



The Passing Parade

1884 - 1959
By HAROLD S. MAY

Alabama will be 140 years old Monday—but the old girl doesn't look her age at all. From our observation, it seems that the sprightly old gal has taken a new lease on life and is acting more like a kittenish youngster than an elderly lady. From every nook and cranny within her borders there comes news of increased activities and rapid growth and we have already heard that the old gal has long ago thrown away her bustle and stays and has entered into the spirit of things, meeting the new day head-on with no stopping her as she takes her rightful place in the scheme of things. More power to the old gal.

Speaking of bustles and stays, a good foundation garment and a smooth paint job will take 20 years off a woman's appearance—but she can't fool a long flight of stairs.

A fourth grader was asked to describe the world. His remarks: The world is a big ball which revolves on its taxes.

A South African clergyman, the Rev. J. A. J. Van Vuuren, pastor of the Dutch Reform church in Port Elizabeth has started a campaign to rid the world of Santa Claus. He has denounced Santa as "a fraud and a heathen creation" and started his campaign by banning Santa from a Sunday school Christmas party. The children got no gifts from the Christmas tree and old Santa was conspicuous by his absence. But, in this country, we still sing: "Christmas Was Made For Children" and Old St. Nick will continue to make his rounds.

Officials at the Washington, D. C. zoo are shipping surplus to the Dublin, Ireland, zoo. There's a good comment we could make on this situation but we just can't think of it at this moment.

The disgruntled employee of a small plant came home the other evening in a dejected mood. He slumped in his chair and as his wife asked the reason for his action, he replied: "The worse has happened." The wife, becoming alarmed, anxiously asked him what had happened. "Well," wailed the husband, "just at quitting time the boss called me into his office—and gave me the business."

A man usually can do more than he thinks he can, but generally he does less than he thinks he does.

The other afternoon we were driving toward Decatur after a hard rain. It was still raining slightly but as we drove East the most beautiful rainbow we have ever seen appeared in the sky. It was the most complete rainbow you can imagine and extended solidly from end to end. As we gazed at this beautiful promise of the end to the rain, we thought of a little city boy on his first real vacation in the country with his father. The two were hiking through the fields when they saw a rainbow. When asked about it, the father explained that it was a rainbow. "It's mighty pretty," said the boy, "what is it advertising?"

Among the things that money can't buy—are what it used to.

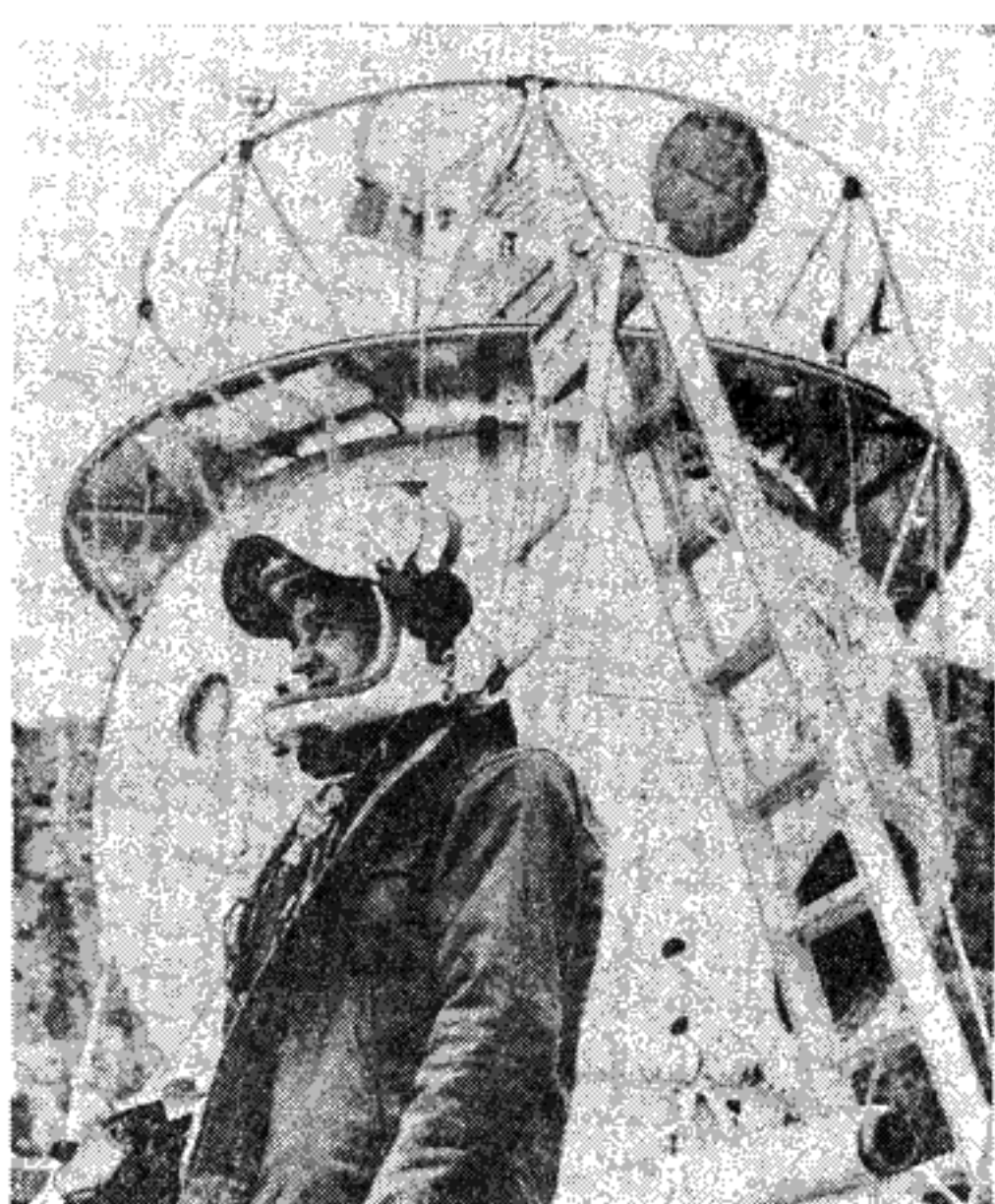
There are a lot of reducing diets on the market—as well as those that are recommended by fatties who have no intention of reducing—but the greatest need of humanity today is an effective reducing diet for fat heads.

A new national organization has come into being, although it is not spreading as fast as it should. It is the "One Night at Home Club" and according to the constitution and by-laws it is mandatory for every male and female in the community the club serves to stay at home one night every week. It seems that the idea of a "club" takes hold fast but after reading the rules and regulation the enthusiasm cools.

Dancing is one of the few remaining activities in which men lead women.

Will power is that something we lack when it comes to sticking to a sane diet in an attempt to lose 10 or 15 pounds of surplus weight. And we have found that just at such times is when the most inviting food is placed before you. Just recently we were offered the choice of a number of dainties that had our mouth watering. We passed up the delicious looking morsel with an apology in an effort not to offend, when the fair one said: "Why, it just melts in your mouth." We explained that we were true and added that that was our trouble—everything that melted in our mouth showed a bulge when we stepped in front of a mirror.

A Memphis man was charged with larceny of a three-layer cake that was lifted from the window of a home. He was found eating the cake and chasing it with some vile corn whiskey. When brought before the judge, he explained that the reason for his indulgence was that it was his 57th birthday and he felt like celebrating.



EYE ON VENUS—Decked out in a pressure suit, Charles Moore Jr., Johns Hopkins University researcher, stands beside his balloon gondola before he and a Navy balloonist Malcolm Ross were wuffed 15 miles into the Kansas sky. The men photographed the planet Venus from the height.

Democrats Attack GOP Administration Policies

Stevenson Winner "Beauty Contest" At Birthday Dinner For Mrs. F.D.R.

The leaders of the Democratic Party meeting in New York Sunday unleashed a vigorous broadside against Republican party policies and the Eisenhower Administration in general.

The Democratic Advisory Council blasted the Republican record on issues ranging from foreign policy to national defense and the space race.

In a 10,000 word blueprint for the 1960 Democratic platform, the Republicans were accused of doing "a second rate, second best job that could cost us more in freedom and national security than can possibly be measured in money."

It also charged that the Eisenhower Administration has "failed miserably to keep the government's fiscal house in order," and criticized the Republicans "for lack of bold and creative leadership, an affinity for moneyed interests, a deep rooted hostility to new ideas and incompetent administration."

Most of the 22 chapters of the document dealt with domestic policy, three with foreign policy. There were indications that the production of the document caused some internal dissension within Democratic party ranks.

For instance aid to education and civil rights brought a dissent from Leroy Collins of Florida and Mrs. Benjamin Everett, national committeewoman from North Carolina.

The Council was only mildly critical of President Eisenhower's goodwill tour of the world saying he had the hopes of all Americans for success but that such tours were no substitutes for solid programs and policies.

On Monday the Democrats held a big four hour "beauty contest" of which the obvious winner was Adlai Stevenson. Stevenson said he was not seeking the nomination.

However, Stevenson's popularity was evidenced by the most applause from the glittering, jam-packed crowd, gathered for a dinner honoring the 75th birthday of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, with former President Harry Truman presiding over the "beauty contest."

Seated with Mrs. Roosevelt were three U. S. Senators, all mentioned as possible Democratic candidates for president. Among the hopefuls were Edmund G. (Pat) Brown, governor of California; Sen. Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota; Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri; Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts; Gov. G. Mennen Williams of Michigan; Gov. Robert B. Meyner of New Jersey; and Sen. Lyndon Johnson of Texas.

TUSCALOOSA AGAIN TWO WAY STREET

Florence Police Chief Noah H. Danley reminded the public Saturday that Tuscaloosa Street is now open all the way to two-way traffic.

Chief Danley announced that policemen are working the area from Pine to Popular Streets as much as possible, and it has been noted that many are still unaware of the change.

No one will be arrested until the change becomes better known, but motorists are being stopped and reminded.

Late News

The Federal space agency set up a new unit Tuesday to develop high-power rockets for sending satellites and space ships to the moon and planets. Chosen to head this unit was Air Force Maj. Gen. Don R. Ostrander, now deputy director of the Defense Department's Advanced Research Projects Agency. This special unit will have charge of the Saturn, a powerful rocket being developed by Dr. Wernher von Braun.

Steelworkers Union President David J. McDonald announced that the Steelworkers Union reached tentative agreement on a new wage contract with major can manufacturers Tuesday and endorsed a new governmental proposal for settlement of the long steel dispute. McDonald made this announcement shortly after Labor Sec. James P. Mitchell proposed that union and management negotiators let a neutral third party draw up a steel settlement formula or submit unresolved issues to arbitration.

Six guards were overpowered and left locked up by twenty dangerous criminals heavily armed and at least four of them killed after they broke out of the Ivy Bluff Prison for inmates. The convicts had eight rifles, eight pistols and a sub-machine gun. Despite a huge manhunt centering in North Carolina and Virginia, none of the prisoners had been reported captured late Wednesday.

An attempt was made Tuesday by a fleet of rescue ships to save 28 sailors from two ships on the North Sea. The 1,719-ton Norwegian freighter Elfrida radioed that she was sinking off Norway's southwest coast. At least two other ships were reported in danger in North European waters, boiled up by the great storm which has hampered Europe for some five days and has claimed at least 72 lives.

Frank Weikel, director of labor relations for Reynolds Metals Company, announced that Reynolds and the United Steelworkers of America, AFL-CIO have arranged to resume talks in Chicago Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. No date has yet been set for a meeting with the Aluminum Workers International Union.

Change Made In Farm Loan Name

On January 1st, 1950, the Muscle Shoals National Farm Loan Association changes its name to Federal Land Bank Association of Florence.

According to L. N. Thompson, Manager of the Federal Land Bank Association, the national farm loan associations have been servicing Federal land bank loans for some 42 years and although they have been developed into strong financial institutions and are owned outright by the farmers they serve, the old name has been difficult to remember, most farmers referring to the association as "the Federal Land Bank." Thompson feels that the change will eliminate a great deal of confusion and is looking forward to operating under the new name.

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Mrs. N. E. Jackson Reported Drowned In Pickwick Lake

Waters Being Searched For Body After Apparent Leap From O'Neal Bridge

BULLETIN

Dragging operations in Pickwick Lake were resumed this morning by the Coast Guard in cooperation with personnel from the Florence and Sheffield fire departments and others who have joined the search for the body of Mrs. N. E. Jackson, who reportedly jumped from O'Neal Bridge late Tuesday. A number of boats used in the search were loaned by the management of the Muscle Shoals Boat Harbor.

Mrs. Virginia Jackson, wife of Dr. N. E. Jackson, Florence physician, apparently jumped from O'Neal Bridge Tuesday night after getting out of a taxi in the south-bound traffic lane.

It was reported that Mrs. Jackson called Florence Yellow Cab Company around 6:10 p.m. and told the cab driver, Ernest Coburn, who picked her up at her home at 1651 Decatur Street, to carry her down about the middle of the bridge. He said that he told her that he wasn't supposed to let anyone off on the bridge, but the woman replied, "Well, I'm supposed to meet somebody there."

As he approached the middle of the bridge he said that Mrs. Jackson told him that that was the place. He stopped and was paid 95 cents by the passenger, giving her five cents in change. The nickel was later found in the pocket of a tan coat Sheffield and Florence police found on the rail of bridge.

The incident was first reported to Sheffield Police by W. L. Dunmire, Florence, who reported that he saw a lady standing on the side of the bridge and looked as if she were removing her clothes.

A short time later Chief Noah Danley reported that two boys came to him and told him that as they had started to the Sheffield Naval Reserve center, they had seen a woman standing on the bridge with her coat lying across the rail.

Family members reported that Mrs. Jackson had not been well for some time. She was the mother of a daughter and a son.

The Coast Guard and Florence Rescue squad began dragging operations immediately and continued through the night and Wednesday. The body had not been found at last report.

Florence Budget Figures Released

Allocation Of Funds For Fiscal Year Are Announced By City

The Florence City Commission Tuesday adopted the city's budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, amounting to \$1,060,523.24. Anticipated revenue is \$1,060,831.39.

Allocations of funds were reported as follows:
Fire Department — \$168,170.
Police — \$212,420.
Sanitation — \$101,500.
Street — \$174,400.
Administrative — \$156,350.

Other appropriations, totaling \$178,549 were as follows:
Health Department — \$21,000.
Park and Recreation — \$52,500.
Maud Lindsay Kindergarten — \$900.
Library — \$14,000.
Civilian Defense — \$1,750.
National Guard — \$300.
Mental Health — \$1,400.
Humane Society — \$8,500.
Surplus Food — \$5,100.
Airport — \$14,474.
Retarded Children — \$500.
Hospital addition — \$48,000.

Boat License Tags To Be Available

The State Conservation Department has created a new division with Jack Parsons as acting chief to administer Alabama's recently enacted Water Safety Act of 1959.

The act, as signed into law by Gov. John Patterson, requires the licensing and registration of watercraft and provides for the issuance of necessary rules and regulations to insure water safety.

"With the large number of motorboats and other craft operating on our waterways today, some control over them is absolutely necessary for safety's sake," Gov. Patterson said. "Water safety has become as important as highway safety."

It has already gone into effect, but owners and operators of motorboats have four months in which to obtain license tags for their boats. The deadline for the tags is next March 19.

The boat license tags should be available within about 90 days from county probate judges or license commissioners, Parsons said. The price will run from \$2 to \$10 depending on the length of the boat.

