

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, colder tonight and on the coast Tuesday.

REBEL FORCES GAIN CONTROL OF NEW AREAS

Thirty-Five Villages Reported To Have Been Taken

AREA CAPTURED NORTH TERUEL

Insurgent General Franco Driving Toward Mediterranean With Full Force

Hendaye, Franco-Spanish Frontier, Feb. 7.—(AP)—The Spanish Insurgents have captured 35 villages and gained control of the entire Sierra Palomera range North of Teruel in a new offensive to cut off Catalonia from the rest of Government Spain.

Dispatch from Insurgent headquarters at Salamanca said today that retreating Government forces had abandoned 3,000 dead on the field of battle and 3,000 more Government soldiers had been taken prisoners.

The Insurgents said they had advanced about 14 miles and conquered about 230 square miles of territory since the start of their offensive Saturday.

General Francisco Franco was driving toward the Mediterranean coast with all the force at his command, fighting night and day to dismember Government Spain. His advance guard was last reported within 75 miles of the sea.

Advancing on a 25-mile front, the Insurgents threatened the city of Montalban and the Government's main supply road from Barcelona and other coastal points.

Government communications admitted the Insurgents attacks "continued with even greater intensity" at the beginning and the Government troops had been forced to give ground. They were said to have retreated in good order to new positions.

Only seven marriage licenses were issued during the past week, bringing to 69 the total granted so far this year. Four of the licenses granted last week went to white couples and three to colored.

White couples: J. A. McLawhorn of Ayden and Thelma Bowling of Greenville; Lyman Evans and Hazel Britton of Choccol; William Perkins of Greenville and Katie Pauline Paramour; Ben May of Farmville and Lola May Shirley of Walstonburg.

Colored couples: Will Ernest Ellison and Lemmie Taft of Greenville; Alphonso Rouse and Luella Stephenson of Ayden; Alex Gray and Elma Fourmon of Greenville.

Edward Braddock, British general, led the expedition against Fort Duquesne in the French and Indian war in 1755. He was mortally wounded and died shortly afterwards.

Not In Dollar Day

Replying to numerous inquiries as to whether or not The Reflector would take part in the Dollar Day being staged by the Greenville merchants on Thursday of this week, we repeat our notice of January 14:

"For the information of the public in general we wish to state that there will be no more reduced subscription offers. Because of the greatly increased cost of the white paper on which your Reflector is printed, together with other increased costs, the present five-dollar a year price does not cover the cost of the paper and delivery service."

"Within the last few weeks many newspapers have found it necessary to increase the price of subscriptions, but it is our desire through an increased number of readers and higher advertising rates, to be able to hold our subscription price down to its present level. "We make this explanation in order that our subscribers and prospective subscribers will understand why there can be no more special offers in the way of reduced subscription prices."

BANDIT SUSPECT CRITICALLY WOUNDED



Carl Boettcher, 24, of Cleveland, suspected member of a notorious robber gang, is shown lying on a stretcher after he was critically wounded in a fierce gun battle in which three men were slain and four wounded. The exchange of fire ensued when three perpetrators of a recent bank robbery, surprised Boettcher and three cronies in a rooming house hide-out. Two bandit suspects were slain, and the detective was fatally wounded.

DENIES CHARGE OF SATURDAY

County Attorney Releases Copy of Batson Contract

"There is no foundation to the charge that the county commissioners have entered into a contract with A. S. Batson of the National Bureau of Investigation, that cannot be terminated by the board at will," declared P. C. Harding, Pitt County attorney, when questioned by a Reflector representative this morning, regarding implied charges published in a paid advertisement in Saturday's issue, "that the county commissioners have been paying the National Bureau of Investigation \$50,000 per day, from tax money, since October 20, 1937 under a contract, reportedly to continue such payments so long as, in the opinion of A. S. Batson, his services are needed in the county."

At the request of The Reflector representative, Mr. Harding furnished the paper with a certified copy of the Board of Commissioners' only contract with A. S. Batson, agent for the National Bureau of Investigation, which is as follows:

"North Carolina, Pitt County. "This agreement made and entered into this 20th day of October 1937 by and between the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County, in the State of North Carolina, of the first part, and the National Bureau of Investigation by A. S. Batson, Agent, of the second part:

Witnesseth: that the party of the first part hereby employs the party of the second part to render all services available for the purpose of enforcing any and all criminal laws of the State of North Carolina, within the County of Pitt; and the party of the second part is to use such help and assistants as he may deem advisable and the party of the second part is to be solely responsible for their compensation and to be solely responsible for their acts and deeds during the term of this Contract.

"The term of this Contract shall be for a period of Ten Days from the date of this Contract above first written; with the right and privilege reserved to the party of the first part to terminate this Contract immediately whenever they may desire to do so. "And it is further stipulated and agreed that the compensation to be paid by the party of the first part to the party of the second part shall be Forty Dollars per day plus purchase and traveling expenses incurred by the party of the second part in performing the duties set forth in this Contract, payment as (Continued on page six)

Additional Funds Sought For Probe

Washington, Feb. 7.—(AP)—The Senate Agriculture committee voted today to extend its investigation of the American Cotton Cooperative Association and the Government cotton pool. Chairman Smith (D-SC) said the committee approved a request for \$25,000 in addition to a previous \$10,000 to investigate claims that some 3,000,000 bales of cotton on which the government made loans had been underrated as to quality. A preliminary report by Colonel Lawrence Westbrook, former administration relief official, said sample tests of loan cotton indicated low gradings had cost cotton growers about \$1.50 a bale.

DOLLAR DAY

Greenville's semi-annual Dollar Day will be observed here Thursday, February 10, at which time bargains by the thousands will be available at the various stores participating in the event. Stores already are arranging their stock and marking down prices for next week's affair.

Dollar Day is held two times each year in Greenville, shoppers from a wide territory have come to look upon them as the biggest money-saving events during the year. Real Dollar Day bargains will be found in each of the stores displaying the window placards. An advertisement elsewhere in this paper lists the 41 business houses participating in the big sales event.

LUCAS CHOSEN TO HEAD BOARD

County Election Committee To Be Named March 26

Raleigh, Feb. 7.—(AP)—The State Board of Election chose W. A. Lucas of Wilson as its chairman today and announced it would meet March 26 to appoint county election boards. George McNeill of Fayetteville, who served as secretary of the board some years ago, was elected secretary. He and Lucas were chosen unanimously, the chairman by recommendation of Governor Hoey. Raymond Maxwell, executive secretary since the present form of State Board was set up in 1925, was unanimously chosen to continue in the job.

Associate Justice Wallace Winborne of the Supreme court administered the oath of office to Lucas, McNeill and J. O. Bell of Hendersonville, the Democratic members of the new board, and Warren Hall, of Charlotte and A. S. Mitchell of Winton, the Republican members.

War On Republicanism. Belfast, Northern Ireland.—(AP)—Northern Ireland vigorously continues its war in Republicanism within its borders.

Police have almost unlimited powers to deal with political suspects under the government's drastic Special Powers act. Offenses under the act include the flying of Eire's tricolor, wearing a buttonhole Republican emblem, reading Republican journals in trolley cars and singing Eire's anthem "The Soldier's Song."

POISON SLAYER LOSES APPEAL

Mrs. Anna Hahn Is Scheduled To Die March 10

Cincinnati, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Mrs. Anna Marie Hahn, convicted poison slayer, lost her fight in the Ohio court of appeals, today to escape a sentence of death in the electric chair. Three judges of the court concurred that she "has a fair trial."

In a 16-page opinion, Judges Simon Ross, Francis Hamilton and Stanley Matthews wrote "we find that no error has intervened to her prejudice."

Mrs. Hahn was convicted November 6 of the death by poison of Jacob Wagner, one of four elderly acquaintances of the German-born blonde to die in what the state contended was a scheme to "murder for profit."

She is under sentence to die March 10.

Only One Case Aired In City Police Court

Only one case was tried at this morning's session of City Police court, John Henry Dudley, Negro having been taxed with the costs of court on a charge of assault and using vulgar and profane language. With the exception of several persons jailed as the result of a Negro free-for-all Saturday night, Dudley was the only person arrested over the week-end.

Changes Take Place Second Period Lineup

Final Extra Vote Offer On \$30 "Clubs" Is Announced Today—255,000 Extra Votes To Be Given On Each \$30 "Club" Turned In By Saturday, Feb. 12th. NOTHING BETTER LATER ON

GET AS MANY EXTRA VOTES AS YOU CAN

List Of Workers In The "Cash Offer" Campaign and Votes Accepted For Publication

Table with 3 columns: Name, Address, Votes. Lists names like Mrs. Richard Williams, Mrs. Richard W. Gorman, Mrs. Edna Dixon, etc., with their respective addresses and vote counts.

This is the time to build a reserve of votes on which to base your hopes of winning the \$600 and the \$400 Major Awards REPORT WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS Between 3 and 6 P. M.

BILBO WAGING FILIBUSTER ON LYNCHING BILL

Warns That Other Sections May Face Race Troubles

END PREDICTED FOR WEDNESDAY

Republican Opposition to Consideration of New Crop Control Legislation

Washington, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Senator Bilbo (D.-Miss.) warned the Senate in an attack on the anti-lynching bill today that the South might not be the only section to face race troubles in the future.

