

Steel Output

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The WAA to the city. Most of these furnishing will be used in the 18 buildings, including nine barracks under agreement for lease by the West Virginia Training School of which the Intercession Bible School is a branch and of which C. A. Maddy is superintendent.
Other equipment will go to the Junior Officer building and two barracks that will house the New York Guards Reserve trainees, said Mr. Sawyer.
The transfer of equipment is all completed, he said, except for supplemental requests, including additional bunks and furnishings submitted to the CAA for approval.

Parking Meters

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Wallace Urged

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The P. C. A. is a consolidation of a number of liberal organizations including the National Citizens Political Action Committee and the Independent Citizens Committee for the Arts and Sciences.
The P. C. A. announcement added:
"Mr. Wallace has clearly shown the road to peace. Mr. Wallace has sharply outlined the measures essential to halt inflation and to make this a land of prosperity.
"Mr. Wallace has spoken up boldly for freedom in a time when our civil liberties are imperiled. Mr. Wallace has been and is the outstanding spokesman for the only economic and foreign policy program which will save us from war and depression.
The organization reiterated its position that the leadership of President Truman will lead to the disastrous defeat of the Democratic Party in 1948, and victory for the Republican Party, the main arm of reaction.
Wallace could not be reached for comment on the P. C. A. action although a spokesman said he doubted the former Vice President had heard of it. Wallace boarded a train for New York City immediately after the P. C. A. rally last night at Rochester, N. Y.

GOP Measure

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out scarce materials, would extend export controls and would continue transportation controls.
Barkley told reporters the Democrats do not consider these proposals sufficient to meet the cost of living problem, although some of the points were covered previously in the President's program. He said the Democratic group will meet later in the day to draft its amendments.
Republicans still faced the possibility that some of their own members would balk at efforts to speed the bill through the Senate.
Taft has said that unless it can be passed there today, there is little likelihood that the House, which declined to consider a somewhat similar measure, could act upon it before the scheduled Friday night adjournment of the special session of Congress.
Taft told reporters he will not object any "reasonable" amendment offered by the Democrats.
Barkley said the Democrats probably will propose that the President be given authority under the bill to initiate voluntary agreements on the part of industry.
"I have no objection to that, it was the intention under my bill that the President could take the lead in bringing about these agreements," Taft said.
The Senate House Economic Committee formally approved a report calling for early congressional action on the less controversial sections of Mr. Truman's cost of living program, with some modifications.
Chairman Taft told newsmen the report will be made public later in the day.
The Committee's preliminary report, made public earlier this week, endorsed the "general principle" of controlling consumer credit, called for "some restraint" on speculative trading in the commodity exchanges, and recommended extension of export and transportation controls.

Speculation

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The Senate Committee yesterday that Congress change the law and let him make public names of all traders, including members of Congress.
He said he had talked to President Truman about it and felt sure Mr. Truman would sign such legislation.
When Barkley introduced his legislation, Senator Tobey (R-NH) wanted to know whether it would authorize Anderson to make public the names of any members of Congress who might have engaged in speculation.

Florida State News In Brief

LAKE LAND Dec. 17 (AP)—Peninsular Florida will be frost-free through Saturday, the Federal-State Frost Warning Service predicted today in an advisory which said:
"Forecast for peninsular Florida for tonight and Thursday morning: Partly cloudy and cool all districts except a few scattered showers and mild lower east coast district. Forecast for Thursday: Partly cloudy and slightly warmer. A few scattered showers lower east coast district.
"Future temperature outlook: No frost danger through Saturday."

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TAMPA Dec. 17 (AP)—J. A. Gregory, 64, who introduced public reading in Tampa cigar factories, died last night. He suffered a stroke five days before, following the death of a son-in-law.
Gregory founded the Spanish language newspaper La Traducion in 1903 and served as Cuban consul here in 1934.
Funeral services were to be held today.

SARASOTA Dec. 17 (AP)—John Pinkerton, Air Force veteran and former University of Florida boxer, has been approved by the city commission as municipal judge.
The 31-year-old attorney succeeds John L. Early who has held the post for two years.

Mrs. Sara Hughes

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Burdall, Jr. was appointed by the president, Mrs. Joel Field, to study the problem. International suggested three projects: sending packages to CARE; furnishing books on nursing for use abroad, and the adoption of a refugee child. The committee will report at the next meeting.
Members of the Pilot Club, will have charge of the dime boards for the Salvation Army on Tuesday, Dec. 23.
A letter from Mrs. Laura Albrecht, international president, of Davenport, Iowa, revealed that the national convention will be held in Daytona Beach next summer, the date to be announced later. The spring council meeting of District Four will be held in St. Augustine on April 10-11.

MIAMI, Dec. 17 (AP)—Negotiations between National Airlines and National Airlines radio operators which were broken off yesterday, were resumed today.
C. A. Wrightman, Union Airways representative, said a 30-day strike notice filed Nov. 22 with the national mediation board had been withdrawn.
The operators are seeking union recognition.

TALLAHASSEE Dec. 17 (AP)—The state today gave the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company permission to serve its Davis subscribers from Fort Lauderdale instead of Hollywood.
Communication facilities to Davis were destroyed in the September hurricane and subscribers in the area petitioned for service from Fort Lauderdale rather than Hollywood when lines are restored.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 17 (AP)—A. S. Herlong, Jr., of Leesburg, Lake county judge, qualified as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the fifth Florida district to succeed Rep. Joe Hendricks of Deland, who has said he will not run.
Herlong is the first congressional race candidate to file his \$225 qualification fee with secretary of state R. A. Gray. All six Florida seats in the House of Representatives are subject to next year's elections.

MIAMI, Dec. 17 (AP)—An elderly Chicago couple who arrived here by train yesterday is being sought by their distraught daughter.
The Miami Missing Persons Bureau said that Louis Platt, 75, and his wife, Cherie, 72, (5316 Dorchester Ave.) arrived by train late yesterday afternoon. They were to have been met by the daughter, Miss Ethel Platt, of Miami Beach, but connections missed.

High School Concert

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Kivani pin wearers who turned the candy over to Salvation Army Captain Byrd Hudson. Howard Monthie led in singing with Dr. H. H. McCallin accompanying.
Visitors introduced by Joel Field, included C. S. Jackson of Tampa, A. L. Heath, O. Ekstein, and H. H. Pattishall. Stanley Bramley of the Key Club was introduced by J. B. Root. Harold Kastner announced plans for the Kivani dance at the Mayfair Inn.
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Distillers Reject Grain Saving Plan

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The liquor industry, split wide open, sought agreement within itself and with the government today on a six-month grain conservation program.
At least three plans were up for debate at a meeting of distillers with Secretary of Agriculture Anderson (10 A. M. EST).
One Agriculture Department spokesman reported gloomily that the rift was so great it might "wreck the whole plan" for voluntary savings after the current liquor-making holiday ends on Christmas day.
The Cabinet Food Committee, headed by Anderson, has proposed plan No. 1—A 50 percent cut in normal grain usage. This would hold consumption to 2,500,000 bushels monthly, under plan quotas based on each distiller's capacity and past usage.

Building Falls

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The building's interior containing a dozen apartments fell with a roar shortly before midnight, plummeting timbers, plaster and room furnishings into the basement.
The walls remained standing.
Eight persons were quickly taken from the wreckage and three others followed at intervals during the night. Finally firemen dug out the body of an unidentified man.
Ernest Dorsey, 49, was definitely reported missing and firemen said there might be others.
Dorsey's brother Wilbur, who lives in another part of the city, was driving past the scene when he saw firemen placing his 75-year-old mother, Mrs. Ella Dorsey, in an ambulance. He said she told him Ernest was still inside.

At emergency hospital the condition of Mrs. Lena Smith, 49, one of the first removed, was termed critical because of a possible skull fracture.
The cause of the building collapse was not immediately determined.
Only about one-fourth of the brick structure was affected. The elevator remained in service and some of the tenants used it to escape from the undamaged portion of the building.
Nick Papanicolas, the owner, said he had about 150 tenants living in 37 apartments. He said the first floor was remodeled recently to accommodate a business firm. Workmen completed the job yesterday a few hours before the crash.
The building is about half way between the Capitol and the White House, a few blocks north of Pennsylvania Avenue.

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New British Policy

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meanwhile, reopened their conferences on the Austrian question today. British and American sources said they expected to know in a few days whether any chance exists on agreement.
The Bidault-Marshall exploratory talks last night were said to have been "satisfactory." There were plentiful indications that whatever evolves from the Western Power declarations the door will be kept open for future cooperation with Russia.
A British foreign office spokesman, speaking more cautiously than the government source, said the "disappointing breakdown" of the conference would require a general review of foreign policy by the cabinet.
The spokesman told a news conference Marshall had given the British no advance notice of his adjournment proposal, although it came as no great surprise.
The spokesman took the view that such agreements as had been achieved in the conference would be considered binding. He cited in particular the decision to give Pakistan a seat at the peace table and the accord fixing German steel production at 11,500,000 tons yearly.
"None wouldn't expect a delegation which found itself in agreement with the other delegations to go back on those agreements," he said.
Bevin had an audience with the King early in the day, presumably to report on the ending of the conference. The Foreign office spokesman said the Foreign Secretary would see Marshall before the latter leaves for home.

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response to a conservative's query whether a statement could be made now on the agreement between the United States and the United Kingdom on the future financing of the bizonal area.
Answering other queries, Bevin denied that Europe is hanging back in contributing to the European recovery program but said the continent is "in a very difficult position to know what steps to take until Congress has made its decision" on financing the plan.
"We are moving with great speed, and I do not think we can be accused of being slow in taking advantage of the Harvard speech," he said.
He referred to Marshall's address last June upon which the recovery program is based.
Bevin brushed aside a query on whether it would help to set up an administrative body in advance of congressional approval of the Marshall Plan on whether Congress laid down conditions for the aid and added that the latter's final decision could not be anticipated.
Nor would he commit the government on the advisability of setting up a customs union among those nations who shut in the Marshall Plan.
He did not say that Britain had not entered its opposition to such a proposal but added that "Britain had not

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THE WEATHER
Considerable cloudiness through Friday. Slowly rising temperature.

Return Flight To U.S. Begun By Marshall

Douglas May Administer Aid Program; Bevin Blames Russia for Breakdown

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—Secretary of State George C. Marshall today began his return flight to the United States from London. He is expected to arrive in Washington tomorrow.

Marshall's departure is the first since his departure for London in August to administer the Marshall Plan for aid to European countries.

He is accompanied by his wife and daughter. They will be accompanied by the U.S. Ambassador to London, Lewis W. Douglas, who has been a close adviser to the American delegation at the conference.

Atomic Science Materials For Farming Disclosed At Meeting

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Editor

ACBURN, Ala., Dec. 18 (AP)—The materials to be used in the new atomic science of agriculture were described today at the first conference on radioactive atoms in farm research held at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

These materials are mostly common chemicals like carbon, sulfur, iron, sodium, phosphorus, nickel, copper, zinc, arsenic, iodine, mercury, calcium, and any substance that is either helpful to crops or a crop hazard.

They are made in atomic ovens, at Oak Ridge, Tenn., and shipped to a dozen universities and scientific institutions which already are using these man-made radioactive atoms for agricultural research.

"The stuff may emit nearly all its rays in only 12 hours, or it may take more than 20,000 years to emit them all, as in case of radioactive carbon. In a few instances the time may be millions of years.

Price Control Bill Is Tossed Out Window

Defeat Of Barkley's Amendment Leaves Little Chance For Immediate Action

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Senate, wrestling with proposed anti-inflation legislation, today knocked down an effort by Democrats to give President Truman power to require business to parcel out scarce goods.

By a 47 to 32 vote the chamber defeated the proposal by minority leader Barkley (D-Ky.) to amend the three-point Republican anti-inflation program which calls for voluntary agreements by business, designed to hold prices in line under temporary suspension of the anti-trust laws.

Law May Be Enacted To Get Names Of Grain Speculators

Ken Guernsey Talks To Central Florida Rotarians

Trans-Arabian Pipeline Work Stopped Due To Partition Ire

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—The United States is the only country in the world today having within itself the power to make certain commodities scarce, according to Ken Guernsey, president of Rotary International, who spoke today to a group of Central Florida Rotarians.

"The United Nations is the only instrumentality in the world today having within itself the power to make certain commodities scarce," Guernsey said. "It is the only body which has the power to make certain commodities scarce."

LONDON, Dec. 18 (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall took off at 5:10 P. M. (12:10 P. M. EST) today for a flight back to Washington from London, the scene of the latest Big Four Foreign Ministers Conference.

The secretary was accompanied by the U. S. Ambassador to London, Lewis W. Douglas, who has been a close adviser to the American delegation at the conference.

MacArthur's Job In Japan Is Told At Jaycee Meet

Lieut. Walter Turner Returns After Tour Of Duty In Pacific

When history is written, General Douglas MacArthur's work in the occupation of Japan will exceed his military accomplishments.

Lieut. Walter Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, of 215 Park avenue, told the Seminole County Jaycees at their noon meeting at the Mayfair Inn today.

Third General Strike Called In Italian Cities

Disturbances Have Resulted In 23 Political Killings

ROME, Dec. 18 (AP)—Newspaper reports said today a central strike had been called in a third Italian city, Catanzetta, and that new disorders had erupted in north, south and central Italy.

At Catania, a back-to-work movement resulted in most stores that day. In Catanzetta, a back-to-work movement resulted in most stores that day. In Catanzetta, a back-to-work movement resulted in most stores that day.

Summer Pay For Some Teachers Is Still Unsettled

The question of whether teachers throughout the state would be paid for July and August even though they might not have reported for work until shortly thereafter was becoming more involved today.

Recently Attorney General Tom Wilson interpreted an act of the last legislature to mean that the teachers should be paid for those months but today some were getting paid, some were not and it appeared that the courts might finally settle the problem.

2 House Members Introduce Twin Jewish Aid Bill

210,000 Displaced Persons In Europe May See Palestine

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—Two House members introduced identical resolutions today calling for transport to Palestine by Oct. 1 of the 210,000 Jews in American displaced persons camps in Europe.

The resolutions by Rep. Hugh D. Scott, R-Pa., and Rep. Andrew L. Somers, D-N.Y., would allow the United States to "direct the proper authorities in the American zone of occupation to undertake immediately the program of repatriation of such Hebrews."

Flood Damage Is Estimated At \$52,000,000

Agriculture Suffers Most In The Eleven Counties Covered

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—Flood damage in 11 Florida counties, exceeded \$52,000,000 between mid-September and Dec. 10, and flood conditions may continue throughout 1948, the Everglades Drainage District said in a report released here today.

Elks Christmas Party To Be Held Next Wednesday

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Miss Pauline Betz Arrives At Mayfair For Tennis Season

Miss Pauline Betz, national tennis champion, from Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in Sanford yesterday with her mother Mrs. Stella Betz and reside at the Mayfair Inn until Dec. 26 when she will start a professional tour with Sara Palfrey Cooke and Edward Cooke, who will direct the troupe.

Sanford and the Mayfair Inn will be headquarters during the winter for Miss Betz and her associates.

Christmas Music Is Presented By High School Club

A program of Christmas music was presented by the Seminole High School Glee Club and Choir last evening at the school auditorium under the direction of Miss Ollie Reese Whittle, and with John Pitt and Lillian Moran accompanying.

"This was one of the finest musical programs ever held in Seminole County," Supl. T. W. Lawton enthusiastically declared this morning.

Freighter Breaking Up In Pacific Seas

HONOLULU, Dec. 18 (AP)—The freighter Simon Benson was breaking up in heavy mid-Pacific seas today with her cargo of waterlogged rice swelling against the cracking hull. Four vessels were speeding to her aid.

The Benson's crew of about 45 began jettisoning the sacked rice and her skipper radioed he had turned the stricken vessel head on into the waves in an effort to diminish the buffeting. The Liberty ship—a wartime troop transport—was about 1,400 miles north-northwest of Honolulu.

Another Cold Blast Hits Midwest Parts

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

Another blast of sub-zero weather hit sections of the Midwest during the night but temperatures moderated early today. However, another mass of cold air was headed for the same section tonight and tomorrow. Generally fair weather was reported in most other parts of the country.

Woman Flyer Sets 2 New Flying Records

MINDIO, Calif., Dec. 18 (AP)—Aviation's speed woman, Jacqueline Cochran, has laid claim to a double-barreled speed record at 413 miles per hour.

First, she claimed the fastest time for a propeller-driven aircraft for a three kilometer course; second, she reported it exceeded the old woman's standard of 338 M.P.H. set by the late Anne Hamilton at Tampa, Fla., March 16, 1947.

Lack Of Equipment Delays Completion Of 2 Power Plants

Installation of new electrical generating equipment at the Lake Monroe plant of the Florida Power and Light Company has been delayed through the failure of manufacturers to deliver the equipment, according to schedules, it was announced today by H. H. Coleman, light company manager here. Installations have likewise been delayed at the Miami plant, he revealed.

Mukden Is Placed Under Martial Law

SHANGHAI, Dec. 18 (AP)—The independent newspaper Ta Kung Pao reported today that the government had placed Mukden under martial law—underlining the gravity of the civil war situation in Manchuria.

Government sources in Nanjing for several days had dismissed renewed fighting in southern Manchuria as "little more than skirmishing."

Expelled Russians Ask Intervention

MOSCOW, Dec. 18 (AP)—Twenty-four Soviet nationals who were expelled from France recently have asked Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov, from a camp in the Russian zone of Germany, to intervene in their behalf.

The group told Molotov in a letter written in Brandenburg, Dec. 8 that their expulsion from France was in complete violation of French law governing the residence of foreigners.

Grocer Is Attacked By Hatchet Wielder

BALTIMORE, Dec. 18 (AP)—Police sought a young man today who they believe viciously attacked a 17-year-old grocery store clerk with a hatchet, laid him unconscious in the rear of the store then calmly waited on customers for weeks as an hour.

The grocer, George Lehr, was found in a critical condition yesterday—about five hours after the attack occurred—behind some meat at the store.

Melon Grown Here Out Of Season

Leesburg watermelon growers may be interested to know that Sanford is growing watermelons all winter season.

However, lest they become it must be revealed that the quantity grown here is yet small, being confined to the back yard of Mrs. E. G. Weeks of South Sanford Avenue, who recently picked a large, juicy and very edible melon for the enjoyment of her family. The vine, started from seed in a compost pile has spread all over the back yard, she revealed. More melons are ripening, she said.

Chinese Say Aid Must Be Hurried

NANKING, Dec. 18 (AP)—Chinese government sources expressed pleasure today over Lieut. General Albert C. Wedemeyer's recommendation for immediate assistance to this republic—but it was tempered by declarations that military aid will be too late unless it comes at once.

High officials made no attempt to hide the government's growing weakness in the face of mushrooming Communist armed strength.

Mukden Admits Not Telling Emperor

TOKYO, Dec. 18 (AP)—Shigenori Togo, former foreign minister, admitted at his war crimes trial today he did not tell the Emperor that an exchange of personal messages between Hirohito and the late President Roosevelt had been suggested as a final effort to keep the peace in the Pacific.

Togo acknowledged that he had an opportunity to inform the Emperor and Japan's senior statesmen who gathered Nov. 29, 1941, in a last minute hope of averting war. The message was exchanged by Japanese envoys in Washington.

GERMANS CONVICTED

BERLIN, Dec. 18 (AP)—Six officials of the Berlin Aukland Works were convicted by an American military government court today of manufacturing and storing war materials in the U.S. sector of the city in violation of Allied control laws. It was the first trial of its kind in postwar Germany.

POLICEMAN KILLED

PARCHMAN, Miss., Dec. 18 (AP)—Prison Sergeant William Walker, who was wounded by a negro today at Parchman prison Monday night, died today in a Memphis hospital. The negro, who was amok and attacked three persons, later shot and killed himself.

5 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Florida State News In Brief

TAMPA, Dec. 18 (AP)—The University of Tampa still is looking for a coach to handle its football team when school returns to intercollegiate gridiron competition next fall.

Crockett Farnell, head coach at Hillsborough high school here, said last night he had rejected an offer to become football coach and athletic director at the University, principally because "funds were not available for the assistants I believe necessary to put across a well-rounded physical education program."

CLEARWATER, Dec. 18 (AP)—John G. Westly, convicted last night of first degree murder of his wife Yvonne, was scheduled to confer with his counsel today to decide whether a motion for a new trial or an appeal to the Supreme Court would be filed.

A circuit court jury deliberated an hour and 35 minutes, accompanied its verdict with a recommendation for mercy, automatically giving the defendant a life sentence.

Westly, 63, a St. Petersburg poultryman, did not testify and offered no witnesses to refute the state's contention the killed his 44-year-old wife, cut up her body and threw the parts in sacks into Tampa Bay.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—New estimates on the Florida early and midseason orange crop today increase the expected production by 1,000,000 over the Nov. 1 forecast.

The Department of Agriculture predicts 27,500,000 boxes, three million less than last year. Valencia are estimated at 23,000,000 boxes, slightly less than last year. Grapefruit production is indicated at 31,000,000 boxes, two million more than the 1946-47 crop. Tangerines are forecast at 4,300,000 boxes compared with 4,700,000 last season.

MIAMI, Dec. 18 (AP)—Mrs. Annie Hahn Pawley, former wife of the United States ambassador to Brazil, today asked the Dade county circuit court for \$12,500 for attorneys fees and court costs to carry out her suit for separate maintenance and alimony.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 18 (AP)—H. O. Vanella of Marion, Ind., went bass fishing near Hernando.

His watch fell from his wrist into the water as he made a vigorous cast. He kept on fishing, caught a two-and-a-half pound bass, took it home for supper.

When he cut it open he found his lost watch—still ticking, he told a State Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission wildlife officer.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 18 (AP)—Fewer than 75 Florida motorists have lost their drivers' licenses for failure to comply with the new state automobile accident responsibility law during its first few months of operation.

Charles Brooks, who heads the Treasurer's office department in charge of enforcing the law, said he was surprised to find that "a large majority" of drivers would be at fault in accidents which would require them to show financial responsibility already had some acceptable form of liability insurance.

The law, enacted by the 1947 legislature, provides a person must show ability to pay damages for future accidents if he is found at fault in one in which someone has been injured or killed or property damage has totalled \$50 or more.

LAFELAND, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Federal State Frost Warning Service forecast for peninsular Florida tonight and Friday morning partly cloudy and moderately cool in northern districts and mild in south and central districts with a few scattered showers in the lower east coast. No frost was seen through Sunday.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 18 (AP)—Governor Caldwell yesterday suspended J. J. Ward from his position on the Walton county school board because he has been indicted for violation of federal liquor laws. No successor to Walton was appointed immediately.

TALLAHASSEE, Dec. 18 (AP)—The State Road Department today received apparent low bids totaling \$1,310,554 for 68 miles of road and bridge improvements. The projects, located in ten counties, are the last in the 1947 budget on which bids will be asked. The remainder will be carried over to the 1948 construction program.

RICE IN THE EYE TOKYO, Dec. 18 (AP)—Farmer Yoshinori Tokowo of nearby Okayama went to a doctor to have an unhulled grain of rice removed from his eye. The doctor took a long look—and then removed a growing rice shoot.

MARKET QUOTATIONS JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 18 (AP)—Early New York prices on Florida fruits and vegetables as reported by the Federal State Market News Service: Beans bu best pinto \$1.25-2.50, Florida Belles few 2.50, pooter 1.50-1.75, Bountiful 1.75-2.25, Valentines 1.50-3.00, wax irregular 1.50-4.50. Cabbage, 1 1/2 bushel hampers domestic rounded few 3.75. Latest eastern crates Big Boston 2 dozen \$2.00-2.50, Romaine 1.00-1.50, few 1.75. Celery wirebound crates trimmed tops Goldenheart 0 doz. 4.00-4.50, 8-10 doz 3.75-4.00, xx 2.50-3.50.



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Sick Boy Sees Santa With Aid Of Police

SCRANTON, Pa. Dec. 18 (AP)—Nine-year-old Ronnie Hill, whose father says he may not live to see Christmas in 1948, has made his annual visit to Santa Claus with the aid of an ambulance and police escort.

Democrats, Gop Will Be In Accord On One Thing In '48-Public Favor

By ALEXANDER R. GEORGE WASHINGTON—Republicans and Democrats in the congressional battle of election-year 1948 will be shooting for at least one identical goal—the favor of a majority of the voters.

on important legislative matters. Somewhat similar committees dealing with party policy in the House are the respective steering committees. However, the policy committees in the Senate have a more elaborate setup, with regular staffs on the government payroll.

Hints To Housewives

By Isabelle S. Thuraby Extension Food Economist To save grain, farm housewives are being urged to freeze or can all loafers in the poultry flock. At this season, most mature hens take a vacation from laying while they acquire new feathers, but they continue to eat. Such hens average 5 to 8 pounds of feed a month.

Wife Finds Missing Husband In Sweden

CHICAGO, Dec. 18 (AP)—Two months ago Mrs. Estaline Hillwertz, 28, went to the Town Hall police station and asked police to help her find her husband, George 47, who had failed to return home from his job as a painter.

No Flies on Main Street

LEBANON, Ind. (AP)—When spider webs appeared on parking meters, city officials protested. It hadn't been that dull. Exploring with screwdrivers, they found spiders had crawled into the coin slots to escape cold weather, jamming the mechanism.

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Causes Of Alcoholism

Alcoholic excesses in adults and in young people are giving much cause for concern. Many prohibitionists believe control lies in laws, or in religious and moral appeal. Anthropologist Donald Horton of Yale University and sociologists generally believe that the problem lies deeper than anything such approaches can touch.

They point out that the use of alcoholic beverages is a very ancient custom, as old as agriculture itself. In long ago rituals, both religious and communal, in traditional festivals and tribal ceremonies, alcoholic brews were imbued. In primitive society alcohol was primarily an anxiety-reducing function. It has survived through the ages largely because of this.

Today, say the sociologists, life is more complex, offers more problems and confusions to more people. That is one explanation for the increase in intoxication. The cure must start at the cause. Alcoholism must be viewed as an expression of human tensions and anxieties.

Those who would combat it must be willing to study the whole subject of social engineering, social betterment and reform.

The basic reason for the individual's drinking excessively must be studied and met, if possible. The cause for a community of youthful drinkers likewise is society's business. Some times it is boredom and a well run recreation center will direct energies into more wholesome channels. In any event it is more to the point to study the reasons for excessive alcoholism than merely to decry it.

Migrations in Mass

The second greatest mass migration in history is under way. Participants are the Moslems of India and the Hindus and Sikhs of Pakistan, who are leaving in mass their old homes among their enemies, and are transferring to new countries in the same religion. Eight million have already pulled up stakes, nearly completing the transfer. Some 600,000 Hindus and Sikhs remain to be moved, and an unknown number of Moslems.

The only larger migration known was that of the Chinese into Manchuria earlier in the century. While no official record was kept, at least 25,000,000 Chinese are thought to have left their crowded home country for the same reason.

Compared with such huge numbers the famous early migrations, such as those of the Germanic tribes who eventually overthrew the Roman empire, were small indeed.

The Male Animal

To loost my morale-one day, I bought a new hat - a frothy little creation of net and flowers. I thought I looked so smart. I decided to wear it home. My old hat was put into the fancy hatbox, and off I went, head high and walking on clouds.

My husband met me at the door, kissed me perfumingly, and went back to his desk. He seemed to notice the chill in the air, for he turned and began to ask about my shopping trip. Then his eyes lighted on the hatbox. "Oh, he said heartily, 'I'll be your bought yourself a new hat. Let's see it.'

In stumped dazedly I removed the beautiful new creation from my head, fumbled open the hatbox, and placed the old felt at a jaunty angle on my head. My spouse looked it over and his face lighted in a beneficent smile. "Honey," he said, "that's the prettiest hat I've seen for a long time."

Contributed by Mrs. Samuel E. Clark

Italian Strike

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abstentions and 51 absences. The Calabrisetta strike was voted in 18 by the local chamber of labor, affiliated with the Communist-controlled National General Confederation of Labor. Earlier dispatches said that the strike would be called to back demands for unemployment relief, the reasons for the walkouts in Catania and Palermo and earlier in Rome.

In the last few weeks, Italian disorders have resulted in 23 political killings and the pilaging and burning of about 100 party headquarters, most of them in the extreme right Union Quinquennale (common man) movement.

Communist leader Palmiro Togliatti implied in a speech last month in Milan, made public only today, that the Communists were responsible for disorders sweeping Italy since Nov. 12. The party newspaper reported the speech, in which he said: "Even though we are going into elections, we are already engaged in a broad fight that goes on outside the electoral terrain."

Togliatti said the agitation was to "create a certain timidity" among the extreme right Union Quinquennale, and that the Communist Party principle to all states, permitting married couples to split

Wake Up Business

By Advertising in This Newspaper
Encouraging news comes from Palm Beach where John Gestall, newspaper manufacturer, who returned from his trans-Atlantic voyage, accompanied by Wilbur Cochrane, Canadian minister of lands and forests, who reports that the current paper shortage will be solved in about three years. In Europe, he says, they figure it will take about 30 years. Meanwhile, a fortune awaits the inventor who can make paper out of something in plentiful supply.

Ken Guernsey offered a neat little prayer at the Rotary luncheon in Orlando the other day which every working man in this country ought to memorize. It should be said upon arising in the morning, and goes like this: Now I get me up to work. I pray my job I shall not lose. If I should die before the night, I pray my work will be at right.

Whether or not prejudices in this country are limited to racial and religious questions is raised by the action of the Camden, N. Y. school board which bars a 14-year-old girl from the 4th grade, on the ground that she continues to wear slacks.

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Price Control Bill

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duction of \$5,600,000,000 in income taxes, striking 7,400,000 low income and elderly persons from the tax rolls.

Besides worrying with the last-minute effort to get some anti-inflation legislation through the session, the Senate also had to consider the amount of money to be provided for emergency foreign aid and what countries should share in whatever sum is voted.

Before the chamber is a House bill, passed yesterday, calling for \$59,000,000 in aid, \$86,000,000 less than Mr. Truman asked for France, Italy and Austria to tide them over the winter. The House-Senate compromise measure also included China for a share but the House bill didn't provide any money for that nation. The Senate could decide to do it China back and increase the amount, but that would require another compromise with the House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—A \$5,600,000,000 income tax cutting bill which would strike 7,400,000 low income and elderly persons from the tax rolls was introduced today by Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.).

For the 47,000,000 other taxpayers the measure, referred to his author as "veto proof," provides tax reductions ranging from 58 percent in the lowest bracket to 10 percent on higher incomes.

Knutson, chairman of the tax-cutting House Ways and Means Committee, said he expects the bill to be the first major business when Congress reconvenes in January. The reductions would be retroactive to Jan. 1.

They would slash tax revenues by \$1,600,000,000 more than the \$4,000,000,000 Knutson twice which President Truman twice vetoed.

Here is what the new bill would do:

1. Increase the present 4500 percent exemption to \$600, thus freeing 6,000,000 low income persons from tax paying and providing some reductions for other taxpayers. This would be \$2,000,000,000.

2. Apply the "community property" principle to all states, permitting married couples to split

Marshall Returns

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covered southern England. The plane was expected to reach Washington at 9 A. M. EST tomorrow.

Just before leaving Marshall expressed regret that the council of ministers failed to produce substantial results.

"I am particularly sorry that we could not reach some basic decision on such matters which would have benefited Germany and all Europe this winter," he told newsmen.

In a radio interview Marshall, responding to a BBC commentator's request for a message to the British people, said: "I think the closer we are together the better off we will be."

On the plane, in addition to Marshall and Douglas, were the American Ambassador to Poland, Stanton Griffiths, and Charles Bohlen, C. H. Hummel and Bromley Smith of the State Department staff.

Meanwhile, Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin, blamed Russia's "hostile propaganda" for the breakdown of the Big Four Foreign Ministers' Conference, but said Britain would "close no doors" in her effort to bring unity to Europe and peace to the world.

In a formal report to the House of Commons, he labeled an untrue Soviet report that the Western powers are attempting to divide Europe and reaffirmed his opposition to a strong central German government, "one that can so easily become a dictatorship."

His message was "brightened" only by the British lawmakers, that there is "an indication" that a new Russian proposal for Austria may be advanced soon.

Knutson said his bill would prevent fiscal year ending next June 30 will reach \$46,000,000,000 and a budget of \$35,000,000,000 next year and a tax reduction of \$5,600,000,000. The government would have over \$4,000,000,000 to pay on the debt.

Knutson said he introduced the bill "on my own" but told reporters he explained it to the House Republican steering committee and no objection was raised.

President Truman vetoed the bill, but he has increased the tax cuts earlier this year on the triple contention that (A) the government would have over \$4,000,000,000 to pay on the debt, (B) that inflation should be given to debt payment and (C) that they gave too little to small income persons and too much to those with high incomes.

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It is one of two such planes ordered by the Air Force from Boeing and the concern has approximately \$10,000,000 tied up in the work.

The plane, on its maiden flight, was throttled down and the highest speed was 280 miles an hour, Robbins and co-pilot Scott Oster, 29, said at a news conference last night.

No announcement was made as to when further test flights will be made but the plane is expected to remain here some months. A clamp of secrecy was placed on the future tests.

Col. H. E. (Pete) Warden, chief of the bombardment branch, Air Material Command, Wright Field, Ohio, piloted a B-25 as an escort plane and said he was "very well satisfied" with the big ship's performance.

A Boeing spokesman explained that the claim of the "greatest power, potential" of any plane was approved by the Army Air Force and came from the fact that it has 24,000 pounds (horsepower) thrust from its six jet engines, plus 18,000 pounds from its JATO (jet-assisted takeoff) motors built into the ship.

Teachers Pay

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paid and instructed its attorney to file suit asking clarification of Watson's ruling.

Last night, Duval county teachers said they considered the suit "not a friendly action" and served notice they would fight it and insist on payment of the July and August vacation checks.

The Duval county school board agreed to become defendant in a suit to find out whether its teachers were entitled to the salaries.

Most counties, it appeared today, were going to wait to see what the courts might say and among these were Martin, St. Lucie, Indian River and Manatee.

Flood Damage

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came here to assist the Florida congressional delegation in gaining federal aid for flood victims.

Damage to Dec. 10 was estimated at nearly \$50,000,000 in agriculture, roads and drainage district installations in Howard, Collier, Dade, Glades, Hendry, Highlands, Martin, Monroe, Oklawaha, Palm Beach, and St. Lucie counties.

The estimate was broken down as follows: Agriculture \$44,391,850; county roads, \$4,512,601; state roads, \$1,234,300; and drainage district installations, \$2,740,710.

A mid-September hurricane and subsequent heavy rains flooded much of the Florida Everglades region, stretching from Lake Okechobee south.

Sheriff Clark said 50 percent of citrus trees in inundated groves "are dead" and predicted the kill will approximate 85 percent. He said many homes still are flooded.

The area covered by floods annually produces \$25,000,000 worth of vegetables, \$9,000,000 worth of citrus fruits, \$15,000,000 worth of sugar cane, and approximately \$12,000,000 worth of cattle, poultry and dairy products, the report said.

Trans-Arabian

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by 500 Bedouins but appear to be getting on all right.

We flew low over a petroleum survey party 140 miles further west, but still in Saudi Arabian territory. The rugged terrain prevented a landing, but dropping down for a closeup, we were satisfied that everything was okay.

That was the last Tappine activity we saw. For hundreds of miles on the route through Trans-Jordan's rocky hilly country, we were unable to spot any Americans.

It was the same in Syria and Lebanon, where the Bedouins are distinctly hostile now toward all Americans.

Tell-tale black specks among the brown rocks and sandhills showed a surprising number of desert nomads are concentrated along the pipeline route.

At the time of this desert crossing, the outlook for channeling oil to Europe under the Marshall Plan is dark.

Power Plant

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would take care of more than 30,000 families' electrical needs, it is stated.

Completion of the new plants, Mr. Coleman pointed out, will mark the tripling of the company's plant capacity since 1939, an increase from 155,000 kilowatts to 514,000 kilowatts.

Company employees can help avoid a shortage during cold weather using electric house heaters, heating homes with electric stove burners or ovens, refrigerators and water heaters and using only essential lights, he said. Customers are also requested to co-operate in the current saving plan during cold spells.

It was pointed out that these precautions are important because overloading neighborhood electric circuits may damage hard-to-get equipment and interrupt whole neighborhoods for long periods.

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brow displaced persons."

They also would "authorize the employment of such facilities of the United States—including vessels and land transport facilities—as may be necessary to accomplish such repatriation as expeditiously as possible."

Meanwhile at Lake Success Trygve Lie, secretary-general of the United Nations, announced that he had called a meeting of the newly created five-nation Palestine Commission for Jan. 7.

The Commission was established by the recent General Assembly to supervise the partition of the Holy Land into separate Jewish and Arab countries.

In Jerusalem Arabs cordoned the Jaffa Gate captured and killed a 30-year-old Jew who tried to slip through the Arab quarter to reinforce Jews garrisoning the old city's Hebrew quarter.

Folies said the Jews' bullet-riddled body was found near St. Stephen's gate several hours after this capture. His death brought to 261 the toll of fatalities in the Holy Land since Jewish-Arab strife broke out there 17 days ago following the United Nations' decision to partition Palestine.

And in Cairo the Moslem Brotherhood Association summoned volunteers for service in Palestine to a meeting to receive "important instructions" today prior to their scheduled departure for the Holy Land on Dec. 21.

The association said a full list of the volunteers—who have enrolled for service in the fight to prevent partition of Palestine—would be issued before they left.

In Jerusalem the U. N. partition plan continued on a small scale meanwhile as a crowd of some 150 students paraded the streets shouting "Revolution" and "We'll save Palestine with our blood."

Jaycees

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the area," he added.

"The States look mighty good after seeing the poverty of the Orient. America looks as if it is here to stay, and Sanford looks best of all to me," he asserted.

President Bradley, Chairman announced that there will be no meeting for the next two weeks, since Christmas and New Year's Day come on Thursday.

Miss Olive Reese Whitte directed several Christmas carols which were sung by a quartette of high school students. Those singing included Anita Aiken, Gladys Wells, Kieith Schumacher and Stanley Humley.

Gordon Bradley told the group of the action taken at a board of directors meeting last Tuesday night. Dr. C. L. Persons was named program chairman and the group voted to contribute to the group voted to contribute to the Jaycee War Memorial to be built in Tulsa, Okla.

R. E. Robinson and J. W. Hargroup as guests. Edward Kircher, Carl Prescott and Francis Roumillat were in charge of the program.

Coach Names Three Causes For 'Bama's Lack Of Condition

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., Dec. 18 (AP)—Coach Red Drew blamed today the Alabama varsity's lack of condition on the "10-day lay-off and last week's bad weather, plus a busy banquet league."

Drew said the first stringers were far from impressive yesterday day in a lengthy scrimmage on pass defense during

Holiday Travel Is Told By Popcorn

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18 (AP)—The popcorn barometer indicated today that the usual surge of Christmas holiday travel is beginning in earnest.

At Kansas City's union station, sale of popcorn has gained recognition as a reasonably accurate travel gauge.

"We can always detect the aroma of the corn when the crowds increase," said George Mock, chief ticket seller. "We seldom notice the scent when business is a little slow but just as it picks up, like now, with Christmas approaching. You really know the machine is popping in full force."

The average week day is about 500 boxes of popcorn. Yesterday 600 boxes were sold, and sales next week are expected to rise to 1,200 boxes daily.

Grain Speculation

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ally moved that the committee recommend that Congress approve legislation calling on Anderson to turn over the list.

Senator Knowland (R-Calif.) told reporters he proposed that Anderson give the committee the information with the understanding it was to be held in confidence until Congress acted on the legislative proposals.

Anderson balked at that and Democrats on the committee objected.

Senator Tydings (D-MD) said that if that were done "in spite of hell and high water there will be hell." He said he intended no disrespect for his colleagues, but that long Senate experience has proved that newspapers will obtain and print accounts of what is done behind closed doors.

The transcript recorded that Anderson had testified: "In the event that you as a committee, without further action by the Congress, insist on having the names and addresses of all traders along with the statistical information called for in your subpoena, I shall not permit myself to be charged with shielding anyone by refusal to grant your request."

The committee served a subpoena on Anderson yesterday directing him to appear before it this morning with all information he has on commodity trading. The group is inquiring into reports that government "insiders" have profited from speculations in wheat and other commodities.

Anderson's remark about "shielding" apparently was a reference to statements by Harold E. Staassen, Republican presidential hopeful, that "insiders" have profited by trading in commodities.

"I assure you again," Anderson said, "that neither the President nor I have the slightest objection to releasing the information you desire if the means are provided for doing so in good conscience, by direction of the Congress, and not under the shadow of legal doubt."

Both Ferguson and Chairman Bridges (R-NH) have contended that Anderson is now legally free to make public the list.

But Anderson said the provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act, under which the list was compiled, "impose a specific duty upon me to keep confidential all such information obtained by the department in the administration of the act."

High School Sings

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Bramley and Keith Schumacher. In the sextet were: Emily Mathews, June Ross Dutton, Peggy Pippin, Betty Rene Ball, Belle Duncan and Mona Ruth Mills.

Singing in the double quartet were: Leland Rudd, Bobby Pullin, Herbert Stenstrom, Fred Skerist, Frank Cranston, Eugene Harper, Francis Temple and Arnold Harrington.

Club officers are H. Stenstrom, president; Dorcas McLellan, vice-president; Jane Chapman, secretary; Bobby Pullin, Leland Rudd and Joanne Williams, business managers and Lillian Moran, librarian.

which tailbacks Harry Gilmer, Monk Mosley and Ed Salem took over the role of Texas' Bobby Layne to toss passes against their varsity mates.

The Tide coach said he would seek to get the squad back into condition to meet Texas in the Sugar Bowl game with additional heavy scrimmages today and tomorrow.

Explosives were first manufactured in Europe about 700 years ago.

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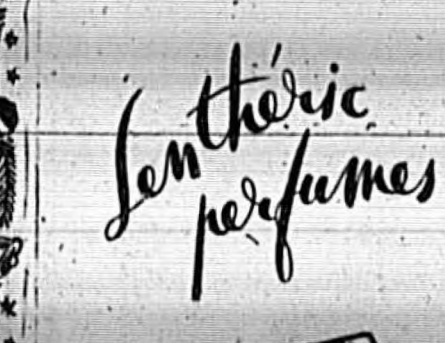
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House Sends Curb Bill To President

Democrats Unable To Alter Measure And Give Truman Power To Allocate Items

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The House sent to President Truman today a bill for voluntary price controls to hold down living costs.

Democrats made a futile attempt to alter the measure and give the President authority to order allocation of scarce commodities if necessary, but they were overwhelmed by an almost solid Republican front.

The bill was passed after only two hours of debate under procedure that prevented free offering of amendments and curtailed debate. Democrats condemned the measure as "super-super" but Republicans replied that with Congress adjourning tonight it was the Senate bill or nothing at all.

Before final passage, the House defeated on a 156 to 73 standing vote a motion to send the measure back to the Banking Committee for inclusion of authority for the President to divide up scarce commodities when voluntary agreements fail.

The House then headed for a final vote which would send the bill to President Truman before midnight.

The measure was brought up in the House under procedure restricting amendments and limiting debate.

Only one hour of debate was allowed.

Yet Group Seeks To Tell Truman Of GF's Living Costs

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—A committee of student veterans asked the White House for a chance to tell President Truman personally today how the cost of living is putting the squeeze on veterans in college.

This is a situation that subversive groups, operating on college campuses, had prayed for, said Tucker Irvin of Washington, Ga., a committee member.

The committee represents a group known as the National Conference of Veteran Trainees. Irvin said the delegates were elected at college meetings in 14 states.

Meyers Indicted By Federal Grand Jury

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—A Federal Grand Jury today indicted Mal General Bennett E. Meyers on charges of perjury and inducing others to testify to falsehoods. The jury also indicted Blaine H. Lamarr, 45.

The charges grew out of the Senate War Investigating Committee's inquiry into Meyers' wartime business deals.

Lamarre was charged on three counts of perjury in connection with his testimony to the Senate committee.

BANK GIVES BONUS

Sanford National Bank has been awarded a bonus of one year or longer will receive a bonus of 10 percent of their annual salary as announced today by J. L. Harty, president.

Those who have been with the bank for less than a year will receive 10 percent of the salary they have earned during their period of employment. This measure of remembering the bank's staff at Christmas time has been followed by the directors for many years.

Downtown Sanford Takes On Festive Atmosphere As Christmas Nears

Downtown Sanford has a bright, cheery Christmas look, especially at evening when the brightly colored lights shine in their long strings over the streets, and show windows, beautifully decorated with Christmas trees and decorations, display attractive merchandise and toys.

In Fort Mellon Park one of the oak trees has been strung with multi-colored lights, and inside the trimmed tree, and attractive decorations. Rows of Christmas trees in front of downtown groceries and in their windows to add to the Christmas-like atmosphere.

Never have display windows and store interiors in the business section been more attractively decorated, and in contrast to years, display many items that were then hard to secure.

Winter Visitors Enjoy Festivity At Tourist Club

A program of Christmas hymns and carols was presented by the Seminole High School Glee club last evening in the gaily decorated Tourist Center to more than 150 winter visitors and their friends, and was greatly enjoyed, it was announced today by E. M. Armitage, director of tourist activities.

Glee Club Presents Program Of Hymns And Xmas Carols

Following the concert, E. C. Easterly, president of the Sanford Tourist Club, thanked the glee club members, numbering about 100, presented a box of candy to Miss Olive K. White, in behalf of the club. After the concert, refreshments were served.

Dr. Brooks Presented With New Ford Sedan

A new Ford sedan was presented as a Christmas gift to Dr. W. P. Brooks, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church, and to Mrs. Brooks Wednesday evening at the church following the prayer service as a mark of the esteem and affection in which they are held by the members, and in recognition of 10 years of loyal and efficient service.

Roy Britt, chairman of the Board of Deacons, presented the keys of the automobile to Dr. Brooks.

"I am very grateful to the members of the First Baptist Church for their kindness and will enjoy the gift very much," said Dr. Brooks.

Citrus Board Okays Minimum Price Plan

TAMPA, Dec. 19 (AP)—Directors of the Florida Citrus Exchange endorsed today the plan of L. A. Mandy, president of the board, to establish an organization to control the volume of fruit in the market by setting minimum prices.

C. C. Commander, general manager of the exchange, told the board the only solution to present low marketing conditions, which in many cases have forced prices below cost of production, is formation of such an organization.

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT

LONDON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Food Minister John Birchall's announcement, announced yesterday in Sydney, should enable Britain to get along without United States wheat during the 1947-48 crop year.

Britain spent \$10,000,000 (\$40,000,000) on U. S. wheat in 1946. The new agreement provides for delivery of 80,000,000 bushels from Australia at the cost of 17 Australian shillings (\$2.75) a bushel.

Sen. Bridges Against Reds German Action

Chairman Of Senate Committee Fights For Bill To Stop Dismantling Work

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The Senate struck from a foreign aid money bill today a provision against further dismantling of German industrial plants and their shipment to Russia.

Action came on voice vote after Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich.) of the Foreign Relations Committee said that while he favors halting such dismantling to Russia, the Senate's action would have the effect of repudiating the American agreement at the Paris conference at which friendly European nations were promised German reparations.

Farmers Demand Continuation Of Price Supports

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—Senator Bridges (R-Mich.) said today he would favor blowing up German industrial plants rather than permit them to be dismantled and fall into Russia's hands.

"I am not so damn stupid that I want to send them to Russia," Bridges shouted in the Senate.

Bureau Also Opposes Reimposition Of Rationing Control

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 (AP)—Reimposition of price supports and other government aids for the nation's farmers is urged by the American Farm Bureau Federation in resolutions approved at the organization's annual meeting.

An effective national farm program, the federation said at the final session of its four-day convention yesterday, "is essential in order to maintain agriculture on a basis of economic equality with industry, labor and other segments of our industry."

Dick Holtzclaw, Noted Singer, Is Home For Holidays

Richard Holtzclaw, noted baritone singer, who just completed singing many roles in opera presented by the New York City Center Opera Co. in home for the holidays in his mother, Mrs. C. L. Matthews, at 818 Elm Avenue, and today greeted old friends in the downtown section.

Among the opera in which he has sung during the Fall season are "Madama Butterfly," "Carmen," "Aida," "Barber of Seville" and "La Boheme." His stage name is Richard Wentworth.

Ten Arabs Slain And Five Hurt In Attack

JERUSALEM, Dec. 19 (AP)—Ten Arabs, including five children, were reported killed and five others were injured by bombs and gunfire in a Jewish village in a Jewish attack on the village of Kibbutz, in upper Galilee.

An official report said two cars of Jews drove into the village in darkness, threw a number of bombs and opened fire. Two houses were destroyed. A police patrol found seven bodies in the ruins of one of the houses and three in the other. Two Syrians and two Lebanese Arabs were listed among the casualties.

School Members Must Get Out-Of-State OK

Everyone connected with the schools, including students and teachers, who intend to go out of the state during the holidays were today advised by Supt. T. W. Lawton that it is necessary to secure a statement by a doctor of the community in which they are to stay, certifying that there is no communicable disease epidemic there, otherwise the pupil or teacher upon return may not re-enter school for two weeks. Certificates to fill in may be obtained at Supt. Lawton's office.

President Asks 17 Billion For Marshall Plan To Aid Europe; Prices To Govern Exact Sum

Request Of Sixteen Nations Is Not Met In Full As Short Supplies Withheld

Marshall Reports On Collapse Of Foreign Ministers Meeting

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—President Truman's blueprint for European recovery calls for less help than the 16 Marshall Plan nations asked for, and higher prices for what they do get.

Behind the Chief Executive's message to Congress today proposing a \$17,000,000,000 four-year assistance program is an exhaustive governmental study overhauling the economic planning done by the Marshall Plan nations at Paris in September.

Released by the State Department simultaneously with the reading of the President's message to Congress, this study notifies Europe that the United States cannot supply as much grain, fats and oils, petroleum, fertilizer, tractors or freight cars as the Paris report requested.

It also suggests that the Paris plan be revised further to:

1. Increase Europe's own exports, even though it might mean a slower rise in living standards there.
2. Slow down plans for factory, power plant and housing expansion on the ground that excessive "capital formation" means less goods for consumers, lower exports, and inflation.
3. Charter 300 ships from the United States temporarily, in addition to the planned purchase of 200 war-built vessels, and reduce Europe's own four-year output of 15,000,000 tons of ship construction.

But the economic report, which carries the full text of the Marshall Plan legislation proposed by Mr. Truman, noted Tuesday:

"It seems clear that the direction must be away from austerity if some countries it would mean how he views the present outlook for peace, the Chief Executive said he isn't at all discouraged on that development, and that there will be peace in the world."

Midwest Near Normal As Cold Moves East

MICHIGAN and northern Minnesota are the nation's coldest spots today with below zero temperatures, but the mercury in other parts of the Midwest cold belt was near normal levels.

Colder weather was reported moving into parts of New England, with temperatures of near zero in sections of northern Maine.

The mercury dropped to 12 below at Cadillac, Mich., for the lowest early morning reading. Minnesota's coldest area was near the Canadian border at International Falls, where the minimum was 10 below. Other sub-zero marks in Michigan included -6 at Pellston and -1 at Sault Ste. Marie.

Agricultural Use For Man Made Radioactive Atoms Is Proposed

AUBURN, Ala., Dec. 19 (AP)—An agricultural use of the new man-made radioactive atoms that might be equivalent to the work of a million Luther Burbanks was proposed to the atomic agricultural research meeting that went into its second session today at Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

Burbank was the world-famous plant wizard who discovered mutation, or hereditary changes, that produced new species of berries and other garden plants. This he did by planting tens of thousands of species, many by cross-breeding, and then looking through his fields for the "sports," or new kinds of plants.

REDS STALLING

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Dec. 19 (AP)—King Mihail's uncle Prince Nicolas, says the Communist-led Rumanian government is stalling for mysterious reasons in giving its approval to the marriage of the 25-year-old Rumanian monarch and Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma.

"I do not think they have any thing against Princess Anne personally," he told reporters last night. "They probably would have done the same thing with any girl the King wanted to marry."

Officials To Get \$712,500 A Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—The top officials who will run the Marshall Plan for European recovery could get paychecks totaling \$712,500 a year, if Congress concurs with President Truman's idea on salaries.

Mr. Truman asked \$20,000 a year for the No. 1 man, the Administrator of the proposed economic cooperation administration (ECA). A deputy administrator would receive \$17,500.

ECA's key man overseas, the "United States Representative in Europe," would receive \$25,000, plus the allowance of a diplomat in chief of mission, the pay that goes with the rank of ambassador.

Minority Group In French Labor Splits With Reds

PARIS, Dec. 19 (AP)—Representatives of the anti-Communist minority of the powerful General Confederation of Labor (CGT) voted overwhelmingly today to split with the parent organization.

The delegates were believed to represent approximately 1,250,000 workers of the CGT's 6,000,000 adherents.

The break was made, a communiqué said, "to free the French syndical movement from all political control."

VFW Admission Fee Will Be Canned Food

Members of VFW Post 3282 are requesting to bring canned goods valued at 75 cents or more, as admission to the Post meeting, Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the Legion Hut, according to John Sauls, district adjutant.

This food will be available for Salvation Army distribution to the needy.

TITO SIGNS PACT

BUCHAREST, Dec. 19 (AP)—Marshall Tito announced today the signing of a mutual assistance pact between Romania and Yugoslavia.

Speakers included State Comptroller Clarence M. Gay who represented Governor Caldwell; Mayor Frank Whitehead and H. B. "Brien" of St. Louis, train director and representative of the American Heritage Foundation.

"WILD TIGERS" CAUGHT

SINGAPORE, Dec. 19 (AP)—A high Indonesian official said today the Indonesian Republican police force had broken up the "Wild Tigers," a private army led by a Japanese which has been fighting both the Indonesians and Dutch in Sumatra for nearly two years.

4 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS