FIRE LEVELS CAFE **NEAR MARINE BASE**

Owners Estimate Damage To Building And Equipment At \$20,000

Special To The Star

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 5 — The
King Bee Cafe, located on U. S. highway 17 between Jacksonville and Camp Lejeune was completely destroyed by fire early Thursday night at a loss estimated to be over \$20,000.

building boom at Camp Lejeune, joining in, had been closed over a year and the origin of the blaze is undeter-

Ralph King, operator of the cafe, said he estimated the damage to his equipment at \$9,000. The Massingil Estate, owners of the building, estimated their loss at \$11,000. None of the loss was covered by insurance.

The Jacksonville fire department and several pieces of equipment gress. from Camp Lejeune answered the alarm, but wre unable to save the frame building, due to the lack of water facilities. The building burned to the ground in less than three hours, it was reported.

MEETING TONIGHT

Dr. Frederick W. Lewis, pastor sider constructive. of Pearsall Memorial church, will teach the Sunday school lesson at nounced last night.

Payment Overdue

wrist watch-16 years after it was approximately the value of it."



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EPIPHANY SERVICE HELD LAST NIGHT AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

St. John's Episcopal church held their annual "Feast of Lights" Session Tonight To Discuss service last night with the Rt, Rev. Thomas H. Wright, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of East Carolina participating.

The deep spiritual and missionary meeting of the Epiphany season was explained in music, narrative, and the lighting of candles from a single candle on the alter. The three Wise Men were por Lasure, and Arthur John.

The choir sang Epiphany hymns The cafe, erected during the and carols with the congregation

PRESIDENT READY

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outline, leaving the details to Con-

The tone of the message may be influential in determining whetheration with the Congress will be

realized. Republican leaders on their part have expressed a desire to cooperate but have made it clear that they will go along only with recommendations they con-

The Chief Executive spent most the McClure Fellowship class at of the Sabbath working on the the regular meeting tonight at 6:30 document, his first formal address in the YMCA, J. B. Huntington, anto the GOP Congress. It will be the first time since Herbert Hoover was in the same position in the early 30's that a President of HERRIN, Ill., (U.P.)—Lester Tur- one party comes face to face with ner received a \$20 bill for his a Congress dominated by another.

After completing the speech of stolen. The money was sent in an about 6,000 words this afternoon, anonymous letter stating "the the President turned it over to his watch is long gone, but here is Secretary, Charles G. Ross, who sent it to the White House mimeograph room. Ross would give no hint of its contents.

The President's staff, including Clark M. Clifford, his young special counsel who did the major work of whipping the speech into shape, joined him at the White House Sunday. After final conferences the President put in the last punctuation marks.

Rocenman Present Camuel I. Rosenman, one of the

riginal Franklin D. Roosevelt in on a brain trust," looked cople of speech-writing conferences but did not play a major part in preparing the address, Ross reported. Rosenman, formerly special counsel to both Presidents Roosevelt and Truman, was here primarily as a member of Mr. Truman's ommission on universal training. Mr. Truman will be accompanied o the Capitol by members of his cabinet, who will gather at the White House about 12:45 p. m. Usually the cabinet members go directly to the Capitol from their offices.

The proceedings in the House chamber will be broadcast by teletory, as well as by radio over all pelago deep in the Bering Sea juries.

After hearing the President, Congress will complete its formal orwork. Two more Presidential messages are to be sent to the capitol his week-an economic report Wednesday and the budget message Friday. Ross said these two are virtually completed now.

