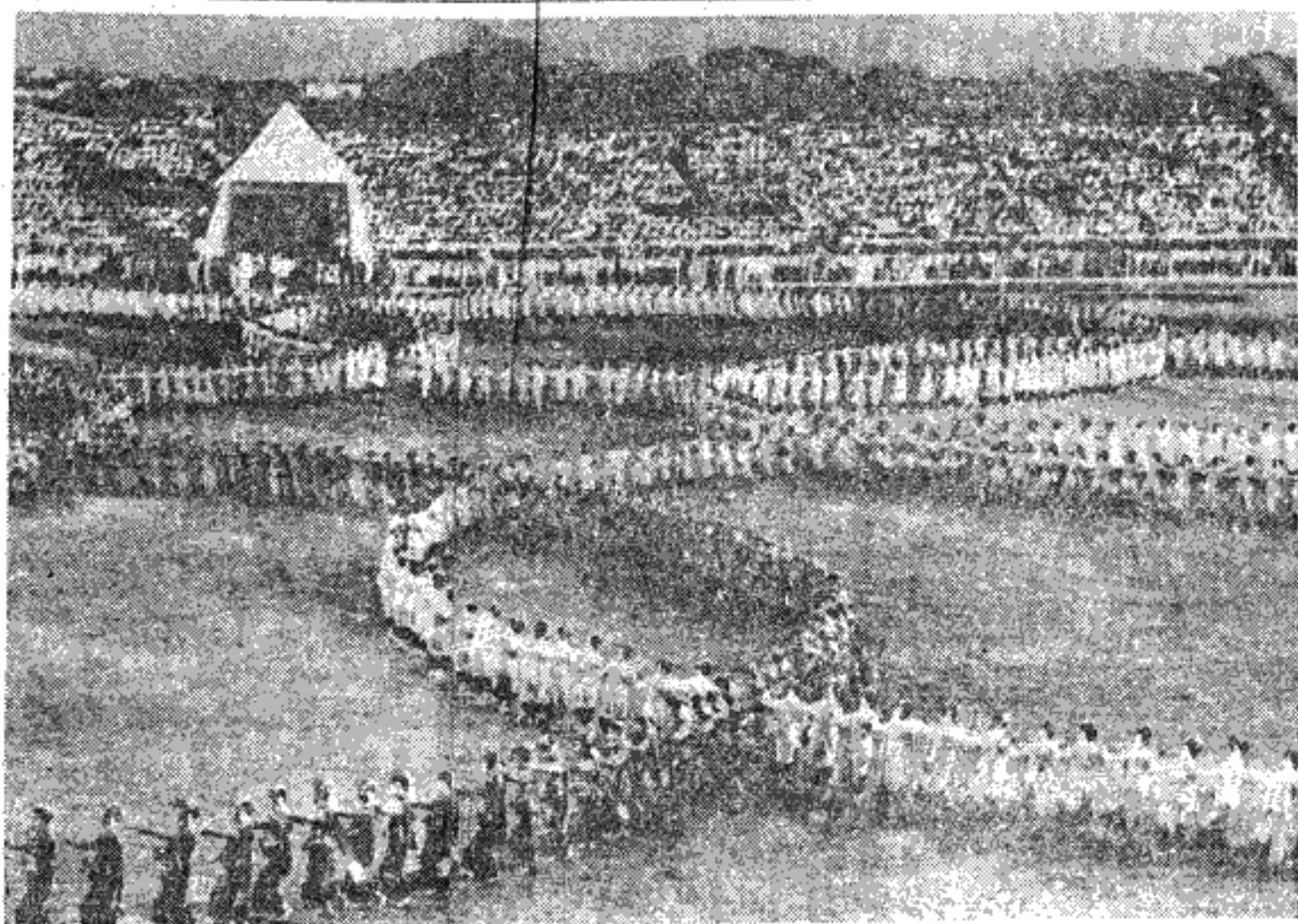


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**MONSTER CONGA LINE?**—What seems to be the high point of an outdoor party is costumed girls performing ritual called the "long finger dance." Scene was the opening of the SAEP (Southeast Asia Peninsula) games in Bangkok, Thailand.



## The Passing Parade

By HAROLD S. MAY

● We are told by all economists that we are in the midst of prosperity but the more we give thought to these statements the more we realize that true prosperity is something you feel, fold and send to Washington—and in this we are suffering with the "shorts," not enjoying prosperity.

● Spring is in the air as soon as you receive your W2 form from the office.

● We know a man—almost our age—who found out there wasn't any Santa Claus when he was about eight years of age and has been disgruntled since. Do you know such a person?

● A church has been defined as a hospital for sinners—not a museum for saints.

● Frosty is his name—and what a "cool" customer (as the beatniks would say) he is. Frosty is the two and half months old Boston terrier our youngster got for Christmas. He's tearing up the part of the house he hasn't damaged for lack of training but it's really something how he gets into your heart—and then into your hair (that is, if you have any).

● Sign in a radio station: "Help Stamp Out TV."

● It was one of those days. Guests were coming to dinner and everything had gone wrong. However, the hour had arrived and the family and guests were seated around the beautifully decorated table piled high with tempting food. The mother, in an effort to get everything off on the right foot, suggested that her four-year-old son say the blessing. "I don't know what to say," protested the youngster. "Just say to God what you've heard me say," she explained. Obviously, the little fellow bowed his head and said: "Dear God, why in the world did I invite those people to dinner on a day like this?"

● We were taught in school that Atlas supported the world—but today it seems that another Atlas is designed to destroy the world.

● We were interested in an article describing the newest industry—making liquor in solid form. We had never heard of such a thing but got to wondering if the user of alcoholic beverages might not have to answer the question: "One or two lumps?"

● Who says movies are not educational? Some of the movies we have seen on TV recently are old enough to pass as history lessons.

● The city street department found it necessary to correct a situation in the approach to our driveway—and this required the use of some fresh concrete. Naturally, some youngster (maybe ours) felt called upon to do some scratching in the freshly laid cement. Thinking this age-old custom over, we decided that every child would learn how to write sooner if he could do his homework on wet cement.

● The number one problem facing the scientists of the nation today, as we see it, is to determine why coat hangers multiply so fast in dark closets.

vo brothers were busily en- feeding the stock the morning when the older, long ar, observed that his younger ar was in deep thought. at's troubling you?" asked the one. "I'm just bothered—how d you get a girl to marry?" "Well, if she don't want to, can't; but if she does, there hardly no way to prevent it," the experienced advice.

## Eighty-Sixth Congress Reconvenes Wednesday

Ike To Deliver State Of Union Message To Joint Session Today

The Second Session of the 86th Congress opened Wednesday getting underway officially at noon with preliminary ceremonies in the Senate and House of Representatives.

The business of the year gets underway today when President Eisenhower is scheduled to appear before both houses to deliver his annual state of the union message. At this time the President will outline what he would like the Democrat-controlled Congress to do in the last year of his term.

Mr. Eisenhower is scheduled to send Congress his annual budget message on January 18 and his economic report on January 20.

Since there are no organizational problems facing the nation's lawmakers legislation is expected to begin shortly after these messages are out of the way. Facing both houses is a bitter battle over civil rights and one that could well split Democratic party ranks and significantly affect the chances of a Democrat being elected president.

The annual battle of the budget, foreign aid, defense policy, aid to education, help for economically depressed areas, all loom as knotty problems facing the Congress in addition to the usual quota of new issues. Adjournment will almost have to come before the national nominating conventions next July 4.

Presiding over the Senate, Vice President Nixon will be kept busy fending off attacks of Democrats who see him already in the role of chief rival for whoever they pick as a candidate. Facing Nixon already are Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts and Sen. Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota. Sen. Lyndon Johnson of Texas and Sen. Stuart Symington.

Republicans will have but two new recruits, one in each house. In the lower house will be Rep. John Kyl of Iowa who was chosen in a special election to succeed the late Steven Carter, a Democrat, and in the Senate Norman Brunson, North Dakota Republican will succeed the late William Langer who died between sessions.

**Democrats In Saddle**  
When the new members are seated, the Democrats will outnumber the Republicans in the house 281-153, with three vacancies, and in the senate 65-35.

All 437 house seats and 33 of the senate's 100 will be on the block in November. Because of their wide edge it is considered highly improbable that the Democrats will lose control of the senate next fall.

**Mrs. Joiner Hurt When Hit By Car**  
Mrs. Lula Ola Joiner, 44, a resident of 417 Tombigbee Street, Florence, suffered bruises and abrasions over the entire body and a possible fracture of the right leg Wednesday night of last week when she was struck down by an automobile traveling south on Wood Avenue near the Florence Library. According to several witnesses, the driver of the vehicle failed to stop.

Florence police, still investigating the accident, report that they have one good description of a car seen leaving the scene where the accident occurred.

**SMITH-RAINES NOW IN NEW LOCATION**  
Announcement is made elsewhere in today's issue of the removal of the offices of Raines-Smith Realty Company from the Bliss Building to 328 East Tennessee Street.

Recently Smith-Raines announced the association of former Probate Judge Herman K. Longshore with the firm which specializes in real estate, insurance and mortgage loans.

## Baby Girl Is Winner Of Many Prizes

The first arrival of the New Year and winner of The Herald's First Baby Contest, is little Susan Renee Davis who was born at Eliza Coffee Memorial Hospital at 1:30 a.m. on New Year's Day. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Davis, Jr., of Rogersville, Route 1.

Susan's proud dad is stationed at Thomasville, and is in the Air Force. The Davises have one other child, Jeffrey Paul, who will be two years old in February. Both Herman and his wife are graduates of Lexington High School.

In connection with this newspaper's contest which has been conducted consecutively for many years, sixteen Florence merchants have awarded the following prizes to the winner:

The First National Bank, \$5 in a savings account; City Drug Store, Johnson's baby set; Rogers Department Store, infants orlon set, value \$4.95; P. N. Hirsch & Co., baby blanket; Corner Drug Company, dozen Curly diapers; Davidson-Lovace, Sunbeam egg cooker; McEldred's, sterling silver baby cup; Dan Glenn Studios, 8x10 portrait of the First Baby; Juvenile Land, diaper pail; Shumake-Posey child's rocker; Killen's, two dozen Birdseye diapers; Liberty Super Market, 1 dozen cans baby food; Grogan & Son, sterling silver spoon; Darby's Shell Service, 5 gallons gas or crankcase refill; Garvin Witt, baby ring; North Florence Pharmacy, 1 dozen cans liquid baby milk.

In addition to the above prizes an award of a subscription to The Florence Herald was added as a bonus.

## Woman Outwits Would-Be Robber

Mrs. Clara Rhodes Of Three Forks Refused To Be Bluffed By Bandit

By calling the bluff of a would be bandit last Thursday, Mrs. Clara Rhodes found out, there is one bandit in the world who was not so tough after all.

The incident happened at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, when Mrs. Rhodes with her husband, T. M. Rhodes, operated a grocery at Three Forks talked so rough to a bandit that the latter fled the scene without taking anything.

Mrs. Rhodes was in the residence which adjoins the store building on the rear when she heard the door of the store open. Entering the store, she found a white man who stood some five feet, six inches in height and was of slender build, dressed in green khaki.

The man had pulled out a pistol, while standing only some three feet away and told Mrs. Rhodes, "this is a hold up, give me your money."

"I told him to take that pistol out of my face, I'm not going to give you anything," Mrs. Rhodes stated. The bandit kept demanding the money until he was finally ordered by Mrs. Rhodes, "Get out of here while you can still get out."

At this point, the robber jumped toward the door, got in his car and sped away, but not before Mrs. Rhodes was able to get the license number and notice the make of the car.

Miss Shirley Pounders of New Orleans was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pounders, 447 North Poplar.



**HONORED BY FELLOW MEMBERS**—John F. Gordon, who has served as secretary-treasurer of the Florence Exchange Club for the past 14 years, was honored by fellow Exchangers Tuesday noon when an appropriate plaque was presented to him on which are inscribed a message of appreciation. Past President Donald Holt is shown presenting the plaque. (Staff Photo.)