He said he "hoped to be in the Senate" when members from other sections brought their problems to that body. Bilbo announced as he took up the Southern filibuster against the bill that he was ready to give the balance of his "30-day" speech, which was halted last week.

However, Senator Connally (D.-Texas), leader of the Southern group, predicted that the argument against the bill would be continued until Wednesday, when the conference report on the farm bill is expected to come up. The Southerners said they were confident that once the bill is laid aside for the farm measure, it would be sidetracked for this session.

Plans of House leaders for consideration of the new crop control bill tomorrow ran into Republican opposition to "hasty consideration." Minority Leader Snell of New York, objected when Chairman Jones (D.-Texas), of the Agriculture Committee, and Majority Leader Rayburn of Texas, declined to wait until Thursday to bring the new bill before the House. Snell contended the members should have more time to consider this "practically new bill."

Two Negroes Injured In Free-For-All Here

Two persons were seriously injured Saturday night in what local police described as a Negro free-for-all on Factory street.

Lula Keel, Negro woman, is in Pitt General hospital in a critical condition as a result of having been cut with a knife. A Negro man suffered a serious blow to the head but is not considered as badly injured as the woman.

Police declared that about 15 persons were involved in the fracas but they have not completed their investigation. The affair probably will be aired in City police court Wednesday morning.

Road traffic in Britain kills 10,000 animals daily.

FLORIDA GIRL TO WED SENATOR



From Washington comes announcement that United States Senator William H. Smathers, 47, of New Jersey, and Miss Mary Jim Foley, 28, of Winter Haven, Florida, are engaged to be married. They are shown together at Atlantic City.

Harvey Firestone Dies At Miami Winter Home

Had Suffered Intermittent Illness for Several Years

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 7.—(AP) Harvey Firestone, the rubber magnate of Akron, Ohio, died at his winter home here early today. Firestone's son, Russell Firestone, announced that his father died in his sleep early this morning at his home here and that the funeral would be held in Akron later this week.

Firestone was 69 years old last December 20. He had suffered from illness intermittently in recent years but his health was good when he arrived on his birthday for his annual winter sojourn at his ocean front estate.

The rubber manufacturer held an optimistic outlook on life and his last interview, on his arrival here, reflected that trail. "He said business conditions were 'not so good as they were a year ago,' but attributed that condition 'in large degree to government regulation of industry.'"

A spokesman at the estate several hours after Firestone's death said the family was "not talking to anyone" and no details of the industrialist's last hours were available. Mrs. Firestone, whom he married in 1895, was believed to have been at the bedside.

PROMINENT LITTLE THEATRE TO PRODUCE UNC PLAY

Chapel Hill, Feb. 7.—A full length play by William Peery, an assistant in the University of North Carolina Dramatic Art Department has been scheduled for production by the Pasadena Playhouse, a nationally known Little Theatre group. Entitled "Carnival" the work will be directed by Gilmer Brown and presented for the first time April 4th.

Mr. Peery, a Rockefeller foundation fellow in creative writing, wrote the play as his chief work while an assistant in Paul Green's advanced writing group. He is also a book reviewer on the News and Observer staff.

In order to get background for writing "Carnival" Mr. Peery worked in two road shows.

Dolls From Queen Mary. Hull, England.—(AP)—Queen Mary has given Hull a collection of 600 dolls left to her recently under the will of a Reigate spinster.

The dolls are exhibited in the Wilberforce museum where special collections are devoted to children.

Federation Ousts So-Called Rebels

Miami, Fla., Feb. 7.—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor executive council announced today it had revoked the charter of the United Mine Workers of America. At the same time the council revoked charters of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers and the Federation of Flat Glass Workers of America. A resolution adopted last Friday, but not announced until today, said the A. F. of L. regarded activities in the Committee for Industrial Organization as an "actual and complete withdrawal" from the Federation.

JAPS REALIZE STIFF CONTEST AHEAD IN CHINA

Guerrilla Warfare Delays Long-Awaited Drive

GENERAL CHIANG WELL - EQUIPPED

Nippon's Military Forces Indirectly admit Guerrilla Operations Present

Shanghai, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Swift, fierce surprise attacks by Chinese guerrillas scattered throughout the Japanese-occupied territory surrounding Shanghai are delaying the Japanese offensive against China's "life-line" zone North of here.

They show that Japan after seven months of warfare has a difficult task in attempting to conquer China.

Another indication of the size of the task came in reports that enough munitions to supply General Chiang Kai-Shek's armies for another year had been shipped from British Hongkong to Hankow, China's provisional capital.

Japanese military forces indirectly admitted the guerrilla situation today when they announced that operations had been started against pirates and Chinese remnants based on an island in Lake Tai, West of Shanghai.

The Japanese said navy launches attacked the guerrilla stronghold and asserted that guerrillas operating near Soochow, West of Shanghai, had been wiped out.

Chinese and foreign sources disclosed the increasing magnitude of guerrilla operations on the outskirts of several towns captured by the Japanese. Reports of similar activities are received almost daily from North China.

Foreigners from Nanking told of four truck loads of Japanese being ambushed and wiped out near Chinkiang, on the lower Yangtze.

Intangible Taxes Handled By State

The state's new intangible tax laws no property of this class will be necessary; required to be listed with local tax takers or subjected to local tax rates applying to tangible property.

All property in the category is returnable to the state on March 15 as of the preceding December 31st and the tax is payable directly to the State Department of Revenue.

In the case of bank deposits the tax is automatically deducted by the banks from their depositors' accounts and is turned in to the Department of Revenue by them instead of by the taxpayer himself.

Recent notices of deductions sent by banks to their depositors, coupled with the fact that only about \$20,000 in intangibles was reported collected by the Department in January have given rise to considerable confusion in the minds of many about the method of collection. It appeared that the state should have received far more than \$20,000 in January if the deductions were being turned in.

As a matter of fact there is a mass of detailed work to be done by the banks between the time they deduct the levy from their depositors' accounts and the time they turn them in to the State Department, Tom Alexander, head of the intangible division says.

A thorough check must be made to determine if deposit was exempt for any reason; the banks must list individually all the deductions; and there is much purely clerical work to handle.

The January receipts were entirely satisfactory and were fully up to expectations, Mr. Alexander said.

It is expected that the total revenue at the reduced rates will be greater than under the former much higher rates by reason of a more general and complete disclosure of this class of property.

Defer Interview

Moscow, Feb. 7.—(AP)—A scheduled interview with Mrs. Ruth Marie Rubens of New York by Loy Henderson, charge d'affaires of the United States Embassy, was postponed today while Soviet authorities completed arrangements as to the time and place.

The United States gain permission last week for the talk in the hope of solving the mystery of the woman's trip to Russia on a fraudulently obtained passport and her arrest December 9 on suspicion of espionage. The meeting was expected tomorrow.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Parker of Richmond, spent the week-end with Mrs. T. E. Parker.

Mrs. J. C. Wooten and Miss Alice Wooten spent yesterday in Raleigh and Durham.

J. N. Hart left today for Valdosta, Ga. where he will be located as general manager of the Smith Heating Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Quinerly and Miss Mary Darden Quinerly will be the overnight guests of Judge and Mrs. W. A. Darden tonight.

Miss Iris Hooker is spending this week with her brother, Dan Hooker, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Aubrey Shackell of Tarboro, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hortense Moyer, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Transou of Greensboro, are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moyer. Mr. Transou returned to Greensboro this morning, but Mrs. Transou will remain for a longer visit.

John Blanchard of Washington, D. C. is in town for a few days.

J. S. R. Popham of Raleigh, spent the week-end here in the home of Mrs. W. W. Phelps.

Miss Eleanor Barr spent the week-end in Richmond.

Bill Saunders, who has been on the Kentucky tobacco market, has returned to Greenville.

James C. Smith spent the week-end in Wilmington visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Phelps of Morehead City, spent the week-end in Greenville.

Miss Marjorie Perkins spent the week-end in Wilmington.

Jimmy Shannon of Wilmington, spent the week-end here with friends.

Miss Margaret Hassell of Raleigh, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Hassell.

Miss Katherine Jones of Raleigh, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie T. Jones and family have moved from Dickinson avenue to 400 Harding street.

Mrs. Brown Mayo and child have returned to Lucama after spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wilson spent the week-end in Fayetteville.

Jack Foley of State College, Raleigh, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foley.

James S. Ficklen returned today from New York. Mrs. Ficklen will not return until the latter part of the week.

R. M. Garrett left today for Hot Springs, Ark.

Social Calendar

MONDAY
6:30 p. m.—The Rotary Club will hold its regular weekly meeting.

7:30 p. m.—Regular communication of the Woman's Club No. 284 A. F. & A. M. for work in the fellowcraft degree.

7:45 p. m.—The Guild of the Eighth Street Christian Church will meet with Miss Agnes Fullovo.

8:00 p. m.—The Business Woman's Circle of the Memorial Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Charles Flye.

TUESDAY

4:00 p. m.—The Literature Department of the Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. J. R. Gullede.

7:30 p. m.—Witha Council degree of Pochahontas will meet.