REBUFFED BILBO **RETURNING HOME**

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retary. Later he will go to New Orleans for treatment which may delay the final showdown on his Senate bid two months or more. "If I live, I'll be back here with my fighting clothes on," Bilbo promised as the two-day tussle in the new Senate ended Saturday the water and a late radio mes-

draws his pay and allowances. " I certainly hope Senator Bilbo lives," was the comment of Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), a leader of Ferguson (R-Mich.), a leader of the fight to bar him. The Senate War Investigating committee on which Ferguson sat delivered a report that Bilbo misused his office for personal gain in dealing with

war contractors. Senator Taft (R-Ohio), chairman of his party's steering committee, told reporters no further action Bilbo can return and a hearing can be held on whether the charges warrant permanent and final ouster. The time of this is highly indefinite

MANOR

Today And Tomororw MON. AND TUESDAY

"MY NAME IS JULIA ROSS"

A TRULY BREATH TAKING PICTURE OF A MAD HOUSE At - 12:25 - 3:10 - 5:50 - 8:30

> PLUS "UTAH"

ROY ROGERS - TRIGGER At - 10:15 - 1:35 - 4:15 - 7:00

9:45

BEACH COMMITTEE **PLANNING PARLEY**

Means To Check Danger Of Erosion

The Wrightsville Beach Erosion board, seeking an answer to what it terms the washing away of the southern end of the beach, will trayed by George Mann, Lester meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock, R. C. Cantwell, Jr., announced.

> Recommendations decided upon at the meeting will be presented to the Wrightsville Board of Aldermen on Thursday, it was learned. The beach committee recently

conferred with the Wilmington District Army Engineers and indicated intentions to file suit against the U.S. Government for damages to the strand, said to be resulting from the closing of the mouth of Shinn creek.

At the same time, the Engineers told the committee the repair of two sea jetties at Masonboro iner his expressed desire for coop- let would halt the erosion. They added that they did not believe the closing of the creek aided the acceleration of the current enough to cause excess erosion.

108 IN DANGER

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this was sufficient transportation to evacuate all personnel.

Weather bureau officials from Anchorage to Nome reported Ba-

another high tide was expected at Palmyra about 3 P.M. (8:30 P.M. AT LEAST THREE EST) and a message from Pal-Palmyra about 3 P.M. (8:30 P.M. myra to the Destroyer Frank Knox. intercepted here, indicated a threefoot rise in the level of the ocean would be enough to imperil the 108 persons. Headquarters was fearful that

any new rise in the crest of the tide would destroy all food and water supplies and render the airstrip on Cooper island, largest of the atoll group, unuseable. Heavy sea conditions are ex-

land to expect high seas. No reports have been received storm.

networks as usual. The House opening Friday also was televised.

Two More Messages | Was reported gaining heavy momentum in its rush toward the Alaskan mainland. mentum in its rush toward the by ambulance to Bridgeton hospi-Gale Force Winds

Pacific and the Bering Sea. Winds were reported raging be-

tween 45 and 70 miles an hour. storm was passing over St. Paul island and heading for Nome, situated on the ice-bound Norton sound in the Arctic region. Despite bad communications, latest reports said the ice in the sound was hold-

be rushed to evacuate them, sur- sound near Bridgeport, Conn., and vived the torrential flood but were that the plane's radio was still in forced to gather on Cooper islet, operation. the largest and highest of the 52

bits or coral forming the atoll. islands rises only six feet above in an agreement by which he stays sage from Palmyra said a threeout pending a hearing later but foot rise in the level of the ocean would engulf the atoll again.

PLANS ADVANCING

The chairman of the local drive also stated that the Wilmington hapter of the National Foundation for Infantile paralysis now has a purse in New York City studying the latest methods of polio treat-



[# [#] ; * SCOTT-RICHARDS-HAYES

POPEYE CARTOON - NEWS

Job For The Governor

Robert F. Bradford, new governor of Massachusetts, and his 10-year-old son, Robert H., shovel snow from the walks of their home in Cambridge before Bradford left for the State House to

Along The Cape Fear

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building cost approximately \$30,-

work. The good that she, and her Janie Smith, Nida McIver, Katie pupils in turn after her, did is im-Heidy, and Lillian Johnson. possible to estimate.

GUESS WHO - We regret that rometers falling fast as prepara- 8 was taken. However we can list Eloise Finch, Sumner Gause, Het. tions were rushed to safeguard most of those seen with Miss Brad- tie Struthers, Daisy Nurney, Rod-

Alaskan residents and property in the event they were struck by the full force of the gale.

Capt. J. L. Collins, 14th Naval district information officer, said

den, Maggie D. Wallace, a Mrs. Merritt, Cassie Legg, Houston Merritt, Joe Gates, and Charlie Haar. Second row: Ed Craft, Mr. Haar, It was largely through the efforts Louise Reed, Ida Thompson, Car-Wilmingtonians were directed to-Legg, Miss Wilson, Miss Newsom, wards making education their life Miss Creasy, Katie Yarborough

Third Row: Miss Primrose, T. we can not tell you the exact year French, Lula Jarrell, Fannie Johnduring which the picture on Page son, Annie Foscue, May Harrell, ger Turlington, May Barkley, Mag-

DIE IN CRACKUPS

Traffic In Eastern United States

VINELAND, N. J., Jan. 5-(AP)-At least three persons were reportpected to continue for the next 36 ed killed and eight injured Sunday church. Interment will follow in hours, according to the frontier night in the crash of a nationwide command. Additional warnings air transport service plane which have been flashed to Canton is- came down in a wooded section in nearby Carmel in a heavy snow-

from Christmas island where 79 Malaga state police reported Army personnel and a British rep-three dead among the 20 passen-sisters: Mrs. W. V. Sellers, Mrs. Army personnel and a British repulation of the dead allouing the 20 passets sisters: Mrs. W. V. Sellers, Mrs. c. J. Craig and Mrs. C. R. Jones and three crew members on the Miami, Fla., to Newark plane, all of Wilmington; four brothers, adding they believed all others www. W. King, E. L. W. King, Heraton of the control vision for the first time in his- Aleutians and the Pribilof archi- aboard might have sustained in-Six of the injured were brought

tal and others were reported at ews of the deceased, are as fol-Millville hospital. gress will complete its formal organization by setting up its comand Attu islands off the tip of the A desk officer at the Westport, Conn., Jan. 5—(A)

WESTPORT, Conn., Jan. 5—(A)

King, Alfred L. King and Harold B. King. Honorary pallbearers: V.

mittees and then will be ready to Aleutians between the raging North barracks of the state police said Ambrosiano, Dr. S. E. Warshauer, American Airlines plane reported Blackman, Emmett Owens, R. S to have crashed "somewhere in Thorpe and Nicholas Papezos. The Weather bureau said the this vicinity" about 10:30 p, m. "We have no definite information on where the crash occurred,

here in Westport.' NEW YORK, Jan. 5-(AP)-The Coast Guard reported at 10:37 p.m. The Americans on Palmyra (EST) Sunday night that an Ameratoll, who sent out a radioed SOS ican Airlines plane had crash officiating. Interment will follow before dawn and asked that ships landed on the beach of Long Island

bits or coral forming the atoll.
In most places, the coral of the IN PLANE CRASH

Three Americans Among Register, Russell Denton, Frank Litgen, Frank Shoemaker, and Bill Victims Of Chinese Air-

liner Mishap Sunday SHANGHAI, Monday, Jan. 6-(U.P.)

Rhodes also pointed out that Wilmington is one of the seven areas
in the state which has a polio unit.

This unit several results and an Italian Catholic sismonther, and an

Chinese National Aviation corporation, was flying from Shanghai to Peiping and cracked up as it was coming in for a landing. It was completely wrecked.

The ship was piloted by Charles
J. Sharkey, of Lawrence, Mass.
Two Catholic sisters from the to "observe" the balloting, schewere reported aboard the plane. days of the triple air disaster at influenced. Shanghai on Christmas night in which 71 persons were killed, or group is free to meet and cambrought an immediate order from paign publicly, and that the "only

The suspension order, issued at one week so that facilities and methods. equipment could be overhauled.

Obituaries MRS. LILLIE R. WARD

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillie R. Ward, 58, 1101 Chestnut street, CHRISTMAS TREE Snow Storms Interrupt Air who died in the James Walker Memorial hospital at 11:45 o'clock Friday morning after a short illness, will be held this morning at 11 o'clock.

The services will be conducted by the Rev. George Saunders from the Sixth Street Advent Christian the Bellevue cemetery. The remains will lie in state at the Yopp Funeral home until the hour of the services.

She is the widow of the late L W. Ward and is survived by three bert S. King and R. S. King all stated. of Wilmington. Active pallbearers, all neph

lows: Robert H. King, R. S. King, Jr., Albert B. Craig, William E a search was being made for an George Duke, R. C. Grant L. R

MRS. MARY L. REGISTER Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Liquor, as usual, probably will be an issue. Charlotte is expected to but we are looking for it," he said. Lillie Register fatally injured in "It is reported to have crashed an automobile accident near Kinston Thursday night, will be con- Mecklenburg county. Should Charducted today at 3:30 p. m. from the Immanuel Presbyterian church, might seek similar legislation. with the Rev. Wade H. Allison in Bellevue cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers will be: Dr. Robertson, Dr. Graham, Barn-ey O'Neal, J. B. Fox, Sr., Frank LeRay, Sr., J. C. Rogers, James Garrison, D. Larkin, Elwood Greer, Luther Greer, Mike Patelos, S B. Bordeaux, George Gore, R Thigpen, Capt. Ed Holm, R. R.

Stone, and John Wolff. Active pallbearers will be: O. Burriss, Herbert Farrar, Harry

She is survived by her husband: 17. Gibson Register. Two daughters: Miss Carolyn Register, who was also injured in the crash and Mrs. Forty-two persons, including Robert Kittle all of Will-Forty-two persons, including sister. Miss Louise Burns, of Wil-Robert Kittle, all of Wilmington, a

The transport, operated by the POLICEMEN HIRT

Franciscan mission of Egypt also duled to begin in Tehran Saturday, and "see that the elections are The crash, following within 10 completely free and the voters un-

He added that any political party Nanking to ground all Chinese function of military law in Tehran planes for one week starting Mon-violence."

The government, meanwhile, was Nanking by Minister of Communi-heckled by a secret radio station, cations Yu Ta-wei, ordered all which called itself "the voice of planes of the China National Avia-Azerbaijan Democratic party," and tion corporation and the China Air broadcast a 45-minute program action corporation and the China Air broadcast a 45-minute program action corporation grounded for cusing Qavam's party of illegal Lost Weekend," Charles R. Jack-

with gasoline supplies low. They month by government troops who paper said today. were unable to land because of a arrived in Azerbaijan to "super-lack of night landing facilities." vise" the parliamentary elections.

SPECIAL SERVICE **PLANNED TONIGHT**

Richard Marsiburn, Negro resi-Two Episcopal Bishops To was arrested by Wilmington police Sunday in connection with the Participate In Feast Of shooting of a 11-year-old Negro Lights boy early Sunday morning at 704

The Rt. Rev. Thomas H. Wright, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of East Carolina, and the Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst, retired bishop of East Carolina, will participate in the "Feast of Lights" service at the Church of the Good Shepherd tonight, the Rev. Harvey Glazier, rector, announced.

The service is held in commemoration of the Epiphany or the Manifestation of Christ to the following treatment. Gentiles with the visitation of the Magi or Three Wise Men. Those representing the Wise Men enter MISS JONES HEARD the darkened church following the lighted star over the altar while singing the carol, "We Three Kings". They present their gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. The rector places them on the altar and then the regular evening services follows.

is darkened except for one candle burning on the alter symbolizing Jesus as the light of the world. The the younger generation, Patty of age for being on the streets at rector then lights his candle from Jones, a senior at New Hanover the altar candle and then the can- High school. She is the talented dles of the three Wise Men who daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. light in turn the candles of each Jones, 1904 Ann street. She chose person seated at the end of each as her solos, two selections from pew. They, in turn light the candle Chopin. Miss Jones plans to conof this noble teacher that many rie Levy, a Miss Merritt, Hattie personal touch of spreading the Donald college. of the next person signifying the tinue her studies at Flora Mcgospel.

As the Recessional hymn is sung program was W. O. Page, Jr., the choir and congregation leave baritone soloist, who was accomthe church with their lighted can- panied by Mrs. Elizabeth Emory dles. The choir of the Southside Sistar, Hattie Love, May Beverly Baptist church will join with the choir of the Church of the Good covered in the broadcast. Special Shepherd for the occasion, the Rev. Mr. Glazier said.

The Rev. Mortimer Glover, rec tor of St. James church, the Rev Richard Sturgis, rector of St. Andrews church, the Rev. Thomas P. Noe, retired former rector of Good Shepherd who held the first "Feast of Lights" service in 1915, and the Rev. J. O. Walton, pastor of Southside Baptist church, will also participate in the service. The public is cordially invited.

BURNING PLANNED

(Continued From Page One) day activities, will act as master

of ceremonies. Local Boy Scouts will be present to aid in the program and bonfire, and members of the fire department will be on hand to help avoid any danger from the fire.

The old trees collected for the bonfire which will climax the program will be hauled to the playground and park today by the sanitation department trucks, Reynolds

In case of rain, the program will be postponed until Tuesday night Reynolds said.

TREK TO RALEIGH

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an issue. Charlotte is expected an issue. Charlotte is expected seek a liquor vote separate from seek a liquor county. Should Charling county. lotte lead the way, other cities

Pearsall has said he saw no reason why the assembly should not complete its business and adjourn sine die within 60 legislative days.

FOR LONG VOYAGE

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Mrs. Streiff said she has reservations on the U. S. S. Brekenridge, which sails from Norfolk January

When asked what she thought of

"The children have promised to behave and I don't think I will have any trouble." Then she added "I hope we don't get sea-sick."

The Lieutenant said he expects to be stationed at Pearl Harbor for at "least two years." He has recently returned to this country from the islands and has already

made arrangements for housing his family near the Naval base. The family is not new in the moving business, Mrs. Streiff pointed out. They have resided in Boston, Washington, Maryland, Rhode Island, Ohio and North Carolina during the ten years Lieut. Streiff has been in the Navy.

He enlisted in theh Navy over 10 years ago and has worked himself up to his present rank, which is permanent, as he is a member of the regular Navy. Mrs. Streiff said she hoped they

would be able to dispose of all the household furniture before her sail-

Wins Film Award

son's story of a tortured alcoholic, The so-called Azerbaijan "Demo- was selected as the best film in All three planes that crashed in crats" came into power in that 1946 by American press and radio he Christmas tragedy were caught province during the Russian occu- reviewers in the annual film daily in dense fog over Shanghai at night pation, and were overthrown last "Ten Best Pictures" poll, the trade

CURFEW PROPOSAL POLICE ARREST MAN AFTER BOY IS SHOT IN LEG GAINING SUPPORT

North Seventh street.

front room of his house.

Harvey Jamison, Jr., was admit-

ON STAR-NEWSREEL

PROGRAM SUNDAY

The Sunday Star-Newsreel, heard

over WMFD yesterday afternoon,

presented, in addition to spot news

Also featured on the half-hour

The newspapers, news, editorials,

drama, music, and features were

announcer for the show was Tom

The program was written and

directed by Ben McDonald, Star-News Round-The-Town reporter.

Gause.

dent of 619 North Seventh street, Clerk Of Juvenile Court Says Plan Would Cut Delinquency

Support of Judge J. Hardie Fer. guson's proposal that a curfew law ted to James Walker Memorial be established in Wilmington for hospital suffering from a leg wound the city's youth was voiced last which his father, Harvey Jamison, night by Mrs. J. C. Layton, clerk Sr., said came as a result of a of the city's juvenile court.

shot fired through the door of the Mrs. Layton expressed the opinion that the establishment of a curfew law to reduce the number Attaches at James Walker Memof children wandering the streets orial hospital reported last night that the youth had been discharged at night would at the same time reduce juvenile delinquency.

She pointed out that without adequate laws to enforce such a program, however, police officers would not be in a position to follow up any such planned curfew, Judge Ferguson, juvenile judge, ast week called for the estab. lishment of some regulation to keen youths of juvenile age off the streets during the early hours and pertinent editorials from The to the fact that no law exists which of the morning. He called attention would give an officer a legal right to arrest children under 15 years such hours and recommended that steps be taken to correct this situ-

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