A brochure based on the Water Safety Act has been prepared and (Continued on Page 2)

President Receives Tumultuous Welcome On Tour Of Far East



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FSC LIBRARY EXPANSION DISCUSSED—Dr. E. B. Norton, (center) president of Florence State, Miss Ruth Dacus, librarian, and Allen Northington, (right) architect, discussed with Dr. A. F. Kuhlman, (left) director of joint university libraries for Peabody, Scarritt, and Vanderbilt, the expansion of Collier Library to meet the needs of increasing enrollment. Dr. Kuhlman talked to members of the college faculty in Rogers Hall Monday night, presenting ideas and statistics. He has served as library building consultant to Texas Christian University, Mississippi State College, Southwestern, Memphis, Tennessee State Library and Archives Building and Jackson (Mississippi) State College.

New Schedule For Holiday Vacation

Lauderdale County High Is Accredited; Present Term Ends May 20

The Lauderdale County Board of Education in session Saturday revised the dates of the Christmas vacation period for the rural schools to allow for an adjustment in the closing date of school in the spring, Allen Thornton, superintendent, announced.

All county schools will close for the holiday vacation on Friday, December 18 and classes will not be resumed until Monday, January 4, thus allowing a full two-weeks observance of the Christmas season.

The date for the closing of the 1959-1960 term has been reset for Friday, May 20 with graduation exercises for all high schools to start on Sunday, May 22, thus giving all of the five high schools the same period for their graduation programs. This new schedule, Mr. Thornton said, solves a number of problems set up by the previous schedule adopted by the board.

Rogersville Approved
The board was informed by the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges that Lauderdale County High School has been fully accredited following the recent competition of its evaluation program. Thus all five high schools in the county are in this enviable position.

It was announced at the recent convention of the association in Louisville, that Lauderdale County becomes the second county in Alabama with all its rural high schools accredited. Of the 350 high schools in the state, only 126 have received accreditation and all but a few are in the larger cities. Mr. Thornton was given a special citation for leading his county system to this high standing.



NO TEARS HERE—Contrary to the usual behavior of a prospective mother-in-law, the mother of Farah Diba grins broadly as she meets her daughter in Teheran, Iran. Miss Diba returned from Paris after buying wedding clothes for her marriage next month to the Shah of Iran.

Southern Bell Company To Appeal Court Order

APSC Directive Held Severe By Vice-President-Manager Newton

Soil Testing Urged By County Agent

Deadline For Program Moved Up To Jan. 8th; Wagnon Announces

Lauderdale County Agent L. T. Wagnon this week urged all farmers who have not had their soil tested to do so as soon as possible. The previous deadline of December 15 for testing has been moved to January 8, Mr. Wagnon stated, so that the maximum number of farmers may take advantage of the offer of one free test with their soil testing and also the free transportation of the samples to the Auburn laboratory furnished by the local tractor and farm machinery dealers.

"All forms and necessary information may be obtained from any vocational agriculture teacher in the county or from the County Agent's office," Mr. Wagnon said.

"I hope the farmers who have not done so will get this done right away, as it is very important, not only to their own success as farmers but to the general prosperity of the county as a whole."

"As long as we continue to guess as to what fertilizer to use and how much, we are wasting both time and money. A soil test is the only way to take the guess out of farming. It's a cheap way for a farmer to increase his profits out of fertilizing."

The Alabama Public Service Commission Wednesday issued an order and opinion dated December 8, 1959, in the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company rate case which has involved a period of five-and-a-half years, during which time rates "in dispute" have been collected from subscribers of the utility in the amount of \$34,881,283, or more.

Under the terms of the order, provide no appeal is taken, the company will retain an estimated \$9,800,000 of the above amount and a balance of over \$25 million will be directed to be refunded to the subscribers of the company who received service during the 5½ years or a portion thereof.

Bell To Appeal
However the Bell Company immediately announced its decision to take the matter back to the courts for a further review and released the following statement Wednesday for publication:

As a result of Wednesday's Public Service Commission order, Frank Newton, Southern Bell's Vice President and General Manager for Alabama said that while the company regretted to do so, it would have to go back to the court and ask for a further review of its long, drawn-out rate case.

"The Commission's order is both shocking and amazing. It is at war with the facts and equity and contrary to the court decision in this state," Newton said. "It actually prescribes refunds which, when added to wage and other cost increases that have occurred since this case originated, would reduce company's earnings for the past five years below the level provided for in the Commission's 1954 order," Newton added.

"This 1954 order was reversed by the State Supreme Court because it did not provide the company with a fair return on the reasonable value of its Alabama properties. Yesterday's Commission order results in even a lower rate of return than did the 1954 order and leaves us in a worse position than before."

"Obviously, the Commission's order fails to recognize the sharp increase in the cost of Capital which has occurred since 1954 and which necessitates improved earnings. Instead the Commission orders a severe reduction in rates. Such a reduction would seriously hamper our efforts to meet the service demands of the people of Alabama."

"I had hoped, following the courts reversal and remand of the Commissions 1954 order, that we could speedily terminate this long expensive litigation. In an effort to do so, we furnished the Commission with full information regarding our operations to enable it to fix rates which would be fair to both the public and to the company."

"Taking the matter back to the courts is not at all to our liking. However, we have no other alternative."

The regular monthly meeting of the Salvation Army Advisory Board will be held today noon at the Muscle Shoals Hotel. This is an important meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Visit Expected Later India's Anti-Red Stand

BULLETIN

Speaking in Pakistan Tuesday night where he had received the warmest welcome thus far in his 19-day goodwill tour, President Eisenhower urged all national leaders worthy of that designation to join in an enforceable program of disarmament. Man-kind's latest scientific developments in the military field make disarmament mandatory, the President stated, adding, "There can be no winner in any future global war."

The welcome accorded President Eisenhower on his goodwill tour has been nothing short of tumultuous so far.

Winding up two days of talks with Italy's President Giovanni Gronchi and Premier Antonio Segni Saturday, Mr. Eisenhower flew to Turkey where he was received by huge cheering throngs that lined the 20-mile route from Esenboga Airport to the center of Ankara, the capital. Flags by the thousands, signs and bands, were displayed in welcome of this nation's chief executive.

Twelve triumphal arches bedecked in red, white and blue carried slogans saying "Take our love back, Ike," and "Far but yet very near."

From this tremendous welcome the President flew on to Pakistan where on Tuesday he was greeted by a million wildly cheering Pakistanis. It was said to have been the most thundering welcome ever accorded a visiting dignitary.

The President was deeply moved by this reception in a country never before visited by a chief executive of the United States. Greeting with delight, Mr. Eisenhower stood erect in the back of a white convertible and waved to the colorfully dressed natives jamming the route into the country's largest city, Karachi.

Karachi was strung with colored lights and hosts of American flags flew from skyscrapers alongside of Pakistan's green and white crescent banner. It looked, newsmen stated, like a city adorned for Christmas.

The President made the non-stop 2,260 mile flight from Ankara in a big orange-nosed jet airliner and was escorted into Pakistan's airport by a dozen U. S. built jet fighters. He was given a 21-gun salute when the plane landed exactly on schedule, at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday. Mr. Eisenhower continued to smile as a band played the Star Spangled Banner and the national anthem of Pakistan.

Mr. Eisenhower was welcomed by the Pakistani President Mohammed Ayub Khan, who referred to his own country as "the firm ally of the United States for world peace in cooperation among like-minded nations."

Wednesday Mr. Eisenhower flew on to India to visit the world's most populous democracy representing scores of cultures and more than 500 languages and dialects.

It is a land in which the brilliant Prime Minister Nehru has sought to create a socialistic democracy where formerly existed only feudalistic and fantastically rich rajahs.

The United States has provided over two billion dollars in the economy of India although Nehru has accepted aid from both the Communists and the West.

Mr. Eisenhower's visit is expected to bolster relationships between free Asia and the West and possibly strengthen India's resistance to Communist encroachment.

LEGION TO HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

The regular monthly meeting of Florence-Lauderdale Post No. 11, American Legion, will be held tonight at 8:00 at the Legion on South Court Street. Commander Frank Potts urges all members to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beckman of Jackson Highway, Florence have returned home after several days visit in Jackson, Miss.

Theatre Program

SHOALS—Florence
Thurs-Fri-Sat., Dec. 11-12
THE JAWHAKERS—Vista Vision, Technicolor, starring Jeff Chandler, Fess Parker, Nicole Maurey, Henry Silva.
Sun-Mon., Dec. 13-14
LIBEL—starring Olivia de Havilland, Dirk Bogarde.
Tues-Wed., Dec. 15-16
GILDA—starring Rita Hayworth, Glenn Ford.
Thurs-Fri-Sat., Dec. 17-18-19
YESTERDAY'S ENEMY—starring Stanley Baker, Guy Rolfe.
CINEMA—Florence
Thurs., Dec. 10
THE REBEL SET—starring Gregg Palmer, Kathleen Crowley. Also THE LAST HUNT—in Color with Robert Taylor, Stewart Granger, Debra Paget.
MAN IN THE SADDLE—with Randolph Scott, Joan Leslie, Also SPEED CRAZY—with Brett Halsey, Yvonne Lime.
Sun-Mon., Dec. 13-14
THE WASP WOMAN—with Susan Cabot, Also THE BEAST FROM HAUNTED CAVE—with Michael Forrest.
Thurs-Wed., Dec. 15-16-17
BEWILDERED YOUTH—starring Ingrid Bergman, Adamson. Also THE SCARLET PEARL—starring Ingrid Bergman, Adamson. Also THE SCARLET PEARL—starring Ingrid Bergman, Adamson.

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Welcome, Mr. President

The tumultuous welcome accorded President Eisenhower in the countries on his itinerary is a wonderful demonstration of the faith the people of the world have in the United States as the champion of freedom. It should serve to quieten those who criticized the wisdom of his tour which by its very informality carries with it an air of courage and good cheer . . . the complete opposite of the bulldozing and dominating attitude taken by the Red leaders on their various junkets.

His visit to India, to the uninitiated, looks like a glorified goodwill tour but it has far greater implications. Mr. Eisenhower and most of the world leaders know that India and Pakistan is where the fate of Free Asia if not the world may be decided. Already their borders are threatened and their need of help, both material and moral, is great.

If the non-Communist world cannot cope with the insidious offers of the Communists then the battle is lost now. Surely it is well for Mr. Eisenhower to see for himself this strange world where 450 million people have a living standard so low it defies imagination . . . where ignorance, poverty and disease abound to a degree unknown to the Western world.

The visit to India is already a great personal triumph for Mr. Eisenhower in his role of a "pilgrim of peace and freedom." He will return better equipped to deal with the greatest problem facing the free world today . . . how to prevent in India, what happened in China.

If India falls the free world may well look to the future with a well justified anxiety. It is not time to listen to the babbling of critics whatever their political affiliations may be.

Our course must be strong, militant and just and we cannot wait.

No Chinese Delinquents

Not long ago a New York City judge made a startling observation. In the seventeen years he had been on the bench in juvenile court not one Chinese teen-ager had been brought before him.

P. H. Chang, Chinese Consul-General in New York was asked to comment on this remarkable fact. He said, "I have heard this story many times from many judges. I will tell you why this is so. Filial piety is a cardinal virtue my people brought over from a free China. A Chinese child, no matter where he lives, is brought up to recognize that he cannot shame his parents. Before a Chinese child makes a move, he stops to think what the reaction of his parents will be. Will they be proud or will they be ashamed? Above all other things the Chinese teen-ager is anxious to please his parents."

The amazing record of the Chinese children and young people shows that it is in the home that the cure for juvenile delinquency will be found . . . and in no other place.

The Changing Picture

One of the greatest changes in American economy during the past two decades has been in the preparation, processing and merchandising of food products.

The young couple of today starting out in life shops in a super market where they can buy almost any article of food they desire any month in the year. It is true they may not get it fresh but if not they can find it frozen. Their nutritional needs are met through the foresight and ingenuity of American know how and energy.

Not long ago the meat packing industry held a meeting. Thousands of words were heard on the problems of changing conditions in the meat industry. The revolution in it, like that in agriculture, has been astounding. From the animal on the hoof to the attractively packaged product in your local meat market, the industry has gone through changes as dramatic as the evolution of the automobile since the days of the Model T.

Some of the changes have been costly—such as consumer desire for more packaged and prepared products. Moreover, straight time hourly earnings in the packing industry for production workers have risen 86 per cent from 1948 to 1958.

Profits per dollar of sales have been squeezed down and down. In spite of this, the packer has done a remarkable job of buying livestock and delivering fresh meat to retailers in response to local preferences. Every effort has been made to increase efficiency, improve refrigeration, the quality of the product, delivery service and so forth.

That is the American system which brings new techniques and innovations.

Three Promoted By Union Carbide

Area Residents Given Advancements Recently In Local Industry

Three men have been promoted to supervisory positions at the Union Carbide Metals plant in Sheffield, according to an announcement made today by plant superintendent C. E. Green. All the promotions were effective November 1. James L. Scott was advanced to shift foreman in the Mix Department. Scott started at the Metals plant in 1946 as a mix weigher. He was transferred to the Furnace Department later that year as a tapper and was made a head furnaceman in 1952. A native of Wayne County, Tennessee, he served in the U.S. Army and was released in 1945. Mr. and Mrs. Scott and their three children live on Route 3, Florence.

Paul Beaver was promoted to assistant shift foreman in the Packing Department. Born in Colbert County, he came to work at Electromet on March 3, 1949 in the Mix Department and was transferred

to the Packing Department in 1950. He started a foreman training course in July of this year. Mr. and Mrs. Beaver have one child and are residents of Muscle Shoals City.

Frank Perkins was moved to assistant shift foreman in the Furnace Department. Following graduation from Decatur High School he enrolled at Auburn where he earned a BS degree in Industrial Management in 1957. Perkins served in the U.S. Air Force from 1951 to 1954 and was employed at the Metals plant in April 1959. Mr. and Mrs. Perkins and their son reside at 108 Wildwood Park in Florence.

TWO-DAY HOLIDAY TO BE OBSERVED DEC. 25-26

All banks and savings and loan associations in the Tri-Cities will observe a two-day holiday at Christmas-time, it was announced today. These financial institutions will be closed all day Christmas and Saturday, December 26th.

In the memory of local bank officials, this is the first time a two-day observance of any holiday has been scheduled.

In The Week's News

Over 200 Dead As Dam Breaks

At least 221 persons were left dead and 80-90 missing as a result of the millions of tons of water from heavy rains backed up behind Malpasset Dam in France, which caused the dam to collapse Wednesday night, Dec. 2, leaving destruction along the Reyran River Valley in the French Riviera. Hours after the destruction, rescuers began arriving and the waters subsided into the Mediterranean. The waters smashed homes, uprooted trees and broke telegraph and telephone poles, almost completely flooding the town of Frejus France.

Tourists Bypass Cuba

New York travel officials report that thousands of American tourists are bypassing Fidel Castro's Cuba in favor of other Caribbean countries. This loss to Cuba has run into millions annually. The decline in tourist trade has been blamed upon statements by high Cuban officials and reports of incidents in Havana. A Cuban commission spokesman admitted that 1958 and 1959 "have been very bad years."

Monkey Returns From Space

Sam, the seven-pound rhesus monkey who was plucked from the Atlantic Ocean Friday, Dec. 4, after a 55-mile-high trip in a Project Mercury capsule, is reported to be in perfect condition at Norfolk, Va., where he was brought Saturday by a Navy destroyer. The capsule, which was designed to carry man in his first orbit around the earth, was boosted into space from Wallops Island, Va., by a Little Joe rocket. It attained a top speed of 3,600 miles per hour.

Three Dead In Franklin Wreck

An automobile accident which occurred at 4:15 Saturday afternoon west of Russellville on Alabama Highway 24 left three Franklin Countians dead, three critically injured and five hospitalized. The dead are Ellis Clint Gober, Rt. 2, Vina; Mrs. Williams Gober, Rt. 2, Vina; and Billy Joe Reeps, Washington Street, Russellville. The car in which Reeps was a passenger reportedly suddenly skidded sideways across the highway directly in the path of the approaching car being driven by Gober.

