you have a few million in cash and your earnings are healthy the bank will be delighted to help you save interest on bonds and spare you the annoying details of a refunding operation.

Watch American Tobacco in this connection. By the terms of a 99-year agreement it pays the interest on Tobacco Products' 36 million dollar issue of 6 1-2 bonds. These bonds don't mature for 88 years—but they can be called for payment at any time and insiders predict they will be shortly. Why not—when the banks will be happy to advance the necessary funds at around 3 per cent on 6-months notes with assurance of renewal as required.

This method of refinancing is easy and attractive now. It eliminates costly complicated registration, also marketing problems and underwriters' fees. But some companies may wish they hadn't grabbed the bait so eagerly when money rates were back to normal and the banks delicately suggest they'd like their loans refunded into new bond issues.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS 1. Kind of rubber 2. Head covering 3. Grand measure 12. Roman road 14. Mountain in Crete 11. Not rich 15. Ardent affection 16. Frequently used tonight 18. Make corrections in 20. Long narrow inlet 21. Ocean 22. Crowned with laurel 23. Beverage 27. Grow drowsy 28. Tribe of Sionan Indians 32. Carried on hostilities 34. Dog 36. He defeated 37. Sun 38. English letter 39. Objectable feature 43. Part of a play 46. Shoshonean Indian 47. Auctions 50. These often usher in the new year

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Both: Financial New York has a nervous eye on the great inflation conference of January 16th. On that day Senator Thomas, Father Coughlin, the Committee for the Nation, the Sound Money League and other advocates of doing things to money will assemble to formulate a program agreeable to all. If they ever get together they will be hard to stop.

Conservatives are glad so many cooks will attend the party and fervently hope the old adage holds good.

Syrian Printers in First Strike Aleppo, Syria, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Syria had its first printers' strike when local typos threw down their sticks as a protest against a sharp cut in wages. A settlement was negotiated.

St. Goar, Germany, Dec. 31.—(AP)—No more is the Lorelei a cliff of sadness and despair as Heine's famous poem would have it.

These days its remarkable echo shunts the shouts of 110 workers who are constructing an open-air forum, in keeping with Nazi plans to re-establish Teutonic ritual places.

Seven thousand cubic yards of earth are being removed for the forum, which will accommodate 7,000 persons and which, it is claimed, will be the finest in Germany.

