

Street Lights Go On In Wilmington

Business District Is Transformed Into A Fairyland Of Beauty As Christmas Decorations Are Flashed On

WILMINGTON—Santa Claus the annual visitor to good little boys and girls, is coming to town again this year on a pre-Christmas visit to see what the boys and girls and all the grown-ups too, are expecting for Christmas. Yes, right down out of the cold Northland to the sunny coast city of Wilmington comes this grand old man.

Next Friday, November 22 in the late afternoon generous old Santa, attired in his Christmas visiting outfit, will sail into Wilmington by plane and will be met by a special greeting committee who will tender him the courtesy of the city and a beautiful decorated float to convey him to downtown Wilmington. Lining the streets as in former years will be thousands of children from 1 to 80 years of age to greet this happy saint of childhood's dreams.

When Santa comes to town next Friday he will ride on a specially built and decorated float prepared by a volunteer committee composed of Herbert Harrel, Mary Helen Seitter and Henry Rehder. The entry of Santa will mark the opening of the holiday season.

Invite President To Visit Southport

Some ten days ago the Brunswick County Chamber of Commerce extended an invitation to President Roosevelt to make a fishing trip to Wilmington, Southport and Fort Caswell. One of the main ideas was that he be able to see the opportunities for national defense lying in the Southport harbor.

Apparently, the idea of national defense was of the most moment. Yesterday the Chamber of Commerce secretary was advised by one of the president's secretaries that the invitation was being turned over to naval officials for study, of the situation.

He will come to Wilmington from the airport and on his entry to North Fourth street switch on the newly lighted business district, starting at Nixon street and extending to Fourth and Red Cross. North Fourth street will be a gaily lighted trail of Christmas brightness.

Every child in Eastern North Carolina will have an opportunity to see and hear this grand old saint next Friday in Wilmington when he arrives to turn on the Christmas lights, and as a matter of information, it is probably true that few if any cities in the Carolinas will have more lighted and decorated blocks than the 23 which will blaze in multi-colored beauty here next Friday night.

The Christmas program planned by the merchants' committee

which has as its co-chairman W. B. Beery and C. L. Efrid, has planned the most extensive program yet attempted for the Christmas season. R. Stewart, publicity director for the committee has prepared and distributed a portfolio among the merchants setting forth the plans and N. L. Foy, chairman of the budget committee, has raised hundreds of dollars through the generous cooperation of merchants to make this Christmas program one of the outstanding interest to both shoppers and visitors during the holiday season.

An important feature of the parade on next Friday is expected to consist of the R. O. T. C. band, which has participated in the event every year since its organization.

More Names And Numbers

1858, Henry O. Peterson, Jr.; 1859, Berty Dero Goff; 1860 Harry Stanley; 1861, David Jessie Williams; 1862, Lawrence Rudolph Yeoman; 1863, Benjamin Thomas; 1864, D. Leighton Stanley; 1865, Charles William Southland; 1866, Preston Lawrence Bryant; 1867, Roma Marvin Pigott; 1868, James Thomas Carlyle; 1869, Elmer Talmadge Mooney; 1870, Boyd Moore; 1871, Daniel Marvin Anderson; 1872, Wilbur Hughes Tharp; 1873, Berlice J. Russ; 1874, Rudaw Albert Russ; 1875, Eddie Junior Lance; 1876, George Randolph Bryant; 1877, Jesse Oneby Register; 1878, Paul Gilbert McDowell; 1879, William Litchfield Styron; 1880, Woodrow Wilson Smith; 1881, Nathaniel Thorpe; 1882, Henry Edward Gray; 1883, Norman Elroy Little; 1884, William Jasper Shaw; 1885, Jhon William Armstrong; 1886, Charles Harper Vitou; 1887, Eugene Jackson Willetts; 1888, Alexander Lofton; 1889, Peter Butler; 1890, Robert Toomer; 1891, Alexander Merrick; 1892, Silas Dubard; 1893, Victor Richard Bartels.

BOLIVIA SCHOOL NEWS

The two eighth grade plays and one by the grammar school were enjoyed by quite a few parents and friends. The junior glee club also furnished enjoyable music.

There will be no school next Friday, Nov. 22nd, as all the teachers are going to attend a district teachers' meeting in Fayetteville.

The fourth grade gave a very interesting chapel program last Friday. It's theme being centered around "Books". This was very appropriate, as last week was national Book week.

Many of the children are enjoying lunches from the lunch room, and we hope that many more will.