## USW and Steel Industry Sign Pact Ending Long Negotiation



**FLORENCE TOT IS POSTER GIRL**—Little Mary Beth Pyron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Pyron, 1952 Wildwood Road, symbolizes the National Foundation's attack on crippling birth defects, arthritis and polio. A birth defects victim, Mary Beth was born with an open spine and water on the brain. Medical science knows of no way to help her but new March of Dimes research hopes to change this. Mary cannot walk but plays despite her handicaps. Shown with her mother, above, she will be three in February.

## John F. Gordon Is Honored By Fellow Exchange Members

Plaque Presented With Election To Presidency; Officers Are Installed

John F. Gordon, who has served as secretary-treasurer of the Florence Exchange Club for the past 14 years, was shown the appreciation of his fellow members at Hotel Reeder Tuesday noon as "John Gordon Day" was observed.

As a complete surprise to him and to a majority of the members, a program built around the long and valuable services to the club by Mr. Gordon was arranged. Don Holt, a past president of the club, was presented by President Harold Cater as being in charge of the day's entertainment program.

Mr. Holt, recounting the contribution to the club made by Mr. Gordon, caused the honoree of the occasion some uncomfortable moments as he told of the high regard in which he is held by the members. A letter from the national organization paying tribute to Mr. Gordon was read by Frank Mosier and Mr. Holt concluded his remarks with the presentation of a beautiful plaque.

After Mr. Gordon acknowledged the tributes paid him, President Cater immediately read a prepared resignation of the three principal officers of the club and suggested that Mr. Gordon be nominated to serve the unexpired term of the president. Both the resignation and suggestion received the unanimous approval of the members and Mr. Cater, then the immediate past president of the club, formally inducted Mr. Gordon into the position of president. Placing the president's pin in Mr. Gordon's lapel, Mr. Cater paid additional tribute to Mr. Gordon for his untiring service and aid to all officers over the past 14 years.

Mr. Gordon accepted the gavel and presided over the meeting for a short time and then called for the installation of the new officers elected last month and now to assume office for the coming term.

As the then immediate past president, Mr. Gordon along with Mr. Cater were presented past president pins by Harold May, the installing officer, after the following were inducted into office:

Sam Esslinger, Jr., president; Dr. Kirk Deibert, first vice-president; Earle W. Darby, second vice-president; John F. Gordon, secretary-treasurer, and the following members of the board of control: Cris Moore, Rev. John Ebaugh, W. E. Batson and Ira Stagers.

Kan D. Mariwalla, of Bombay, India was the guest of U. O. Redd, Jr.

## Plans Made For Recreation Center

A go-ahead signal was given Tuesday by the Florence City Commission to the drawing of preliminary plans for a new recreation center to be built in East Florence in the near future.

These plans were made known at the commission session by the commissioners and officials of Barr and Tune architects, who sent a letter showing they had verbal agreement from the recreation department for the East Florence center and had been working with Jim Spain, recreation director.

The tentative plans are for a center which would include an auditorium, gymnasium, a game room, clubroom, lobby, kitchen, restrooms, offices and necessary storage and equipment area.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crunk, Mrs. George Emerson, and Mrs. Edgar Wheller visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Russell in Falkville, Ala.

## January Is Proclaimed March of Dimes Month

Foundation Expands Services To Include Birth Defects, Arthritis



**NEW SUPERINTENDENT**—A West Virginian, Delbert A. Truman, has arrived in the Tri-Cities and will become superintendent of the new silicon plant under construction by Reynolds Metals Company's Listerhill Reduction Plant. Mr. Truman was formerly with Union Carbide Metals Company at Alloy, West Va. The Trumans have two grown sons in West Virginia and are staying temporarily at a local motel.

## Cotton Farmers To Choose Their Allotments Later

Election Of Choice Must Be Registered At County ASC Office By March 15

Now that marketing quotas have been approved for the 1960 crop of upland cotton, the next step for the farm operator will be to choose between the A and B allotment and price support programs for his farm. L. H. Rickard of the Lauderdale county ASC office said today.

Mr. Rickard emphasized, however, that no election of such a choice can be filed until after the farm operator receives a notice of the price support levels applicable for 1960 under the A and B allotments.

"Choice (A) will include the 'regular' farm allotments and price support to cooperators who employ with their farm allotments at not less than 75 percent of parity. Choice (B) will include allotments which are 40 percent larger and price support to cooperators at 15 percent of parity less than under Choice (A)."

Mr. Rickard said that the level of price support for the 1960 cotton crop will be announced by the Secretary of Agriculture not later than January 31, 1960. Each farm operator will then be informed of the support levels available on his crop under both program choices, and he will also be reminded of the deadline — March 16, 1960 — by which he must register his election of Choice (B) at the County ASC office.

If the operator decides to grow his crop in compliance with Choice (A), no action is required. Failure to elect Choice (B) will automatically make Choice (A) effective on the farm for 1960.

Gov. John Patterson recently proclaimed the month of January, 1960, as March of Dimes Month in Alabama. On hand to receive the proclamation for her home state was little Mary Beth Pyron, two-year old birth defects tot from Florence, who is this year's national poster child for the 22nd annual fund-raising campaign of the National Foundation (formerly for Infantile Paralysis).

Governor Patterson urged all citizens "to give their services and support to this important drive to prevent crippling diseases." The 1960 New March of Dimes now underway throughout Alabama, is seeking funds to support the expanded program of The National Foundation which now seeks answers to birth defects and arthritis as well as continued work in polio.

The Governor's proclamation pointed out that "The National Foundation has opened a new offensive against the nation's major crippling diseases of birth defects, arthritis and polio."

"This expanded program, developed through years of successful experience as a voluntary health organization, provides the one real hope for a solution to these three major disease areas," he said.

**Governor's Proclamation**  
WHEREAS The National Foundation has opened a new offensive against the nation's major crippling diseases of birth defects, arthritis and polio and

WHEREAS more than a quarter of a million infants are born each year with serious birth defects, and

WHEREAS arthritis cripples more persons than any other disease, and

WHEREAS polio in 1959 continued to be a major health problem in the United States with twice as many paralytic cases during the year as in 1958, and

WHEREAS millions of Americans are still unprotected by Salk vaccine against this virulent crippling disease, and

WHEREAS The National Foundation has pioneered in attacking these crippling diseases by research, patient aid and training of disease fighters, and

WHEREAS thousands of children are especially the defenseless victims of these vicious crippling diseases, and

WHEREAS The National Foundation's expanded program, developed through years of experience as a voluntary health organization, provides a real hope for a solution to the causes of the three disease areas.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** THAT I, John Patterson, Governor of Alabama, do proclaim January, 1960, as the New March of Dimes Month and urge all citizens to give their services and support to this urgent need to PREVENT CRIPPLING DISEASES.

This effort furnishes an excellent opportunity for song leaders and those interested in improving the singing in their home congregations to do so.

The church at Central invites all in the community to come to this school and help to build up the singing interest in this section.

## Mitchell, Nixon Aid In Bringing End To Dispute

BULLETIN

The United Steelworkers Union and the Steel industry Tuesday signed a 30-month wage contract that officially ended the eight-month long dispute and averted a possible steel strike on January 26, the deadline of the Taft-Hartley injunction.

The eight-month-old steel strike was settled Monday as Secretary of Labor James P. Mitchell, who with Vice President Richard Nixon, had been acting as mediators, announced that the United Steel Workers Union and the industry have "voluntarily" accepted terms recommended by himself and Mr. Nixon.

The secretary announced the news to the press in the banquet room of the Sheraton-Carlton Hotel in Washington after a conference with negotiating teams for 22 continuous hours. The Secretary and Vice President had been called in at the request of President Eisenhower. As a result, Mitchell pointed out, differences were narrowed to the point where they were accepted voluntarily by both factions.

The Union's Wage Policy Committee met in Washington at 2 p.m. on Tuesday at which time David J. McDonald, USW chief presented the settlement terms. Without elaborating McDonald said the settlement means "peace and prosperity" for the steelworkers, adding that the union is "sound safe and secure."

R. Conrad Cooper, the industry's chief negotiator said, "frankly, we are relieved that this controversy is over and that the nationwide fear of another steel strike on January 26 has been removed." January 26 was the previous deadline for the strike settlement fixed by the Taft-Hartley injunction terms. Lacking a settlement at that time the union would have been free to strike.

Cooper said the settlement recommended by the government goes beyond what the industry has previously offered.

Roger M. Blough, U.S. Steel Corporation board chairman, declared that the terms of today's settlement appear less inflationary than any the steel industry has experienced since World War II, but it "is not what we tried so long and so hard to obtain."

**Contract Provisions**  
The 30-month contract provides general wage increases of 7 cents an hour next Dec. 1 and a similar boost on Oct. 1, 1961. Fringe benefits, such as company payment of all insurance, are effective immediately.

An increase in skill differentials of 2/10 of 1 per cent becomes effective next December and a rise of 1/10 of 1 per cent in October, 1961, union sources said. These hikes would boost the total increase to 10 or 11 cents an hour.

## Teen-Agers Of 15 Permitted To Drive

The Alabama law relating to learner's permits has been amended to read as follows:

"Any person not less than fifteen years, but under sixteen years of age, may obtain a permit to learn to operate a motor vehicle upon application to the Judge of Probate of the county in which he or she resides, which permit shall entitle such person to operate a motor vehicle when he or she is accompanied by a parent or his or her legal guardian who is duly licensed in this state as motor vehicle operator, or when accompanied by a licensed or certified driving instructor who is actually occupying a seat beside the motor vehicle operator."

The application for a learner's permit must be accompanied by payment of a fee of fifty cents, to be distributed as provided in Section 61 of this title, as heretofore or hereafter amended; and the age of the applicant must be substantiated by the applicant filing with the Judge of Probate a certified copy of his or her birth certificate.

The Judge of Probate shall not (Continued on Page 2)

## Theatre Program

**SHOALS—Florence**  
Thurs-Fri-Sat, Jan. 7-9-9  
BATTLE OF THE CORAL SEA—with Cliff Robertson, Gia Scala.  
Sun. thru Wed. Jan. 10-11-12-13  
NEVER SO FEW—CinemaScope, color, starring Frank Sinatra, Gina Lollobrigida with Peter Lawford, Dean Jagger, and Michael Redgrave. 8 nights: 25c, 60c, 75c. Other matinees: 15c, 60c.

**CINEMA—Florence**  
Wed-Thurs-Fri, Jan. 6-7-8  
HOLD THAT HYPNOTIST—with Huntz Hall, the Bowery Boys. Also UP IN SMOKE—with Huntz Hall, the Bowery Boys.

Sat., Jan. 9  
FRANKENSTEIN'S DAUGHTER—with Joan Ashley, Sandra Knight. Also MISSILE TO THE MOON—with Richard Travis, Cathy Downs.

Sun-Mon-Tues, Jan. 10-11-12  
THE MAN WHO COULD CHEAT AT ROCK AND ROLL—with Alan Freed, Little Richard, Clyde McPhatter, Chuck Berry, Perlin Huxley, Lonnie Hamilton, LaVern Baker, The Moon-glows.



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## Dimes On The March

The National Foundation faces a greater challenge than ever before against a crippling that is on the rise again. Even with the instrument for conquest for polio in hand and available to every child and adult in the nation there are still those who hesitate to take the Salk vaccine.

From the new expanded drive the 1960 March of Dimes will benefit at least one of every four families in the United States who are now and will suffer from the ravages of polio, rheumatoid arthritis and birth defects.

Recognizing that polio alone was not enough the National Foundation has expanded its services in a new program of education, research and patient care that would include the 250,000 infants born each year with malformations of one kind or another, and the 11,000,000 who are already victims of rheumatism and arthritis, the two leading causes of crippling in the nation today.

The National Foundation depends on the generosity of the public for help and the annual March of Dimes points the way in which everyone, man, woman or child, can contribute. It has become a household word in all parts of the nation and stands for medical achievement in developing the Salk vaccine for polio and the promising new Sabin vaccine. Medical research made possible by the National Foundation has opened whole new horizons to the conquest of many diseases, especially the new targets included in the new expanded services of the Foundation.