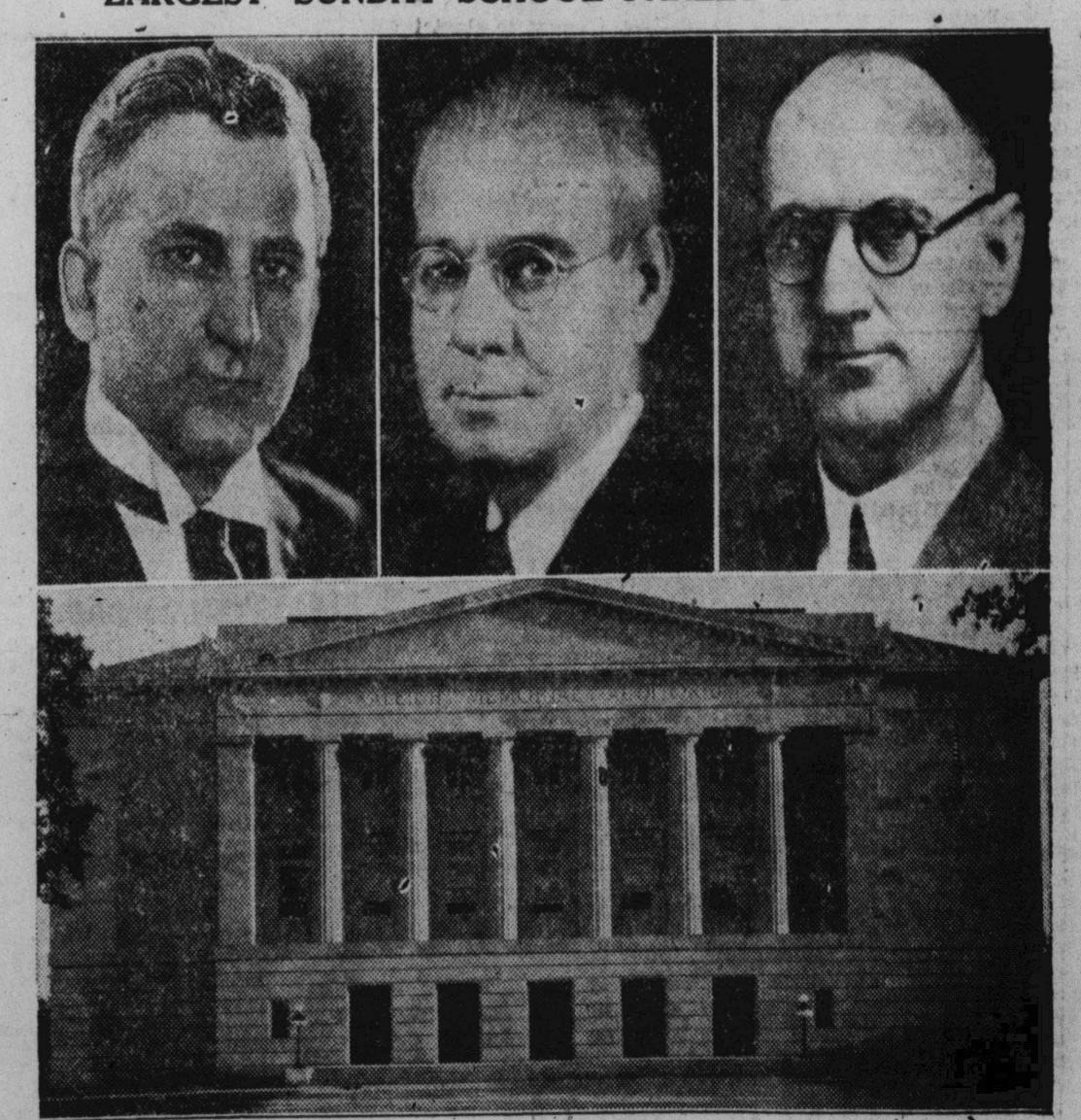
About the rock, towering above the Rhine near here, and its legend of a maiden who threw herself from it into the river because of a faithless lover and became a siren whose sweet voice lured fishermen to destruction, many poems and songs have been written. One of the most famous is Heine's, which begins "Ich weiss nicht was soll es bedeuten."

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had not been made, a number of private parties were on tap for the evening and some of them probably will last into the early morning.

Greenville in past years has celebrated the coming of the New Year rather vociferously and this year is not expected to be any exception to the general rule. In fact, with business conditions better than they have been in years, it was likely the observance would be more general as the public gives vent to its feeling of gratification and pleasure over the improvement.

'LARGEST' SUNDAY SCHOOL PARLEY IN RALEIGH



Described by churchmen as "one of the largest Sunday school gatherings ever held in the history of the world," the fifth session of the Southern Baptist Sunday School conference will convene in Raleigh, N. C., January 1. Five thousand delegates, representing 4,173,928 church members in 18 southern states, are expected. At the top, left to right, are shown Texas' ex-governor and former United States senator, Patt M. Neff, now president of the North Carolina Baptist convention, and convention; Perry Morgan, Sunday school secretary of the conference. The convention will be held in William P. Phillips of Nashville, Tenn., promoter of the conference. The convention will be held in Raleigh's new Memorial auditorium, shown at bottom. (Associated Press Photos)

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE For 1933 Taxes Town of Greenville, N. C.

By virtue of that certain judgment entered against the Town of Greenville, temporarily restraining the Tax Collector from advertising 1933 Taxes and by virtue of an order signed by His Honor, Judge J. Paul Frizzelle, on the 12th day of December, 1934, dissolving said Judgment, I will on Monday, January 14th, 1935, in front of the Court House door in the Town of Greenville, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following Real Estate for delinquent Taxes for the year 1933. By order of the Board.

Table listing real estate owners and amounts for 1933 taxes. Columns include owner name, address, and amount. Includes entries for Stokes, J. Gus., Tucker, L. B., Turner, W. H., etc.

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the authority of a deed of Trust executed by John W. Moore and wife, Joanna Moore, to Jas. S. Willard, Trustee, under date of January 16, 1926, of record in Book H-16, page 65 of the Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, and other stipulations in said instrument violated and the owners 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

Thursday, January 10, 1934 at twelve o'clock noon the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of the Joe Harrington lot, on the west side of Clark Street, at a stake and running in a southerly course along the western boundary of said street, about sixty (60) feet, more or less, cornering; thence running north 73-30 west 132-2 ft. to a stake; thence running northwardly and parallel with Clark Street, about 60 feet more or less, to the line of the Joe Harrington lot, 321-2 ft. to the beginning on said Clark Street. Same being known as the Drucilla Latham lot, and being the same lot conveyed to John King by R. W. King (Book G-8, page 151) and to F. M. Wooten by C. C. Pierce, Mortgagee (dated Feb. 14th, 1923) and to C. C. Pierce by F. M. Wooten and wife, (Book Q-14, page 592) and from C. C. Pierce to Charlotte Flanagan (dated Feb. 9th, 1925) and from Walter Flanagan (1925) and above grantor (John Moore) record of same being in Book N-15, page 428 of the Pitt County Public Registry.

This the 10th day of Dec., 1934. JAS. S. WILLARD, Trustee. Blount & James, Attys. Dec. 12-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF CITY PROPERTY Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of Trust executed and delivered on the 26th day of June, 1928, by Julius Jenkins and wife, Lizzie Jenkins, to John D. Brown and F. C. Harding, trustees, of record in Book Q-17 at page 127 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, and default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured and the owner of the debt having given notice to said trustees to institute foreclosure proceedings, the undersigned trustees will, on Saturday, the

5th day of January, 1935 at 12:00 o'clock noon at 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: That certain lot or parcel of land, together with all the improvements thereon, lying and being situated in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, on the West side of Evans Street, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a corner in the West property line of Evans Street, formerly known as the Ed Latham corner and later known as the Henry Peel corner; thence running North 74 degrees West 125 feet; thence running North 16 degrees East 160 feet; thence South 74 degrees East 125 feet to the West property line of Evans Street; thence with the West property line of Evans Street, South 16 degrees West 160 feet to the point of beginning, as shown by map of survey of said property made by Henry L. Rivers, C. E., dated June, 1928, and being the same property conveyed by Oscar Hooker to Julius Jenkins by deed recorded February 12, 1904 in Book W-7 at page 182 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This the 4th day of Dec., 1934. JOHN D. BROWN, F. C. HARDING, Trustees. Harding & Lee, Attys. Dec. 5-1w-4w.

MORTGAGE SALE By virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned by that mortgage of record in Book O-19, page 114, registered September 27th, 1923, executed by Henry Knox and wife Addie Knox, securing the indebtedness therein referred to, and the terms and conditions thereof not having been complied with, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Courthouse Door, in Greenville, on

January 21st, 1935 that house and lot located on First Street, in Greenville, described as follows: Situate in the Town of Greenville, on First Street, beginning on First Street, 49 feet East from the corner of Pitt and First Streets, and running North parallel with Pitt Street 165 feet to lot 25 in the plan of the Town of Greenville; thence East, being the line of lot 25, 49 feet; thence South and parallel with first line 165 feet to First Street; thence with a westerly direction 49 feet to the beginning, and being a part of lot 26 in the original plan of the Town of Greenville and a part of the lands conveyed by Oscar Hooker to Henry Knox by deed recorded in Book P-7 at page 233. This December 19, 1934. S. A. MOORE, Mortgagee. S. J. Everett, Atty. Dec. 19-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by James Haddock and wife, Mary Haddock, to Maggie Walker under a Book P-16, page 89 of the Pitt County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, and other stipulations in said instrument violated, the undersigned mortgagee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, before the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C. on

Thursday, December 20, 1934 at twelve o'clock noon the following described real estate, to-wit: Lying and being on both sides of 301 Highway and bound on the east by the land of Johnnie Haddock and F. C. Venter, on the south by the lands of L. F. Mills, on the north by the lands of W. L. Smith, known as James Haddock Home Place and being where he now resides, containing eighty (80) acres, more or less. This 19th day of November, 1934. MAGGIE WALKER, Mortgagee. Blount & James, Attys. Nov. 27-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the authority and power of sale contained in that certain deed of Trust executed to me as trustee by J. W. Martin and wife, Laura Martin, on January 1st, 1931, of record in Book S-18, at page 172, of the Pitt County Public Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, I will expose to public sale for cash, before the Court House Door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at 12:00 o'clock noon on

Friday, December 28th, 1934 the following described real estate: Lying and being situated in the town of Bethel, Pitt County, N. C., and bounded on the North by Pleasant Street; on the West by J. C. Wynn, formerly J. R. Whitehurst; on the South by the property formerly known as the R. J. Grimes lot, and on the East by W. R. Baker, being 90 feet in width and 230 feet in length, and known as the J. W. Martin lot, whereon J. W. Martin and wife formerly resided; and being the same lot conveyed by C. W. Bailey and wife, Annie Bailey, to J. W. Martin by deed dated January 2nd, 1919, on record in Book T-18 at page 294, of the Pitt County Registry.