WEDNESDAY

6:30 p. m.—The Monthly Supper Club of the Eighth Street Christian Church will meet.

7:30 p. m.—The study of the book "Out of Aldersgate" will be continued at Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church. This group will meet in the basement.

7:30 p. m.—The Methodist choir meets for practice in the Mollie Brown room.

8:30 p. m.—Memorial Baptist choir meets for practice.

FRIDAY

7:00 p. m.—The Kiwanis Club will celebrate its annual Ladies Night.

Bridge Tournament Postponed.
The Junior Woman's Club bridge tournament has been postponed on account of the Kiwanis Ladies' Night on Friday, February 11th.

Film Estimate.

"The Buccaneer"—Adults and young people—excellent of kind; children, no.

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"The Last Gangster"—Adults, good of kind; young people, strong; children, no.

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How's Your Health?

Edited for the New York Academy of Medicine
By Iago Goldston, M.D.

Suicide

"Against self-slaughter. There is a prohibition so divine That cravens my weak hand." That sums up Shakespeare on suicide.

This problem of self-destruction is extremely complicated. It is tied up with the individual's philosophy of life and with his religious convictions. To the orthodox Mohammedan and to the religious Jew, suicide is unthinkable. To the Japanese, and to the Greek and Roman of classical days, self-destruction was not only permissible but, under certain circumstances, most honorable.

"Against the outrages of life, I have the refuge of death" was the pessimistic boast of many an ancient thinker.

Today suicide is viewed largely as a psychiatric problem.

During the last century, statistics show a large increase in the number of suicides. Self-destruction is more common in large cities than in country districts. More women attempt suicide, but men are more successful in their efforts at self-destruction.

Whether the suicide is a coward or hero is purely an academic question. From the psychiatric viewpoint, the suicide is neither. He is basically one who exhibits, and reacts to, the highest degree of feeling.

Whether anyone who attempts suicide is of sound mind depends upon the definition of "sound." But the individual attempting suicide cannot be considered insane because of his attempt. His act does bear witness to a deep and serious mental conflict and to deep emotional derangement.

Every type of mental illness carries the threat of suicide. According to psychiatric authorities, the menace of suicide is greatest in the depressive states. They know that a patient threatening suicide must not be dismissed as one indulging in idle talk.

Suicide is not only a psychiatric problem—it is also a social problem, one that calls for communal as well as individual prohibitions.

Forty Years Ago Today

Monday, February 7, 1898

ON THE GO

Names Of People You Know

Little Miss May Schultz is sick.

H. W. Holcombe returned this morning from a visit to Kinston.

Miss Mary L. Lacy, who has been teaching in Mrs. Forbes' school here, has resigned her position and left this morning for her home in Virginia. No more cultivated, refined, conscientious Christian woman has taught in Greenville, and the large number of patrons of her school have been delighted with her and regret her leaving. Miss Lacy expects to spend the time from now until next fall in some special work at the University of Chicago.

Notices

County Commissioners in session today.

Nothing the matter with this kind of weather.

Masons meet tonight. Work in the first and second degrees.

Soap-stone slate pencils, 5 for 1 cent, 100 for 15 cents. The Reflector Book Store.

Music Pupils Wanted: Mrs. Olen E. Warren would like to have a few music pupils. Thorough work. Apply at once phone 48 or call at Riverside Nurseries.

Hurt In A Runaway
Miss Bessie Jarvis has been teaching a school in the country, three miles from town, for the past few weeks. Friday evening, Mr. Leon Hardee was taking her home from school when the horse ran away. Mr. Hardee was thrown out of the buggy and Miss Bessie jumped out, badly injuring her feet in the fall. She is at present unable to walk, and her friends sympathize with her in her accident.

The New Bern Fair
Attention is called to the advertisement of the New Bern Fair which begins February 28th and holds one week. New Bern always has the best fair in the State and the next one promises to surpass any yet held. The racing purses aggregate \$4,000 and liberal premiums are offered for exhibits in all the departments. Besides all the other attractions there will be free exhibitions every day by the Kemp Sisters Hippodrome and Wild West Shows. This alone will be worth the price of admission to the fair, to say nothing of the many other attractions. You should not miss the New Bern fair this year.

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Peace Action

DEFENDING OR POLICING?

The President's message to Congress on the subject of national defense, delivered on January 28, opens the way for beginning a gigantic armament program in the United States during the next few years. The chief justification for the increases, which are estimated to amount to more than one billion dollars over and above normal expenditures, is the weakness of our present defense establishment in a troubled world. Hearings were scheduled to begin on January 31 in the House Naval Affairs Committee on the naval portions of the message.

The President's message included increases for the navy, the army and the air force. The chief increases recommended were for naval building. It is expected that the increases will amount to a twenty per cent addition to our present naval tonnage. Considerable attention will be paid to developing the auxiliary fleet. The emphasis on naval armament points to a vigorous foreign policy. Construction of battleships, cruisers and auxiliary vessels mean the expansion of the aggressive portions of our naval establishment. This emphasis should not be overlooked by the American people and Congress. It means that the Administration wants to carry through its policy of policing the world.

Less attention was given in the President's message to defensive requirements, although funds were requested for further mechanization in the army and more anti-aircraft. The aviation expansion was also recommended by the President and it is expected that Congress will agree to this and to the funds for the army. The chief fight in Congress will center on naval expansion.

—(N. C. P. W., Washington, D. C.)

Plenty Of Time.

London—(AP)—Much of the old still lives in modern London.

Despite the fact that a nearby clock does the job quite well, an old nightwatchman still calls out the hours of the night in Elyplace, a tiny dead end street in the heart of the city.

Nightly from 10 until dawn he takes his cue from the neighboring clock and walks his little beat after the hour has struck, calling "past ten, past ten," or whatever the hour may be.

BLONDIE

The popular comic strip "Blondie" which runs daily in The Reflector, failed to arrive in time for today's issue, but it is hoped this week's releases will arrive within a day or so and the strip resumed.

The mix-up is responsible to persons in the mailing department of the feature service supplying Blondie, as Popeye arrived on time. The envelope bearing the sailor man, however, did not contain the Blondie strip.

Women In The News

By The AP Feature Service

women have been traveling hither and yon on pleasant missions lately. Here are your ladies in the week's arrivals and departures:



PRINCESS

Daughter of Sir Charles Brooke, the "white rajah" of Sarawak, Princess Baba, the bride of Bob Gregory, a European wrestler, arrived in New York with her new husband-to-be greeted by her mother, the Ranees of Sarawak.



FRESHMAN

Mrs. Jennie F. McGahan, former Chicago teacher, has arrived for a college course at 75. Mrs. McGahan won a four-year scholarship at Brenau college, Gainesville, Ga.



SAILOR

Betty King, with her husband, Charles W. King, a St. Louis newspaper man, is leaving to cruise down the coast from San Diego to the Panama Canal, perhaps further, in their 27-foot auxiliary sloop.



EXPATRIATE

Mrs. Lorain Manville Dresselhuys, sister of Tommy Manville and wife of a Dutch industrialist, has followed the steps of the former Barbara Hutton and renounced her American citizenship. She is heiress to \$10,000,000 of the Manville asbestos fortune.

Motor Truck Show Week Is Observed

According to J. A. Bowen, manager, the Greenville Equipment Company, Greenville, February 7 to 12 inclusive is being designated as special International motor truck show week.

Last spring International Harvester announced an entirely new line of motor trucks, the new D line, ranging in capacity from half ton light-delivery units to the largest six-wheelers. These new models include conventional four-wheel units, six wheelers with both dual drive and trailing axles, and cab-over-engine types. The complete International line consists of 24 models in 73 wheelbases with vehicle gross weights ranging from 4,400 to 62,000 pounds. Certain of these models will be selected by the various dealers and branches that specially meet requirements of operators in their respective territories for feature display.

"1937" said Mr. Bowen, "saw International truck sales reach a new all-time high. International's share of the total business was greater than ever before. International leadership in the heavy-duty field, truck having a rated capacity of two tons or more, is evidenced by official new truck registration figures for the year, which show International with more than 30 per cent of the total. Currently, International truck sales in this territory are especially gratifying, and we expect that with continued improvement in business conditions 1938 will be another especially good year."

MODES of the MOMENT

by Adelaide Kerr



TOMBOY TOGS—Here is a play-suit that can swing on the gator play hide-and-seek. Dusty coral flannel makes the skirt, held firmly in place with suspender straps. The fine wool pullover sweater matches it.

Farm Bureau For Leaf Provisions

Raleigh, Feb. 7.—Provisions of the crop control bill which Congress is expected to pass this week, possibly today, have the approval of the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation, according to its secretary, E. F. Arnold.

"We're feeling pretty good and we're planning quite a celebration when the bill is passed," Mr. Arnold said.

"Our next concern will be with securing adoption of the measure by tobacco growers," he added. "We have 2,000 'Minute Men' now ready to get out the vote as soon as the election provided for by the bill is called."

He pointed out that there is more than a little confusion as to the effect of the crop control bill on tobacco growers and explained the plan like this:

The U. S. Department of Agriculture will set the quota of flue-cured tobacco to be raised in the entire country at a figure somewhere in the neighborhood of 700,000,000 pounds. Each state's quota will then be assigned and from that each county's quota and the individual quota of each farmer will be determined.