Police Chief's Son Nabbed

Jimmy Morrison, 20, the son of Maplesville, Ala. Police Chief Aubrey Morrison, went on trial Monday on charges of forgery and automobile burglary. Young Morrison is now serving a 10-year prison term for robbery. Circuit Solicitor Blanchard McLeod said that Morrison will be tried first on nine counts of forgery. The youth has been in Kilby Prison since his conviction by a Perry County Circuit Court jury in October.

PSC Orders Gas Refund

The Alabama Public Service Commission Friday ordered the Alabama Gas Corp. to make a \$2,263,000 refund, averaging about \$8 per customer, to some 225,000 customers in the state. At the same time, the commission approved a rate increase of some \$3,881,500 a year for the company, which will boost the average residential customer's bill by about 50 cents a month. Halcott Jones, vice president of the gas company, said that customers' bills would be credited rather than issuing checks to them.

Elk River Group To Hold Meeting

February 2, Date Set For Outstanding Plans For Future Program

On February 2, in Athens the Elk River Development Assn., Inc. will hold its organizational meeting at which long-range plans for the development of Elk River will be outlined.

The Alabama-Tennessee Association consisting of nine counties plans to construct five dams, impounding water 59 miles upstream. Plans also call for the construction of a single dam in Alabama, near Buck Island, about 10 miles west of Athens.

Chairman of the Tennessee Valley Authority Brig. Gen. Herbert D. Vogel will be the principal speaker at this meeting, with Joe Sir of Fayetteville, Tenn., president of the association, announcing.

Also to be invited will be the Governors John Patterson and Buford Ellington, the four U.S. Senators from Alabama and Tennessee and the U.S. Representatives from the nine counties involved.

It is the hope of the Elk River Development to bring about the full development of the river for navigation, flood control, conservation of natural resources, industrial development and reforestation, a spokesman said.

Counties included in this association are Limestone and Lauderdale in Alabama and Giles, Lawrence, Lincoln, Coffee, and Moore, Grundy, and Franklin in Tennessee.

Weekly Schedule Of Bookmobile

Monday, Dec. 14 — Lexington. Elgin Crossroad School, 8:30-9:10; Springfield School, 9:20-10:00; Lexington Drug, 10:15-10:30; Lexington School, 10:35-12:00; Center Star School, 12:20-12:45; Stutts Home, 1:00-1:15.

Tuesday, Dec. 15 — Anderson: Varnell Home, 8:40-8:55; Romine Church, 9:00-9:15; Anderson School, 9:25-11:15; Powell School, 11:25-12:00; Grassy School, 12:10-12:25; Hammond Store, 12:10-12:40; Whitehead School, 1:00-1:45; Tonerville, 2:10-2:20.

Wednesday, Dec. 16 — Waterloo: Three Forks, 8:15-8:30; R. N. Jones Store, 8:35-8:45; Oakland School, 8:50-9:50; Rhodesville School, 10:00-10:30; Wrights, 10:45-10:55; Waterloo School, 11:20-2:00.

Thursday, Dec. 17 — Savannah Highway: Lovelace Store, 8:15-8:30; Threets School, 8:45-9:30; Joel Balentine Home, 9:35-9:50; Wayland Balentine Home, 10:00-10:10; Reuben Wylie Home, 10:20-10:30; Audrey Kelly Home, 10:35-10:50; Central School, 10:55-1:30.

Friday, Dec. 18 — Chisholm Rd.: Jacksonburg Church, 8:15-8:30; Wilson School, 8:40-11:15; Salem Churchyard, 11:20-11:35; Parker Home, 11:45-12:15; Haygood Home, 12:25-12:45; Pruitt, 1:00-1:10; Gifford Hill, 1:20-1:40; St. Michael's School, 1:45-2:30; Gruber Home, 2:35-2:45; Locker Home, 2:50-3:00.

Deaths

John Thomas Melton

Funeral services for John Thomas Melton, 73, 624 Ironside Street, Florence, who died Tuesday at ECM Hospital after an illness of two years, will be conducted this afternoon at the Free-will Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m. with Rev. A. J. Lambert officiating. Burial will follow in Florence cemetery.

Mr. Melton had been a resident of Florence for the past 30 years and was a retired carpenter.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rosie Lee Melton; four daughters, Mrs. Jewel Milford, Florence, Mrs. Grace Surratt, Adamsville, Tenn., Mrs. Esther Mae Redding, of Illinois; Mrs. Sue Strickland, Florence; three sons, Thomas B. James L., and Bobby Ray, all of Florence; two brothers, Barney B. Melton, Jasper, Jesse B. Melton, Florence; four half brothers, Irby Melton, Baudy Melton, Allen Melton, and Brody Melton, all of Arkansas; 13 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Dennis Ray Lisby

Funeral services for Dennis Ray Lisby, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Lisby of 313 Trade Street, Florence, a victim of leukemia who died Thursday, Dec. 3, were conducted Friday at 3 p.m. at Pine Street Church of Christ with Lamar Plunkett officiating. Burial followed in Tri-Cities Memorial Gardens.

He is survived by his parents; two sisters, Jo Nell and Glenda Faye; a brother, William Lee; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Herston and Mrs. Claty Lisby, all of Florence.

Mrs. Ella Bailey

Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Bailey, 50, who died Thursday, Dec. 3 at her residence in St. Joseph, Tenn., were held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Fairview Baptist Church. Burial followed in the adjoining cemetery with Rev. Earl Allen officiating.

Mrs. Bailey was a member of the St. Joseph Baptist Church and had been ill for the past month.

She is survived by her husband, A. C. Bailey; three sons, Willie, St. Joseph, Elus, Old Hickory, Tenn., and James, Indiana; two daughters, Mrs. Odus Phillips, Indiana, and Mrs. Bessie Wilson, Loretto.

Rogersville FFA Has Chicken Stew

The Rogersville FFA Chapter held their annual chicken stew last Thursday night.

The invocation was given by Lonnie Smith, and guests of the chapter were John Roberson and J. R. Righmire. The stew, which was enjoyed by all members, was prepared by Bob Tate, G. W. Kelley, Roy Fleming, James Lard, Briggs Davis and James Chambers.

Officers of the Rogersville chapter are: Roy Fleming, president; Virgil Masouia, vice-pres-

Sketches From Life

By FRANCES HALL



W. L. FOY

"Reviewing the rapid growth of Florence and the surrounding communities from the point of home, church and business house construction, you can see the hand of W. L. Foy guiding this expansion through his position as directing head of First Federal. His far-sightedness has proven a valuable guide in our splendid progress," is the manner in which one closely associated with the building trade described the work of Mr. Foy.

As a man with vision and certainly well qualified from years of experience to picture the natural growth of a community, Mr. Foy has proven himself somewhat of a prophet. From the moment he established his residence in Florence, he has given a type of leadership to the encouraging of home building that today is reflected in the wonderful growth of the area.

As a developer of important properties, as well as the lending of his expert advice in this field, Mr. Foy has been able to direct successfully the development of certain areas that have contributed to the sum total of the splendid progress now being made throughout Florence, Laurels County and surrounding district.

Born in 1875 in Jones County, North Carolina, the son of James Oliver and Carrie Perry Foy, Mr. Foy attended school at Salem Boys' School and the University of North Carolina in Winston-Salem.

In 1901 he was married to Hallie Vaughan, of Ashland, Virginia. They have three children, W. L. Foy, Jr., Mrs. Madelyn Rickard, of Florence and Mrs. Caroline Robbins, of Richmond, Va.

Mr. Foy's father was in the newspaper business, the owner of the *Winston-Salem Journal* and the *Twin-City Daily*. After his death, W. L. Foy carried on the work until he was encouraged by a close friend to enter the banking business. Finally persuaded, Mr. Foy established a bank in Ashland, Va., in 1903.

By 1926, some 23 years later, he was operating five other banks in Virginia, one in Fork Union, one in Dolswald, two in Richmond and one in Beaver Dam.

When it was rumored in 1924 that Ford was considering the purchase of Wilson Dam and the Nitrate plants for \$75,000,000, Mr. Foy was asked by the local Real Estate Board to consider making a move to Florence and opening a building and loan association.

He accepted the invitation and through his efforts the Florence

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Boat License

will be available shortly. "This booklet is intended to educate boat owners as to the requirement of the new law and also acquaint them with the great necessity for safety in the water at all times," said Gen. Parsons.

The new act requires that any person who operates a vessel or gives permission for the operation of any vessel, including sailboats and all boats for hire, must display a valid identification number for the vessel.

Change Made

Thompson also advises that the Farm Credit Act of 1959 transfers appraisal responsibility from the Federal Land Banks and has removed any restrictions on the size of loan that can be made to an individual or family farming corporation. He feels that removal of the loan limit will enable his association to serve some people that it has not been able to serve in the past and that with the trend to expensive labor-saving machinery and to larger farms, there is increasing need for larger loans.

dent; Glenn White, reporter; Douglas Romine, treasurer; Alton Bevingfield, secretary; and Charles Briggs, sentinel. C. J. Pennington is the chapter advisor.

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Sentencing And Probation Cases Heard On Friday

Sentencing and probation hearings resulting from the recent Circuit Court term in Lauderdale were held Friday at the Lauderdale County courthouse before Judge Robert M. Hill, assisted by Howard Bolling, probation and parole supervisor. W. L. Almon, Circuit Solicitor, represented the State.

The following persons were given sentences as listed and denied by the Court:

Finley A. Bugg, Jr., selling, removing or concealing personal property covered by a lien or claim, sentenced to one year and one day and probation denied.

E. F. Hargett, charged in two cases of forgery second degree, sentenced to one year and one day on one case and one year and one day in another case with probation being granted to begin when the first prison term has been completed.

Mrs. Flossie Jeanette Mitchell, charged with embezzlement, sen-

tenced to one year and one day and probation denied.

The cases in which probation was allowed by the Court included:

Ted Wilson, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still, sentenced to one year and one day and granted probation for two years.

William Douglas Nard, grand larceny, sentenced to one year and one day and probation granted.

Aaron Whitehead, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still, sentenced to one year and one day and probation granted for two years.

Arnold W. Sanders, indecent molestation of a child, sentenced to one year and one day and probation granted for four years.

Seven persons waived cases Friday in Law and Equity Court before Judge Emmett Roden. These cases included:

Roscoe Murphy, grand larceny; Andrew Wesley Jackson, forgery second degree; Eugene Cole; leaving the scene of an accident; David Gene Barnett, leaving the scene of an accident; Robert O'Neil Eastep, leaving the scene of an accident; Virgil Baskins, forgery second degree and Mentie B. Collic, forgery second degree.

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Sandra Sue Johnston Weds

In Oakland Church Setting

Marked by an early evening wedding in Oakland Methodist Church, Miss Sandra Sue Johnston became the bride of James Larry Canerdy on Wednesday, December second, the Reverend E. H. Beasley, minister of the church, reading the seven o'clock vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Nolen G. Johnston of Florence, Route Two, and Mr. and Mrs. James Canerdy of Greenville, Kentucky.

An ivy-entwined arch and basket arrangements of white gladioli and chrysanthemums against a background of greenery detailed the altar, and white tapers burned in branched candelabra to light the nuptial scene.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white net and Rose point lace over satin. A close-fitting bodice with scalloped Sabrina neckline and short sleeves, and a voluminous floor-length skirt which was worn over period hoops and extended into a chapel train, were distinguishing features.

A pearl-encrusted crown held her fingertip veil of silk illusion and her white Bible was marked by a single white orchid encircled with tiny mums.

Attendants included Miss Diana Rice, cousin of the bride, maid of honor, and Miss Linda Lawson, bridesmaid. They wore identically styled frocks of lace and taffeta, the honor attendant in pink and the maid in lavender. Their net headresses and chrysanthemum bouquets matched their dresses. Laura Murphy, also cousin of the bride, was in a frock of pink net to serve as flower girl and Gary Johnston, the bride's nephew, was ring bearer.

Jack Johnston, brother of the bride, was best man for Mr. Canerdy and James McAdams served as usher.

Mrs. Johnston chose for her daughter's wedding gown of pink lace with black accessories and Mrs. Canerdy, mother of the bridegroom, wore brown sheer with black accessories. White carnation corsages enhanced the attire of each.

A reception in the church parlors followed the ceremony, with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Koger as hosts. Assisting were Mrs. Jack Johnston, Mrs. Billy Johnston, Mrs. Jackie Holt, Miss Linda Wright, Miss Paula Artis, Miss Brenda Robinson, Miss Janice Canerdy, Mrs. James Rice and Mrs. Howard Hadcock.

Upon leaving for their wedding trip, Mrs. Canerdy was wearing a frock of winter white wool with red accessories.

The bride and groom are now at home in Greenville, Kentucky.

Ruth Cromwell Brooks Reveals Nuptial Plans

Of cordial interest in Florence are the wedding plans of Miss Ruth Cromwell Brooks of Tuscaloosa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Moez Brooks, former Florentines now residing in Tuscaloosa.

To be given in marriage by her father, Miss Brooks will exchange vows with Dexter Sidney Freeman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Sidney Freeman of Jackson, Mississippi, on the evening of December nineteenth in Covenant Presbyterian Church of Tuscaloosa.

The Reverend J. Will Ormond, minister of the church, will read the half past seven o'clock service. Serving as honor attendants will

be Miss Lydia Freeman of Jackson, sister of the bridegroom-elect, and Mrs. William S. Brooks of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, sister-in-law of the bride-elect. Bridesmaids will include Miss Tate Jordan, Miss Martha Neil Hurt, Miss Sherry Romaine, Mrs. Joseph G. Burns, Jr., Mrs. Joe W. Tanner, Jr., and Miss E. E. Thomas, all of Tuscaloosa; Mrs. Henry B. Cummings of Decatur and Miss Sue Kelly of Headland.

Junior maids will be Misses Dawn and June Wozniak of Tuscaloosa. Babs Brooks of Oak Ridge, Tenn., and Steve Sutherland of Pell City, niece and cousin of the bride-to-be, will serve as flower girl and ring bearer.

Mr. Freeman has asked his father to attend him as best man and ushers will be William S. Brooks of Oak Ridge; William D. Partlow, III, of Tuscaloosa; Ems. Charles E. Harrison of Clinton, Miss.; William E. Mathews of Birmingham; Buddy Mackey and William P. Tucker of Oxford, Miss.; William B. Henderson of Montgomery; William C. Smith of Greensboro, N. C.

Miss Brooks, daughter of the former Marie Cromwell, has been a frequent and admired visitor in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. John Sidney Cromwell, 1309 Hackett Boulevard, Florence.

Christmas Punch Party In Robt. Holloway Home

Highlighting the week's social calendar was the holiday tea of Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Robert D. Holloway, Mrs. Thomas Agee and Mrs. C. B. Rosser entertained at the Holloway home, 1606 Winston Street.

Traditional decorations of holly spruce and tall red tapers graced the party rooms where guests were welcomed, and the silver appointed refreshment table was covered with a cloth of red lace over satin, caught at intervals with clusters of silvered grapes. Red carnations floated in the bowl of Christmas punch.

Assisting with the courtesies were Mrs. Henry Tyree, Mrs. Russell Newman, Mrs. Melvin Duke, Mrs. Joe Meade, Sr., Mrs. Donald Hipp, Mrs. Basil Horsfield, Jr., Mrs. Fred Kosack, Mrs. Jack Coursey, Mrs. W. Horton, Mrs. Chad Wiggins, Mrs. Ed Smoot, Mrs. George Van Sant, Mrs. T. W. Osborn, Mrs. George Barnett, Jr., Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. William Moncrief, Jr., and Mrs. Zack Wakefield.