This the 27th day of Nov., 1934. WM. J. BUNDY, Trustee. Nov. 27-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court entered at the December Term, 1934, in an action there pending entitled "Bertie Boyd and others vs. Sadie Perry and others," the undersigned Commissioners will, at noon, on

Monday, January 7, 1935 sell at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door in Beaufort County, the following described real and personal property, to-wit: FIRST: These tracts or parcels of land situate in Pitt and Beaufort Counties, North Carolina, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: 1st TRACT: Lying and being in Chocowinity Township, Pitt County, commencing at a stake in what was formerly known as the J. J. Laughinghouse's Mayo line near a road; running thence N. 67-1-2 W. 43.25 chains to a stake in Grimes' line; thence with said line N. 31-4 E. 8 chains; thence S. 80 E. 5 chains; thence S. 88-1-2 E. 12.5 chains; thence S. 35-1-2 E. 12 chains; thence S. 14-3-4 E. 14.69 chains; thence S. 30 W. 9 chains; to the beginning, containing by actual survey 102.5 acres.

2nd TRACT: In Chocowinity Township, Beaufort County, beginning at a pine on the Washington-Greenville road near the residence of H. A. Boyd, it being the N. E. corner of C. S. Elks, and thence running S. 82 W. 17.5 chains; thence N. 15-1-4 W. 13.94 chains; thence N. 65-1-4 E. 24 chains; thence S. 89-3-4 E. 17.11 chains to County line Branch; thence with said Branch S. 57 W. 1.87 chains; thence S. 53-1-2 W. 1.79 chains; thence S. 73-1-4 W. 2.17 chains to a stake in said Branch; thence S. 173-4 W. 2.11 chains; thence S. 42-1-4 E. 1.79 chains; thence S. 29-1-2 E. 5.5 chains; thence S. 81-7-8 W. 9.4 chains to a pine on the West side of the Washington-Greenville road and thence with said road N. 17-1-2 W. 2.87 chains to the beginning, containing 50 acres, excepting the Right of Way of N. and S. R. R. Co., containing 3 acres, leaving a net acreage of 47-3-4 acres.

3rd TRACT: In Chocowinity Township, Beaufort County, beginning at a point in the head of Calumac Branch, a marked corner, and running thence N. 7-3-4 W. 13 chains to a small ditch; thence with said ditch N. 46 E. 1.75 chains; thence N. 66-1-2 E. 1.25 chains; thence N. 51-3-4 E. 1.25 chains to the run of County line Branch; thence down said Branch S. 87-1-2 E. 6.5 chains; thence S. 71-1-2 E. 2.75 chains; thence S. 43-1-4 E. 2.59 chains; thence S. 20-1-2 E. 6.15 chains to a Bay in County line Branch; thence S. 84-3-4 E. 14.5 chains to a broken down red oak; thence S. 5-1-4 W. 25 chains to aypress in the Main Run of Bear Creek; thence up Bear Creek N. 62-1-2 W. 2 chains; thence S. 41-1-2 E. 16.65 chains; thence S. 10 W. 1 chain to a point where Calumac Branch flows into Bear Creek; W. 1.75 chains; thence S. 68 W. 2 chains; thence N. 73 W. 2.5 chains; thence N. 44-1-2 W. 2 chains; thence 31-1-2 W. 2 chains; thence W. 1.5 chains; thence N. 75-1-2 W. 1.27 chains.

Monday, January 14, 1935 at 12:00 o'clock noon the following described property, lying and being in said County and State and in Pactolus Township, to-wit: Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block "G" on the plat of the Town of Pactolus, as surveyed and platted by the East Carolina Land & Improvement Company, and being the same parcel of land that was conveyed to the late Delzora Fleming by C. E. Bradley and wife, recorded in Book F-9 page 103 of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is made, and being the same parcel of land conveyed to Jesse Fleming by Albion Dunn and Julius Brown, Commissioners.