Then an election will be called to determine whether the growers want the compulsory crop control as provided by the quotas. Every grower, including tenant farmers, will be eligible to vote and each grower will have one vote, regardless of his acreage. Two-thirds majority will be necessary to adopt the plan.

County quotas will be set by county boards elected by the growers themselves. There will be

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Several prominent couples have been invited to serve as chaperons for the affair.

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**E. M. VINCENT,
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Executors of the Estate of Mrs. Mary E. Barber, Deceased.
J. B. James, Atty.
Jan. 12-11w-6wk.

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In The Superior Court

Ruth Hines
-vs-
J. D. Hines

NOTICE
The defendant above mentioned will take notice that an action entitled as above has been started in the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce on the grounds of two years separation, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the court house in Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 14th day of March, 1938, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in this cause or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

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EMPIRE FOR A LADY

SYNOPSIS: Carrying a gun-cargo for Rajah Mantusen, we encounter a Dyak revolt against the Malays on Sumatanga island. Mantusen blames my uncle, James Clyde, and is holding him prisoner until I (Paul Thorne) can bring our jortified ship, the Linkang, up-river to aid the Malays. Christine Forrester, a young English girl, is behind the war, and supplying the Dyak guns. She refuses to call off her sharpshooters so I can rescue Clyde, and even worse, the Linkang cannot cross the bar. I must have her, the Avon.

Chapter 18
The Only Way Open

CHRISTINE FORRESTER met me at the Avon's rail. "I wish you would look at my brother." She was worried and upset; after all, she was under a strain as great as my own. "This isn't a new thing. He's just one of the people who cannot live in the tropics. That's why he's spent most of his life in England. The fever always gets him as soon as he comes into the islands. But this time is different. He's not coming out of it as he ought."

I went below with her to the tiny cabin where her brother was bunked. Robert Forrester lay mumbling vaguely and his forehead burned his hand. His eyes were half open, but through their fever-glass he could recognize no one. A Malay boy stood by the bunk fanning him perpetually with a big palm leaf.

"How much quinine is he getting?"
"He can't hold it down any more. Everything we put into him comes up again."

Marvin Stocker came to the door, in white trousers and a loose pajama coat. He was grey-faced and unsteady, his eyes bloodshot; here was another very sick man, able to keep his feet part of the time only by the proved tenacity of the chronic fever victim.

"You got to have a strong stomach," he said. "That's the whole secret of getting along in the tropics. You got to have strong stomach."

We sent the girl on deck, and I held Robert Forrester down while Stocker pumped 15 grains of quinine into him. He squirmed and fought, and what we put down him didn't stay; but it was all I knew to do.

I went on deck and lied to his sister. "He'll be better now. I think."
She started to say, "I want you to know I appreciate this—more than—"
"Miss Forrester," I said soberly. "Let it go. I have to talk to you. I've run into a bad thing. I no longer know what I'm going to do, or how."

I told her then what the soundings showed. There was no longer any question of whether the Linkang could get up the Siderong to the stockades or not. She couldn't even get into the mouth of the river.
Christine Forrester's face was troubled, though of course that was not because of the Linkang. "I wondered about that," she admitted. "It seems strange—Clyde should have known."
"The delta may have shifted since he sounded it last."
I talked a little more, telling her something about my plans to land swivels in spite of Clyde's orders; admitting, of course, that no hope at all lay there.

"Come with me," she said at last. "Come here and sit down." Her voice was gentle, and now she took my hand and led me to where the chairs were. I recognized that the girl pitied me; she could understand the box I was in, and she was sorry, opposed though we might be.

Unbelievably Rash
BEHIND her, where we sat now, a great cascade of white orchids hung upon an awning stanchion. Those white flowers are rarities even in the Sumatanga jungle; many men must have worked, and worked faithfully, to collect so many at one time. In effect, that mass of blooms was a testimonial to how the Dyaks revered these people of the Avon—they must have brought the flowers when they came for their guns. I was in humble mood, unable any longer to deny that the Avon had a definite relationship to what was happening in the Siderong.
And, though I still held Robert Forrester in disesteem, I had lost confidence in my belief that these people were fools. The boy was the silent type of young Englishman—the greatly reserved sort, stiffly aloof from anything but direct action. The cut of his nose and jaw promised tenacity, and a certain durable strength, but I had long since come to the belief that these good looking young men are silent because nothing is moving in their heads.
But the girl was something else. She was unbelievably rash, per-

haps, and she had an idealistic way of looking at things which might be well removed from the practical facts, but some of Anthony Forrester was perpetuated here. Certainly she was no fool. It was very hard to distinguish between her undue hopefulness and her genuine courage.

"It's impossible," I said, "to exaggerate the danger James Clyde is in. He's more than just a hostage to good intentions. If Mantusen is finished, Clyde's death is the last satisfaction that Mantusen can get out of this world. There's no way to talk Mantusen out of that. It's a real and definite thing, like an ocean current, or the teeth of a coral shoal."

"I've been thinking so much about him," Christine Forrester said, her voice very low. "I've thought of almost nothing else since I left you this morning. There must be a way to save James Clyde. There has to be a way."
"There has to be," I agreed.
"I think I see the way."

I was surprised, of course, but the opposite of hopeful. My time was running with the tide, and I resented blind leads of talk. If I was interested at all it was because there was uncertainty in her voice, unlike the vehemence of people who don't know what they are talking about.

"It's a way that may fail; it may fail for more than one reason. But I think we have to try it, because I simply don't see any other way open."

The darkness had closed, but there was a moon: up—half a moon that gave a sharper light than a full moon any place else. The moonlight gave the girl's face some of that same unearthly pallor, and laid a pearly gleam along the curve of her shoulder.

Head-hungry
"WE CAN try this," she said. "We can offer Mantusen safe conduct from Balingong to the sea, with his people. I don't know how safe that safe conduct will be. The Tenyalang will obey; but we'll have to come very close to turning the Tenyalang against the rest of the tribes are head-hungry—terribly, savagely. They have the first big victory in their hands in 100 years—and they want the heads. But all we can do is everything we can."

For a moment an eager stirring of hope unsettled me. Almost I believed in the bare possibility that what she suggested could be done. The hope did not live long.

"Mantusen must leave everything he has," the girl said. "Each Malay may keep his own personal kris, and they may take their religious things; but nothing else must be moved, and nothing else must be destroyed. The Dyak slaves must be freed, and he must not burn Balingong. After all, everything there, and everything the Malays have collected there, belong to the Dyaks it true right."
"That founders it!" I exploded. "Mantusen wouldn't give that consideration for so much as a single moment."
"He will have to. He will have to, because it's the only way open to him. Anything else is death, and he knows it. That's not what I am worrying about."
"Then you'd better begin worrying about it. You're putting such a humiliation upon Mantusen that he would rather be dead."
"To be dead is his actual choice," Christine said, her voice strained.
"It's a choice he will take. If he accepted he could never raise his head among Malays again. He would feel that he'd failed to support the true faith before Allah—he would even doubt his hold upon Paradise. You should know that a Malay prince would not do that."
"No man wants to die, whatever he believes."
"If you knew Malays as you seem to know Dyaks, you would know that that isn't so. These people have a faith which they really believe, and really act upon. I admit that this is a thing very hard for white people to conceive of. But there it is. It is absolutely true that Mantusen doesn't fear to die. If he can rush out with his kris and die slashing, that's his idea of fixing everything up for himself."
She said unsteadily, "Of course you know this rajah. I've never even seen him. But there, surely must be a way to persuade him to accept."

"Under certain conditions, it's possible that he might. He would have to be allowed his possessions and his slaves. A great part of what he owns is owed to his sultan, and he wouldn't dare be shamed in this. And I may as well say this—his acceptance would not mean that the war is over. He would hold Clyde until he obtained the arms that Clyde promised him. And he wouldn't accept at all unless he thought that afterward he could raise the friendly tribes, arm them, and retake Balingong in the name of Saremba."
"It's out of the question to offer him such terms," Christine said shortly.
(Continued 1938, Alan LeMay)

Her father's dream, or a white man's life? Continued tomorrow.

Durham - Greenville Tilt Tonight Feature of Week

CONTEST IS SET FOR BULL CITY

Victory For Locals Will Put Greenville On Top

Chapel Hill, Feb. 7.—Greenville and Durham will clash tonight in the Duke University gym at Durham in the feature of 12 Class A basketball games this week. This contest opens the sixth week of play for the North Carolina Class A and B high schools.

Durham, undefeated in seven starts this season, needs a victory to tighten its grip on first place. If Greenville, with eight victories and only one defeat wins, the Greensies will dethrone the Bulldogs as Eastern leaders.

The Class A schedule this week: Eastern—Monday: Greenville at Durham; Tuesday: Rocky Mount at Goldsboro and Wilmington at Raleigh; Friday: Durham at Rocky Mount, Wilson at Fayetteville, Goldsboro at Wilmington and Greenville at Raleigh.