Naturally this will take more money than ever before so the Foundation has organized tens of thousands of volunteer workers including large groups of teen-agers throughout the state and nation. It is gratifying to note that the Foundation's money raising expenses over the years has averaged only 13 per cent . . . one of the smallest in the nation among the non-profit health agencies. This includes all local, state and national expenses, including campaign materials.

Remember when you contribute to the March of Dimes it is the Foundation's only source of income. So be generous . . . dig deep so that some child may walk again.

## Have Your Eyes Checked

There is little doubt that eye defects are the direct cause of a substantial number of traffic accidents. One clue that points to this fact is the number and type of nighttime driving accidents. Physiological ability to see at night is reduced considerably by alcohol, excessive smoking, carbon monoxide, etc., but the external hindrances are perhaps even greater factors in causing accidents. These can be listed as flashing lights, dirty windshields, lights inside the car, dark glasses, glaring headlights, mist or rain, and too much exposure to sunlight using up the visual purple needed for good night vision.

Poor vision may also be an indirect cause of highway accidents as in the failure to read signs and signals properly from a moving vehicle especially if the vehicle is moving rapidly. Another is visual strain or fatigue from long driving or even driving a comparatively short distance while facing bright sunlight. Many accidents caused from visual fatigue happen to drivers of convertibles and sports cars. Many new model cars with greater glass area to eliminate blind spots are more hazardous because they have a greater "reflection area" with curved glass and windshields which distort vision.

Even if one has escaped having a traffic accident of any kind there is always a first time and a regular eye check is a good idea for many reasons.

It could save your life.

## Last Rites Held For Mrs. Jackson

## Body Recovered Saturday After Being Found By Commercial Fisherman

Funeral services for Mrs. N. E. Jackson, who drowned in the waters of Pickwick Lake on December 8, when she jumped from O'Neal Bridge, were held Sunday at 2 o'clock from the Morrison-Elkins Funeral Home chapel, the Rev. E. G. Mullen, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church officiating. Burial followed in Greenview Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Jackson's body was found at approximately 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon two miles above Waterloo at Tucker's Hollow by William Haggard, a commercial fisherman. Mr. Haggard notified Sheriff Roy Call and Coroner Stanley Elkins. Dr. N. E. Jackson, husband of the woman, made positive identification of the body after 6:30 p.m. Saturday at the Morrison-Elkins Funeral Home.

Extensive dragging and searching operations had been carried on for several days after Mrs. Jackson was believed to have jumped to her death from the bridge but had been abandoned later because of high water, only patrolling of the shoreline continuing.

Before the tragedy Mrs. Jackson had been in failing health for some time, members of the family stated.

Besides her husband she is survived by a son, Nial Elting Jackson, Jr., and a daughter, Virginia Adele Jackson, all of Florence; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dismore of Decatur, and a sister, Mrs. Martha B. McLaughlin of Decatur.

Active pallbearers were Wilson Foote, Bob Wilson, Jimmy Anderson, Jr., Clifford Simmons, Nick Winn and B. F. O'Steen.

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## Deaths

## Harville P. Hopkins

Services for Harville Pickard Hopkins, 48, Florence, whose body was found Tuesday afternoon just off the railway crossing near Florence Packing Company, and whose death was ruled by Coroner Stanley Elkins as a natural one, will be held this afternoon at 3 p.m. at Morrison-Elkins chapel.

Mr. Hopkins, a lifelong resident of this area, is survived by three sisters, Mrs. J. A. Bister, Florence; Mrs. A. F. Kobus, Kent Ohio; Mrs. Howard Norton, Gadsden; three brothers, W. C. Hopkins, Birmingham; C. B. Hopkins, Morris, Tenn.; and F. C. Hopkins, Fort Campbell, Ky.

## Mrs. Lura H. Emerson

Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. Lura Emerson, 74, of Waterloo, who died at her home at 11:15 a.m. Sunday after a six weeks illness. She was a native and lifelong resident of the Waterloo community and a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Services were at the Waterloo Methodist Church with Rev. J. O. Jaggors officiating. Burial followed in the Richardson Cemetery.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Knox Wilbanks, Council Bluffs, Iowa; one brother, Sanford Higgins of Waterloo; two sisters, Mrs. T. T. Shelby of South Ben, Ind.; and Mrs. James McMullins, of Hickman, Kentucky.

## Mrs. Velma Russell

Services for Mrs. Velma Russell, 56, 1003 Terrace Street, Florence, who died Wednesday, Dec. 30, at ECM Hospital after a brief illness, were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. at Monumental Park Methodist Church with Rev. Bobby Lowery officiating. Burial followed in Greenview Memorial Park cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, James T. Russell; a son, Paris

## In The Week's News

## Kennedy Announces Candidacy

With a challenge to potential rivals to meet him in the primaries, Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts moved formally into the Democratic presidential race Saturday. He had declined to avow his intentions until Saturday, but he has been campaigning actively for months. The 42-year-old Senator told 140 newsmen and about 300 cheering spectators that he is convinced he can win the nomination and the election and if he doesn't get the top place "under no conditions" would he accept the number 2 place of vice president. His backers concede he is now well short of the backing he would need for a first-ballot victory at the convention.

## California Beauty Is Cotton Maid

Sandra Lee Jennings, 19-year-old beauty who was Miss California of 1952, Wednesday night, Dec. 30, was named 1960 Maid of Cotton and will represent the industry on a six-month international goodwill tour. Miss Jennings defeated 20 other finalists in the two days of judging in Memphis that climaxed the search for a showpiece for the cotton industry.

## Negroes Said To Protest Integration

Gov. John Patterson said Wednesday of last week that he had information that an undetermined number of Negro teachers have protested against a promised effort to integrate Montgomery schools. Due to the "failure to get support" of some teachers, the Rev. Martin Luther King announced his decision to leave Montgomery. King, who has taken the leading role in the fight for integration, said he would move to Atlanta Feb. 1.

## "Bomb" Maims Teen-ager

A premature explosion of a home-made time bomb last Friday blew off the right hand of Douglas Wages, 16, a Woodlawn High School student, and damaged a half block area in downtown Birmingham. The youth was admitted to University Hospital and his condition was listed as fair. Investigators said the blast, which occurred in the back door of Public Finance Company, on Third Avenue, was caused from some type of high explosive, possibly dynamite, which had been rigged up by the victim for a noise maker.

## Actress Margaret Sullivan Dies

Actress Margaret Sullivan, 48, died Friday only a few hours after her latest play was to open its fifth pre-Broadway performance in New Haven, Conn. Miss Sullivan became ill at her room in the Taft Hotel. The nature of her illness was not known. She was to have co-starred with Kent Smith in "Sweet Love Remember'd," a new play by Ruth Goetz.

## Walter Urben To Be Presented By FSC Convocations

## Announcement Made That Famous Pianist Will Appear On January 12

The Convocation Committee of Florence State College is presenting Walter E. Urben, pianist, Tuesday, January 12, at 8 p.m. in Wesleyan Auditorium according to an announcement made by Miss Gladys Shepard, chairman of that committee.

There will also be a morning recital at 10:00 on Thursday, January 14, in Wesleyan. Students, faculty, staff and other interested persons are cordially invited.

Pupil of the late Karl Friedberg of Juilliard, and of Mlle. Nadia Boulanger at the Conservatoire de Music Ecole des Beaux Arts, Fontainebleau, France, Mr. Urben holds music degrees from the College of the Pacific in California, from Indiana University and the University of Illinois.

Prior to joining the staff of the Department of Music at FSC at the beginning of last summer's term, he taught three years at Longwood College in Farmville, Virginia.

The program for the recitals includes numbers by Bach, Brahms, Chopin, Fuleihan and de Falla. This year many major pianists are commemorating the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of Chopin's birth, and Mr. Urben has selected the massive but ever popular Sonata in B-Flat Minor for this occasion.

"For many years Fuleihan was one of the outstanding concert pianists and composers of note in New York City," commented Mr. Urben. "He has devoted himself for the past ten years, to the education of young people, accepting the post of head of the American Conservatory of Music in Beirut, Lebanon."

Russell, Florence; five daughters, Mrs. Lester English, Mrs. Bill Phillips, Mrs. Raymond Minor, Mrs. W. O. Keenum, Jr., Mrs. George Hendon, all of Florence; one brother, Clifford Hughes, Florence; two sisters, Misses Zula and Bruce Hughes, both of Florence; 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## J. J. Tucker

Services for Jewell Jackson Tucker, 47, a resident of Rt. 2, Rogersville, who died at a Tuscaloosa hospital Monday after a lengthy illness, were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Hurricane Presbyterian Church near Rogersville with Rev. Jack Howard officiating. Burial followed in the adjoining cemetery with Spry of Florence directing.

Mr. Tucker was a farmer and a member of the Baptist Church. Survivors include three sons, Thomas and Bobby Joe of Tuscaloosa and Louie of Anderson; one daughter, Judy Tucker of Rogersville; five brothers, Oden Tucker, W. H. and Eual all of Rogersville, and Homer of Anderson and Elie of Athens.

MRS. S. T. JOHNSON DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. S. T. Johnson of Los Angeles, Calif., died there Friday.

She was the niece of Mrs. J. W. Paulk and Mrs. J. F. Koonce of Florence.

W. E. Paulk left by plane for Los Angeles Friday night.

Mr. Paulk left by plane for Los Angeles Friday night.

## Local Savings At All-Time Peak

## Fine Growth For 1960 Predicted By W. L. Foy Of First Federal Florence

"Reflected in the record-breaking dividend payment now being disbursed by First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Florence to its savings customers, is the all-time high in dollars on savings by the people of the Muscle Shoals area," says W. L. Foy, Sr., President of First Federal.

The current dividend payment of almost \$370,000 is the largest in the history of this association which is celebrating its 25th "Silver Anniversary" this year. This brings the total for 1959 well over the \$700,000 figure and a new total of over \$2,000,000 on savings as shown in the association's December 31st statement of financial condition, which appears in this issue.

"Since this money belongs to a very large degree to the citizens of this immediate area, it reflects in a very definite way that the economy of this section is in excellent condition. We are looking forward to a fine year in 1960 and the beginning of a new era of accelerated growth and prosperity for the entire Muscle Shoals section," Mr. Foy said.

Record Broken In State At the close of 1959 there were more than 185,000 individual savings account holders in Alabama Associations according to Frank S. Harris, executive vice president of the Alabama Savings and Loan League. These persons, Harris pointed out, have been rewarded for their thrift by the receipt of dividends during the year 1959 in the amount of \$12 1/2 million.

Harris also stated that the savings and loan business in Alabama is now financing the construction or purchase of 65,000 homes and is the largest single source of first mortgage funds in the state, currently financing almost 40 per cent of homes built or purchased.

## WILSON INFANT SERVICES HELD

Services for James Perry Wilson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson, 1112 Graham Street, Florence, who died at ECM Hospital Thursday night, were held Saturday at 10:00 a.m. at Greenview Memorial Park cemetery, with Rev. L. E. Kelley officiating.

He is survived by his parents; a brother, Steve and a sister, Janice; grandparents, Mrs. Dora Lee Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Guffey, all of North Carolina.

## LAST RITES SATURDAY FOR SMITH INFANT

Services for Patti Suzanne Smith, six-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith, Florence, who died Thursday at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville, were conducted at Milners Chapel Saturday at 2 p.m. with Rev. William Smith officiating.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by a brother Charles Phillip Smith; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Phillips and Mrs. Mary Edna Smith.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity to thank friends and neighbors for the beautiful flowers and nice food brought in when my husband, Marshall May, passed away on December 21, 1959.

Mrs. Pearl May

## Sketches From Life

By FRANCES HALL



ALBERT W. DARBY

"Few, if any, persons are as well informed on the history of Florence and her people of the past three-quarters of a century as is Albert W. Darby and no one finds more sustaining values in the traditions of the old city nor has contributed more sustenance to its lasting appeal to its citizens," is the summing-up a lifelong friend of Mr. Darby made of him recently.

Always affable and with a ready smile, Mr. Darby has gone about his varied duties throughout the years taking an active part in the commercial, civic and political life of the community. His contributions through the cultural and charitable organizations of the city have long been recognized and his participation in fraternal groups has brought honor to himself and pleasure to his friends and well-wishers.

Mr. Darby came to Florence from the Bethel Grove community, Lauderdale County, in 1899, to attend State Normal College. He was born in that community 77 years ago, the son of Casey and Allie Young Darby.

After receiving his education, Mr. Darby was first employed at Jackson and Douglass Department Store, and later at John Womack Grocery. Later he became associated with the Cudahy Packing Company, with whom he was connected for 12 years.

In 1912, he was married to Mabel Odum of Florence. They have one son, A. W. Darby, Jr. Mrs. Darby died in 1956.

Mr. Darby became co-owner of the Darby-King Hardware Co. in 1913. Fifteen years later, in 1928, he organized the Darby Hardware Store.

In December of 1937, Mr. Darby was appointed postmaster, a position he held until he was retired in May of 1953. Following his retirement, he obtained a real estate broker's license and established the Darby Real Estate Company, an organization today operated by him and his son. This business claims his attention at the present, been various civic, political and church organizations. He was on the original Board of Governors of

with the proper forms upon which to handle the learner permits of the fifteen year old applicants.

Any person who has reached their fifteenth birthday and wants to obtain a learner's permit should apply to the regular Driver License Examiner in his or her county of legal residence.

## NORTHINGTON TO HEAD ALABAMA ARCHITECTS

Allen M. Northington, Florence, will be installed as president of the Alabama Institute of Architects at the annual meeting of the organization in Birmingham, Friday, January 8. Dr. Hugh C. MacGuire, Montgomery pediatric surgeon, will be the featured speaker at this meeting.

Protect stored grain from insects. Texas leads in cotton production.

## News Of Goodwin Town

By STELLA WHITE

A large number was present at Mt. Pleasant Church Sunday, Rev. Floyd Rogers is pastor.

Master David Goodwin is on the sick list, we wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Iris Thigpen and adopted daughter Patricia visited Mr. and Mrs. Odus White Tuesday.

Mrs. Mabel McGee spent Thursday with Mrs. Mary Hammonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert White and children of Sheffield spent Thursday night with his mother Mrs. Stella White, Janice, Ronnie and Cheryl.

Mrs. Zona Briggs of Florence spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Ophelia Michael.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Barnette, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Barnette, Patsy and Karen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Little, Rickie and Steve of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Odus White and Mrs. Mable McGee visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evie White and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt White of Bonner Town Sunday.

Mrs. Austin Thornton and children visited Mrs. Betty Parker, Mike and Pat Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnette were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Odus Barnette Friday night.

Tourism is the third largest industry in the state and is still growing. However, Alabama spends less than any of the Southeastern states for attracting tourists.

Fuzz from cottonseed is used in making synthetic fibers.

## Auburn Lab \ Test Soil Sam

Saturday, January  
Deadline For Deli  
To County Agent's

"Farmers who have taken soil samples but have not delivered them to the County Agent's office are requested to bring them to the office this week not later than noon Saturday, January 9," County Agent L. T. Wagon said Wednesday. "A truck will leave the office early Monday morning on its way to the laboratory at Auburn University. So, if anyone has samples that have not been delivered, they are requested to get them in by the deadline in order for them to be on the truck."

More than 150 Lauderdale County farmers have taken advantage of the one free soil sample and free postage offer made possible by fertilizer and implement dealers, bankers, two Kiwanis clubs, Chamber of Commerce, Farm Bureau, and Stovall Poultry and Egg Company. These business and civic leaders contributed \$600 to give 600 farmers one free soil sample and postage on all samples.

A truck to deliver the samples to Auburn Monday has been furnished by the Lauderdale County Farm Equipment Dealers' Association. The laboratory will send each farmer a fertilizer recommendation for each sample submitted. This recommendation will include the kinds and amounts of fertilizer needed, such as agricultural limestone, phosphate, potash and nitrogen, for each crop, Mr. Wagon pointed out.

LET THE HERALD PRINT IT!

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF FARMERS &amp; MERCHANTS BANK OF WATERLOO IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA

at the close of business on December 31, 1959

## ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 70,107.06
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	219,521.85
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	5,554.41
Other bonds, notes and debentures	30,000.00
Loans and discounts	149,294.71
Bank premises owned	\$1.00
Furniture and fixtures	1.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	3.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$474,483.03</b>

## LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$164,697.
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	214,128.70
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	514.40
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	53,778.63
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	1,105.49
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$434,223.20</b>
Other liabilities—Reserve for Dividend payable Jan. 4, 1960	500.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$434,723.20</b>

## CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital*	\$ 10,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided profits	9,759.83
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 39,759.83</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$474,483.03</b>

\*This bank's capital consists of:  
Common stock with total par value of \$ 10,000.00

## MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 52,000.00

I, A. D. Ray, Jr., President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. D. RAY, JR.

Correct—Attest:

J. F. MURPHY

JOHN FINLEY, JR.

MILDRED A. RAY

Directors.

State of Alabama, County of Lauderdale, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1960, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. (SEAL) H. S. MAY, Notary Public  
My commission expires Sept. 10, 1960

## STATEMENT OF CONDITION

## STATE NATIONAL BANK OF DECATUR, ALABAMA

December 31, 1959

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Cash and Due from Banks	Common Stock \$ 1,500,000.00
U. S. Government Securities	Surplus Account 2,000,000.00
State, Municipal and Other	Undivided Profits 1,094,600.40
Securities	Interest Collected—
Loans and Discounts	Not Furnished 240,070.25
Buildings and Equipment	Reserve for Taxes Int., Etc. 279,708.57
Stock Fed. Res. Bank	Reserve for Loans—
Other Real Estate	Unallocated 611,159.73
Other Assets	Reserve For Dividend (Payable 1 2-60) 75,000.00
	Deposits 72,666,024.68
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>Total Liabilities</b> \$78,466,563.63

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## Louis Rosenbaum Elected To NCCJ Board Directors

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Long Record Of Service

Announcement was made this week by Donald Comer, Alabama regional chairman, of the election



LOUIS ROSENBAUM

of Louis Rosenbaum of Florence to a three-year term on the board of directors of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Mr. Rosenbaum, president of Rosenbaum Theatres and a civic leader of the Muscle Shoals area, has, over a period of more than forty years, contributed much of his time and efforts and money to many worthy enterprises, notable among which are, the Crippled Children's Society, Community Chest, American Cancer Society, Florence-Lauderdale Public Library, Eliza Coffee Memorial Hospital, and the Florence Chamber of Commerce. A loyal member of Temple B'nai Israel of which he is a past president, Mr. Rosenbaum is also co-chairman of the Tri-Cities Jewish Federated Charities.

Active in Jewish affairs, he was named in Who's Who in Jewry in 1954. He is an Elk, a Mason and a member of the Florence Rotary Club.

## News Of WATERLOO

By Mrs. S. E. Cherry

**Church:** Regular worship services will be held at the Baptist Church and the Church of Christ Sunday.

Sunday school at the Methodist Church at 10:00 o'clock.

**Personals:** Mrs. Marie Hill from Birmingham spent the long week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Newman.

## THE SPILLWAY

THE SOARING 'SIXTIES have arrived  
In all their pomp and glory . . .  
And from the melee we've contrived  
To bring your New Year's story . . .

MERRIMENT ABOUNDED THROUGHOUT the district as one decade became history and another appeared on last-Thursdays evening's horizon.

AMONG THE GAYEST of gay soirees was The Club gathering which took place at Hotel Muscle Shoals . . . where the first public appearance of a very charming gent (with a North Wood Avenue address) and his equally charming (tall and slender and exquisitely chic) companion of the evening . . . caused a buzz-buzz of chit-chatting that lasted through the fireworks and whistle-blowing of the midnight hour . . . and is continuing to pop-up wherever an interested few are gathered together . . . (And for the info of all and sundry . . . we DO mean the Sheffieldian of whom you're a-thinkin'!)

ON THE AGENDA for the teenagers . . . a delightful progressive dinner party moved smoothly from the centre . . . served in the home of a captivating newcomer . . . Christie Sevier (daughter of Elma and Rollin of 150 Talsman Drive) . . . through the salad course at Judy Bryland's home of (her mom and dad) Marie and Anthony . . . when two young lovelies . . . Jan Smoot and Nancy Nichols . . . hosted at the home of Jan's mom and dad . . . Grace and Ed of 821 Howell . . . to be concluded with dessert and dancing as pretty Pam Smith did the hostess act at the Prospect Street home of (her mom and dad) Marie and Anthony . . . 'Twas a long-to-be-remembered evening for many . . . includin' onlookers . . . et al . . .

ON THE EVENING of New Year's Day . . . Rosalie and Irving Bertell had a two-fold reason for celebrating . . . as they bid a gracious welcome to the 'sixties while marking their TENTH wedding ANNIVERSARY . . . Festivities took place at the family home . . . 316 Jackson Highway . . . and good friends joined family members in toasting their delightful hosts . . .

AND HERE WE LEAVE the New Year theme . . . we give enthusiastic mention to the decoration which made Florence Golf and Country Club particularly festive on this particularly festive occasion . . . A great clock . . . wall-sized . . . A lovely calendar girl (a clock-stopper . . . if you ask us) . . . and an overhead of brightly-colored . . . helium-filled balloons . . . floating lazily . . . A variety of noise-makers and really gorgeous hats were among the favors . . . Madam tips jauntily to the artistic committee in command . . .

TRAVELERS HERE AND THERE . . . Mary Cats (Doss) and Bob Hyde have spent the past week vacationing in the Crescent City and . . . when they return and reclaim their "three little Hydies" (they've been guests of their Florence "grands" . . . Mary Frances and Gilman Doss) . . . the latter two will journey forth for a Caribbean cruise . . . They expect to leave Florence about mid-month.

LEAVING ON TUESDAY . . . Norrie and Bert Holton and Kaye and Bob Cox motored to Washington and are guests of (Congressman) Bob Jones and will be present to hear President Ike's State of the Union message today . . . Since our Bob is a former secretary of Washington's Bob . . . our imagination is soaring . . . We can hardly wait for a listenin' session when the Florence four-some returns . . .

show . . . we'd like you to know IT'S OLD NEWS now . . . but if you failed to see little Mary Beth Pyron when she appeared on Ed Sullivan's last-Sunday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Haggard and children have returned from a holiday visit with relatives in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sego from Atlanta, Ga., have been recent guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sego.

Mrs. James Burns and little daughters, Kay and Mae, are spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Mason Isley.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weston have returned from a holiday visit with family members in Birmingham.

Roland Jagers from Huntsville visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. O. Jagers recently.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lura Higgins Emerson were held Monday afternoon at the Waterloo Methodist Church with the Rev. L. O. Jagers officiating. Burial followed in the Richardson cemetery.

## News Of LUTTS

By Mrs. Veria Weeks

Bro. Daniel Smith filled his regular appointment at Balentine Church Sunday afternoon assisted by Bro. Holloway with a good number present. We gladly welcome each and everyone.

We met at the church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of organizing our Sunday School with 23 present. We will have classes each Sunday at 10 o'clock. We invite each and every one to come out each Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harton spent awhile Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dodd and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and children of Ind. spent the Holidays Week-end here and in Alabama with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Patterson and children spent Saturday night in Florence the guest of the Ray Balentine family.

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## Social and Personal

MRS. GARLAND S. TAYLOR Social Editor  
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### Mr. Mrs. Ellie R. Smith Returned From Honeymoon

A holiday theme prevailed in the altar decorations when Doris Carolyn Craig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Craig, exchanged vows with Ellie Ray Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Smith, all of Florence, in Jackson Heights Church of Christ on Friday, December eighteenth.