This the 13th day of Dec., 1934. ALBION DUNN, Trustee. J. B. James, Attorney. Dec. 14-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the power contained in that certain Deed of Trust dated January 30 and executed by P. S. Brown (unmarried) which said instrument is shown of record in the office of Register of Deeds for Pitt County in Book E-18 at page 452, the undersigned trustee will, on

Wednesday, January 23, 1935 offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina; at between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 1 o'clock P. M., the

VETERINARIAN FREED BY ESCAPED CONVICTS



Garbed in the prison stripes of one of his abductors, Dr. T. M. White, Cochran, Ga., veterinarian, is shown at Augusta, Ga., after he had been freed by two of five convicts who seized him following a break from a chain gang. Dr. Cochran was forced to accompany the convicts on an all-night ride in his own automobile, was tied to a tree from which he freed himself and made his way to Kathwood, S. C., near Augusta. (AP Photo).

NOTICE OF ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LAND FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES Pitt County -vs- H. S. Page and Wife, Dicie Page. By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court made in the above entitled cause on November 5th, 1934, the undersigned, a commissioner appointed for the purposes therein named (it being a suit to foreclose the lien on the hereinafter described land held by the county for the non-payment of taxes) will expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public auction for cash, on Monday, the

7th day of January, 1935 at the court house door in the city of Greenville, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock, M., the following lots of land situated in the County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, described as follows: Two lots in the Town of Ayden situate on the West side of Railroad Street adjoining the Jesse Hart lot and others and being the same land described in that certain deed of record in Book W-7, page 571 of Pitt County Registry. This 1st day of Dec., 1934. F. C. HARDING, Commissioner. Dec. 15-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of Trust executed and delivered to Albion Dunn, Trustee, by Jesse Fleming and wife, Sallie Fleming, on the 6th day of February, 1920, which said Deed in Trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book Q-13, page 113, 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, January 14, 1935 at 12:00 o'clock noon the following described property, lying and being in said County and State and in Pactolus Township, to-wit: Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block "G" on the plat of the Town of Pactolus, as surveyed and platted by the East Carolina Land & Improvement Company, and being the same parcel of land that was conveyed to the late Delzora Fleming by C. E. Bradley and wife, recorded in Book F-9 page 103 of the Pitt County Registry, to which reference is made, and being the same parcel of land conveyed to Jesse Fleming by Albion Dunn and Julius Brown, Commissioners.

This the 13th day of Dec., 1934. ALBION DUNN, Trustee. J. B. James, Attorney. Dec. 14-1w-4w.

NOTICE OF SALE Under and by virtue of the power contained in that certain Deed of Trust dated January 30 and executed by P. S. Brown (unmarried) which said instrument is shown of record in the office of Register of Deeds for Pitt County in Book E-18 at page 452, the undersigned trustee will, on

Wednesday, January 23, 1935 offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina; at between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 1 o'clock P. M., the

following described tracts or parcels of land. Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby: FIRST TRACT: Beginning at the fourth corner of lot No. 1 in the division of the Holton heirs and runs with line of lot No. 1 Southwesterly 125-1-2 feet to a stake; thence in a westerly direction with Main Street 50 feet to a stake, the dividing line between J. E. Spear and A. H. Holton; thence Northerly parallel with a stake of lot No. 1, 125 feet to a stake in 3rd line of lot No. 1; thence with 3rd line of lot No. 1 to the 4th corner 50 feet to the beginning near the M. E. Church (colored).

SECOND TRACT: Lying on the South side of Main Street and bounded by lands formerly belonging to J. B. Cox, W. W. Dawson and others. Beginning at W. W. Dawson's corner and runs with Main Street S. 45 degrees E. 3 136-1000 poles to a stake; thence S. 31 degrees W. to a stake on the North side of Waters Street; thence S. 75-1-4 W. 2.38 chains; thence N. with Waters Street N. 56-1-2 W. 3.08 poles to a stake, W. W. Dawson's corner; thence with his line N. 31 degrees E. 17.75 poles to the beginning containing 1-3 of an acre more or less.

This the 19th day of Dec., 1934. PAUL R. WATERS, Trustee. Shaw & Jones, Attys. Dec. 26-1w-4w. chains; thence N. 86-1-2 W. 3 chains; thence S. 88-1-2 W. 2.6 chains; thence S. 63-1-4 W. 1.5 chains; thence S. 82-1-4 W. 2.41 chains; thence S. 64-3-4 W. 1.46 chains; thence S. 64-3-4 W. 1.26 chains to the beginning, containing 23 acres, excepting a Right of Way of N. & S. R. R. Co., containing 3 acres, leaving a net acreage of 21 acres.