Western—Tuesday: Charlotte at Greensboro and Salisbury at Winston-Salem; Friday: High Point at Charlotte, Gastonia at Salisbury and Winston-Salem at Greensboro. Salisbury gained its fifth and sixth victories in the Western Class A Conference by bombing High Point 28 to 11 Tuesday and edging out Greensboro 26 to 24 Friday. Charlotte, in second place in the standings, bowled over Gastonia 33 to 16 and Winston-Salem 32 to 21 last week. High Point beat Gastonia 37 to 33 for its first win of the season.

Durham's latest high scoring pyrotechnics showed victories over Wilson 67 to 21 Tuesday and Raleigh 66 to 14 Thursday. Greenville turned in two fine defensive performances by vanquishing Wilmington 19 to 7 Tuesday and Goldsboro 19 to 6 Friday. In the only other scheduled games Fayetteville defeated Raleigh 23 to 13 and Wilmington 22 to 16 while Rocky Mount stopped Wilson 21 to 12.

Most of the group titles have already been decided in the Class B divisions.

The Class A standings

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Durham	7	0	1.000
Greenville	8	1	.889
Fayetteville	6	2	.750
Rocky Mount	5	3	.625
Wilson	3	7	.300
Goldsboro	2	6	.250
Wilmington	1	8	.111
Raleigh	0	8	.000

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Salisbury	6	0	1.000
Charlotte	4	1	.800
Greensboro	3	2	.600
Winston-Salem	1	3	.250
Gastonia	1	6	.167
High Point	1	5	.167

RE-ELECTED



Julian Price, (above), president of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, today released a report showing that the company has just completed its best year in history. The firm has established a goal for 1938 which would give the company \$400,000,000 insurance in force at the completion of the year.

REPORTS GAIN IN INSURANCE

Jefferson Standard Completes Its Most Successful Year

Addressing the stockholders of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company at their 31st annual meeting held in Greensboro on January 24, President Julian Price characterized 1937 as "the best year in the history of the Company." The meeting was held in the directors' room of the Company in the Jefferson Standard home office building, Col. William A. Blair of Winston-Salem presided over the meeting, which was well attended.

Although there has been much talk of a general business recession the Jefferson Standard enjoyed a record gain in all lines during the past year," President Price stated in his annual report. Insurance in force was increased by approximately \$21,000,000, he said, and he estimated that this constituted the largest gain secured since 1923, in each of the 26 states and in the District of Columbia.

which the company operates, there was a gain in insurance in force, it was shown.
Mr. Price reported that in 1937 the company's sales of new life insurance increased 7 per cent over those of 1936, making the total amount of new life insurance sold during the year closed \$53,600,000. Insurance in force now totals \$371,000,000, the largest amount in the history of the Company. Mortality was extremely low just 53.6 per cent

of the expected, an improvement of 6 per cent by comparison with the 1935 record, it was reported. The higher renewal record of policies in force was mentioned as reflecting good general conditions in the territory occupied by the Company.
"We are very much pleased with our investment portfolio," President Price informed the stockholders. The record of net interest earned on total invested assets in 1937 was higher than that of any other major life insurance company in the United States, and the net interest earned in the past year, 5.1 per cent was even better than that of the two previous years.

"Assets increased at the average amount of half a million dollars a month, the total assets now standing at \$75,194,594, the largest in the company's history. The extra amount of assets was contributed by the Jefferson Standard management, in the form of contingency funds, unassigned surplus and capital, was increased by \$400,000, the total amount now standing at \$4,600,000.

Benefit payments totaling approximately \$100,000,000 have been made to the policyholders and beneficiaries since the first policy was issued in 1907. \$5,800,000 having been paid out during the past year, it was recalled.

"We are proud of the record the Company has made during the 30 years of its existence," said President Price, "and particularly happy that we are able to say that the year just closed was the best in the history of the company." He spoke in optimistic vein concerning the outlook for this year and announced as a goal:

"Four hundred million dollars life insurance in force by the end of 1938."

Other company officials made detailed reports concerning progress achieved during the past year. These reports, like the annual message of President Price, elicited much favorable comment among the stockholders and directors.

Roscoe T. Co., located in the Munford building in Greenville is district manager for the Jefferson Standard Company.

CRITICAL TIME OF LIFE
Bristol, Tenn.—Mrs. Jennie Boling, Route 4, says: "I was weak during the critical time of life. My nerves were terribly on edge. I was irritable, would get heat flashes, had no appetite, and had lost weight. I had not used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for some time before I was much improved. I regained my appetite and began to feel like myself again." Buy it at any drug store.

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SHORT SHOTS

By HENRY AVERILL

Reflector Bureau. Raleigh, Feb. 7.—One of the very best political bits of the moment is that Sandy Graham will not run for Congress from the Sixth district, although it is quite possible that intense pressure being brought to bear on him by his friends will change the Hillsboro man's decision.

He hasn't said so for publication, but his friends feel certain that at this moment he does not want to make the race and that if he finally does so, it will be with real reluctance.

There is every indication that if the one-time Lieutenant-Governor were to toss his hat into the ring he would have no really formidable opposition, and it might be thought that he would jump at the chance not only to grab a remunerative job but also to gain a place carrying with it more than ordinary political prestige.

It's no secret that Sandy wants the worst in the world to be Governor of North Carolina (a laudable ambition shared, incidentally by any number of outstanding North Carolinians.) A term or two in Congress might give him an opportunity to build fences of considerable strength.

But that very fact is likely to keep Sandy out of the Congressional race. He's just the type who wouldn't think it really "cricket" to get elected to Congress with no intention of staying there longer than the next time he's eligible to run for Governor. Sandy knows that a Congressman must serve years and years to gain any real influence and wouldn't think it fair to his constituents to go in without intent to remain.

The 1939 House may have a Father-Son combination according to an Asheville story. Charles G. Buck, young Buncombe attorney, is planning to run from that county, while his father, Dave Buck, long prominent politically, is being urged to seek the Yancey county seat.

Representative Joe E. Garrett of Rockingham county will be a candidate for re-election, he writes this bureau.

Not that it matters a great deal, but it may be noted that this bureau has definitely announced the candidacy of two Wake county Representatives (Clarence E. Mitchell and Arch T. Allen) on their own say-so, while neither Raleigh paper has had a statement from either.

Bishop Edwin A. Penick, well-known Episcopal prelate of Raleigh, will be the headline speaker at a public meeting Thursday, February 11, in connection with the North Carolina Public Welfare Institute for Negroes.

The North Carolina State Game has sent out letters to all branches throughout the state asking their viewpoint on matters which will come before the 1939 General Assembly.

Local farmers are asked to express their views on homestead tax exemptions, establishment of 12th grade in the public school system, increased funds for agricultural research, improvement of secondary roads, and school bus routes and rural telephone survey.

Winter travel is showing strong gains even over the high level of last winter and the business recession has failed to curb the travel urge of American motorists.

Consideration of membership in the society is based primarily on high scholastic achievement.

The society's local chapter, founded in 1908.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Across clues include 'Drinking vessel', 'Devil', 'Headpiece', etc. Down clues include 'Writer of boys books', 'Cravat', 'River in the East', etc.

ACROSS: 1. Drinking vessel. 2. Devil. 3. Headpiece. 4. Region. 5. Oriental commander. 6. Curtains of shell fire. 7. Gum resin. 8. Color quality. 9. Poems. 10. Low gaiter. 11. Heating device. 12. Still. 13. Tall coarse grass stem. 14. Jumbled type. 15. Vase. 16. Those who inherit. 17. Spread for drying. 18. One of an indigenous Japanese race. 19. Winkling. 20. The same.

DOWN: 1. Part of a locomotive. 2. Pulp fruit. 3. Reins. 4. Scrutinize. 5. Leave. 6. Fish. 7. Part of a Scotch. 8. Depression between mountain peaks. 9. Ruler of Tunis. 10. Pale brown. 11. Bank of earth. 12. Mine entrance. 13. Nickel. 14. Duff. 15. For fear that. 16. Light touch. 17. Fresh water. 18. Edible seed. 19. Fish eggs. 20. Addition to a building. 21. Note of the scale.

11x11 crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 20 indicating starting positions for clues.

WHAT IT MEANS: Stalemate On The Battlefields

As Chief of Bureau for The Associated Press in London, J. C. Stark holds a box seat for 1938's international drama. From this perspective he reports a conclusion about the "next war" which military experts are drawing from the two being fought today in Spain and China.

By J. C. STARK. London (AP)—A ray of hope has come out of the wars in China and Spain. They have struck a blow, some close observers believe, at the popular theory that the next great war would be a short, decisive one with the advantage in favor of the aggressor.

The Spanish civil war has dragged on for more than eighteen months. A few months ago, an early victory for General Francisco Franco was forecast in many quarters. The Spanish government's big offensive at Teruel, resulting in a rout of the insurgents, quickly changed the situation. Now impartial observers are predicting a long struggle, with Franco's chances of eventual victory diminished.

In China, the Japanese have had a series of successes. But in more than six months of bitter warfare they have failed to subdue the Chinese forces. And Tokyo is preparing for a long war. Fear Of War Lessened. From both, informed observers believe, have come a lesson to aggressor-inclined nations which may set back many years a general European or World War which a few months ago was feared everywhere.

