

Engagement Announced



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED - Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Roberson announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Rebecca, to Ralph Lee Kretzer, (SN) of Elizabeth City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Varden Kretzer of Sarasota, Fla. Miss Roberson is a graduate of Perquimans County High School. Mr. Kretzer graduated from Manatee High School, Bradenton, Fla. and attended Manatee Junior College. He is now serving a tour of duty with the U. S. Coast Guard and stationed at Elizabeth City. The wedding will take place in February.

T-H-I-N-K

T-H-I-N-K before buying a household appliance, stated today by Mrs. M. B. Taylor, Home Economics Extension Agent. Get the best appliance for your family and for your money. Think through and honestly answer these questions before buying.

1. What purpose will it serve?
2. What size and style are needed and can be used?
3. What convenience features are wanted and will be used?
4. Are these conveniences worth the additional cost as compared with a basic model?
5. How long do you expect to use this appliance? What is the average yearly cost of the convenience features desired?
6. How frequently might repairs be needed? How expensive?
7. Will repair service be accessible for large appliances? If not, how might repairs be obtained?
8. What safety features does the appliance have?
9. Is the appliance easy to care for?
10. Is the brand a nationally-known one made by a reputable manufacturer?
11. Which dealer offers the best price? Does this include freight and installation?
12. Has the dealer been established in business for several years? Is he reliable in meeting his obligations and backing guarantees?
13. If credit is desired, are you:
 - * Getting it from the lender with the lowest cost?
 - * Making as large a down-payment as possible?
 - * Paying the balance as quickly as possible?
 - * Aware of additional credit charges such as insurance, recording fees, etc.
 - * Aware of the penalty for late payment or skipping a payment?
 - * Aware of the security required?
 - * Familiar with all terms of the credit contract?
14. Do you understand the terms of the guarantee?
15. Do you understand how to operate the appliance for best performance?



MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED - Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Bateman Elliott of Route 3, Hertford announce the marriage of their daughter, Irene Ward, to John Wesley Raymond Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond of Chesapeake, Va. The marriage was solemnized on Dec. 21 at the St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in Murfreesboro with the Rev. G. Wright Doyle officiating. He was assisted by the Rev. Stanleigh Jenkins of St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Ahsokie. The bride is a graduate of East Carolina University, Greenville and is employed as a librarian at Chowan College. The bridegroom is a graduate of the NASA Langley Research Center Apprentice School and is now a student at Chowan College. The couple will make their home at 212 B Spring Ave., Murfreesboro.

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Recipe of the Week

By Sarah Anne Sheridan
Italian Vegetable Salad

A good fall and winter salad which doesn't require lettuce is the one I have copied from a standard salad served in northern Italy. It is appropriate in these days of meat and salad diets. Everyone seems to like it. The following ingredients serve three or four.

- 4 medium cold-boiled potatoes, sliced
- 3 or 4 medium tomatoes, peeled and sliced.
- 1 large green pepper, sliced
- 1 small onion, sliced thin
- 1/2 head raw cauliflower, separated into flowerets, then sliced thin
- 1/2 can small navy beans, rinsed and drained.

Marinate in the following dressing for 1 to 2 hours—stirring frequently.

- 4 T. olive oil
- 12 T. safflower oil
- 4 T. red wine vinegar
- salt and pepper to taste
- 1/4 t. oregano

* I find that after this marinates for awhile that I must correct the seasonings by adding more vinegar and salt.

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Press reports, a short time ago, carried an account of the passing of that man. His name was General Robert E. Wood. He became associated with Sears in 1924. One of his first actions was to recommend that the company enter the retail store field - in addition to the mail order business. The reason for his recommendation was that he sensed the population movement to the cities. He also was aware of the tremendous gains in automobile ownership, which he felt portended a mobility that would bring declining sales in the mail order market of rural America. His prescience built a great merchandising institution which, like others of its kind headed by men