SECOND: The farm's one-half of all of the crop of corn, peas and hay grown thereon during the year 1934. This the 6th day of Dec., 1934. H. C. CARTER, Commissioners. W. B. RODMAN, Jr., Dec. 10-1w-4w.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of M. C. Manning, deceased, late of Pitt County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Estate of the deceased to exhibit and present them to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of November, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said Estate will please make immediate payment. This the 8th day of Nov., 1934. C. A. MANNING, Executor of the Estate of M. C. Manning, Bethel, N. C. Julius Brown, Attorney for Executor. Nov. 8-1w-6w.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as Executors of the Estate of C. A. Tucker, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, North Carolina, on or before December 3, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 3d day of December, 1934. W. A. TUCKER, Executors. A. B. Corey and Dink James, Attys. Dec. 4-1w-6w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of N. C. Barnhill, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit and present them to the undersigned at his home near Stokes, North Carolina, on or before the 29th day of November, 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 27th day of Nov., 1934. LYDIA C. BARNHILL, Administratrix of the Estate of N. C. Barnhill, Stokes, N. C. Julius Brown, Atty. Nov. 27-1w-6w.

NOTICE OF SALE By virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by William Reeves and wife, William Ann Reeves, to the undersigned trustee on January 21st, 1930, and of record in Book E-18, at page 549 of the Pitt County Public Registry, default having been made in the stipulations contained in said deed of trust and the same not having been complied with the undersigned trustee will, on

Saturday, January 5th, 1935 at 12 o'clock noon in front of the Courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash the following described property, to-wit: Lying and being situate in the Town of Bethel, on the west side of Main Street, being lot No. 4 on a plot of property known as the Hammond property, map of which appears of record in Map Book No. 1, page 28, Public Registry of Pitt County, this being the same lot owned to E. C. House by N. M. Hammond and wife by deed dated March 2, 1915, and recorded in Book C-11 at page 202 Pitt County Public Registry, to which reference is made for a more perfect description.

This 4th day of December, 1934. WILLIAM J. BUNDY, Trustee. Coburn & Coburn, Attys. Williamston, N. C. Dec. 5-1w-4w.

WANT ADS PAY

### New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened steady unchanged to five higher on trade and foreign buying.

March after selling up to 12.72 reacted to 12.69 while October eased off from 12.69 to 12.56 with active months ruling net unchanged to two higher at the end of the first half hour.

At midday March was selling around 12.70 with the general list about net unchanged to two points higher, January sold off to 12.54 under early liquidation or five net lower but was holding around 12.58 at midday.

(Courtesy Speight and Haygood)

	Open	Close	P	Close
Jan	12.59	12.60		
Mar	12.71	12.69	12.69	
May	12.80	12.79	12.78	
July	12.80	12.81	12.81	
Oct	12.68	12.69	12.63	

Market closed tomorrow for observance of New Year's day.

### N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Wall Street accepted the year end crop of optimistic business predictions with high hope and considerable caution today.

Security prices firmed slightly in the stock exchange but trading was quiet and grains were almost limited to fractions.

Of course this was due in a measure to the fact that many traders failed to return to their desks for the one day session between Sunday and New Year's day. In commodities a number of staples such as sugar, rubber, silk and hides were firm but grains eased a little in the early dealings.

Foreign exchange dealings were quiet but gold bloc currencies were recovered further.

Transfers were 950,000 shares.

### N. Y. Stock List

- American Radiator 15 5-8
- American Telephone 104 1-4
- American Tobacco 84 3-4
- Anaconda 11 3-8
- Atlantic Coast Line 37
- Atlantic Refining 25 5-8
- Auburn 25 3-4
- Bendix Aviation 17 5-8
- Bethlehem Steel 32 7-8
- Columbia Gas & Elec 7 1-2
- Com'l Solvent 21 5-8
- Continental Oil 8 3-4
- Dupont 96 1-4
- Elec Power & Lite 22 3-4
- General Electric 22 1-4
- General Motors 34
- Liggett Myers 104 1-2
- Montgomery Ward 29 1-2
- Reynolds Tobacco 59 7-8
- Southern Railway 15 3-4
- Standard Oil 43 1-4
- U. S. Steel 39 1-8

### Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)

	Open	Close	Pv.	Cl.
<b>WHEAT:</b>				
Dec.	97 3-4	97 7-8	98	
May	99 3-4	99 5-8	99 7-8	
July	93 3-8	93 1-2	93 1-2	
<b>CORN:</b>				
Dec.	92 1-8	93 1-8	92 3-8	
May	89 3-8	89 3-4	89 1-2	
July	85 1-2	85 7-8	85 1-2	
<b>OATS:</b>				
Dec.	56 1-2	56	56 1-2	
May	52 5-8	52 7-8	52 5-8	
July	47 1-2	47 3-4	47 1-2	
<b>RYE:</b>				
Dec.	76 3-8	75	76 3-8	
May	76 3-8	75 3-4	76 3-8	

### Late News Flashes

(Continued from page one)  
west was one of the most serious on record, Professor Perry Byggy, University of California seismologist reported today. He said it must have caused great damage unless the shocks were centered at sea.  
A sharp earthquake shock was felt at Los Angeles at 10:44 this morning.

**Tried See F. D. E.: Arrested**  
Washington, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Hospital attendants kept an eye on a man who identified himself as Chester Kern, 27, who endeavored yesterday to meet President Roosevelt at church.

Kern, a chemist, and one-time government worker, who said his home is "any place I hang my hat" tried unsuccessfully to see the President at the White House. He went to St. Thomas Episcopal church where Mr. Roosevelt worshipped, noted secret service men were watching him, and invited them to search his clothing. They found a note asking an immediate audience with the President.  
Kern told police who took him to a hospital for observation his mother and sister reside in Kingston, N. C.

**N. C. Mill Defies NRA**  
Rockingham, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Sullenly defying the National Labor Relations Board, the Hannah-Pickett cotton mills have resumed operations today without reemploying 12 workers as directed by the NRA Friday.

Robert Cole, mill official and son of W. B. Cole, the owner of the mill, said:  
"We have no statement to make. We simply haven't reemployed the 12 men referred to in the decision of the board."

By operating without reinstating the workers the mill automatically left the case up to the compliance division of the NRA.  
Like the mill official, textile union leaders who made a prolonged strike at the Hannah mills had little to say other than that they were watching the situation closely. The mill employs 1,500 workers.  
On December 12 the National

Labor Relations Board, headed by Walter B. Stacey, chief justice of the North Carolina Supreme Court, ruled the mills had violated the textile code by discriminating among employees and ordered the reinstatement of 12 of 15 discharged employees.

**Democrats Survey Situation**  
Washington, Dec. 31.—(AP)—With explosive issues in the offing the dying year found the democratic leadership laboring today to weld its huge majority into a unit to put the Roosevelt administration program closely through the 74th Congress opening Thursday.

Surveying a membership that changes from share the wealth men on the left to pillars of old line conservatism on the right, leaders acknowledged that controversies are in store. First, they said they found a consensus among returning members that the late election was a mandate to follow Roosevelt.

The President's program, embracing a vast range of problems, topped by relief of the unemployed, has yet to be revealed in any detail. Legislators expect him to give an outline on the purposes and aims in the message he will deliver on Friday, probably in person.

On Saturday, with the delivery of the President's budget message, will come the answer to one paramount question: How much will be spent for public works? Speculation ranged from one billion five hundred million to seven billion, but no one has given out any statement.

From Rep. Byrns, Tennessee, slated to become speaker of the House, there came today a prediction that though debate may be extended and widespread on some issues, in the end the democrats will work together.

### China's 'First Lady' Leads New Deal

By MORRIS J. HARRIS  
Lichuan, Kiangso, China — (AP)—Under the guidance of China's "first lady," Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, the people of this ravaged territory, recently rescued from the communist armies, are tackling energetically the problem of reconstruction.  
Mme. Chiang is president of the Kiangsi Christian Rural Service Union, an organization which has set out to effect the regeneration of a region which had been reduced to social and economic ruin by six years of calamity.

Volunteer workers from Chinese universities, government experts on social problems and foreign missionaries are working in close cooperation to create a modern rural society on a district which was known a few years ago as "darkest China." The peasant population has been responsive to this "new deal," and in the few months in which the headway has been made in such projects as village industries, rural health programs, credit and marketing cooperatives, classes in modern agricultural methods and mass education.