One hundred seventy-five guests were included in the two till five o'clock courtesy.

Birthday Luncheon Honors Mrs. Eisenberg

Mrs. M. E. Eisenberg was honored on Monday when a group of close friends gathered with her at noontime for luncheon at Barber's Cafeteria.

The affair was a surprise birthday courtesy and included with the honoree were Mrs. Atherton Hastings, Mrs. Charles Rasch, Mrs. Harold May, Mrs. Thomas Callahan, Mrs. R. M. Kibby, Mrs. William Nighman, Mrs. H. C. Marshall, Mrs. Charles Bystron, Mrs. Herbert Morissey, Mrs. LeRoy Doster and Miss Bertha Klenova. A candlelight dessert, placed before Mrs. Eisenberg following the main luncheon course, was an added festive feature.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Methvin returned from a hunting trip to Independence, Iowa.

Vale Coffee Marked

By M. H. Garden Club

Mrs. William Watson was welcomed into membership at the recent meeting of Maple Heights Gardeners during the business period, presided over by Mrs. W. M. Futrell, president.

The meeting, an annual Christmas party, was held in King Cotton Restaurant where a holiday motif graced the dining room. Candy canes marked places and gifts were exchanged around a silvered tree.

Mrs. Lester Ellidge and Mrs. Graham Edwards were appointed in charge of distribution of trays at Mitchell-Hollingsworth Hospital, the club's Christmas project.

Florence Dinner Club Has Christmas Gala

Florence Golf and Country Club was gaily decked with the traditional green-and-red color theme of by-gone Christmases on Friday evening, December fourth, when members of Florence Dinner Club entertained with one of their two annual affairs, a holiday dinner-dance.

The mantel of the white-walled lounge was banked with glossy evergreens and aglow with tall, red tapers against a great wreath of hemlock and fir and holly which centered the fireplace wall. Colorful decorated evergreen trees topped the piano, where Virginia Robinson and her orchestra featured dance music throughout the evening, and were a background feature in the sunroom. A swirl of snowflakes glistened against the walls and Santa stood guard with his reindeer to center the party table.

Dinner Club officers include Mrs. Thomas N. Smith, president, Mrs. Robert O. Hyde, treasurer, and Mrs. John McCrory, treasurer.

Hypatia Club Has Guest Speaker

Using Hal Borland's "This Hill, This Valley" as background material, Miss Mary Rogers shared with members of Florence Hypatia Club on Thursday afternoon, December third, the delightful observations she has garnered on woodland treks about the countryside, drawing an interesting parallel between the flora of New England and that found along local bridge paths.

A holiday motif prevailed throughout the home of Mrs. Thomas Miller, hostess at her home in Cliff Haven, and the club membership was supplemented by two guests, Mrs. Pat Jeffrey and Mrs. Cowles Horton.

Mrs. Robert Martin and Mrs. Fred Ashe served salad and coffee from opposite ends of the table during the late afternoon refreshment hour.

Study Club Meets With Mrs. Flagg

Seventeen members and one visitor, Mrs. Karl Rossmassler were, present for the Tuesday, December first, meeting of Florence Study Club.

Mrs. Jewett Flagg, hostess to the gathering, invited her guests to The Town Club at three in the afternoon and Mrs. Lester Norvell, president of the group, presided during a brief business session.

The program, an interesting discourse on Sir William Davenant, English poet of the 17th century, was given by Dr. Albert S. Johnston, chairman of the Department of English and Modern Foreign Languages at Florence State College. Dr. Johnston's remarks were excerpts from a paper which he will present before the South Atlantic Modern Language Association at the group's meeting in North Carolina.

Mrs. W. L. Williams, Mrs. Norvell and Mrs. W. W. Hairston assisted with the afternoon's courtesies.

Thursday Study Club Hears Mrs. Russell

The Bernarr Cresap home on McBurney Drive was the setting on December third when Mrs. Cresap was hostess to a meeting of Thursday Study Club, including one guest, Mrs. James Lancaster, in the hospitality.

Mrs. Elmer Russell was program chairman for the afternoon, reading excerpts from "Leaves of Gold," an anthology of prayers, memorable phrases, inspirational verse and prose from ancient and modern authors of the world. Numerous poems collected from other sources were an additional feature.

Plans were completed for the club's Christmas banquet, which will take place at Florence Country Club at seven in the evening, December seventeenth.

Mrs. Cresap was assisted by Mrs. Lancaster during the refreshment hour.

Mrs. Tallman Hosts Current Book Club

Delightful entertainment was presented by Mrs. William Horton to members of Current Book Club on Monday evening, December seventh, when she reviewed John D. McDonald's suspense-filled novel, "The Executioners."

Mrs. E. B. Norton was hostess at her home, 2020 Arlington Boulevard, and one guest, Mrs. Ira Stagers, was present with club members to enjoy the program and the refreshment hour which followed.

Mrs. Nance Hosts To Current Events Club

Mrs. Charles Nance welcomed members of Current Events Club at her home, 1021 Jackson Road, on Thursday afternoon, December third, at half past three o'clock.

Mrs. E. B. Norton, president, presided during a brief business period when plans for the club's Christmas party were discussed.

For the program, the late Peter Marshall's "Let's Keep Christmas" was reviewed by Mrs. Fred Long. Mrs. Leo King presided at the tea during the refreshment hour.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Archer of Los Angeles, Calif., were recent guests of his brother, Jewell Archer, and Mrs. Archer, in Florence. They will also visit family members in Miami, Fla., before returning to California.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Norton were in Birmingham Friday for the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. R. W. Owen. Mrs. T. P. Smith of Marshall, Tex., visited briefly during the past week with her mother, Mrs. Phil King, and her sister, Mrs. Morton Southall, at the latter's home on East Tuscaloosa.

Mrs. J. B. Bailes left Monday for Atlanta where she will be a guest during the holiday season of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Malone, and Mr. Malone, at their home on Club Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Camper O'Neal and children of Birmingham were recent guests of his mother, Mrs. Edward O'Neal, 221 West Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Williams and William Williams have returned to their home in Jackson, Tenn., after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Thos. D. Cloyd on North Pine.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Smith and children were recent guests of family members in Kansas City and St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ingram and son, James, are vacationing in Key West, Fla., with Mrs. Ingram's brother, Frank Pearson, and Mrs. Pearson, of Chattanooga, Tenn. Harvey Sealy of Wyndott, Mich., has been a guest of his brother, Paul Sealy, and Mrs. Sealy, and was present with other family members for the 83rd birthday anniversary of their mother, Mrs. C. F. Sealy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hostettler of Nashville (the former Ann McKee of Florence) have announced the birth on November 24th of twin girls who have been named Katherine Lynn and Kathleen Louise. Mrs. Katherine B. McKee of Florence has been a guest of her daughter's family for several weeks.

Named In College '59-60 'Who's Who'

Joan Snell, Billy Biggs, Mars Hill Graduates Honored At Lipscomb

Joan Snell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snell of Mars Hill and Billy Biggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Biggs, of Sheffield and husband of Celva Chowning Biggs, 1956 graduates of Mars Hill Bible School, were recently elected among the 21 representatives of David Lipscomb College in Nashville selected for the 1959-60 edition of "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges."

Both Miss Snell and Mr. Biggs are graduating seniors at Lipscomb. Miss Snell, majoring in biology, is a member of the Lipscomb A Capella Chorus and has served as an assistant dormitory supervisor for the past two years. She was recently elected basketball

her family for several weeks. Here from Lansing, Ill., is Mrs. William Alderden, a guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Favnesi in Florence Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Frasier Smith and children of Birmingham were among the family members attending the Abernathy reunion held recently in the home of Mrs. Clyde Hillery, the former Carolyn Abernathy, of Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hickman and children, Scotty and Brad, have arrived from Ft. Bliss, Tex., where Mr. Hickman served a tour of duty with the U. S. Army, and are presently guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hickman on Tune Ave., and of Mrs. Hickman's grandmother, Mrs. Ernest Henley on North Poplar.

Mrs. William Milliken, her son, John Milliken and her mother, Mrs. Burgess Little, returned Sunday from Mobile where they attended the Friday afternoon wedding of Mrs. Milliken's nephew, Leslie Stuart, Jr., and Miss Joanne Spaulding. Mr. Milliken was a member of the bridal party.

homecoming queen. In her junior year she was awarded the Patrons Club award made to an exceptionally worthy junior and the McGuire Memorial Scholarship for outstanding student leadership.

Mr. Biggs is a business administration major. He has served two years as vice-president of Alpha Kappa Psi professional fraternity and is now editor of the Backlog, the college yearbook. He

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recently represented Lipscomb at the Associated Collegiate Press Convention in New York and was a delegate to the National Alpha Kappa Psi convention in Los Angeles.

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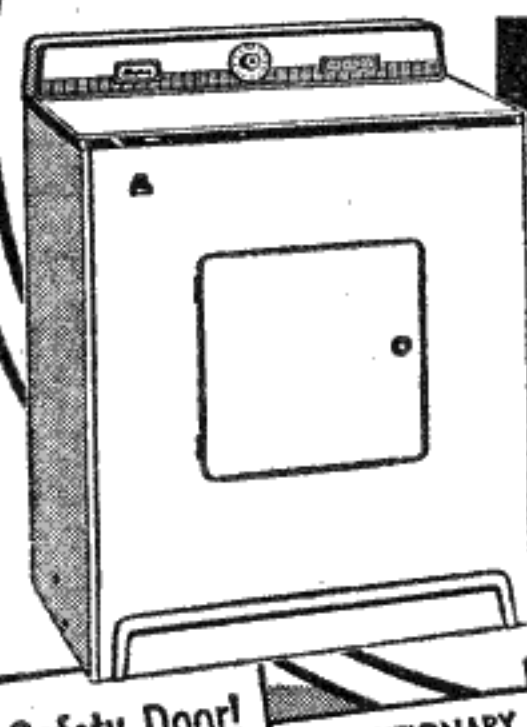
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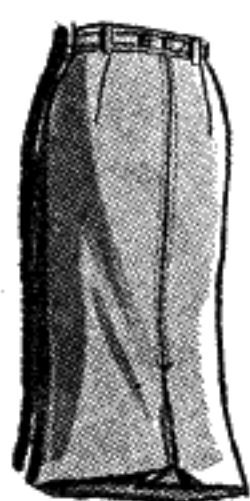
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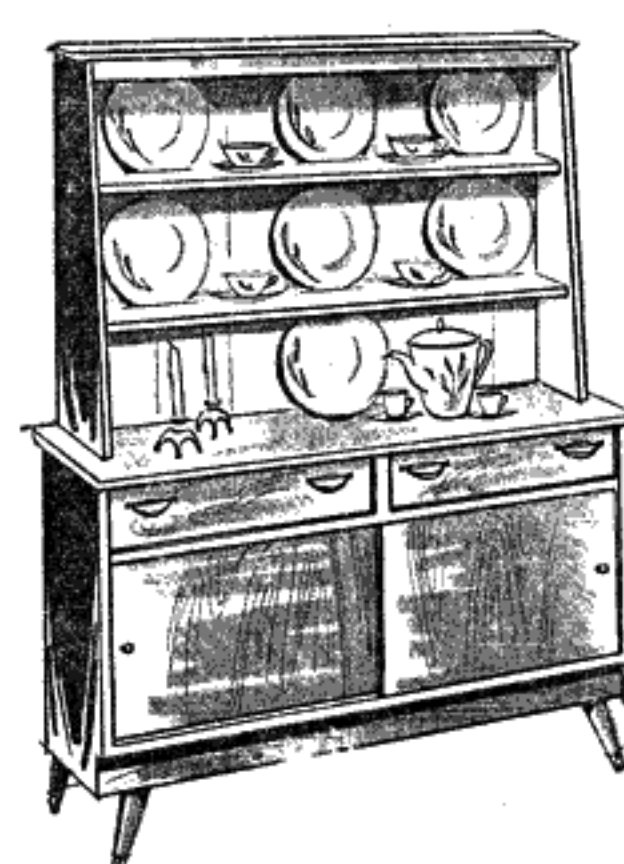
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FSC Choir Well Received Sunday

Chorale's Rendition Handel's Messiah Is Pleasing To Audience

By ELISABETH P. COOPER
Pres. Florence Music Study Club
A well-filled auditorium of music lovers felt fully repaid for having come to Coffee High School Sunday afternoon to listen to the twenty-seventh Christmas Concert of Florence State Choir. And what more fitting presentations could the choir have made in this year, two hundred years after the death of George Fredric Handel than that of his immortal oratorio "The Messiah?"

From the opening chords of the Overture through the many solos with their wide range of tempos to the majestic finale of the Hallelujah chorus Walter E. Urban displayed sensitive and artistic ability as an accompanist.

By the ease with which he sang the opening recitative and the following air Dale Morrison of Birmingham made it quite evident to the audience that he had much experience in singing the tenor solos.

The bass solos, sung by Roy L. Wood of Decatur, include intricate cadenzas and prestissimo passages and were so well performed as to show unusual control of his mellow bass.

Perhaps no part of the oratorio is better known or loved than that which includes the alto solos especially the air, "He Shall Feed His Flock Like a Shepherd." The natural beauty of these numbers was enhanced by the rich contralto of Eleanor Christen.

The choir under the direction of Ruby Porter gave a stirring presentation of the choruses in part one of the oratorio and concluded the concert with the glorious Hallelujah chorus from part two.

Mars Hill Paper Wins Third Place State Competition

The Flashlight, a Mars Hill student publication, won third place in State competition in its class last weekend at the Alabama High School Press Association convention, in Tuscaloosa.

Jan Snell served as editor of the publication for the 1958-59 school year, of which an issue from that year was exhibited. For the same year Susan Posey served as assistant editor with Marifred Hamm as business manager and Emilie Kennedy, advertising manager.

The Florence Herald takes pride in this honor as the Flashlight is printed at the Herald office.

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THE SPILLWAY



WE SING OF Christmas symphonies ...
Of gent and ladies fair ...
Words crowd on words when we glimpse these ...
Like SUAVE ... and DEBONAIR ...

BOYCOTTED BY THE BOYS
... That's what we'd be if we used the descriptive adjectives that ACTUALLY popped to mind when we got our first peep at some of the gents who accompanied the ladies to the Florence Dinner Club's soiree of last Friday (Just between "we" and thee ... BEAUTIFUL fits the bill) ...

TRULY A SYMPHONY of the season were Pat and (Colonel) Gil Levi ... Pat's holly green gown and Gil's red flannel dinner jacket and matching tie were a simply-perfect accompaniment for the old-fashioned reds and greens used by Edna Earle Smith and her co-decorators for the Florence Golf and Country Club event ... ALSO beautiful were Sarah Elizabeth and Bud Booream ... with the distaff side gowning in a sheath of white-lace-n-black-faille and Bud's conventional black complemented by a paleblue-pleated after-five shirt ... Charlie Cold-iron's maroon dinner jacket was a perfect foil for (his wife) Vivienne's gown of black ... and prominent among the "beauties" who wore red plaid cummerbunds and matching ties were Ed Colebeck and Bill Paxton ... A STAND-OUT couple ... anytime or anywhere ... were Betty Jean Mitchell in a sapphire blue ensemble (dress and shoes and party bag) and (her hubby) Doctor Lyman in sophisticated full-dress ...

"Twas a really memorable affair ... ALSO MEMORABLE was last Sunday afternoon at Hilda Shipper's (Lake Wilson) home ... when Sarah Goodman of Indianapolis, Ind., (Nat'l Chairman of the Women's Division of UJA) spoke to a sizable group on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal ... A recipient of the Honor Award of the Indianapolis Community Chest and named Indiana Woman of the Year in 1956 by a representative group ... along with an additional mile-long list of honors ... we were particularly thrilled to be in her lovely and stimulating presence ...

Founder and one-time director of the Civic Opera of St. Louis and (later) of Indianapolis ... her devotion to music is another of her many charms ... Hilda's guests lingered long and were loathe to leave ... A ROUND O' VISITIN' ... Martha and Jim Gilbert returned recently from a regular spree of trippin' here and there ... First ... 'twas down to Corpus Christi for a stay with "Little Lucile" and Erick Matthews and (their children) Barry and John ... Then ... to El Paso where they met Genevieve and Fannon Beauchamp (also on a family-visiting jaunt) ... Next ... a visit with Betty and Gus Ashcraft (Martha's brother) in their new Mexican border hacienda dubbed "Rancho

Gustavo" ... A brief few hours with one-time Florentine ... Bivings Brown ... (who's known as Barney Brown by his Little Rock, Ark., friends ... an surprise meetings with Louise Harris (Mac Irvine's cousin) ... Rita Flemming and Mary Louise Chamlee (Mary Doster's cousin) ... all in Dallas and the latter just returned there from a Florence visit ... A ROUNDER or nicer ROUND we'd be plum pushed to report ...

PLEASANT NEWS comes afar ... Rumors come that Mary (Southall) and Ben Hall will be leaving Pittsburgh soon to make their home in much-nearer-us North Carolina ... Ben is retiring from the busy world of busy-ness and we hope they'll find time for more frequent visits to Mary's old home town than in the past ... ALSO being chatted is the rumor that one of the biggest-and-best department stores in the South (located in a not-far-away city) will open a Florence store in the former Belk-Hudson location ...

IT'S MORE THAN rumor the (former Florentine) Sara (William) and (hubby) Ed Hamill departed Birmingham recently for a week in San Juan, Puerto Rico ... 'Twas a combined business and pleasure trip ... with business on the agenda for Ed and sunshine and sightseeing for Sara ... They flew both ways ... Returned last midweek with glowing reports ...

ALSO GLOWING REPORTS from Nell and Doctor) Henry Cheney ... who spent a recent long weekend with their North Carolina chillun ... Claire and Heinie and four-months-old Jeff ... and had a luncheon engagement with engaging (former F-L librarian) Evelyn Peeler ... all now making their homes in beautiful Raleigh ...

PLEASANT REMINISCING mingled with happy anticipation as beautifully engraved-in-gold invitations slid from their envelopes of a recent mornin' to bid friends of Anna and Louis Rosenbaum to their GOLDEN WEDDING celebration ... Highlighting the holiday social scene for a number of years has been the New Year's party tendered by Anna and Louis at their lovely abode on North Wood ... This year's event will take place at Florence Golf and Country Club and it'll be hosted by (their son) Stanley and (his lovely) Mildred ... Madam tips her Christmas bonnet ... and looks eagerly toward January third, 1960 ...

A PRE-CHRISTMAS PACKAGE distinctly marked for Onex and Bill Shelby ... arrived at ECM Hospital on Saturday, December fifth ... 'Tis with a great deal of pride and our heartiest congrats that we add the name of Richard McBryde Shelby (brother of three-year-old Edwin) to our list of recent additions ...

AND NOW ... CHEERIO and goodbye ... until more news comes through The Spillway ...

Film On Dead Sea Scrolls Will Be Shown At Temple

Temple B'nai Israel of the Tri-Cities Jewish Congregation is offering to the public of the Tennessee Valley a special showing of a film on the Dead Sea Scrolls this Friday night, Dec. 11 at 8 p.m. at the Temple.

The story of the Dead Sea Scrolls has been the subject of much research since these 2000-year-old documents were found about 12 years ago by an Arab shepherd boy in a cave on the banks of the Jordan River.

The Scrolls are now accepted to have been written by an Essene type of religious sect active in the Holy Land about the time of the founding of Christianity. The film will depict the adventures surrounding the original finding of the contents of the Scrolls and will point up some of the importance of the Scrolls literature for both the Jewish and Christian faiths.

Following the showing of the motion picture, which is being loaned to the Temple by the Armstrong Rubber Company after its showing on TV networks, a period of questions and answers will be conducted by Dr. J. S. Gallinger, Rabbi of the Temple.

All those interested are invited to come. There will be no admission charge.

County Unit Goes 'Over The Top' In Current UF Drive

Continued effort on the part of the County Division of the Lauderdale County United Fund placed this unit "Over the Top," and the second canvassing group to make their goal. The Negro Division was the first to meet their quota. The Residential Division is running a close third.

Messrs Tommy Schuessler and Wesley Patton, Jr., Campaign Co-Chairman, urge all workers with unfinished work to make a sincere effort to complete their reports without delay.

Schuessler and Patton are planning an intensive "Clean-up" effort for the next two weeks to officially close the 1959-60 appeal before Christmas. Those who have been missed in canvass can do well to include the Lauderdale County United Fund in their Christmas gift slip and help to make possible the many services provided by the participating agencies.

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News Of LUTTS

By Mrs. Verta Weeks

Personals:

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Franks and sons returned to their home here last Sunday after spending the holidays in Louisiana with her parents.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weeks and Mrs. Icie Balentine Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Etheridge Tilley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Hoggard Petty and children.

George Reeves spent part of last week in Florence with relatives. Mrs. Icie Balentine has returned

to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bill Weeks, after spending a week at Cloverdale with her children.

Mrs. L. G. Montgomery and little granddaughter Melba Montgomery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Montgomery.

Gaynes Rich who is with the Farm Census Bureau was through this community one day last week.

Glenn Weeks spent the weekend at Cloverdale with Revis and Brenda Tilley.

Bro. Daniel Smith filled his regular appointment at Balentine Church Sunday afternoon with several present.

Bro. Freddie Franks will be at Balentine Church next Sunday afternoon for his regular appointment. Everyone is invited.

Cotton can stand high heat.

News Of NEBO

By ADA HANEY

Rev. Neal Morris filled the pulpit at Nebo Sunday morning using for his subject "Good News."

The Church Fellowship meets Friday night, Dec. 11th. Supper will be served in the basement at 6:00 p.m. The guest speaker is to be Rev. Myers of the Rogersville C. P. Church.

Miss Marie Balch has been visiting her brother, Lendon Balch and family in Memphis, Tenn.

Visitors of Mrs. Anna Howard and Mrs. Lena Mason Thursday afternoon were Rev. and Mrs. Neal Morris and Laura, Mrs. Lila Baugh, Mrs. Betty Hunt and Mrs. Ada Hanev.

Mr. Groves Putman is on the sick list.

Mrs. Anna Howard is improving from a recent illness.

Visiting Mrs. Idell Comer and family Saturday was her brother Charles Ray just home from Germany. Also here were her father and another brother.

Mrs. Oletha Liverette and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hunt.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Huston Howard Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. William Howard and children of Sheffield, and Mr. and Mrs. Chick Ritter and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston White visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hunt Saturday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. McCoy Garner (Jettie Mearl Bergin) last week was a baby boy.

Mrs. Fay Jones was honored with a shower in the basement of Nebo Church Tuesday night. After the gifts were opened, refreshments were served by Mrs. Bonnie Narton, Ann McGee, Ester Putman, Irene Thornton, and Nita Putman.

POWELL SCHOOL SPONSORS BOX SUPPER

This Saturday night, Dec. 12, 6:30 p.m., Powell School is sponsoring a Box Supper at the school. At this time there will be a cake walk and prizes will be given away during the evening to holders of lucky tickets. Doughnuts and coffee will also be served. Everyone is invited.

County Cattlemen Hear Florence Banker Talk

Ed Smoot Speaks On Problems Of South, Past, Present, Future

Between 200 and 250 persons, including members of the Lauderdale County Cattlemen's Association, their wives and invited guests, attended a meeting Thursday night, Dec. 3, at the Florence, Lauderdale American Legion Post.

New directors elected at this meeting included A. P. Trousdale, J. R. Rex Robinson and W. H. Alexander, who will serve for the next three years with six other directors.

W. H. Whitten, president of the county's Cattlemen's Association, reported that membership had grown from 21 in 1957 to 126 in the current year. He urged members to continue efforts to build the Association and to work toward a goal of 211 members.

Various activities sponsored or attended by the group this year were attendance at the annual State Association meeting, visits to Bell Mina and Winfield substations, sponsorship of the 4-H and FFA fat calf show and the sending of winners to Birmingham, the erection of "enjoy beef" signs and three sales which the association sponsored for their own benefits.

Ed Smoot of the First National Bank of Florence was the main speaker of the evening, the subject of his speech being, "The South: Some Progress, Some Problems."

After reviewing the struggles of the South prior, during, and after the Civil War when its economy was a cotton and tobacco economy, Mr. Smoot pointed to the gradual change in the area for the better. He spoke of the new confidence and faith that was born with the first Roosevelt administration and the creation of the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Mr. Smoot quoted figures to show the monetary progress of the South since 1935 particularly as it related to livestock income. However, he pointed out the need for more capital "to carry out industrial construction and other

projects."

"The problem of industrial development is a continuing one," he said.

"The agricultural picture presents us with one of our most pressing problems. We have seen marvelous progress in diversification on our farms during the past two decades and from one crop farming we have moved to a position where diversification to some degree is present on every farm small and large."

"During the past two years, our people on the farms of the South have been faced with an intense cost-price squeeze. Increased amounts of fertilizer, seed, and insecticides at higher cost of labor and of interest of borrowed funds and of taxes paid have combined to narrow the net return to farmers. It appears from available sources and statistics that this cost price differential will remain just as severe through 1960."

"The bloom will be off cattle prices in 1960," is the official Agricultural Department estimate. This is also the general opinion of many other reliable sources of information. A sharp break is not considered likely, but rather a general decline is expected beginning in middle 1960, and continuing into 1961. This is a time for "warning" and caution for beef cattle producers, Mr. Smoot cautioned, adding, "We must meet those problems facing Southern agriculture 'head-on.' Through improved management and marketing techniques and education, we must meet and reduce this prevailing cost-price squeeze." By further and more widespread mechanization we must meet the challenge of labor scarcity and labor costs.

"It is imperative that the commercial banks of the South and the farm machinery manufacturers through sources of capital available to them fulfill their obligation to our farmers, and meet the need and provide the necessary funds for legitimate borrowers to carry out a program of mechanization on our farms."

Speaking of education, Mr. Smoot said, "Quality of education is an intangible concept which cannot be precisely measured. Nevertheless, differences in average expenditures and particularly differences in teachers salaries raise some questions that should not be ignored. The major questions are whether states in which teachers salaries are substantially lower than the national average can retain and attract instructors of caliber essential to an educational system of high quality. Only two of our Southern states today, Florida and Louisiana, equal or exceed the national average in this respect."

"We read today much concerning our youth and juvenile delinquency. But, when I look around me and see these boys and girls, our young men and young women of our city and our country, I say to myself, it is not true. I think they're fine. For many years the youth of the South was forced to leave and find employment outside our own region."

Not until recent years, as industry has moved Southward, have we been able to retain a much greater number of our young people in our area. But let us not be satisfied with this. Let us not turn our backs and stick our heads in the sand when told the needs of education. We must provide not only a superior elementary and high school education, but college and higher level education of the finest. Our youth must have not only the opportunity for a job, but the opportunity for management and leadership. Our greatest strength lies in the future."

"We have progressed. We have our problems. But the people of the South will face these problems with courage, initiative and wisdom. Ours is a region which is particularly blessed. Under God the future is the South's, our's, yours, and mine, our children's. I ask you tonight. What will we do with it?"

County Agent L. T. Wagon, in an effort to boost the Soil-Testing program now in progress, told the cattlemen, "If we don't do soil-testing in Lauderdale this year we are by-passing one of the most important things I know anything about."

Wagon advised that "We now have \$600 in the bank to give the first 600 farmers free soil samples and mailing."

News Of WATERLOO

By Mrs. S. E. Cherry

Worship services will be held Sunday at the Baptist Church and the Church of Christ.

Sunday school at the Methodist Church will be at 10:00 o'clock. Waterloo P.T.A. met Monday night, December 7, in the school auditorium with the president, Jack Reynolds, presiding. A period of devotion was led by W. B. Hagood after which group singing was led by Miss Sylvia Beckman. An interesting program commemorating Alabama's 104th birthday was presented by Mrs. Annie Mae Bevis' fourth grade. Mrs. Bevis' room also won the room count. Refreshments were served in the library.

Mrs. Maude White has recovered sufficiently to be removed from Colbert County Hospital and is convalescing at the home of her son, Herschel White, in Florence. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newman are the proud parents of a baby boy,

born December 1st in Tuscaloosa,

Mrs. Jessie Richardson has been removed from ECM Hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dumont Moore, in Florence.

Mrs. Carl Lacher has been confined to her home due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ward and children visited relatives in Ar-

kansas recently.

Mrs. Jennie Culver returned to her home from ECM Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cherry and children spent Sunday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Hall in Sheffield.

Friends will regret to learn that

Mrs. Hester Hairrell is quite ill at ECM Hospital.

To mark the passing of her fifteenth birthday anniversary, La Rose Branham entertained a group of her friends at a birthday party last Saturday night, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Richardson.



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News Of Central Heights

By Mrs. Andrew Thrasher

Church:

December 14, Monday night, at 7 o'clock the Pleasant Hill Woman's Society of Christian Service will have the December program meeting. All members are urged to be there.

Student Recognition Day will be observed at Pleasant Hill Sunday morning. A banquet will be given honoring the college students Sunday night sponsored by Mrs. Andrew Thrasher, student secretary, and the mothers of the honorees. The banquet will begin

at 7 o'clock p.m. in the church dining hall.

Next Saturday evening the Central Heights Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. Marvin Mitchell for a program meeting followed by a dinner at the social period.

Wedding:

A wedding of interest was that of Miss Willa Jean Jones and Ronnie McIntyre which took place Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the Pleasant Hill Methodist Church. The vows were read by Rev. Arthur Finch. Both are graduates of Central High School.

Birthdays:
Mrs. W. B. (Ada) Broadfoot who has been a resident of Central Heights until recently celebrated here 85th birthday Sunday in the dining hall of the Central Heights Methodist Church. About one hun-

dred were present, including her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren, and other relatives and friends to enjoy a covered dish luncheon. Her children and families were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daniels, Owen Broadfoot, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Haddock, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Broadfoot, Marvin Bratchers, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Rhodes, W. B., Lee S. and Robert Broadfoot families, Miss Christine Broadfoot, and Mrs. Pearl Fulmer, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Out of town relatives were Miss Estelle Phillips a grand daughter, from Montgomery, B. S. Simmons a brother and his wife from Blytheville, Arkansas, Mrs. Eula Webb, a sister from Birmingham, and Mrs. Ben White of Florence. Other friends and relatives of Mrs. Broadfoot were Mrs. Ella

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 - 5 Taste
 - 6 Nothing
 - 7 Chill
 - 8 Stomach of an ox
 - 9 Fruit drink
 - 10 Nova Scotia (ab.)
 - 11 Good (prefix)
 - 12 Plants
 - 13 Fish
 - 14 Negative word
 - 15 Cheesiest town
 - 16 Egg (comb. form)
 - 17 Unit
 - 18 Aid
 - 19 Males of these animals are called
 - 20 Boy's nickname
 - 21 Pronoun
 - 22 Tear
 - 23 This breed originated in
 - 24 French shield
 - 25 Playing card
 - 26 Diadem
 - 27 Operate
 - 28 Stamp
 - 29 Tell
 - 30 Bend
 - 31 Feels
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 - 2 Norse explorer
 - 3 Mature
 - 4 Exists
 - 5 Cozy home
 - 6 Excess
 - 7 Painful
 - 8 Exclamation
 - 9 Heating device
 - 10 Omits
 - 11 Father of Achilles
 - 12 Acme
 - 13 Mixed type
 - 14 It produces
 - 15 Halcyon
 - 16 Halt
 - 17 Stain
 - 18 Aboriginal Japanese
 - 19 Gourmet
 - 20 Annoy
 - 21 Evoke
 - 22 Dwarf
 - 23 Spanish town
 - 24 Pace
 - 25 Cavity
 - 26 Rough lava
 - 27 Eye part
 - 28 Title
 - 29 Ages
 - 30 Denial
 - 31 Promissory note (ab.)

Here's the Answer



News Of ROGERSVILLE

By Mrs. Oswald Waddell

Phone 2681

Haddock, J. T. Darby, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Broadfoot, Mrs. Fronie Lovelace, Clyde Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morgan, Rev. and Mrs. Claxton Henson and Mrs. Lillie Broadfoot, daughter-in-law.

Mrs. Broadfoot was showered with many lovely gifts.

Personals:

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aycock of Russellville and son, Gene, student of Florence State College, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jordan and daughter have returned home from a recent visit with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitchell and children of Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Patterson have gone to Florida to spend a month or two.

Miss Betty Louis Haddock of the Caraway Nursing School in Birmingham was home for the week end visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haddock.

Floyd Jordan left Monday for Memphis, Tenn. to be with his sister Mrs. Ray McCorkle of Cloverdale who underwent surgery at the Baptist Hospital there.

The Emmett Youngs and West Flints had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wiley Sunday.

Dinner guests of the Cecil Murphys Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Hunt and daughter.

C. O. Haddock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Haddock, is a patient

Bride-elect Honored:

Friends of Miss Patricia Bedingfield, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bedingfield, whose marriage to Jerry Wayne Burroughs of Athens is an event of December 24, was complimented with a gift-tea on Thursday evening in the social hall of the Methodist Church.

Arrangements of flowers were used in the hall and the refreshment table was overlaid with lace with a low arrangement in the center.

Patricia wore a charcoal wool which featured a jacket, and received the guests with her mother and Mrs. Raymond Burroughs, Sr., of Athens.

At the refreshment table were Misses Judy Dollar, Marie Hunton Sandra Vickers, Mrs. Wilson Robertson kept the guest register.

Those from out of town were Mrs. Raymond Burroughs, Sr., Athens, Mrs. Raymond Burroughs, Jr., Sheffield and her sister, Mrs. Joe Hazel Dailey also of Athens. Mrs. William Lee Smith spent

at Colbert Hospital with injuries received in an automobile accident Saturday night.

Legal Notice

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE
THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Lauderdale County

Jimmie Nell Woods Murphy
vs.
Clarence Wiley Murphy

In the Law and Equity Court
In Equity AT FLORENCE

In this cause it is made to appear to the Ex-Officio Register, by the affidavit of Marvin Wilson Solicitor Complainant that the Respondent, Clarence Wiley Murphy, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his place of residence is unknown, and that it cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, and further, that in the belief of said affiant, the respondent is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Ex-Officio Register that publication be made in the Florence Herald, a newspaper published in Florence, Alabama once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring the said Clarence Wiley Murphy to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 12th day of January, 1960 or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Florence, Alabama, this 8th day of December, 1959.

Elbert L. Daly
Ex-Officio, Register
Dec. 10, 17, 24, 31

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE
THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Lauderdale County

A. Z. Quarles
vs.
William R. Quarles

In the Law and Equity Court
In Equity AT FLORENCE

In this cause it is made to appear to the Ex-Officio Register, by the affidavit of Harold T. Pounders Solicitor for Complainant, that the respondent, William R. Quarles, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his place of residence is unknown, and that it cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort, and further, that in the belief of said affiant, the respondent is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Ex-Officio Register that publication be made in the Florence Herald, a newspaper published in Florence, Alabama once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring the said William R. Quarles to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 12th day of January, 1960 or, in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Florence, Alabama, this 4th day of December, 1959.

Elbert L. Daly
Ex-Officio, Register
Dec. 10, 17, 24, 31

the Thanksgiving holidays in Mobile and when she returned she brought with her her aunt, Miss Sarah McClellan, for a visit in the E. L. Keller home. Other guests in the Keller home were Mrs. Thomas McClellan of Monrovia, Mrs. Thomas McClellan, Jr., of Huntsville and Mrs. Vivian Minton of Florence.

Mrs. J. M. Rithmire and Mrs. Roll Grisham were in Pulaski on Wednesday for the birthday of their brother, Charlie Poss.

Miss Elizabeth DeBusk of Memphis was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeBusk, over the week end.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Myers for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fite and William Lee Fite of Wingo, Ky.

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The Holiday House, which will be sponsored by the Rogersville Garden Club, will be at the home of Mrs. Essie Goad and will be open Dec. 12 and 13 from 3:00 p.m. until late in the evening both dates. The public is cordially invited.

The Alumni Association plans to have its annual dance at the high school on December 19 at 8:00 in the evening. The "Upsetters" will play.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smallwood and family of Tusculumbia and Mrs. Lilly Creel and Florence Grisham of Wheeler Dam were guests on Saturday in the Bryan Dean home.

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VEGETABLE CROP SMALLER THIS YEAR

A smaller amount of fall vegetables is expected on the market this year.

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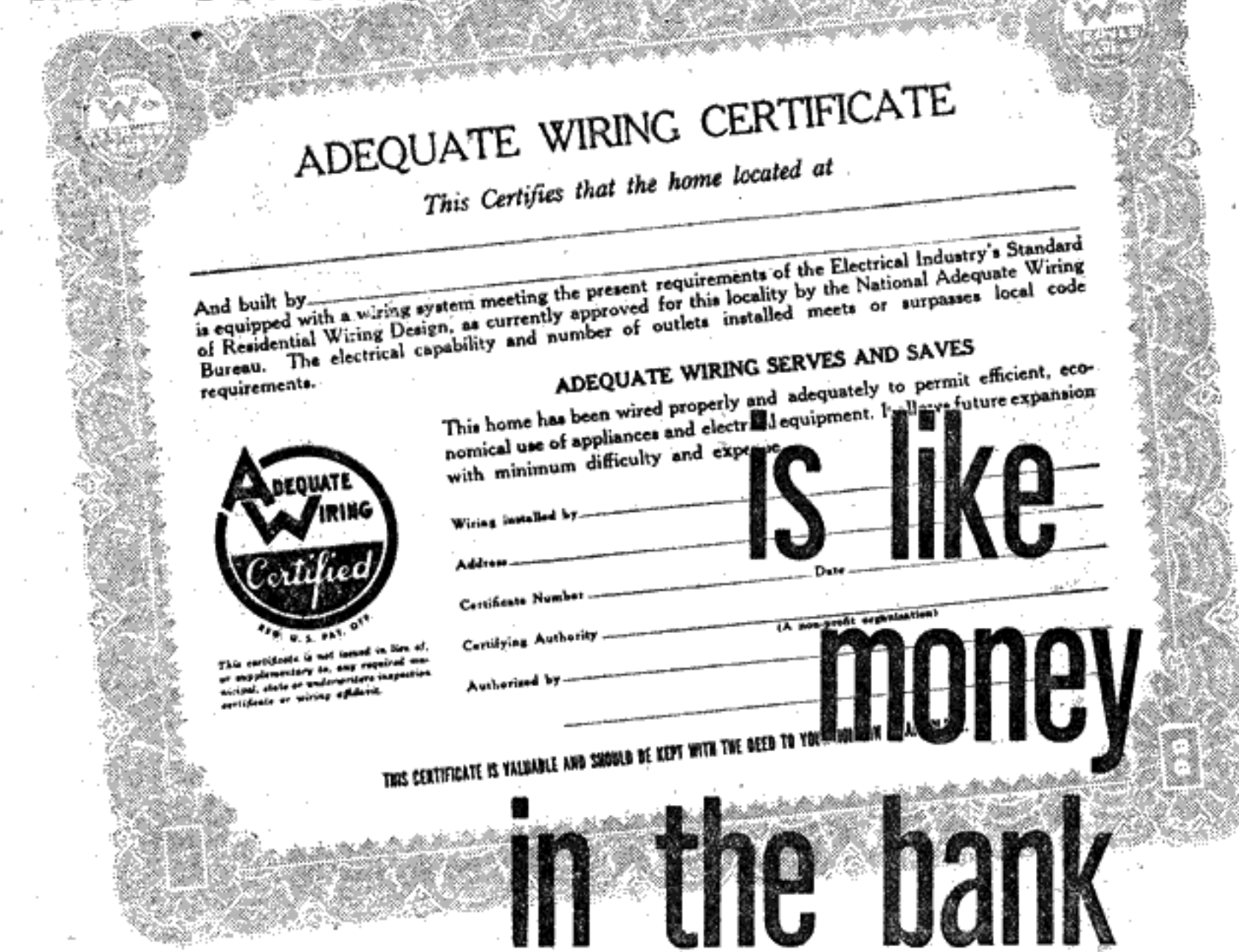
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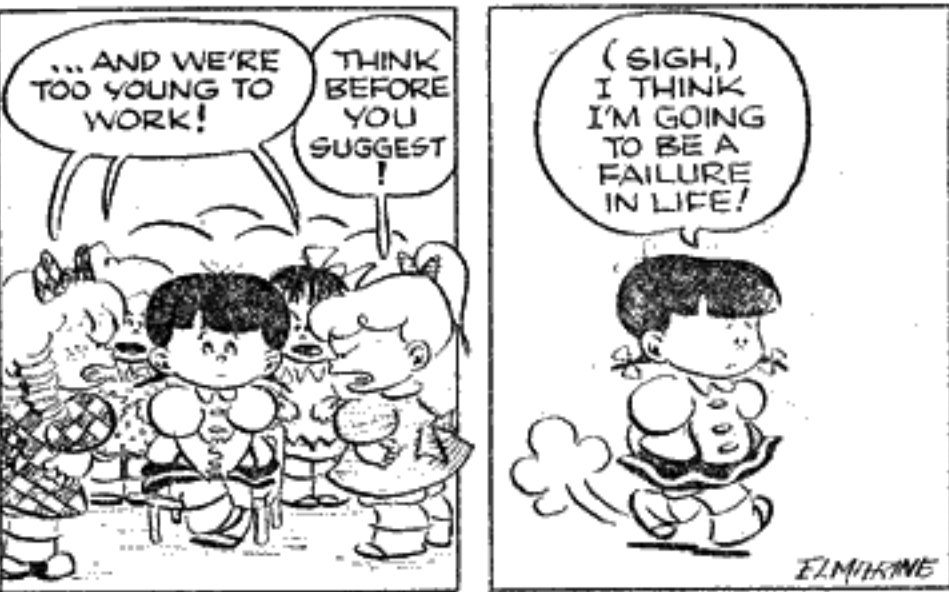
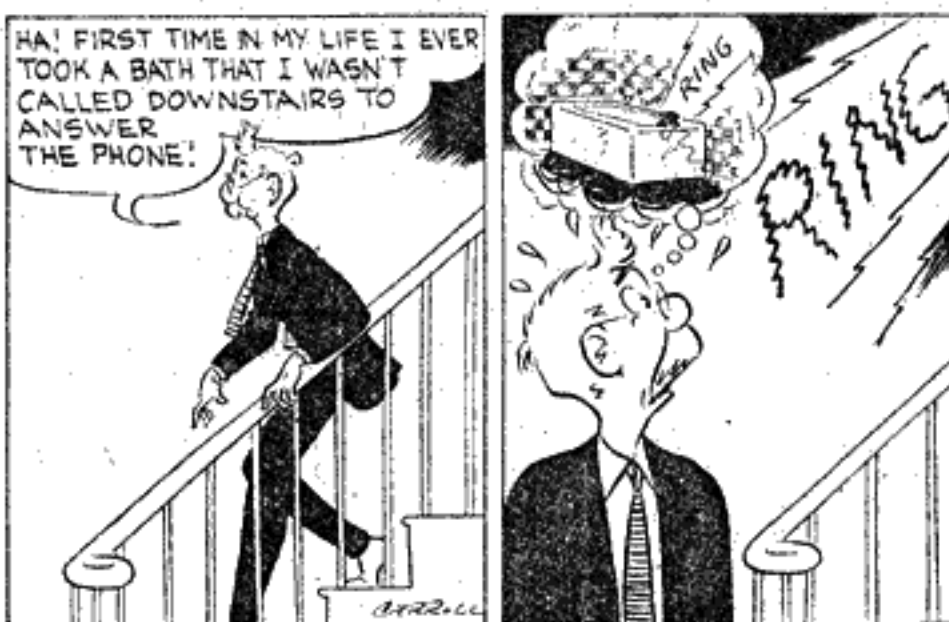
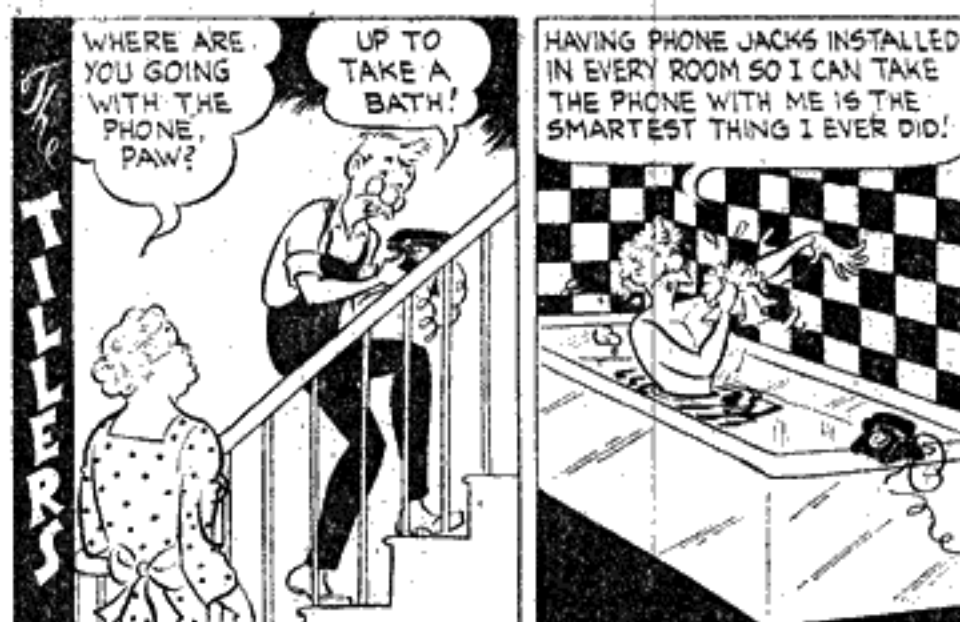
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A Christmas program is being planned by the Baptist Church for Sunday night, Dec. 20.

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COMPLETES TRAINING

PARRIS ISLAND, S. C.—Marine Pvt. Jesse D. Childers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse C. Childers of Route 1, Lexington, completed recruit training Nov. 9 at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. C.

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News Of ANDERSON

By Myrtle McGraw

Mrs. Carl Fincher was confined to the ECM Hospital part of last week and was taken to Nashville, Tenn. Monday for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicodemus Weldon have purchased the home belonging to Mrs. Ludie Putman and now occupied by the Ray Cobb family. Mr. and Mrs. James Dollar and children have returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nesmith.

Roy Tucker of Live Oak, California flew home last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Tucker and his brother Wallace who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Putman motored to Cleveland, Ohio last week to bring their daughter, Mrs. Shirley Higginbotham home with them for a visit.

J. B. Berryhill was in Montgomery last week on business. Funeral services were conducted for Ivan H. Burgess at the Bethel Baptist Church by the pastor Rev. W. V. McDougal Saturday afternoon. Ivan had been in ill health for some time and had been a patient in the Veterans Hospital in Birmingham at different times, but at the time of his death he was at his home. He was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church, a veteran of World War II, a farmer and a very highly respected and loved citizen of the community in which he had lived all his life. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elsie Bailey Burgess, his father John F. Burgess, one sister, Mrs. Margie Faulkenberry and one brother Noel Burgess of Long Beach, California. Burial was in the Mitchell Cemetery. The sincere sympathy of this community goes out to this family.

The Anderson Home Demonstration Club realized a nice sum from their play which they presented in the Anderson Junior High School auditorium Friday night. The proceeds of this play will be given to the school and used to buy a pottery kiln which may be used by anyone in the community who is interested in ceramic pottery making.

The Anderson Lions club will sponsor a supper to be held in the school lunch room Friday night at which time the Jolly Five quartet will entertain. There will be no charges for this supper but a free will offering will be taken. The public is invited to attend this event. Serving will begin at 6:30.

Mrs. Lura Nesmith continues very ill at the hospital in Lester.

One hundred fifty-eight attended Sunday school at the Anderson Baptist Church Sunday and others

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| Day | Book | Chapter | Verses |
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| Sunday | Matthew | 7 | 24-29 |
| Monday | Psalm | 80 | 1-2 |
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Farm Review and Forecast



Sausage Can Be Delicious Food

Proper Preparation Of Meat Counts In Taste As Well As Economy

By SARA FRANCES CONNER
Home Demonstration Agent

As winter approaches many families will slaughter hogs for a good meat supply in the months ahead and sausage may be one of the most desirable and appetizing of

all pork products. Desirable sausage can be made only from sound, high quality materials and the fresh trimmings should be about 1/3 fat and 2/3 lean. If more fat is included, the sausage may be too rich and have a large cooking loss. Less fat will make the cooked patties rather hard and dry and difficult to brown.

In trying a sausage recipe it can be "taste tested" by taking a small quantity, tasting, then adjusting the recipe to the family's preference. A recipe for a 4 pound quantity is 4 pounds, trimmings, five teaspoons salt, 4 teaspoons ground sage, 2 teaspoons ground pepper, 1/2 teaspoon cloves or 1 teaspoon ground nutmeg if desired, 1 teaspoon sugar.

For 100 pounds of trimmings the proportions would be 1 1/2 pounds salt, 2 to 4 ounces ground sage, 2 to 4 ounces black pepper, 1/2 to 1 ounce red pepper (if desired) 1/2 to 1 ounce ground cloves or 1 ounce nutmeg if desired and 12 ounces

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- 2—Closest to the sun.
- 3—Its rings are 35,000 miles wide, 10 miles thick.
- 4—Takes 248 years to orbit the sun; discovered in 1930.
- 5—Largest planet; temperature about 200 degrees below zero.
- 6—Vegetation is thought to exist.
- 7—Fourth largest; discovered as result of mathematical computation.
- 8—Sometimes called Herschel, after discoverer.
- 9—Satellite Titan belongs to it.
- 10—Closest to earth after moon.

Count 10 for each correct choice. A score of 0-20 is poor; 30-60, fair; 70-80, good; 90-100, excellent.

Decoded Intelligram

1—Neptune. 2—Mercury. 3—Saturn. 4—Jupiter. 5—Mars. 6—Venus. 7—Uranus. 8—Earth. 9—Mars. 10—Mars.

Farmers Benefit By Social Security

"Some farm operators completing their fifth year of social security coverage in 1959 have a new interest in the social security pro-

sugar. (Use sugar only if the sausage is to be used quickly.)

Thoroughly mix the seasoning, spread it over the trimmings, and grind the whole quantity through the fine plate. Some may prefer to grind the unseasoned meat through a plate with 1/2 inch holes and then mix it with the spices and regrind through a plate with 1/8 inch holes.

To make bulk sausage that will slice and fry without crumbling, add a scant half cup of cold water to each four pounds of ground, seasoned sausage and knead with the hands until the meat becomes sticky and doughlike.

Good sausage means good eating in the months ahead. This recipe for sausage is only one of many. Liver sausage, soups, and scrapple can also be made if the family likes the variety. Recipes for these are available at the Lauderdale County Extension Office.

gram," Mrs. Mary King Temple, Manager of the Sheffield District Office said today. They now meet the basic work requirements to be eligible for a disability freeze or disability benefits after age 50.

Mrs. Temple went on to say that there seems to be much misunderstanding about how incapacitated a worker must be to be considered disabled for social security purposes. She explained it in this way:

The Social Security Act definition of disability does not follow any formula used by other organizations or agencies. It looks for remaining capacity to work rather than severity of any specific impairment. The individual must be unable to work at any job which he could normally be expected to handle. In addition, the impairment must be one which has continued for some time and is expected to continue indefinitely. Also, it must be a disability that can be described by a doctor of medicine in terms of such severity as to show that the individual cannot work substantially at any job.

"This program is intended to be protection against loss of income due to complete inability to work for a long period of time," Mrs. Temple said.

Your nearest social security office can furnish further information. The Sheffield District Office is located at 204 Annapolis Avenue, Sheffield, Alabama.

New Pension Law Explained By VA

The new pension law effective next July 1, in no way changes the basic eligibility for a veteran seeking a pension, the Veterans Administration pointed out today.

The veteran still must be totally and permanently disabled from causes not traceable to his service, must have 90 days or more of honorable wartime service, and an income below prescribed limits. Neil R. Smart, Manager, VA regional office, Montgomery, explained today.

Extending the present income limits of \$1400 a year for a single veteran and \$2700 a year for a veteran with wife or child to \$1800 and \$3000, respectively, the new pension law attempts to relate the amount of pension to need.

Veterans with higher income will receive lower pension payments and those with smaller incomes will receive pensions when the law becomes effective.

But the basic eligibility requirements for veterans remain unchanged, Smart reiterated, in contrast to the requirements for veterans' widows and children.

Widows of World War II and Korean conflict veterans under the new law no longer will be required to show that the deceased veteran had a service connected disability. Like widows of World War I veterans, they will have to show only that the veteran had 90 days or more of honorable wartime service. Widows must also come within the income limitations.

Kitchen Needs Convenient Outlets

If you are lucky enough to be building a new home or even remodeling, don't forget the importance of electrical outlets.

"Rewiring is expensive," says Elizabeth Bryan, Auburn, Extension Specialist in home management, "so keep in mind both present and future outlet needs. An outlet is necessary wherever equipment is used—don't depend on extension cords."

Miss Bryan recommends an outlet for every four feet of work surface frontage with at least one outlet to serve each work surface. Also plan an outlet for the refrigerator, the planning center, and the dining table. In case you iron in the kitchen or use an electric roaster or fry pan, outlet is needed for this equipment.

According to the specialist, special purpose outlets are needed for the range, ventilating fan, dishwasher, dryer, and food waste disposal. And separate circuits should be provided for the freezer and air conditioner. Miss Bryan points out that your electric company probably has an advisor who can help with wiring system plans.

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Growers Vote Cotton Quotas

A farmer referendum on Tuesday, Dec. 15, will give cotton growers a chance to decide whether or not they want marketing quotas.

Extension Agronomist Jasper Jernigan explains that marketing quotas and penalties for excess cotton will be in effect for the 1960 crop if at least two-thirds of the growers vote yes in the referendum. Farmers will also have the same chance as they did in 1959 to choose between two allotment-and-price support programs—choices A and B.

The Auburn University specialist points out that choice A will provide for regular farm allotments and price supports at not less than 75 percent of parity. But choice B provides allotments 40 percent larger than the regular farm allotments and price supports at not less than 60 percent of parity.

However, there will be marketing quotas and no quota penalties in effect for the 1960 crop if more than one-third of the growers vote no, states Jernigan. Only choice A, or regular, allotments will be available. The level of price support will be determined not later than Jan. 31, 1960 if quotas are approved. Each farmer will be notified of the support available for his cotton under choice A and choice B.

Growers electing plan B must register at the county ASC office before Mar. 16, 1960.

Efficient Feeding Means Profit

Efficiency in converting feed into pork is especially important during low price periods.

Since feed is the most expensive item in market hog production, growers cannot afford low efficiency animals. Auburn Extension Hog Marketing Specialist Ray Cavender points out that the average hog producer probably uses about 450 pounds of feed to produce 100 pounds of pork. This figure includes the feed required for the breeding stock and for carrying pigs around 225 pounds before they are sold for slaughter.

According to Cavender, more efficient growers can produce 100 pounds of pork with 375 pounds of feed or even less. He warns that producers who use over 450 pounds of feed should seriously consider not breeding sows. With expected feed-grain prices, they will probably have trouble recovering from short-run costs of medicine, repairs, buying and selling, and other factors that add up in expense.

News Of Goodwin Town

By STELLA WHITE

The Y.W.A.'s will meet at the Mt. Pleasant Church Monday night, December 14th.

Mrs. Earlie Thigpen and Mrs. Bobby Butler and Belinda spent Thursday with Mrs. Buford Mayfield.

Mrs. Anavella Gray and Sandra spent Friday with Mrs. Mary Beavers and Gary.

Mrs. Tom Barnett, Mrs. Leona Thigpen and Mrs. Cleve Simpson spent Thursday with Mrs. Neal Higgs of Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Barnett, Patsy and Karen were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Heartie Beavers Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Goodwin of Killen visited Ronald White and mother a little while Saturday night.

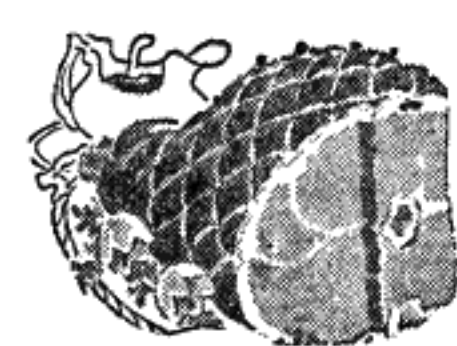
Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Thigpen spent Sunday afternoon, Nov. 29, with Mr. and Mrs. Willie McGee and Veta.

Mrs. Georgia Thigpen and Homer of Florence spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Barnett and Mrs. Veta Barnett of Florence, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Onus Thigpen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Grisley and daughter were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Simpson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Littrell, Ricky and Steve of Lawrenceburg and Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Beavers, Ronnie and Gary were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Barnett Sunday.



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Miss Shirley McGee and Miss Cheryl White spent Sunday with Misses Jerry Nell and Barbara Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parker, Carl Jr. and Donald visited Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Barnett a while Sunday afternoon.

A ham is the cut from the upper part of the hind leg of a pig or hog. The picnic ham is the shank end of the shoulder.

Since it is now planting time for trees and shrubs, here are a few helpful hints.

Auburn Extension Horticulturist Troy Keeble recommends peat moss, straw, lawn clipping, leaves, or cottonseed hulls as good mulch for new trees and shrubs. He also advises pruning back about one-third of the foliage at planting time. With less foliage to support, the roots can get a stronger foothold.



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STATE OF ALABAMA
LAUDERDALE COUNTY
IN THE PROBATE COURT
IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-

TATE OF THOMAS W. RHODES,
DECEASED:
This day came Adrain Rhodes,
Administrator of the estate of said
deceased, and files his account,
vouchers, evidence and statement
for final settlement of his admin-

istration.
It is Ordered that the 18 day of
December, 1959, be, and the same
hereby is, appointed as a day and
time on which to make such set-
tlement, at which time all persons
interested can appear and contest
the said settlement if they think
proper.
Witness my hand, this 27 day of
November, 1959.
Estes R. Flynt
Judge of Probate
Dec. 3, 10, 17

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
FEDERAL AID PROJECTS NO.
F-27 (3) & 144 (8)
LAUDERDALE CO., ALABAMA
Sealed bids will be received by
the State Highway Director at the
office of the State Highway De-
partment, Montgomery, Alabama,
until 10:00 o'clock A.M., Dec. 18,
1959, and at that time publicly
opened for constructing the Base
and Bituminous Pavement on U.S.
No. 72 on the Killen By-Pass.
Length - 3.420 miles.
The entire project shall be com-
pleted in eighty (80) working
days.
Proposal fee is \$5.00. Plans are
available for \$1.90. No refunds
will be made.
Certified check or bid bond for
5% (Maximum - \$10,000.00) of
bid made payable to the Alabama
State Highway Department must
accompany each bid as evidence
of good faith.
The minimum wage paid to all
skilled, intermediate and unskilled
labor employed on this contract
shall be as set forth in Special Pro-
visions.
The proposed work shall be per-
formed in conformity with the
rules and regulation for carrying
out the Federal Highway Act.
Plans and Specifications are on
file in the office of the State High-
way Department at Montgomery
4, Alabama.
In accordance with the rules and
regulations of the Alabama High-
way Department, proposals will be
issued only to prequalified con-
tractors or their authorized rep-
resentatives, upon requests that
are received before ten o'clock A.M.,
on the day previous to the day
of opening of bids.
The right to reject any or all
bids is reserved.
SAM ENGELHARDT,
Highway Director
Dec. 3-10-17

STATE OF ALABAMA
LAUDERDALE COUNTY
M. L. Gladwin and W. K. Zehner
d/b/a Stricklin Lumber Com-
pany, Plaintiffs,
vs.
Fred R. Higgins, Defendant
In the Circuit Court
By virtue of a fieri facias issued
out of the Clerk's Office of the
Circuit Court of Lauderdale County
and State of Alabama, and to
me directed, whereby I am com-
manded to make the amount of
a certain judgment, recently ob-
tained against Fred R. Higgins, out
of the goods, chattels and real es-
tate of the said like in Lauderdale
County, Alabama, to-wit:
28 acres in the Southwest 1/4 of
the Southeast 1/4 Section 23,
Township 2, Range 12, except 7
acres to Russell Chynoweth, ex-
cept 12 acres to James Lawrence,
except 3 acres to Alton P. Gob-
bel and except the road right
of way.
Therefore, according to said
command, I shall expose for sale,
at public auction, all the right,
title and interest of the above
named Fred R. Higgins in and to
the above described property on
Monday, the 14th day of December,
1959, during the legal hours of
sale, at the courthouse in Florence,
Alabama.
Dated at Florence, Ala., this
9th day of October, 1959.
Roy L. Call
Sheriff
Lauderdale Co., Alabama
Nov. 26; Dec. 3, 10

REGISTER'S SALE
The State of Alabama, Lau-
derdale County.
Circuit Court In Equity
STATE OF ALABAMA, ex rel,
W. L. Almon, Solicitor of the
11th Judicial Circuit, Complain-
ant.
vs.
Dalton Rhodes and one 1950 four-
door Chevrolet automobile, Mo-
tor No. HAA 579442, Defendant.
By virtue of a decree in the
above stated cause rendered on
the 20th day of November, 1959,
by the Circuit Court, in Equity,
to satisfy said decree, I will sell
to the highest and best bidder for
cash, at public sale, at the Court-
house door of said County, be-
tween the hours of 11 o'clock A.
M. and 4 o'clock P.M., said sale
beginning at 11 o'clock A.M.
ON MONDAY, THE 14th DAY
OF December, 1959, on the follow-
ing terms "CASH", the following
described property, viz.: One 1950
four-door Chevrolet Automobile,
Motor No. HAA579442.
This the 20th day of November,
1959.
Elbert L. Daly, Register.
Nov. 26; Dec. 3, 10

STATE OF ALABAMA
LAUDERDALE COUNTY
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT,
IN EQUITY
L. G. Augustin, et als d/b/a
Augustin Lumber Co. vs. Robert
Crosslin, et als, Case No. 4047, and
J. H. Haddock, et als, d/b/a Gray's
Concrete Products vs. Robert
Crosslin, Case No. 4026.
REGISTER'S SALE
By virtue of a decree in the
above stated causes rendered on
the 1st day of December, 1959, by
the Circuit Court, in Equity, to
satisfy said decree, I will sell to
the highest and best bidder for
cash, at the Courthouse door of
said County, between the hours of
11:00 A. M. and 4:00 P.M., said
sale beginning at 11:00 A.M.
ON MONDAY, THE 4TH DAY
OF JANUARY, 1960 on the follow-
ing terms "Cash" the following
described property, to-wit:
Part of the Southeast 1/4 of
Northwest 1/4, Section 26, Town-
ship 1, Range 12 West, described
as beginning 460.02 feet south
and 305 feet west of the North-
east corner of said Southeast 1/4
of the Northwest 1/4; thence West
194.62 feet to said parsonage lot;
thence South 28 degrees east 150
feet; thence East 125 feet; thence
North 127 feet to the point of
beginning.
This the 8th day of December,
1959.
Elbert L. Daly
Register of Circuit Court,
in Equity
Dec. 10, 17, 24

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE
THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Lauderdale County
Nellie Peck Green, Complainant
vs.
Huey Cecil Green, Respondent
In the Law and Equity Court
In Equity AT FLORENCE
In this cause it is made to appear
to the Ex-Officio Register, by the
affidavit of Nellie Peck Green that
the respondent, Huey Cecil Green,
is a non-resident of the State of
Alabama, and that his place of
residence is unknown, and that it
cannot be ascertained after rea-
sonable effort, and further, that
in the belief of said affiant, the
respondent, Huey Cecil Green is
over the age of twenty-one years.
It is therefore ordered by the
Ex-Officio Register that publica-
tion be made in the Florence
Herald, a newspaper published in
Florence, Alabama once a week
for four consecutive weeks, re-
quiring the said Huey Cecil Green
to plead, answer or demur to the
bill of complaint in this cause by
the 12th day of January, 1960 or,
in thirty days thereafter a decree
pro confesso may be taken against
him.
Done at office in Florence, Ala-
bama, this 8th day of December,
1959.
Elbert L. Daly
Ex-Officio, Register
Dec. 10, 17, 24, 31

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of D. M. Wright, deceased.
PROBATE COURT
Letters testamentary of said de-
ceased having been granted to the
undersigned on the 25th day of
November, 1959, by the Hon. Estes
R. Flynt Judge of the Probate
Court of Lauderdale County, no-
tice is hereby given that all per-
sons having claims against said
estate are hereby required to pre-
sent the same within time allowed
by law or the same will be barred.
Amy Jane Wright
Dec. 3, 10, 17
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REGISTER'S SALE
The State of Alabama, Lau-
derdale County.
Circuit Court In Equity
STATE OF ALABAMA, ex rel,
W. L. Almon, Solicitor of the
11th Judicial Circuit, Complain-
ant.
vs.
John Cliff Armstead, and one 1950
Mercury Automobile, Motor No.
50DH18706M, Defendant.
By virtue of a decree in the
above stated cause rendered on
the 20th day of November, 1959,
by the Circuit Court, in Equity,
to satisfy said decree, I will sell
to the highest and best bidder for
cash, at public sale, at the Court-
house door of said County, be-
tween the hours of 11 o'clock A.
M. and 4 o'clock P.M., said sale
beginning at 11 o'clock A.M.
ON MONDAY, THE 14th DAY
OF December, 1959, on the follow-
ing terms "CASH", the following
described property, viz.: One 1950
Mercury Automobile, Motor No.
50DH18706M.
This the 20th day of November,
1959.
Elbert L. Daly, Register.
Nov. 26; Dec. 3, 10

REGISTER'S SALE
The State of Alabama, Lau-
derdale County.
Circuit Court In Equity
STATE OF ALABAMA, ex rel,
W. L. Almon, Solicitor of the
11th Judicial Circuit, Complain-
ant.
vs.
Shelton Johnson, and one 1948
Pontiac Automobile, Motor No.
36 PB 4578, Defendant.
By virtue of a decree in the

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a national Technical Service Coun-
cil which has been formed to ex-
plore future trends in the fertilizer
industry.
Mr. Hignett will participate in
the inaugural meeting of the coun-
cil December 14 and 15 at the Sko-
kie, Illinois, headquarters of Inter-
national Minerals and Chemical
Corporation, sponsor of the council.
The council will consider trends
in the analysis of fertilizer, future
above stated cause rendered on
the 20th day of November, 1959,
by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to
satisfy said decree, I will sell to
the highest and best bidder for
cash, at public sale, at the Court-
house door of said County, be-
tween the hours of 11 o'clock A.
M. and 4 o'clock P.M., said sale
beginning at 11:00 A.M.
ON MONDAY, THE 14th DAY
OF December, 1959, on the follow-
ing terms "Cash", the following
described property, viz.: One 1948
Pontiac Automobile, Motor Num-
ber 36 PB 4578.
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Elbert L. Daly, Register.
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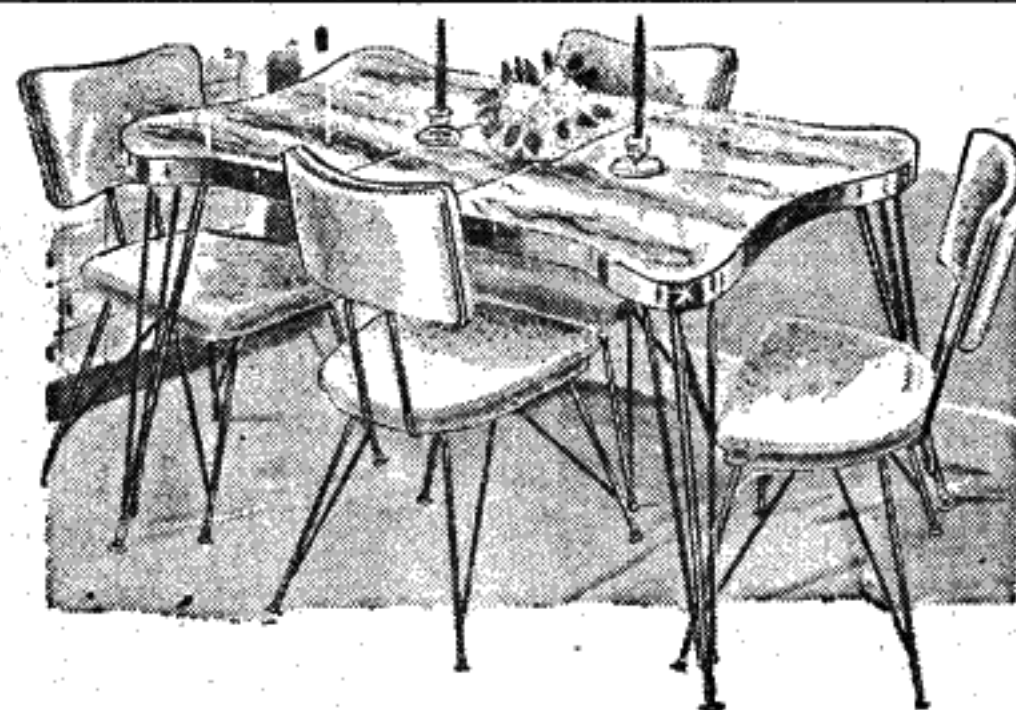
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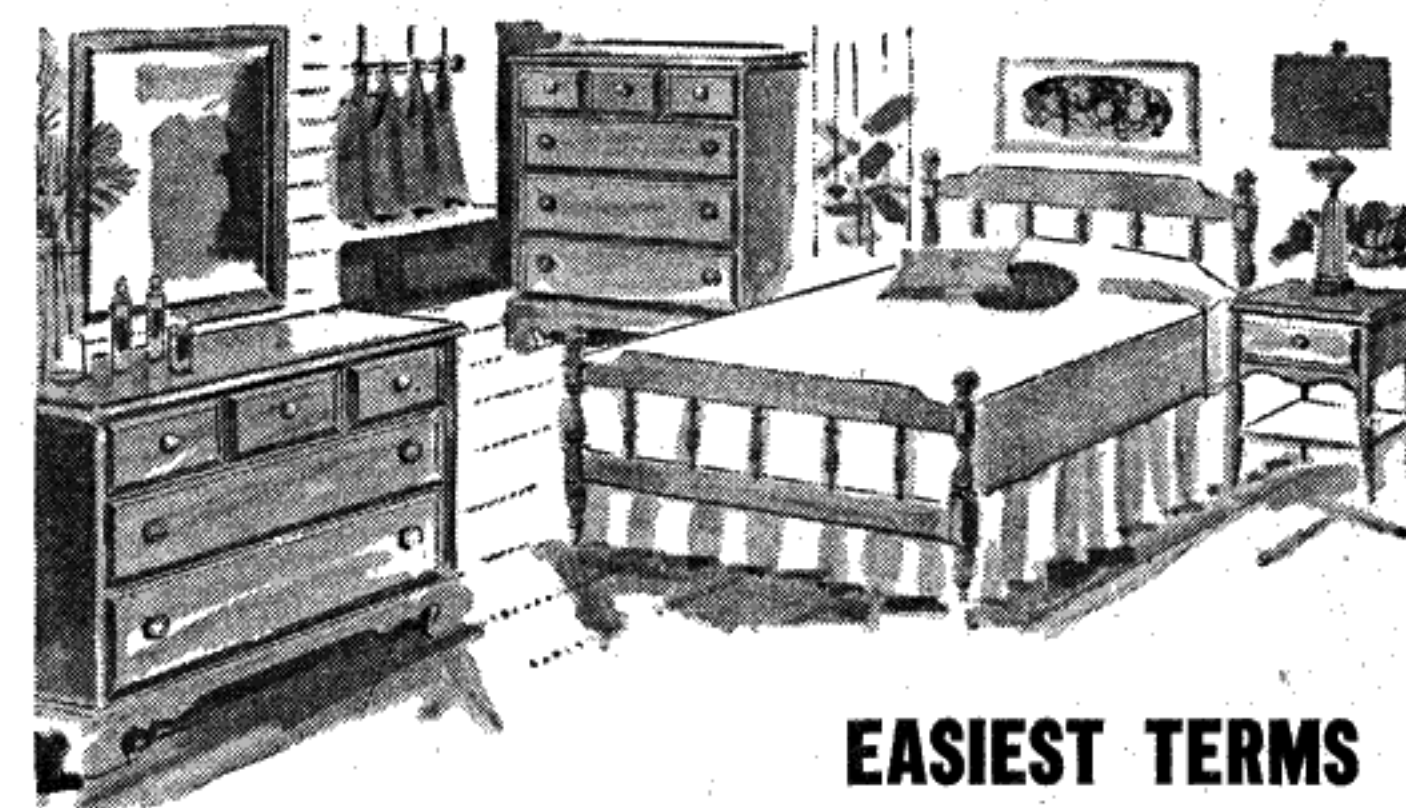
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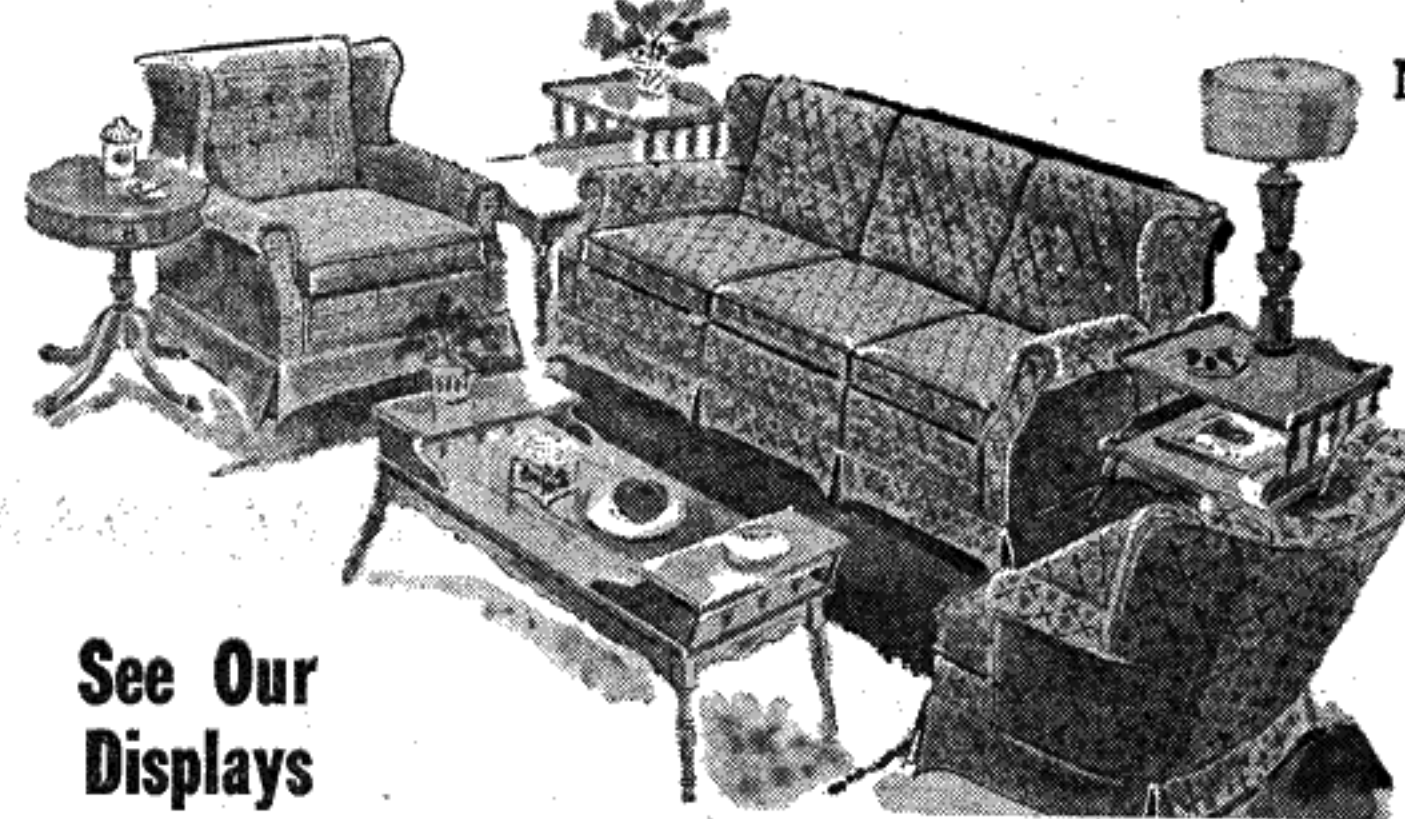
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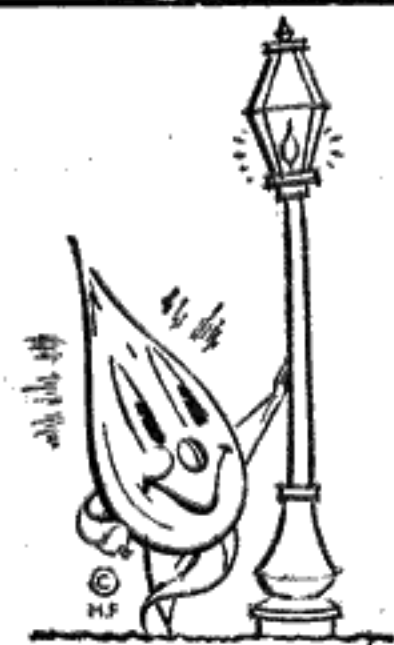
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