Italy's conquest of Ethiopia earlier than some military strategists believed possible is considered by some observers to have encouraged aggressor nations in the belief that modern warfare, a swift, surprise attack might achieve a fast victory. This theme has been preached in the House of Commons with a warning that Britain's vast rearmament program should embrace adequate defense against surprise attacks.

Winston Churchill visualized a "nine-days' war" in commons in discussing the government's air raid precautions measure—"a war so short," he said, "that the scarcity of food or raw material would prevent an aggressor striking down his victim and gaining a final result before any scarcity could become effective."

The theory has not been entirely exploded by the Sino-Japanese and Spanish wars, observers point out. But they believe the resistance of the Chinese and the Spanish government forces—the latter against armies heavily reinforced by Italians and Germans—is a subject under sober consideration by war staffs generally.

Silence Follows Defeat. Italy, for example, is believed in diplomatic quarters here to be showing far less interest in the Spanish war than she was a few months ago.

Premier Benito Mussolini virtually has ceased talking about the exploits of the Italian volunteers in Spain.

Now his energies appear to be directed mainly at diplomatic activity—efforts to increase the scope and influence of the Rome-Berlin axis. Significance was attached in some quarters here to the recent remarks of Adolf Hitler of Germany.

Classification Of Taxable Property Not New In State

Practice Now Adopted in North Carolina in Evidence Even Before the Civil War

Raleigh, Feb. 7.—The general impression that North Carolina was taking a path never trod before when the 1937 legislature enacted tax laws permitting "classification" for taxation is, in fact, a mistaken one.

For there was "classification" even before the Civil War (or War Between the States, if anyone insists) and it was not until the post-bellum Constitution was adopted somewhere around 1868 or 1869 that the "uniform" rule was adopted by North Carolina.

An interesting illustration of the "Before the War" tax system is now found on the wall of the office of Tom Alexander, head of the division of intangibles, in the Department of Revenue Building.

This illustration is in the form of an old tax abstract of approximately 1860 in which the rate of taxation on such chattels as "slaves" is fixed.

It is doubly interesting to note that the rate levied then on "solvent credits" is exactly the same as that put into effect by the General Assembly of 1937, to-wit: 40 cents on the \$100.

Other tax rates which seem a bit unusual in these days and times include: A levy of \$1.00 on every "gold-headed cane" and 50 cents on every "silver-headed cane."

A tax of two and one-half cents a mile for every mile traveled by "deadheads" on railroads. This was probably quite a discouragement to the practice of giving passes.

A levy of \$2.50 on every "harp" and \$1.50 on every "piano" it apparently made no difference what the value of the instruments might be.

Warren Discusses Hospital For Vets

Washington, Feb. 5.—Representative Lindsay Warren yesterday conferred with General Frank T. Hines, Administrator of veterans affairs in reference to the location of the Veterans' Hospital in Eastern Carolina. General Hines told Mr. Warren that after a thorough study had been made in his office an area of the State would be designated and included in a circle. All towns outside of the circle would not be considered. After the area has been designated a board would be appointed to visit the area and would conduct hearings at one or more places in same when every town within the circle would be given the opportunity to present its claims. General Hines informed Mr. Warren that it would be useless for delegations to come to Washington as their claims could not be considered here.

The bill carrying the appropriation has not yet become a law and the money for the construction of the hospital will not be available until after July 1st. No town will know if it is eligible for consideration until the area has been definitely determined.

pine, red cedar, bay, persimmon, dogwood, beauty berry, wax myrtle, prickly ash, holly, yucca and other native species.

Four of the five vacation cabins or cottages are under construction and the fifth is expected to be completed by spring, according to Morse. These cottages will be rented to vacationists by the day, week or month. Only the interior finishing remains to be done on four of these cottages.

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RALEIGH LAST WEEK

By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, Feb. 7.—North Carolina's Supreme Court took the center of Raleigh's stage last week as the seven justices cleared all but one case from the Fall term, 1937, calendar, by handing down 24 decisions which included some of the most interesting and important in a long time.

The court said an emphatic "No" to the efforts of two cities to spend money, but one of them appeared determined to go ahead and spend it just the same.

High Point was enjoined from issuing some \$5,500,000 in revenue bonds to construct a hydro-electric plant on the Yadkin, the court ruling that the project far exceeded the needs of the city and would put it in the general utility business, where it has no right to be. City officials, however, went ahead with the drafting of a new set of resolutions which would, apparently, spend the same \$5,500,000 but with the announcement that it will all be used for lighting and supplying power to the inhabitants of High Point.

The other "No" was directed at Charlotte which wanted to spend a mere \$5,000 on a new hanger at the municipal airport, but six of the seven justices said an airport isn't a "necessity." (Justice Heriot Clarkson very emphatically but futilely disagreed with them). Consequently, the court ruled, no tax money may be set aside for such a purpose.

On the criminal side the court cut off the last legal chances of Edgar L. Smoak, New Hanover poison-murderer of his young daughter, and of Milford Exum, Wayne white man, doomed for the robbery-killing of an aged Negro.

The court also upheld constitutionality of the anti-slot machine law just a day before Judge I. M. Meekins held a hearing in Federal court here in the matter of vacating his injunction protecting the "Silent Salesman" variety of one-armed bandits.

His decision is expected today and the general opinion is that Judge Meekins will recognize what every citizen of even moderate intelligence can see at a glance—that the Silent Salesman is a none-too-clever attempt to evade the state laws.

Announcement of the impending retirement of Congressman William Umstead, of Durham and the Sixth District, headed political developments and sent political commentators into a perfect whirl of guess and conjecture. By the time they got through, everybody in the Sixth, (except Mr. Umstead and two other fellows), and his wife were in the race.

The situation does, indeed, seem more than a little muddled but inasmuch as the prophets have named all hands and the cook they are bound to be able to say "I told you so"—unless Mr. Umstead or one of the two other fellows runs.

Another minor political announcement—that of Zeb Turlington for the House from Ireddell—caused something of a frenzy among the wise boys, some of whom all but had the state's liquor laws wiped off the statute books at the mere thought that the redoubtable Mr. Turlington will again go to the political wars. Mr. T. hasn't yet beaten Con Johnston for the place and if he doesn't, will find things a bit different from the gay days when he put his name to one of the most stringent dry laws ever to be put on the law books to be flouted.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. Kerr Scott and a large part of his official family went on a junket to Atlanta for a big agricultural pow wow. As one of the stay-at-home-put it, they will probably come back

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PITT MUTUAL BURIAL ASSOCIATION

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1937

Table with columns: Name, Date of Death, Amt., Name, Date of Death, Amt. Lists members and their contributions.

PITT MUTUAL BURIAL ASSOCIATION STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1937

Financial statement table with columns: RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, ASSETS, LIABILITIES. Shows total receipts of \$866.32 and total disbursements of \$878.35.

Dear Members: Our annual meeting will be held at Williams Funeral Home, Tuesday, February 15, at 7 P. M. We will be glad to have as many members present as will come. We have had a very successful year in 1937, rendering aid to 61 members. Our Association is growing and is operated according to the rules and regulations of the North Carolina Insurance Department.

A. A. ELLWANGER, Secretary and Treasurer. PITT MUTUAL BURIAL ASSOCIATION.

Try Our Want Ads

Large advertisement for Folger Buick Co., Inc. Text: 'We are pleased to Announce— That we have just installed the most modern Body and Paint equipment available. That we are now equipped to handle any size job from a dented fender to a complete wreck. That we have hired James Patty, formerly with General Motors in Charlotte, to do this work. —A TRIAL IS ALL WE ASK— Folger Buick Co., Inc.'

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Now Showing: "Scornful Mirth"



By E. C. SEGAR



THE LAST OF THE EXTRA VOTES ON \$30 CLUBS

255,000 EXTRA VOTES

On Each \$30 "Club" of Old and New Subscriptions Turned in By Saturday, February 12th.

No Club Votes After Saturday

This Week

Each One-Year Subscription Will Earn (including Club Votes)—

67,500 VOTES

255,000 EXTRA VOTES

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BIGGEST VOTE DROP

The Biggest Drop in Votes of the Entire Campaign is After Saturday, February 12th. Get Your Share of the \$30 "Club" Votes While They Last. \$30 Club Votes Will Win the \$600 Cash Award.

ATTENTION WORKERS

A Tremendous Cut in the Vote Value of Subscriptions Will Be Made After Next Saturday, February 12th. This Week is the best time left to build a reserve vote upon, which to base your hopes of winning the \$600 or \$400 Cash Award. Remember there are Five Valuable Awards in the Magnificent List,

• WHICH WILL YOU WIN? •

EXTRA VOTES



CAN MEAN MONEY



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NEXT WEEK

A One Year Subscription Will Only Earn

• 50,000 VOTES •

A Drop in Votes on Each One-Year Subscription of

• 17,500 VOTES •

Here Is Something Worth Thinking About

The Proper Number of \$30 "Clubs" Turned in This Week Would Place Any Candidate in a Position Hard to Overcome. Eight \$30 "Clubs" Turned in This Week Would Earn 2,040,000 Extra Votes in Addition to the Regular Votes on Each Subscription.