### Talks to Parents

#### Early Teens

By BROOKE PETERS CHURCH  
At 13 the average girl is physically so far advanced over the boy of the same age that one might think the two sexes belonged to different races.

During three or four years of the early teens the companionship of boys and girls of the same age is bound to be very limited. The girls look down on their contemporaries of the other sex and tend, if they have any interest in boys at all, to be attracted by high-school seniors and college freshmen, who generally look with kindly amusement at their young admirers.

It is a hard phase for the mother to guide her daughter through. She sees the inevitable snubs which the child must endure, and can do nothing to change the situation. In fact, unless she wants her child definitely to push the calendar aside and pose as sophisticated 16 she must add to the girl's trials the extra humiliation of being treated like the little girl she actually is.

Some mothers, unable or unwilling to cope with a child in this stage of development, allow her to have her way. She uses make-up—probably too much—has dates, sits up late, perhaps smokes. She is pretty sure to be extreme in all that she does so as to be sure of concealing her youth.

In the end she has gained nothing by experience beyond her years and has lost much of the charm and grace of the period of development. She can never really be sweet 16 because she has anticipated it before she was ready for it, and is an old story when other girls are just stepping out.

The only way to keep the early teens where they belong is to give them interests which occupy mind and body alike and leave no idle moments of boredom.

The task is a formidable one. The population has been so decimated by the wholesale exodus of people within the terror-filled years that there is an acute shortage of manpower. A survey has shown that the women far outnumber the men. Hundreds of farms are deserted and will have to be reclaimed. The people who remain are destitute.

The reconstruction program dates back to the days when General and Mme. Chiang investigated personally the conditions in the territories recaptured from the red armies. They visited afflicted villages and saw first hand the plight of the disaster-ridden population.

Then missionaries in Kiangsi decided to organize the Kiangsi Christian Rural Service Union and General and Mme. Chiang agreed to bear half the cost. Mme. Chiang was made president of the organization. Mme. Chiang is remembered by many friends in the United States as Mei-Ling Soong. She is a graduate of Wellesley College. She is

taking an active part in the whole program of national reconstruction on which the Nanking government has embarked and frequently is credited with being the moving spirit behind the "new life movement," a plan launched by her husband for a moral re-awakening in China.

### WINTER SEASON OPENS AT ASHEVILLE RESORT

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 2.—(AP)—A series of brilliant holiday affairs extending from the pre-holiday period to New Year's day, held at the various resort centers in the city, mark the beginning of the winter season in Asheville. Opening of the galaxy of social affairs centering upon New Year's Day and Christmas, the season is presenting much to interest winter sojourners.

Scenic touring is one of the favored activities among winter visitors in Asheville this season. Points of interest which are the objective points include Chimney Rock and Lake Lure, the Sapphire Country, the Great Smoky Mountain National Park, Mount Pisgah, the Linville and Tryon sections, and many other scenic drives.

### WANTS

RATES: 1c per word (minimum 25c) per insertion, this size type. Larger type, double price. Persons not having regular account with this office must send or bring cash with copy. No want ads taken over telephone.

LOST—ABOUT THREE MILES east of Paolius, Durco - Jersey hog, weight about 450 or 500 pounds. Reward offered for return of same to John H. Stancill, Box 166, Greenville Route 5. 31-1t

FOR TUESDAY — Cream doughnuts. Peoples' Bakery. 31-1t

PLUMBING & HEATING — C. L. Russ, registered plumber and steam fitter. State License No. 245. Residence phone 896-WX; business phone 636. Shop, 312 Evans St., Greenville, N. C. 28-6t

ERNEST BROWN, EXPERT ACCOUNTING, tax service, inventory service. Reasonable charges. Phone 516. 27-6t

WANTED—UNFURNISHED bedroom near Five Points. Call 43. 26-1t

WEAR NICELY CLEANED AND pressed clothes all the time. We clean and press clothes to your entire satisfaction. Carolina Dry Cleaners, Leon Smith, Prop., phone 176. 31-1t

POSITION WANTED BY EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and stenographer and general office worker; 15 years experience. General Motors accounting system. Write "Bookkeeper," Box 408, Greenville, N. C. 28-6t

STRAYED FRIDAY—SOW weighing about 150 pounds. Red with black spots. Finder please notify E. J. Dail, Ayden, N. C., R.F.D. 2. Mon-Fri 14-1t

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