Bolivia is organizing a junior American citizen club in each home room. The eighth grade is organizing the Mary Slocum chapter. They have elected the following officers:

Pres. Lowell Mercer, vice-pres. Jane Cannon, sec. Mary Lou Earp, color-bearer, Larnell Willetts. When one has learned the pledge of allegiance to the flag, prayer, and the American creed, a membership pin or badge will be given.

The fourth grade organized its chapter of the junior American citizens last week. This chapter is named in honor of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow. The following officers were elected: president, Sammie Lane Mercer; vice-president, Alice Tharp; secretary, Marjorie Phelps; color-bearer, Hugh Danford.

Mr. and Mrs. George McIlvaine of Jacksonville, Fla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lanier.

M. B. Ward, Jr., of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Zibelin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Russ of Wilmington spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. and A. P. Henry.

George Zebelin of Wilmington spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Zibelin.

Mrs. Hattie Galloway and children, Miss Frances and James, attended services at New Hope Presbyterian church Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Register of Shallotte spent Sunday with W. J. Freeman and family.

Miss Alma Woolfe of Leland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Mintz.

Miss Laura Akerman of Acme-Delco school spent the week end with the Reids.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Withrow of Leland were dinner guests of the Reids Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Savage and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fields visited friends in Chinguepin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendal Milligan of Bolivia and Mrs. E. D. Milligan of Ash are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Mintz.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL NEARS END FOR THIS YEAR

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Mrs. W. G. Butler, G. R. Doshier, Pierce Cranmer, Clarence Crapton, James Carr, J. J. Lancaster, Charles Gause, Harry Mintz, Mrs. Robert Jones, Mrs. Bill Wells, Mrs. M. R. Sanders, Mrs. Vienna Leggett, J. W. Ruark, Prince O'Brien, Sr., Mrs. Price Furpless, Price Furpless, Mrs. Harold St. George, Mrs. George P. Howey, Mrs. Allen Ewing, Capt. Charlie Swann, Mrs. R. T. Woodside, J. Berg, W. B. Keziah, Sam Bennett, Miss Elizabeth Murray, Mrs. L. R. Campbell, Miss Betty Carpenter, Miss Esther Prevatte, Mrs. Wanderlich, Dr. J. A. Davis, Dr. L. C. Fergus, Miss Margaret Parkhill, Mrs. Ida Marshall, Miss Winnie Willis, Mrs. A. K. Vitou, H. M. Shannon, R. F. Plaxco, C. G. Ruark, Mrs. F. M. Niernsee, Robert Thompson, William Jorgensen, Gus McNeil, K. Tobiasson, Mrs. W. F. Jones, R. I. Mintz, James Harper, J. R. Potts, Robert St. George, Mrs. Austin Phelps, Miss Edna Robinson, Mrs. George Y. Watson, James Prevatte, Mrs. Percy J. Farrell, Miss Ethel Farrell.

Mrs. Floyd Kirby, Floyd Kirby, Miss Lucy Margaret Lennon, Miss Annie Mae Woodside, Mrs. J. Berg.

Those who have made donations are Mrs. Carrie Davis, Mrs. Potter, Miss Carrie Harker, Mrs. Maggie Watts, Mrs. Mamie Aldridge, Miss Robbie Woodside, Joel Moore, Charles Phillips, Mrs. Mary Temple, Mrs. J. J. Garrett, Mrs. Evelyn Tyndall, Mrs. Lou Ella Ruark, Mrs. Charles Easley, Mrs. Ruth Gay, Miss Theo Outlaw.

MARINE ARTIST IS SOUTHPORT VISITOR

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Southport.
Mr. Moss was also interested in the fact that the hurricane insurance deadline had been brought down to below Southport. This was another thing that he told W. B. Keziah several years ago to try and have done.

Brown, who has just returned from spending six months on ice patrol with the coast guard sketching various phases of the work for the government, made a number of photographs of the basin in the afternoon and again in the morning as the yacht was leaving. He will use these and the mental picture obtained for a sketch.

It is understood that Herbert Stone, editor of Yachting, is to personally write the waterway story that Brown is securing illustrations for. In fact, Brown requested the Chamber of Commerce secretary to write Mr. Stone descriptive data. He personally was very much impressed with the advantageous location of the basin and its surrounding.

He said, "I think it will prove a tremendous asset to the ships going through here and to Southport. I think it should be an example to other and larger towns to do something like this to attract the boatmen."

MRS. STANLEY IS DEATH VICTIM

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Wilmington and Mrs. Katie Ludlum of Whiteville; and five brothers, A. H. and R. L. Faulk of Council, R. F. Faulk of Brunswick, J. B. Faulk of Whiteville; and two half brothers, Lewis and Bert Faulk of Bug Hill. Funeral services were held

at the home Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. Z. G. Ray, assisted by Rev. B. B. Parrish. Interment was made in the family cemetery.

KEZIAH MADE MEMBER OF OUTDOOR WRITERS

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twice, so warm is their praise of Southport, Fort Caswell, Bald Head island and Orton Plantation hospitality. They are worthy of place in any mans scrap book. That is just the use of them that is being made by W. B. Keziah of the Brunswick county chamber of commerce. Perhaps his two most cherished letters are from J. Hammond Brown of the Baltimore News-Post and Baltimore American and Joe Brooks, fishing authority, author and manager of one of the largest outdoor camps in Maryland. In one paragraph of his letter, Brooks said:

"Every one certainly did more than we would think possible, but you outdid them all. Bill, you old buzzard, I can't thank you enough for every thing you did to make our stay in Southport happy. You were a brute for punishment and more than once I felt very sorry for you. You were dead on your feet with all that you had done, but you were still in there pitching."

INSURANCE CLAUSE CAUSE YACHTS TO STOP OVER HERE

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insurance policies being invalidated.
The hurricane clause held the insured boats up only till November 15th of each year. All through last week a number of costly craft were here, waiting the expiration of the time limit before proceeding on to Florida waters. During one night there was 19 costly craft tied up at Southport docks, anchored in the river in the incomplect yacht basin and at Fort Caswell.

One yachtsman, when interviewed, stated that with another year and the local basin completed and the fact that the insurance clause had become repealed becoming generally known, Southport would become widely famed as a midway stopping point for yachts making the journey between the north and south.

He also anticipated that the basin and the lifting of the insurance clause would combine to start Southport well on the way

Advisory Board Helping Fill Out Questionnaires

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when, they need someone to help them.
In addition to the members of the advisory committee, Miss Woodside says that postmasters are qualified to give this assistance.

After the questionnaire has been filled out, it is necessary for the registrant to appear before a member of the advisory board, a postmaster, a notary public or some other person qualified to administer oaths and swear to the truthfulness of the statements contained.

There has been complaint from members of the draft board that several of the questionnaires have come in filled out with pencil. All forms must be filled out either on a typewriter or with pen and ink.

Here's A Funny Experience For State Magazine Editor

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of the short afternoon, he said, if they wanted him to do so. Keziah had been doing some deep thinking and he said to the Captain: "I tell you what, Bowmer, when two bald heads get together they are bound to have a lot in common. That fellow Goerch has been wanting to go to Bald Head so bad and for so long, I don't give a whoopee if you do not go and fetch him back over here until midnight."

And that explains why Carl rushed to a telephone, as soon as he was landed, late Wednesday night. He called up some one, some where in another town, and hurriedly explained he had been unable to keep his

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A Message To The Voters



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The Little Grey Fox Might As Well Plan for Bad Week

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hear the hounds from Columbus, Bladen, Pender, Onslow and New Hanover counties are invited to come down and join in some or all of the chases. Hunts will be held early each morning. They should result in a lot of brushes being surrendered. The next areas to be hunted have not yet been de-

termined, but Sheriff Mayo stated he would like to get away from woven wire fences as much as possible. Foxes like to leap these fences and often fail to clear the wire and get hung. In such case, unless the animal is found and released, it is apt to perish.

Several farmers have recently written Dr. Davis asking him to bring his pack out to their farms and kill some of the foxes which they say overrun the places. If possible, some of these invitations will be accepted next week.

House Dresses NEW STYLES, NEW FABRICS... NEW MERCHANDISE

Come in this week to see our rack of house dresses for the ladies and young misses. You'll be delighted with their looks and pleased with their price.

J. J. HAWES SUPPLY, N. C.

BAD APPLES

You'll probably find a few bad apples in every bushel. That's the way it is with beer retailing. There are several thousand wholesome, law-abiding retail beer establishments in North Carolina. But there is a handful of undesirable, anti-social outlets that reflect discredit upon the entire beer industry.

The Brewers and North Carolina Beer Distributors Committee aims to eliminate every anti-social retailer. During the past 18 months its "clean up or close up" program, in cooperation with law-enforcement authorities, has forced out of business 133 dealers who refused to operate according to the high standards demanded by public sentiment and by the legalized brewing industry.

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BREWERS AND NORTH CAROLINA BEER DISTRIBUTORS COMMITTEE

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