20% Commission Guaranteed

Candidates who do not win one of the "5" regular awards offered in the Big Cash Offer Campaign, will be paid a commission of 20 per cent cash upon all money collected and turned in by them. In order to qualify for the commission payment the candidate must remain active until the end of the campaign by turning in at least two subscriptions each week they are in the campaign.

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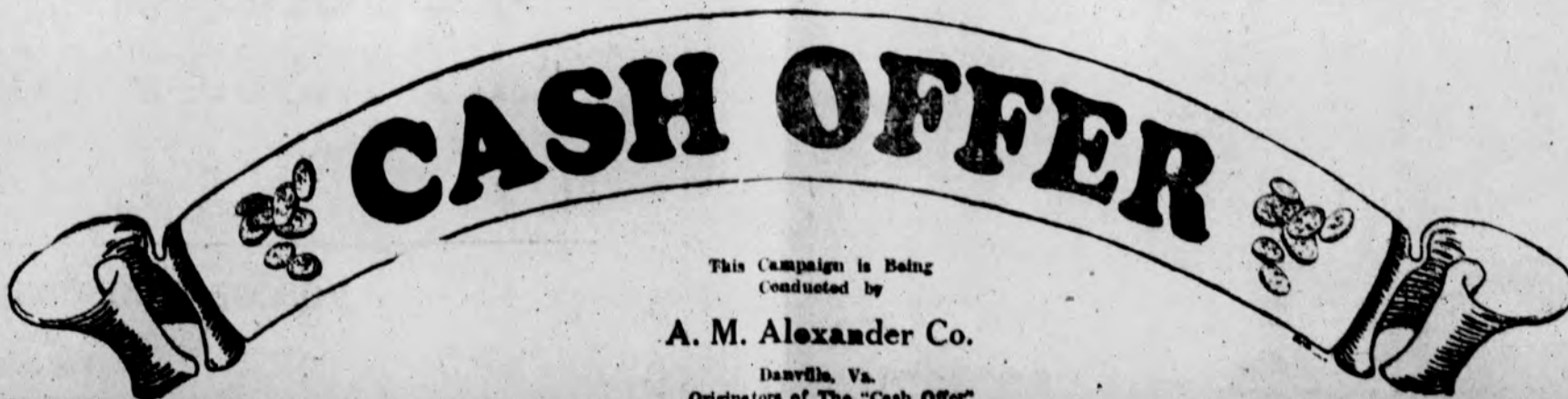
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This Campaign is Being Conducted by
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Other than to business houses having regular accounts with us, no want ads will be charged. Send or bring cash with order. To prevent errors, want ads will not be taken over the telephone.

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Phone 176 Leon Smith, Prop.

SPECIAL EVERY DAY—R.Y.E.
Bread, People's Bakery, 13-14

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If it's Laundry or Dry Cleaning The Old Reliable—We Know How

RAINBOW CLEANERS

BABY CHICK SEASON IS HERE.
Be wise and place your orders early for quality chicks. Pitt P. C. X.

FOR SALE—COUNTRY SAUSAGE, country eggs, seed, groceries, feeds, paints. Evans Feed and Seed Company. 28-14

PERSONAL
Men old at 40! Get Pep. New Ostrex Tonic Tablets contain raw oyster ingredients and other stimulants. One dose starts new pep. Values \$1.00. Introductory price 60c. Call, write Bissette's Drug Store. Feb. 1-1mo

BABY CHICKS—U. S. APPROVED. Pullorum tested. Scientifically hatched. \$9.00 per hundred. Hatched every Tuesday. Now booking orders for future deliveries. Purina feeds and poultry equipment. Drum's Electric Hatchery, phones 1022-J-1033-J, Greenville, N. C. Jan 26-1mo.

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That's DANA Coal
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CALL FRANK BROWN AT CITY Plumbing Co. for instant service Plumbing, Contracting and Repairing. Day phone 1040. Night 829-J. Sept 5-11

SEE US NOW AND PLACE YOUR seed orders early. Baby chicks each week. Pitt FCX Service.

WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE of Benjamin Moore Paints, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Paint Brushes, etc. Let us quote you our low prices or estimate your job. Use more Benjamin Moore Paint. J. A. Watson, Feed-Seed-Provisions.

LET US QUOTE YOU LOW prices on your seed oats, seed potatoes, Lespedeza and other field seeds. Korean, Common, Tennessee 76 and Kobe Lespedeza in stock. All new seed just come in. J. A. Watson, Feed-Seed-Provisions. 3-14

OUR NEW GARDEN SEED HAVE come in. We have new and complete line of garden seed. With new seed bins and other equipment we are amply equipped to serve you. J. A. Watson, Feed-Seed-Provisions. 3-14

PLUMBING AND HEATING State License No. 245. Fairbanks-Morse coal stokers and water systems. C. L. RUSS
Shop 314 Evans St., business phone 636. Greenville, N. C. Residence phone 326-J. 29-14

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE with steam heat, in College View. Newly painted and refurnished inside. Phone 87 or write P. O. Box 413. 4-61

FOR SALE—ONE 1933 TUDOR Master Chevrolet, new tires and license—\$65.00—a lemon. Big Four Sales Agency, Chrysler & Plymouth. 5-603-3.

A GOOD MULE FOR SALE AT A reasonable price. J. F. Pollard, three miles out Stantonburg road. 5-31

FOR RENT—ONE FURNISHED bedroom, hot water, convenient to bath. Also two garages. G. W. Parker, 702 East Fourth street. 5-21

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS ON Evans street, between 13th and 14th streets. See Leon S. Hardee, Route 3, Twin Elms, Greenville, N. C. 5-31

GLADIOLA BULBS, LARGE SIZE. 20c per dozen. White's Stores, Inc. Fri-Mon.

JUST RECEIVED COMPLETE line of garden seed. See us before buying and save money. White's Stores, Inc. Fri-Mon.

FRESH LOAD OF OYSTERS ARRIVED at Oyster Boat Landing—30c qt.—75c bushel. Tar River Oyster House. Mon-Wed-Fri.

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM BUNGA- low. Pavement Near Third Street School. \$850 cash. Balance like rent. See or phone L. J. Smith, Real Estate-Insurance. 7-21

Final Vote Offer On \$30 "Clubs"

Realizing that the time has arrived when real effort is more vital than at any previous period of the campaign, members are surging onward in the race for votes with such a force that consternation is being created in the ranks of those who had figured on resting on their laurels.

Members have been advised that the present extra vote offer is the final one on "clubs" of subscriptions. All workers have been advised of the vast difference in vote values on subscriptions turned in this week and those turned in later. The drop in votes after this week is the real BIG DROP of the whole race and workers who make this a big week will have a much better chance of winning the better awards at the end of the campaign.

255,000 extra votes will be given on each \$30 club of subscriptions on this last "Club" offer, and the chance to get these big votes ends Saturday night, February 12th.

The old story of the "Hare and the Turtle" carries a good lesson as applied to workers in the "Cash Offer" Campaign. The person who goes about the work systematically and steadily and secures a certain number of subscriptions each day has a great advantage over the worker who waits until Saturday and then tries to do the entire week's work in one day.

Richmond Livestock

Hogs, receipts moderate, market steady and higher top at \$8.85 paid for good and choice 160 to 225 lb run of corn fed hard finished trucked-ins, gilts and barrows. 145 to 160 lbs. and 225 to 250 lbs at \$8.40, sows \$2.00 under top or at \$6.50 top. Fat and only hogs sold subject to discount. Cars by rail quotable 25 cents above comparable trucked-ins.

Cattle, receipts moderate, market slow about steady, good and choice vealers \$11.10 to \$11.50, cow steady \$2.75 to \$5.00, bulls \$3.50 to \$5.50, common and bedum grass and hay fed steers \$4.40 to \$6.50, good steers with weight and some finish to possibly \$7.50. About the extreme top.

Sheep, receipts very light, lambs quotable \$6.60 to \$7.50 for better kinds offered and ewes from \$2 to \$3.50. However the receipts are scarcely heavy to make a market.

Weather fair temp 60 filed 10.04 A. M.

Chicago Grain Market

Courtesy Vernon Parrish

	Open	Close	P. Cl.
WHEAT	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
May	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
July	94 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Sept.	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
CORN	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
May	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
July	57 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Sept.	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
OATS	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
May	29	29	29
July	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Sept.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
RYE	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
May	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
July	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Feb. 7.—(AP)—A sluggish market generally held to the middle of the road today and only a handful of favorites made any headway.

The list dipped at the opening, but got back on balance later and extreme declines running to two points were substantially reduced or cancelled. Near the fourth hour the ticker tape frequently was motionless for a minute or so at the time.

Most traders apparently discovered little inspiring in the news and there was a pronounced tendency to remain in neutral territory, pending developments in Washington and elsewhere.

Bonds and commodities were uneven.