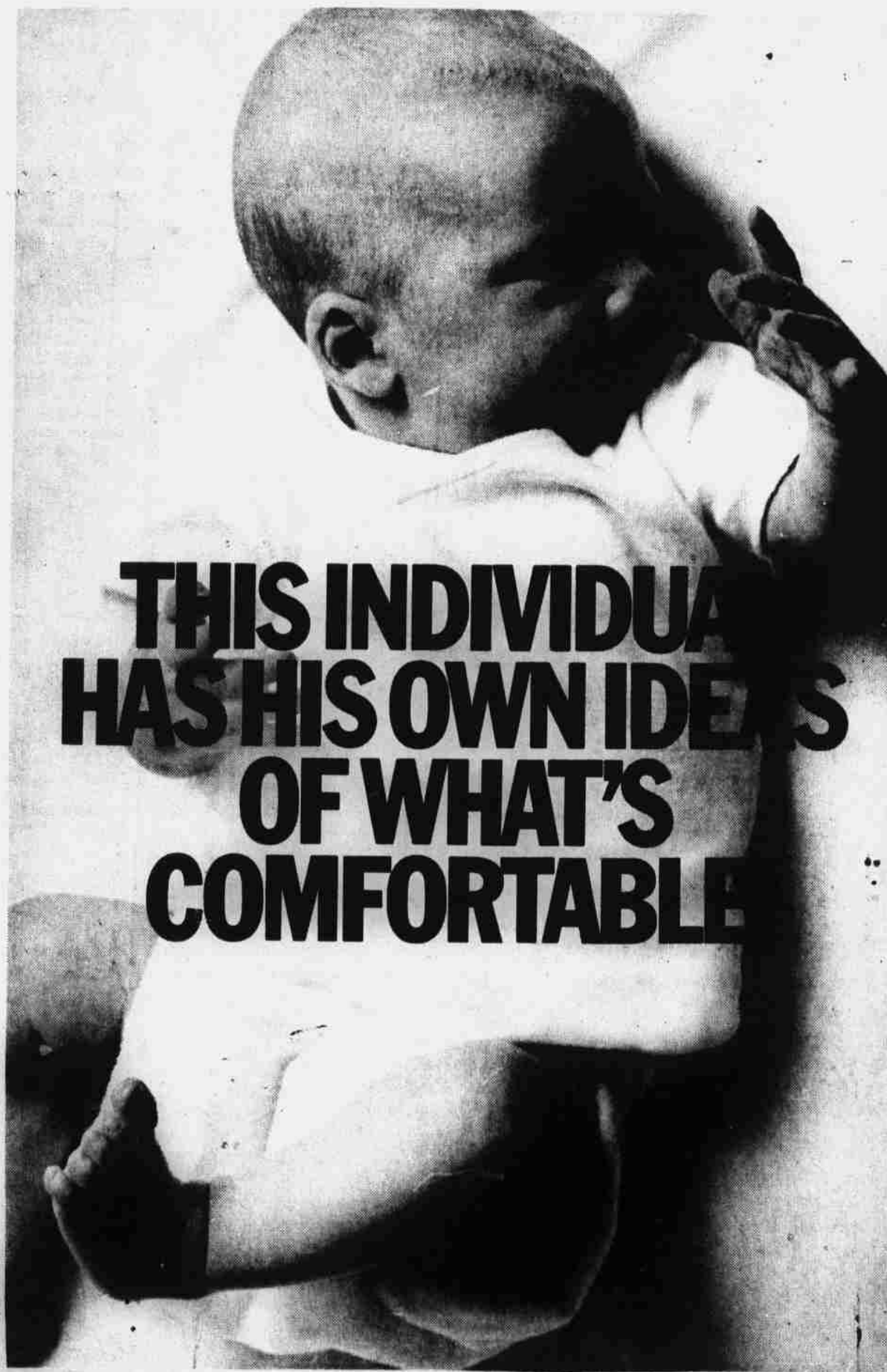
of similar vision, has contributed to the steadily rising standard of living of all Americans.

General Wood's career is proof that progress rests on the foresight and imagination of leaders in the supposedly mundane world of business and industry. Critics of business who fail to see this will unquestionably be failures in the business world.

In Fashion

Winter weather calls for warm clothes and the people who go in for the season's sports choose their clothes with that thought in mind. For skiing, skating or spectator sports we find shirts covered by sweaters and jackets or parkas.

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