Bonds Stocks, minister of the church, read the vows at half past seven o'clock before an arch fashioned of holly and bouquets of red poinsettias. Arrangements of red and white blossoms and branched candelabra of burning tapers completed the nuptial setting. Miss Frances McKelvey, cousin of the bride, and Miss Levenia Smith, sister of the bridegroom, served as candlelighters.

Music was presented by a vocal chorus including Miss Bonnie Williams, Miss Nettie Hester, Mrs. James Morris, Mrs. Glenn McInnis, Harold McClusky, Louis Cottrell, Barry Anderson and Robert Dean.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace over delustered satin distinguished by a molded bodice with cameo neckline and long,

tapering sleeves and a voluminous, floor-length skirt. Her fingertip veil of illusion was caught to a tiara of pearls and with her white le she carried a white orchid wreath with carnations and lilac the valley. Her only ornament was a single strand of pearls, fit from the bridegroom.

Mrs. Ward Craig of Collinsville, Okla., attended her sister-in-law's wedding. The bride's maid, Miss Betty Phillips, wore a white dress with a white feathered demitasse, white gloves and cascades of red anemone carnations clustered with sprigs of holly.

Judy and Jerry Smith, niece of the bride and nephew of the bridegroom, respectively, were ring bearers and Janet Miles and Glenn McInnis were flower girls. Leocetion was best man for Mr. and Mrs. Smith, brother of the bride, and Larry and Bill Smith, brother of the bridegroom, and Dallas Aes.

Mrs. Aig, mother of the bride, was asked in a sheath of aqua wool. Mrs. Smith, mother of the bridegroom, wore a costume suit of

black wool. A white carnation corsage was pinned at the shoulder of each.

For travel, the bride wore an aqua sheath with matching jacket, a small, white hat and black accessories. The orchid from her bouquet was her corsage.

### Double Ring Ceremony Marks Melicks-Gibson Vows

A morning ceremony of Christmas Day united in marriage Miss Thalia Carolyn Melicks, daughter of Mrs. Irvine Melicks of Florence and G. F. Melicks, and Harold Clayton Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Gibson, also of Florence, in First Baptist Church.

Pledges were heard by Dr. John DeFoor, minister, at ten o'clock. The bride, wearing a pink-trimmed costume suit of Dior blue and carrying a white Bible, was given in marriage by her grandfather, Thomas E. Chambers. An orchid corsage complemented her ensemble.

Miss Judy Melicks, her sister's only attendant, wore a blue silk sheath and, at her shoulder, a cluster of sweetheart roses.

Fred Orton, Jr., of Florence, served the bridegroom as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson have returned from their honeymoon and are now at home at 1608 Chisholm Road.

### Prestridge-Kelley Vows Said On Christmas Day

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Prestridge, 410 North O'Neal Avenue, have announced the marriage on Christmas Day of their daughter, Edna Earle, to Carl Edward Kelley, Lieutenant, United States Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edward Kelley of Rogersville.

Vows were said at three o'clock in the afternoon in Primitive Baptist Church of Anderson, the Reverend Vernon Goodman, minister of the church, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley are now at home in Ft. Benning, Georgia, where he is stationed.

### Miss Joan Lyons To Wed Orville Graham

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Madison Lyons, Lee Highway, of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joan, to Orville Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Orr Graham, 1611 Chisholm Road.

The bride-elect is a senior at Lexington High School and her fiancé was graduated from Coffee High School and is now attending Florence State College.

The nuptial date will be announced when chosen.

### Mr. Mrs. Rosenbaum Feted With Golden Wedding Party

Orchestral music was a background accompaniment at Florence Golf and Country Club on Sunday afternoon when Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rosenbaum welcomed several hundred Tri-Cities and friends from the entire district at an open house. Honorees of the occasion, a golden wedding celebration, were Mr. Rosenbaum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosenbaum.

A profusion of yellow roses decorated the lounge and other rooms of the club and "trees" of Southern smilax, massed with yellow buds, were a feature of the party theme. Punch was served from tables veiled in gold net over satin and caught at intervals with nosegays of yellow buds and garlands of greenery. The same golden blossoms were imbedded in blocks of ice which floated in the punch bowls.

Assisting were Mrs. Wilbur Darity, Mrs. Morris Kilbanoff, Miss Gladys Shepard, Mrs. Morris Shipper, Mrs. Unland Redd, Mrs. William H. Mitchell, Mrs. Howard Fike, Mrs. Harry Herndon, Mrs. Sidney Cromwell, Mrs. Meyer Cebulsky, Mrs. Gary Florman, Mrs. Jack Muhlendorf, Mrs. Howard Sutton, Mrs. Melvin Korman and Mrs. Harry Simpson, Sr.

Hours were from three 'til six.

### Mrs. White, Daughters, Hostess Holiday Fetes

Among the delightful courtesies of the recent holiday season were the afternoon tea at Florence Golf and Country Club on Monday, December twenty-eighth, when Mrs. Jimmy White was hostess, and the Coke Party of the following morning which was hostessed by Misses Betty Kathryn, Martha and Mary White.

Arrangements of red poinsettias and greenery bounded throughout the white-walled club rooms and lights gleamed through the stained glass windows of a tiny cathedral to complete the Christmas-y decorative theme.

Veiled in white tulle caught at intervals by clusters of red and pink roses, the party table was centered with an arrangement of similar blossoms flanked by silver candelabra of burning white tapers.

Assisting Mrs. White in serving more than one hundred seventy-five guests on Monday were Mrs. Thomas F. Smith, Mrs. Logan White, Mrs. Dan Glenn, Mrs. M. C. Horton, Mrs. Judson Sandlin, Mrs. P. E. Sealy, Misses Mary Gail McCreary, Linda Sue Anderson, Judy Sealy and the hostess's daughter, Betty White.

Guests at the coke party on the following morning numbered forty.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ashcraft, 404 North Walnut, were her daughter, Mrs. Carl Platt, Mr. Platt, and their daughters, Margaret and Susan, of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sego of Atlanta, Ga., were holiday guests in the home of his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sego of Waterloo and Mrs. L. C. Brooks, Jr., and Mr. Brooks of Florence. Mrs. Sego, the former Margaret Jelonek, is with the German consulate in Atlanta and her marriage to Mr. Sego was an August event in her native Hildesheim, Germany.

After a fortnight's visit with her son, John Hutchinson, Mrs. Hutchinson, and their family, Mrs. Roper Hutchinson returned on Tuesday to her home in Montgomery.

### Mr. Mrs. Davis Have Golden Wedding Celebration

Arrangements of yellow gladioli and chrysanthemums abounded throughout the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis of Rogersville, Route One, when they entertained recently in honor of their golden anniversary.

Guests were welcomed by the hosts and two of their sons, London and Arvil Davis, both of Rogersville. Among the well-wishers present were all four of the Davis' children, nine grandchildren and one great grandchild.

A cloth of yellow and white linen covered the refreshment table where a tiered cake, resting on a mirrored base which was garlanded in greenery, was the central decoration. Yellow tapers glowed from golden holders to light the setting.

Assisting were Misses Wylodean, Carolyn and Eloise Davis, Misses Margarette and Bobby Truitt and Miss Earline McKee.

More than one hundred and fifty guests called during party hours.

Mrs. Hugh G. Porter has returned from Cincinnati, O., where she attended the National Association of Teachers of Singing.

Judge and Mrs. Robert T. Simpson of Montgomery were New Year's guests of relatives in the district.

Here for a recent visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ricker, 105 Seymour Ave., were Wm. Ricker of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Kelley and little daughters, Laurie Kim and Kristin Van, of Marshall, Tex., were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edgar Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Devon Landers (Martha Sue Koonce) and children, Lisa and Johnny, have returned from Auburn where Mr. Landers recently graduated from the Auburn University School of Pharmacy. They are now at home in the district.

Mrs. G. S. English has returned from a holiday visit with her sons, Alfred English and his family in Shelbyville, Tenn., and Harry English and family in Donaldson.

Miss Ann Cromwell returned on Tuesday to Auburn University after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Henry Cromwell, North Wood.

Among the Florentines who attended the Sugar Bowl game in New Orleans were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Callahan and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Osborn, Jr.

Recent guests of Mrs. Morrison Paxton, 753 Meridian, were her nieces, Mrs. Joseph Thomas and daughters, Misses Shirley and Joanne Thomas, of Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Don G. Lovett (Claudia Tombs) of Houston, Tex., arrived by plane for the New

## News Of LEXINGTON

By MYRA PORTER

Miss Betty Campbell and Miss Rose McQuire spent the past week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dean in Athens, Alabama.

We would like to wish Mr. Grady Springer of Lexington Route Two a speedy recovery. Mr. Springer is in the ECM Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. White, Jr. and daughter were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hood of Lawrenceburg.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Schell, who have a baby boy. Also to Mr. and Mrs. Melton Shelton who also have a boy.

Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fields was Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pettus, David and Teena of Leoma, Tennessee.

Mr. W. T. Lemay is sick at his home at Lexington, Route Three where he has been sick since the last of October. The family of Mr. Lemay wishes to thank the many

Year's week end with her sister, Mrs. Foster Barnwell, and Mrs. Barnwell, 699 Riverview Drive.

Ens. John Thomas McGee has returned to Clarksville Base in Clarksville, Tenn., where he is now stationed following special schooling at the ABCD Base in San Francisco, Calif. He was a holiday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McGee, 423 West Mobile.

Also a recent guest in the McGee home was Miss Alice Hardin of Moulton, niece of Mrs. McGee, who returned home on Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hardin, and her brother, William, who drove over for the day.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Cloyd, North Pine, were holiday hosts to Miss Martha V. Shepherd of Mosheim, Tenn., and to their son and his family, Dr. and Mrs. Will John Cloyd and children of Jefferson City, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lenfesty have returned to their home on Garland Ave., after a round of visits which included a holiday stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lenfesty of Marion, Ind., and other stops in Indiana and Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kreisman of Chicago will arrive tomorrow for a visit with his niece, Mrs. Morton Levin and Mrs. Bernard Zucker, and other relatives and friends in the district.

Ralph Penland, Jr., returned on Tuesday to the University of the South in Seawane, Tenn., after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Penland, and other family members at 933 Olive Street.

## News Of GREENHILL

By Mrs. Mary McLaurine

friends for the cards and things extended during his time of sickness.

Visiting in the W. T. Lemay home during the Christmas holidays were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Dolton Springer and Mr. and Mrs. Hulet Lemay of Indiana, Mrs. Minnie Lee Springer, Jerry and Edward.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lee recently was Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee Craig.

Funeral services were held at Milliners Chapel Saturday for Patti Suzanne Smith, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith. The services were conducted by Rev.

William Smith, assisted by Rev. Dorsey Thomas of Killen. Interment was in the nearby cemetery. Mr. Virginia Green and Grady Springer are patients at ECM Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wales of Dyersburg, Tennessee were here for the Smith service.

Rev. and Mrs. William Smith and James have returned from visiting relatives in Tuscaloosa.

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Cash on hand and in banks	\$ 635,709.71
U. S. Government Bonds	948,000.00
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock	320,000.00
First Mortgage Loans:	
Insured G. I. Loans	1,033,850.70
Conventional Loans	18,959,894.30
Loans on savings accounts	288,493.93
Property sold on contract	31,710.29
Office building and equipment less depreciation	291,061.63
Other assets	78,118.52
Total	\$22,586,839.08

### LIABILITIES

Savings accounts	\$20,085,332.81
Loans in process	54,155.98
Advances from Federal Home Loan Bank	200,000.00
Other liabilities	4,225.50
General Reserves	\$1,608,500.92
Specific Reserves	72,621.28
Surplus	454,365.32
Unappropriated Current Income	107,637.27
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## News Of POWELL

By Mrs. J. N. Phillips

### Church:

One hundred attended Sunday School at the Bethel Baptist Church on Sunday morning, with a number of visitors arriving for the eleven o'clock worship service. In the evening sixty four attended Training Union and evening worship.

Funeral services were conducted from the Bethel church on last Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. for Bob Appleton of the Sugar Creek community. He passed away suddenly at the home of Miss Marie Noblit in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee. Services were conducted for him by the pastor of the Minor Hill Baptist Church, and the funeral song service was conducted by the Minor Hill Baptist Choir. His burial followed in the Mitchell Cemetery. Pallbearers were J. T. Word, Vernon Newburn, Jasper Phillips, Hubert Goode, Robert Lee Townsend, and Warren Norwood.

Mr. Appleton, who had never married, is survived by one sister, Julia Appleton of Lawrence-

burg, and a brother T. C. Appleton of this community.

### Personals:

Mrs. Nell Lee of Birmingham spent a recent visit with her sisters here. Catherine and Margaret Bailey, due to the death of their uncle, Bob Appleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Roden announce the birth of a daughter, their second one. The Rodens live in Decatur, maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Echols.

Billy Ray Thompson, son of the Wilton Thompsons, underwent a recent appendectomy at Jackson Hospital.

Mrs. Dillard McConnell entertained the members of her family with a dinner at her home on Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Luffman, the Loyd Luffmans of Decatur, the J. B. Berryhills; Charlie McConnell, and the Jim Bullards.

The Powell Home Demonstration members met at the home of Mrs. Roy Weigart on Monday for the regular monthly meeting. Lunch was supplied in covered dish by various members and enjoyed together at the noon hour. Under the direction of Miss Conners, the group filled out their 1960 program, and discussed various topics of interest to all present.

Mrs. Ona Camp's guest on Tuesday of last week were Mrs. Gladys

Irions and Mrs. Lavenia Blakely of Florence.

## News Of ANDERSON

By Myrtle McGraw

Mr. and Mrs. Burford Camp are the proud parents of a baby girl who was born Dec. 26 and whom they have named Beverly Ann. Mrs. Camp was Peggy Springer prior to her marriage. They are now living in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Goodman and children spent part of last week with relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sinyard and Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Williams have returned home after having visited relatives in Winter Haven and other points of interest in Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Duke and Johanna and Mrs. Maude Norton visited relatives in Burlington, N. C. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Herston and children of Cleveland, Ohio, visited relatives here and in Florence during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Judy Howard of Gallatin, Tenn. spent last week in the Travis Butler home. Also visiting in the Travis Butler home on New Year's day was PFC Jerry Szymkin of Fort Benning, Ga. His home is in Auburn, New York.

Arnold Clemmons left for Chicago, Ill. Saturday to seek employment.

J. C. Phillips has returned to his base at Fort Bragg, N.C. Saturday.

Billy Ray Thompson underwent an appendectomy at Dr. Jackson's Hospital last week.

Wallace Tucker has been removed from the hospital at Lester to the Veterans Hospital in Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snoddy of Cleveland, Ohio are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbro of Scottsboro spent the week end in the Oliver Nesmith home. Oliver Nesmith visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbro last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bullard and sons of Cleveland, Ohio visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cobb have a new brick home completed on their farm and plan to move in the very near future.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bedingfield and Mark have returned home in Washington, D.C. after having visited their parents.

Clarence Belue son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belue was home from Fort Bragg, N.C. for a ten day furlough. Willie Belue, another son who is employed in Chicago was home for the week end.

The Hoyt Fulk family, the Bill Fosters and the Tonic Hurns all visited in the Joe Belue home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cole of Arkansas visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rutman over the week end.

Grady Ongnum underwent eye surgery at the ECM Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cockrell has a new home completed on the Lambferry Road next to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie B. Thorne and will move into it very soon.

One hundred seventy one attended Sunday School at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday and others came in for the preaching service. Several visitors were present, among them were; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snoddy of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bullard also of Cleveland, and Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbro of Scottsboro. One hundred nine were present for training union Sunday night.

The two story farm house belonging to Mr. and Mrs. G. Benny Thigpen with all its contents burned Sunday night. The origin of the fire was unknown.

## News Of CLOVERDALE

By Kathryn Smith

Phone 2073-M-2

### Church:

Rev. E. L. Hunt pastor of the Cloverdale Charge preached a very interesting sermon Sunday at the Cloverdale Methodist Church, using as his subject, "Safety In Time of Need."

### Personals:

Mrs. Ray McCorkle has been dismissed from the Baptist Hospital in Memphis after undergoing surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Sharp and son enjoyed dinner with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Thrasher on New Year's Day.

Smiths Celebrate Fifth Anniversary With Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Marion W. Smith celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary with open house in their home on 2315 Houston St., Florence, Sunday afternoon, January 3, nineteen hundred and sixty.

Some 150 guests called during the appointed hours.

Their guests were received by their daughters, Mrs. Robert Fulmer and Mrs. Newton Haraway. A granddaughter, Miss Carolyn Haraway, presided over the registration book. Gifts were displayed by granddaughters, Miss Debra Smith, Miss Roberta and Arlene Haraway.

The reception room was decorated with yellow roses. The party table overlaid with lace over yellow linen was centered with yellow gladioli, the three tiered cake placed on a round mirror with yellow burning tapers were also a table attraction.

Mrs. Covey Smith, Mrs. Coy Smith and Mrs. Carter Smith, daughters-in-law and Mrs. Ann Stansel assisted in the serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are the parents of eight children, Mrs. Ruby Haraway, Rogersville; the late

## TELEVISION

FOR WEEK OF JAN. 8 THROUGH JAN. 14

DAILY — MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

<b>DAILY - MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY</b>	
<b>CHANNEL 6—WBRC-TV</b>	
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<b>CHANNEL 8—WSIX-TV</b>	
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<b>CHANNEL 13—WAPI-TV</b>	
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<b>CHANNEL 15—WOWL-TV</b>	
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<b>WBRC—Channel 6</b>	
5:30 Religious Series	
6:00 Country Boy Eddie	
6:30 Morning Show	
7:35 Alabama Farm News	
8:00 Morning News	
8:15 Captain Kangaroo	
9:00 For Better or for Worse	
9:30 On The Go	
10:00 I Love Lucy	
10:30 December Bride	
11:00 Love of Life	
11:30 Search for Tomorrow	
11:45 Guiding Light	
12:00 Amos & Andy	
12:30 As The World Turns	
1:00 Our Miss Brooks	
1:30 Houseparty	
2:00 The Millionaire	
2:30 Verdict Is Yours	
3:00 Brighter Day	
3:15 Secret Storm	
3:30 Edge of Night	
4:00 The Californians	
4:30 San Francisco Beat	
4:55 News	
5:00 Highway Patrol	
5:30 Alabama Newswel	
5:45 Doug Edwards News	
<b>WSIX—Channel 8</b>	
8:45 Sign on	
9:00 Cartoon	
9:30 Romper Room	
10:30 My Little Margie	
11:00 Susie	
<b>NIGHT</b>	
<b>FRIDAY, JAN. 8</b>	
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## News Of ROGERSVILLE

By Mrs. Oswald Waddell  
Phone 2681

### Pre-Teen Party

On the lawn and on the inside of the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Spry on the Pulaski Road which was gaily decorated for the holiday season they entertained for their daughter, Vicki, with a Christmas party on Tuesday evening.

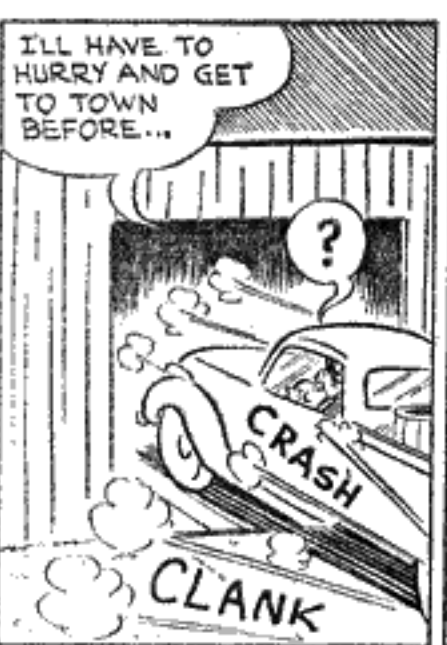
Games and fireworks were featured and the group enjoying this were Butch Ball, Joan Gail Bedingfield, Ernie Ball, Kay Weathers, Judy Whitehead, Marie Green, Sandra Comer and Danny McCor-

mick. From out of town were: Mitch Mitchell and Alice Hill, Florence; Dianne Stanfield, Elgin; and Layton Spry, Huntsville. Waddells Entertain

Arriving on Monday by plane were Mrs. Nevin Wagner, Susan, Janet and Kathy, from Charlotte, N.C., to join the others of the family who had already arrived in the Dr. J. R. Waddell home for the holidays and the biggest day of the holiday season for him and them, his birthday anniversary, on the 29th.

Dr. and Mrs. John R. Waddell, Jr., from Athens were there and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cobbs and Richard of Blackstone, Va., and Cathlene Waddell from Falls Church, Va.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Buell Johns a son, whom they have named Tony Edward, just in time to make



it a real Christmas in the Johns home, the 22nd.  
In the Grady McNairy home for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Lavender Owens and family of

Chico, Mississippi.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brockman and sons of Tuscaloosa were the guests of Mrs. Brockman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer Dison.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Delbert Waddell and son and Mrs. Pearl Lee of Birmingham, John Burchell and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl McMasters, Decatur, and Dr. Frank Baugher of Florence were the guests during the holidays in the F. D. Waddell home.

Attending Convocation of the Alabama-Florida Synod when it convened at the Huntsville Cumberland Presbyterian Church Saturday and Sunday were Misses Ruth Myers, Jane Tucker, Cora Sue Waddell and Jimmie Sims and Gary Cosby.

Guests on New Year's Day in the home of Mrs. Clara Goode were Miss Ebeline Miller of Washington, D.C., Edward Miller, Lincoln, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. Neal Miller, Mrs. Donie Miller, Oliver; Mr. and Mrs. Benny Brown and two children of Hillsboro, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Miller.

Rev. Milton Scott Bagwell of Huntsville was the guest speaker at the Rogersville Baptist Church on Sunday for both services.

Rev. George Eady, who has been quite ill at his home, is improved. Guest of the Rex Robersons for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberson and son and Robert Roberson of Auburn; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nash and daughters of Oneonta; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Romine, Florence; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jackson and Louis, Jr., Gadsden; and Mrs. Mary Braden, Pell City.

Mr. and Mrs. Gwen McCain and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Putman visited relatives in Tuscaloosa recently. Charles Ray visited his sister, Mrs. Idell Comer and family Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Eddy and daughter of Nashville visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eddy recently.

Coleman Howard of Indiana is visiting his family here.  
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hunt Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Liverette and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt.

David Haney spent a week with his uncle, Franklin Hunt and fam-

ily during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Balch and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Junos Balch three days during New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleaveland Cambell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cambell, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Balch and Mazi Balch were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward and Bur-

rell and Mrs. Neal Morris and daughter visited relatives in Henderson, Tennessee during Christmas holidays.

A number of Nebo young people attended the youth convocation at Huntsville, Alabama, Jan. 2nd and 3rd.

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## News Of NEBO

By ADA HANEY

Jimmy Jones of the U.S. Air Force has returned to his base in Washington D.C. after spending the holidays with his wife Fay and her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt and family.

Lowell Haney of the U.S. Marines has returned to his base in Jacksonville, N.C. after spending the holidays at his home here.

Mrs. Hermie Howard visited Mrs. Bettie Hunt Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Balch and children of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Balch and Mazie during the holidays.

Billy Ray Howard of the U.S. Army has returned to his base after visiting his wife Betty and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Almon Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hunt and Mrs. Ada Haney and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Hunt and children Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winters and Betty of Charleston, S.C. have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Guston Howard and other relatives here.

Jenos Balch has been dismissed from ECM Hospital where he was a surgical patient. He is recovering nicely.

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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Psalms	100	1-5
Monday	Joshua	24	14
Tuesday	Psalms	34	1-4
Wednesday	Psalms	86	9-11
Thursday	Ephesians	5	19-20
Friday	Columians	2	15-16
Saturday	Revelation	7	9-10

Most of us take hymns for granted—until the eager mind of a child asks, "Why do we sing in Church?" And then we have to grope for the right answer...

It isn't that God prefers singing to other kinds of worship. We know He is concerned with sincerity, not melody.

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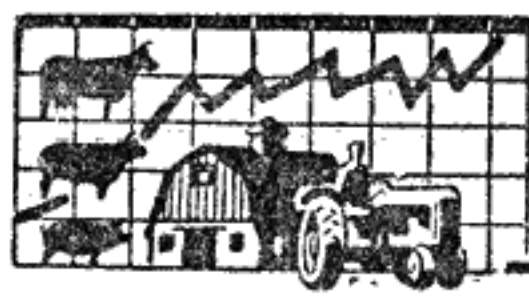
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Dorothy Overbe, Auburn Extension Consumer Education specialist, advises having the butcher make a crosswise cut through the bone to separate the shank from the butt half. The shank can then be cut lengthwise along the bone leaving one section with the bone for baking. Slice the boneless piece



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into steaks for broiling or frying, and you still have the butt half for cooking at another time. Always follow the cooking instructions that come with the ham, says Miss Overbe.

## Rake Leaves For Excellent Mulch

You may not like to rake leaves in the fall, but they make an excellent mulch for your garden.

Auburn Specialist John Bagby says that small amounts of barnyard manure, non-diseased flower stems or stalks, and clippings from new winter lawns can also be mixed with the leaves. However, he warns against the use of bermuda lawn rakings.

The material should be piled in an out-of-the-way place, advises the Extension horticulturist. Or you can make a box-like container out of scrap lumber. Add a good handful of nitrogen fertilizer to every wheelbarrow load of mulch to speed up decomposition. After tramping the leaves down to break them up, wet them thoroughly. Bagby recommends stirring the mulch about once a month. Then tramp it down again and remoisten.

The mulch can be used every time you rework a flower bed or make a tree hole, points out Bagby. However, it takes eight or nine months to completely decompose the mulch. You can improve soil texture and add needed organic matter by applying about two inches of mulch to three or four inches of soil.

## January Lambs Early Marketers

The lamb is one animal that doesn't know when it has had enough to eat.

If you plan to feed carry-over lambs in the dry-lot, start with a small amount of feed and gradually increase. Auburn Livestockman Bob Farquhar recommends starting off with one-fourth pound of shelled corn and one-eighth pound of cottonseed meal. Increase this amount every third day until the lambs are eating about two pounds of corn and one-fourth pound of CSM. Farquhar adds that the size of the lamb and its progress should determine the amount of feed.

"Lambs that are born during January will be large enough for early summer selling," says the Extension specialist. The animals should have every opportunity for rapid growth, and creep-feeding may be advisable with late-born lambs. This will insure their selling on the early market.

## Seedbeds Should Be Prepared Now

Prepare now to plant dallis grass, coastal bermuda, or bahia grass next February or March.

According to Auburn Extension Agronomist O. N. Andrews, failure to get a stand of these grasses is caused by planting on a loose, freshly prepared seedbed. After deciding on the acreage and field that you want to plant, send soil samples to Auburn for fertilizer and lime recommendations. And following these recommendations, apply lime uniformly over the field. Andrews points out that the lime should be mixed thoroughly with the soil by turning and disking. About a month before planting, apply and disk in the fertilizer. The field should then be harrowed to smooth the seedbed.

After a good rain to settle the soil, your field will be ready for planting in late February or March, adds the agronomist.

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## WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Here's the Answer

### Bird

#### HORIZONTAL

1 Depicted bird

6 It is a kind of

13 Interstices

14 Angry

15 Pedal digit

16 Gaze fixedly

18 Playing card

19 Spot

20 Fortune-teller

22 Exclamation

23 Tropical palm

25 Comfort

27 Cicatrix

28 Attracted

29 Doctor (ab.)

30 Abraham's home (Bib.)

31 Mixed type

32 Behold!

33 Prayer ending

35 Night birds

38 Learning

39 Russian river

40 Pronoun

41 Light shoes

47 Depart

48 Clean fish

50 Raccoon-like mammal

51 Stomach

52 It is found in America

54 Disprove

56 Sleep noisily

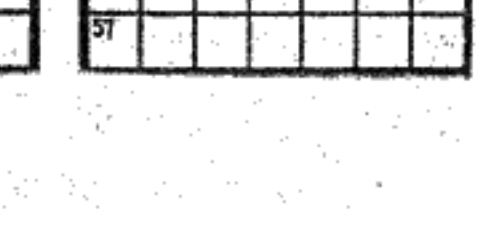
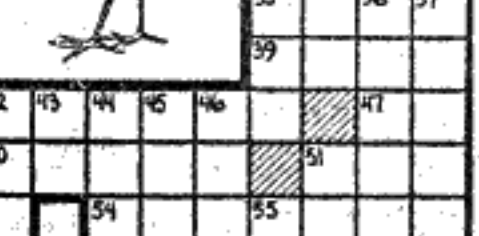
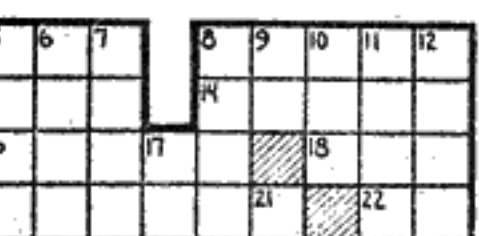
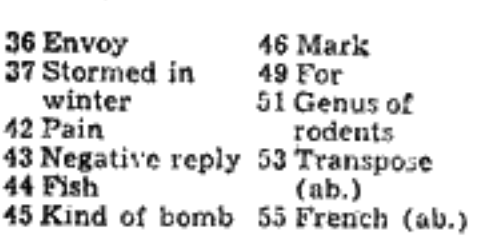
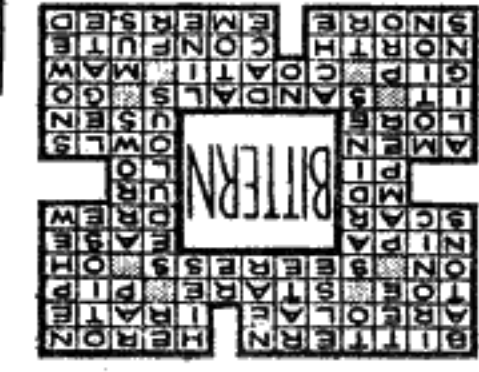
57 Above water (bot.)

#### VERTICAL

1 Rods

2 Satiric

3 Golf mound



## Ten Word INTELLIGRAM

How many states can you identify from their official flowers and birds?

- 1—Pasque, ringneck pheasant.
- 2—Bluebonnet, mockingbird.
- 3—Yucca, roadrunner.
- 4—Pine cone, chickadee.
- 5—Trailing arbutus, chickadee.
- 6—Rose, eastern bluebird.
- 7—Forget-me-not, ptarmigan.
- 8—Goldenrod, cardinal.
- 9—Orange blossom, mockingbird.
- 10—Violet, Rhode Island red.

Count 10 for each correct choice. A score of 0-10 is poor; 10-30, fair; 30-50, good; 50-100, excellent.

Decoded Intelligram

1—S.D. 2—Tex. 3—N.M. 4—Minn. 5—Mass. 6—N.Y. 7—Alaska. 8—Ky. 9—Pa. 10—R.I.

## Watch Winter Aphid Damage

Now that cold weather has spread across the state, truck crop growers should watch out for increasing damage from aphids.

During hot weather, these pests are usually controlled by parasites and predators, reports Extension Entomologist Jerry Ruffin. However, the parasites and predators become less active in cool weather and aphids rapidly increase.

Among the crops most likely to be damaged are turnips, mustard, radishes, lettuce, broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage, and other leafy vegetables. The Auburn specialist advises checking with your county agent for insecticide recommendations.

## Farm Money Is Getting Scarce

The high cost of money may cause farmers to face a new kind of squeeze.

Auburn Extension Marketing Specialist A. W. Jones reports that consumer credit has jumped eight billion dollars during the last three years. In two years, residential real estate debt has increased 20 billion dollars. Fred Gilmore, director of the Land Bank service of the Farm Credit Administration, said, "As a result of such increased demands for money, it is scarce and getting scarcer. It's no wonder that interest rates have shot upward."

The heavy demand for farm capital forces farmers to reinvest a large portion of their income in their farm business, explains Jones. This is one reason why lack of cash is a common complaint among farmers.

## Common Causes Hunting Mishaps

Hunters can reduce accidents if they avoid the most common causes.

About two-thirds of all the accidents in hunting can be traced to three causes, says Auburn University Extension Specialist Earl Kennamer. These are humans in the line of fire, mistaking humans for game, and careless handling of firearms. The latter cause also includes hunting with the safety catch off.

According to the wildlife specialist, safe hunting depends on the common sense, courtesy, and alertness of all people who engage in this sport.

## New Poison For Rats Effective

Are you discouraged about the use of anticoagulant rat poisons? If so, don't be, says Extension Wildlife Specialist, Earl Kennamer. If you can't find any sign of results within a few days, be patient because this type of bait works quite slowly.

Actually, the anticoagulant poisons are much more effective than the old fashioned violent poisons. And this is due to their slow killing action. According to the Auburn Specialist, rats don't become alarmed at the slow deaths caused by anticoagulant-type poisons. This means that they will feed without fear.

Since the rat and mouse problem increases with cold weather, don't waste any time providing food and drink that contains an anticoagulant poison.

Studies made in Arkansas showed that cows required 1.5 to 1.9 minutes to consume a pound of concentrate in milking parlors. The same cows required 2.1 to 3.0 minutes to eat a pound of concentrate in a stanchion barn.

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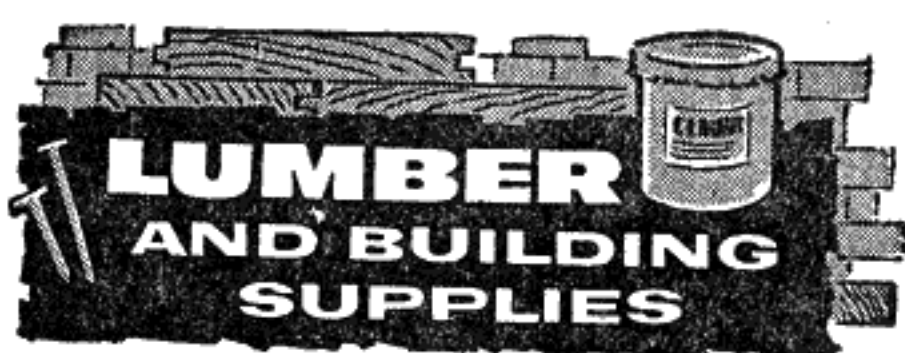
Cash and Due from Banks	\$ 291,663.48
U. S. Government Bonds	1,369,468.75
State of Alabama Bonds	26,651.77
Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures	9,699.31
Loans & Discounts	1,184,939.69
Other Assets	1,645.93
Other Real Estate	9,816.27
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,893,885.20</b>

### LIABILITIES:

Capital	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus	60,000.00
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,893,885.20</b>

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lien or encumbrance on said lands,  
or any part thereof.Said bill being filed to establish  
the complainant's right and title to  
said lands and clear up all doubts  
and disputes concerning the same.In this cause it being made to  
appear to the Register that Lone  
Oak Stables, Inc. owns and is in  
the actual, peaceable possession  
of said lands.Complainant acquired title to all  
of the above described property  
except a tract hereinafter described,  
by virtue of a deed of conveyance  
with full covenants of warranty  
from Clyde McCluskey  
and wife, Josephine McCluskey,  
said deed having been dated No-  
vember 21, 1959, and having been  
delivered on said date, and having  
been filed for record in the office  
of the Judge of Probate of Lau-  
derdale County, Alabama, on No-  
vember 21, 1959, and recorded in  
said Office in Book 685, at Pages  
497-98.Complainant acquired title to  
the following described tract, to-  
wit:Beginning 5 chains North of the  
SE corner of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of  
Section 36, Township 2, Range  
11 West, the West 201 feet  
to Northeast corner of the 1 acre  
tract herein described, thence  
South 245 feet; thence West  
along Clyde McCluskey's North  
line 170 feet; thence North along  
East line of Clyde McCluskey,  
245 feet; thence East 170 feet to  
beginning point, bounded on the  
East, South, and West by Clyde  
McCluskey's land, 1 acre, more  
or less.by a good and sufficient deed with  
full covenants of warranty exe-  
cuted by Pearl Jackson Ingram,  
Prezella Ingram Long, and Earline  
Ingram Helm, dated November 7,  
1959, which deed was delivered on  
said date, and is of record in the  
Office of the Judge of Probate of  
Lauderdale County, Alabama, in  
Book 685, Pages 281-282.Complainant's predecessors in  
title, Clyde McCluskey and wife,  
Josephine McCluskey, acquired  
title to that part of the above  
described property known as Lot  
5 by deed from Joe Edwards et  
ux, dated August 29, 1947, which  
deed appears of record in the Of-  
fice of the Judge of Probate of  
Lauderdale County, Alabama, in  
Book 384, Page 141-42, and by  
deed from Johnnie Mae Blair and  
husband, and Beatrice Jefferson  
by deed dated September 12, 1959,  
said deed being of record in the  
Office of the Judge of Probate of  
Lauderdale County, Alabama, in  
Book 685, Page 402-3, and by deed  
from Raymond Bulls et als, dated  
September 19, 1959, which deed  
appears of record in the Office of  
the Judge of Probate of Lau-  
derdale County, Alabama, in Book  
681, at Page 322-25.Complainant's predecessors in  
title, Clyde McCluskey and wife,  
Josephine McCluskey, acquired  
title to the remainder of the prop-  
erty conveyed to complainant by  
them by deeds as follow, to-wit:

1. Deed from Annie Hill and husband, dated July 14, 1937, re-  
corded in Book 266, Page 613,  
in the Lauderdale County Probate  
Office.
2. Deeds from Sally W. Blair and  
husband, John S. Blair, dated  
September 22, 1942, recorded in  
said Probate Office in Book 323,  
Page 251; dated November 13,  
1943, and recorded in said Prob-  
ate Office in Book 239, at Page  
177; dated March 3, 1945, re-  
corded in said Probate Office in  
Book 254, Page 635; and dated  
July 12, 1945, recorded in said  
Probate Office in Book 363,  
Page 124.
3. Deed from David Hall and  
wife, Annie Martin Hall, dated  
December 12, 1945, recorded in  
said Probate Office in Book 368,  
Page 178.
4. Correction deed from Sally W.  
Blair et als, dated May 20, 1959,  
recorded in said Probate Office  
in Book 669, Page 242.
5. Deed from Timothy Clyde Mc-  
Cluskey et ux, dated August 28,  
1959, recorded in said Probate  
Office in Book 685, Page 425-26  
(this deed having reconveyed a  
portion of said property previ-  
ously conveyed to the grantor  
by the grantee therein).

That complainant claims to own  
the fee simple title to said lands  
in its own right, by reason of  
said deeds and other instruments,  
and by virtue of its actual, peace-  
able possession of said property,  
and the actual, peaceable posses-  
sion of its predecessors in title,  
for a period of over ten (10) years;  
that title to said lands now stands  
in the name of the complainant in  
the records of the Probate Office  
of Lauderdale County, Alabama;  
that complainant and those  
through whom it claims has been  
in the actual, peaceable possession  
of said lands for over ten (10)  
years next preceding the filing of  
this bill of complaint; that no one  
except the complainant and those  
through whom it claims, has as-  
sessed said land for taxation or  
paid taxes on said lands for more  
than ten (10) years next preced-  
ing the filing of this bill of com-  
plaint; that the above named de-  
fendants claim or are reputed to  
claim some right, title, interest in,  
lien or encumbrance upon said  
land. Therefore, the above named  
defendants, and any and all per-  
sons claiming any title to, interest  
in, lien or encumbrance upon said  
lands, or any part of said lands,  
are hereby given notice to appear  
in said cause and in said Court  
and plead, answer, or demur to  
the bill of complaint by the 8th  
day of March, 1960, so that such  
claims may be adjudicated by the  
Court so as to clear up all doubts  
or disputes concerning the title to  
said lands, or otherwise suffer de-  
crees pro confesso to be rendered  
against them, whereupon said  
cause shall be submitted for final  
decree as provided under Article  
2, Sections 1116 and 1132, inclu-  
sive, Title 7, to the 1940 Code of  
Alabama, as amended.Done this 5th day of January,  
1960.Elbert L. Daly  
Register  
Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28**MORTGAGE SALE**Under and by virtue of the pow-  
er of sale contained in that cer-  
tain mortgage from Bradford New-  
ton and wife, Mildred Newton, to  
Steve Garner of Lauderdale Coun-  
ty, Alabama, to secure an indebt-  
edness therein described, which  
mortgage is recorded in Mortgage  
Record Book 605, Pages 281-285  
in the Office of the Judge of Pro-  
bate of Lauderdale County, Ala-  
bama, and default having been  
made in the payment of indebted-  
ness secured thereby, the under-  
signed, as owner of the mortgage  
and the indebtedness secured  
thereby, will on Friday, the 22nd  
day of January, 1960, offer for  
sale to the highest bidder for cash,  
within the legal hours of sale in  
front of the Courthouse door in  
Florence, Lauderdale County, Ala-  
bama, the real estate described in  
said mortgage located in Lau-  
derdale County, Alabama, to-wit:  
All that part of the East 1/2 of  
the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of  
Section 14, Township 1, Range  
8, lying South of the Lexington-  
Grassy Road (Highway No. 64)  
containing 4 acres more or less,  
together with the appurtenances  
thereunto belonging.This sale is being made to sat-  
isfy the indebtedness secured by  
said mortgage, and the proceeds  
of sale will be applied as therein  
directed.

Steve Garner

Jan. 7, 14, 21

**MORTGAGE SALE**Whereas, Turner W. Lovelace  
and his wife, Addie Lovelace exe-  
cuted a mortgage to First Federal  
Savings & Loan Association of  
Florence to secure an indebtedness  
therein named, which mortgage is  
recorded in Mortgage Record 573,  
Pages 22-24 in the Office of the  
Judge of Probate of Lauderdale  
County, Alabama, on the real es-  
tate hereinafter described:  
And, Whereas the said Turner  
W. Lovelace and his wife, Addie  
Lovelace executed an additional  
mortgage to First Federal Savings  
& Loan Association of Florence,  
which mortgage is recorded in  
Mortgage Record 601, Pages 478-80  
in said Probate Office on the prop-  
erty hereinafter described to secure  
an indebtedness therein named;  
And, Whereas, it is provided that  
upon default in the payment of  
the indebtedness secured by each  
of said mortgages that First Fed-  
eral Savings & Loan Association  
of Florence was authorized and  
empowered to sell said property to  
the highest bidder for cash in front  
of the Court House door in Flo-  
rence, Alabama.And, Whereas, default was made  
in the payment of the indebtedness  
secured by each of said mortgages.Now, Therefore, the undersigned  
First Federal Savings & Loan As-  
sociation of Florence, Alabama,  
will offer for sale to the highest  
bidder for cash in front of the  
Court House door in Florence, Ala-  
bama, within legal hours of sale,  
on the 14th day of January, 1960,  
the property described in each of  
said mortgages located in Florence,  
Lauderdale County, Alabama, to-  
wit:Lot No. 3 in Park Addition in  
the City of Florence, Alabama,  
according to the map and plat  
of said subdivision made by R.  
E. Meade, C. E., and filed for  
record in the Office of the Judge  
of Probate of Lauderdale County,  
Alabama, and recorded in New  
Plat Book 102, Page 258. Said Lot  
3 fronts 57.6 feet on the East  
line of Kenneth Court; the North  
line of 125.5 feet; the South line  
is 137.3 feet.The proceeds of sale to be ap-  
plied as therein directed in each  
of said mortgages.First Federal Savings &  
Loan Association  
of Florence

Dec. 24, 31; Jan. 7

**NOTICE OF  
STOCKHOLDERS MEETING**The annual meeting of the stock-  
holders of the The Farmers Bank  
of Anderson, Alabama will be held  
Friday, January 15, 1960 at 1:30  
o'clock p.m. at the bank for the  
purpose of electing a board of  
directors and for any other busi-  
ness that might come before the  
meeting.Rayford Raney  
Cashier  
Dec. 24, 31; Jan. 7, 14**MORTGAGE SALE**Under and by virtue of the pow-  
er of sale contained in that cer-  
tain mortgage from Sam Cal-  
houn and wife, Rhodie Calhoun,  
to the First National Bank of  
Florence, Florence, Alabama, to se-  
cure an indebtedness therein de-  
scribed, which mortgage is record-  
ed in Mortgage Record 594, pages  
517-19 in the Office of the Judge  
of Probate of Lauderdale County,  
Alabama, and said mortgage and  
the debt thereby secured having  
been duly assigned to the under-  
signed, and default having been  
made in the payment of indebted-  
ness secured thereby, the under-  
signed, as assignee, will on Thurs-  
day, the 31st day of December,  
1959, offer for sale to the highest  
bidder for cash, within legal hours  
of sale in front of the Courthouse  
door in Florence, Lauderdale  
County, Alabama, the real estate  
described in said mortgage located  
in Florence, Lauderdale, Alabama,  
to-wit:Lot 5 in Block 6, in the Bunting  
Hill Subdivision, in Florence,  
Alabama, according to the map  
and plat thereof recorded in the  
Office of the Judge of Probate  
of Lauderdale County, Alabama,  
in New Plat Book 2, at Page 76.This sale is being made to sat-  
isfy the indebtedness secured by  
said mortgage, and the proceeds  
of sale will be applied as therein  
directed.E. B. Haltom, Jr.,  
AssigneeThe foregoing sale has been post-  
poned and announcement thereof  
made by the undersigned announc-  
ing said postponement at the time  
set for sale and the date to which  
said sale was postponed. The sale  
will take place on Monday, Jan-  
uary 18, 1960, within legal hours  
of sale in front of the Courthouse  
door in Florence, Lauderdale  
County, Alabama.E. B. Haltom, Jr.,  
Assignee.**TVA TRANSFERS LAND  
TO INTERIOR DEPARTMENT**393 acres on Pickwick Lake, in  
Colbert and Lauderdale Counties  
has been transferred to the U.S.  
Department of the Interior. This  
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**STATE OF ALABAMA  
LAUDERDALE COUNTY  
IN THE PROBATE COURT  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-  
TATE OF ELIZABETH PENN  
SMITH, DECEASED.**Notice is hereby given that on  
the 22nd day of December, 1959,  
Clara Foote Adams filed in this  
court her petition seeking to pro-  
bate an instrument in writing pur-  
porting to be the last will and test-  
ament of Elizabeth Penn Smith,  
deceased, and that the 15th day  
of January, 1960, has been ap-  
pointed by the court as a day for  
the hearing of such petition and  
evidence offered in support of the  
same.Given under my hand this 22nd  
day of December, 1959.Estes R. Flynt  
Judge of Probate

Dec. 31; Jan. 7, 14

**NON-RESIDENT NOTICE  
THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
LAUDERDALE COUNTY  
Helen Fields Phillips**vs.  
Ellis Earl Phillips  
In the Law and Equity Court  
In Equity  
AT FLORENCEIn this cause it is made to ap-  
pear to the Ex-Officio Register,  
by the affidavit of Helen Fields  
Phillips that the respondent, Ellis  
Earl Phillips, is a non-resident of  
the State of Alabama, and his last  
known address was 2487 E. 59th  
Street, Cleveland, Ohio, and fur-  
ther, that in the belief of said af-  
fiant, the respondent Ellis Earl  
Phillips, 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 Ellis Earl Phillips  
to plead, answer or demur to the  
bill of complaint in this cause by  
the 8th day of February, 1960 or,  
in thirty days thereafter a decree  
pro confesso may be taken against  
him.Done at office in Florence, Ala-  
bama, this 5th day of January,  
1960.Elbert L. Daly,  
Ex-Officio, Register  
Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28lake at the site of a bridge which to build as part of the Natchez  
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