N. Y. STOCK LIST

2:00 A. M. LIST

American Radiator	12 1/2
American Telephone	133
American Tobacco	66 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	21 1/2
Atlantic Refining	21 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	11 1/2
Chrysler	52 1/2
Columbia Gas and Elec	7 1/2
Continental Oil	7 1/2
Curtis Wright	4 1/2
DuPont	110
Electric Power Lite	8 1/2
General Electric	39
General Motors	32 1/2
Liggett Myers	82
Montg. Ward	32 1/2
Southern Railway	10 1/2
Standard Oil	48 1/2

Courtesy of E. A. Pierce and Co. Phone 3161, Wilson, N. C.

3:00 P. M. LIST

A. C. L.	20 1/2
Anaconda	29 1/2
American Radiat	12
Bethlehem Steel	11 1/2
Calumet Heek	7 1/2
Chrysler	51 1/2
C. I. T.	40
Com. Solvent	7 1/2
Consol Oil	8 1/2
Continental Can	38 1/2
Elec Bond and Sh	6 1/2
Ford Ltd	5 1/2
General Motors	32 1/2
Galette	9 1/2
Int'l Telephone	5 1/2
Lorillard	15 1/2
McLellan's Stores	7
Nash Kelvinator	9 1/2
Nat'l Dairy	13 1/2
Otis Steel	9 1/2
Packard	4 1/2
Para Pictures	9 1/2
Pullman	29 1/2
Pure Oil	10 1/2
Radio	6
Reynolds	39 1/2
Seaboard	5
Simmons	19 1/2
Southern Ry.	10 1/2
Standard Brands	8
Sterling, Inc.	2 1/2
Sperry Corp.	18 1/2
Texas Corporation	39
Texas Gulf Sulphur	31 1/2
United Aircraft	21 1/2
United Corp	2 1/2
United Drug	6
J. S. Steel	50 1/2
Warner Pictures	5 1/2
Western Union	23 1/2
Douglas Air Craft	37 1/2
New York Central	16
Phillips Petroleum	35 1/2

New York Cotton

New York, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened two to four points lower. Easier cables were partly offset by trade buying.

May sold off from 8.62 to 8.60, leaving prices five points net lower shortly after the first half hour.

By midday May was selling at 8.62, with the list unchanged to three points net lower.

(Courtesy of L. A. Pierce and Co. Phone 3161, Wilson, N. C.)

Mar.	8.51	8.52	8.54
May	8.62	8.61	8.63
July	8.69	8.66	8.72
Oct.	8.90	8.78	8.83
Dec.	8.86	8.82	8.89
July	8.77	8.86	8.92

DENIES CHARGE OF SATURDAY

(Continued From Page One) above is to be made as the compensation accrues.

"It is further agreed that the term of this Contract may be extended for such time or period as the party of the first part and the party of the second part may mutually agree, and in the event of the extension of the period of this Contract the compensation named for the first period of ten days shall be reduced in proportion to the reduction of the cost and expenses of the party of the second part and is to be mutually agreed upon in the event any extension is made.

"This 20th day of October, 1937.

"BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PITT COUNTY,"
By Roy T. Cox, Chairman.

"Witness—
"NATIONAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION,"
By A. S. Batson, Agent.

"Witness—

NOTICE
North Carolina—Pitt County.
In The Superior Court
Harry S. Gurganus
-vs.-
R. H. McLawhorn, executor of the estate of Ira J. Frizzelle, Nannie Frizzelle, J. P. J. McLawhorn, Trustee, Harriett Zelota McLawhorn, Frederick Gray McLawhorn, and Ira Jerome McLawhorn, minor heirs at law of Ira J. Frizzelle, deceased, and J. P. J. McLawhorn, Individually.

Under and by virtue of power vested in me by that decree of the Superior Court of Pitt County made and entered at the May term, 1937, which decree has been duly affirmed by the Supreme Court of the State of North Carolina in its opinion filed November 24, 1937, and duly certified to the Superior Court of Pitt County, which judgment was duly confirmed at the January term of 1938 of Pitt Superior Court, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction at the courthouse door in Greenville, N. C., on

Monday, February 21, 1938 at Twelve O'clock, Noon the following described parcel of real estate, lying, being and situate in the County of Pitt and State of North Carolina, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land, lying on both sides of the main road leading from Greenville to Kingston and bounded on the North by the lands of W. M. Smith, on the East by the lands of Mrs. Luke McLawhorn, Ira Manning, J. B. White and Craten Sumrell, on the South by the lands of Mrs. A. R. Holton and Mrs. Della Cannon, on the West by the lands of Ollen Wingate, on the Northwest by the lands of R. C. Cannon and sons, and containing 226 acres, more or less, and being that certain farm known as the Tuten farm, of which the late Ira J. Frizzelle died seized and possessed.

This sale is made subject to the confirmation of the Court and pending said confirmation, the purchaser at the time of the sale will be required to deposit with the Commissioner, as evidence of his good faith, five per cent of the amount of his bid; and upon his failure to make said deposit at the time of said sale, the Commissioner will immediately reoffer said land for sale.

This January 14, 1938.
ALBION DUNN, Commissioner.
Jan. 21-1tw-4wk.

CHILD IMPRISONED SINCE INFANCY



According to the Western Pennsylvania Turnpike Society, the crippled and undernourished five-year-old girl pictured above had been found tied to an old chair in a storage room of the home of David Harris, about 17 miles from Uniontown, Pa. An official of the society quoted Harris as saying the child was illegitimate and had been kept in the room as "a sort of punishment" for his daughter's "second sin." The society charges the girl had been imprisoned since infancy.



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JEFFERSON STANDARD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

31st ANNUAL Financial Statement DECEMBER 31, 1937

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash	\$ 1,157,352	POLICY RESERVES	\$ 62,481,081
Bonds:		This amount represents the reserve required by law to assure prompt payment of policy obligations.	
United States Government	\$ 297,382	Reserve for Policy Claims	\$ 476,684
State, County and Municipal	\$ 4,184,646	Claims in course of settlement on which proofs have not been received.	
Other Bonds and Stocks	\$ 7,232,633	Reserve for Taxes	\$ 261,240
Bonds carried on amortized basis. Listed securities at market values as of December 31, 1937.		Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance	\$ 641,455
First Mortgage Loans	\$ 34,374,882	Policy Proceeds Left with Company	\$ 3,769,449
On farm property, \$4,590,419, on city property \$29,784,463.		Dividends for Policyholders	\$ 708,495
Real Estate	\$ 5,557,631	Reserve for All Other Liabilities	\$ 256,190
This includes our seventeen-story Home Office Building.		Medical and inspection fees, and bills not yet presented.	
Loans to Our Policyholders	\$ 12,804,559	Liabilities	\$ 68,594,594
Fully secured by the cash values of policies.		Contingency Reserve	\$1,000,000
Premium Loans and Liens	\$ 4,341,332	A fund to take care of contingencies, depreciation on real estate and investment fluctuations.	
Fully secured by the cash values of policies.		Capital	1,000,000
Investment Income in Course of Collection	\$ 797,001	Surplus Unassigned	2,600,000
Premiums in Course of Collection	\$ 2,279,775	Total Surplus Funds for Additional Protection of Policyholders	\$ 4,600,000
All Other Assets	\$ 167,401	Total	\$ 73,194,594
Total Admitted Assets	\$ 73,194,594		

OUTSTANDING FACTS IN 31st ANNUAL REPORT OF PRESIDENT PRICE

Policy benefit payments in 1937 totaled \$5,800,000.

Approximately \$100,000,000 in benefit payments have been made to policyholders and beneficiaries since the first policy was issued in 1907.

The extra margin of safety always maintained by the Jefferson Standard management in the form of contingency funds, unassigned surplus, and capital was increased by \$400,000, the total amount now standing at \$4,600,000.

Into first mortgage real estate loans we placed \$11,300,000. On December 31st, we had \$34,374,882 in this asset account. We consider high grade first mortgage loans ideal investments for a life insurance company.

Assets increased at the average amount of one-half million dollars

each month during 1937, total assets now standing at \$73,194,594, the largest in Company history.

Our record of net interest earned in 1935 and 1936 was higher than the record of any major life insurance company in the United States. The 1937 record is 5.1%, being slightly higher than the previous two years.

Since organization in 1907, the Jefferson Standard has paid 5% interest on funds held in trust for policyholders and beneficiaries.

New life insurance sales in 1937 amounted to \$53,600,000.

More life insurance is now in force on the books of the Company than at any other period. One hundred and fifty thousand policyholders own life insurance totaling \$371,000,000.

JEFFERSON STANDARD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

JULIAN PRICE - President GREENSBORO, N. C.

ROSCOE T. COX, District Manager
MUNFORD BUILDING
Greenville, N. C.

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SEE the blazing attack on Barataria, the pirate kingdom!

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SEE the thrilling march of the pirates through the bayous of Louisiana!

SEE the nation's capital, the glorious city of Washington, in flames!

See these and a hundred other thrilling scenes in Cecil B. DeMille's mighty, best adventure romance!

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Picture Starts
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Hopalong Cassidy
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"PARTNERS OF THE PLAINS"
—TUESDAY—
ROMANCE WITH A SOCK!

He Wanted The Prize Ring She Wanted A Wedding Ring

The DUKE COMES BACK

with
ALLAN LANE
HEATHER ANGEL
GENEVIEVE TOBIN

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Cartoon
"Stranger Than Fiction"
Novelty

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FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE