Banking Holiday

Gov. W. Kerr Scott Issues Proclamation Ordering Closing

W. H. Gardner, executive vice-president of the Bank of Edenton, has been notified that Tuesday, December 26, will be observed as a banking holiday, so that the local bank will be closed from Saturday, December 23, until Wednesday morning, December 27.

The Tuesday holiday was voted by a majority of the officers and members of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Bankers Association, who authorized the executive secretary to request the Governor to declare Tuesday, December 26, 1950,

a banking holiday. Governor W. Kerr Scott, accordingly, issued a proclamation, in which he

said: "Whereas, December 25, 1950, Christmas Day, a State and National holiday, falls on Monday; and

"Whereas, by general consent, many businesses will enjoy Tuesday, December 26, 1950, as a holiday; and

Whereas, a request has been made by representatives of the banking interests of the State that Tuesday, December 26, 1950, be declared a banking holiday.

"Now, Therefore, I, W. Kerr Scott, Governor of North Carolina, by and with the advice and consent of the Council of State, under and by virtue of authority of Section 53-77 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, do hereby designate Tuesday, December 26, 1950, as a banking holiday. During such period of holiday, all of the ordinary and usual operations and business of all banking corporations, State or National, in this State, shall be suspended, and during such period no banking corporation shall pay out or receive deposits, make loans or discounts, transfer credits, or transact any other banking business whatsoever except such acts as are authorized by the aforesaid law."

C. B. Mooney New **Masonic Master**

New Officers Elected at Meeting Held Thursday Night

Officers for the year 1951 wer elected by Unanimity Lodge, No. 7 A. F. & A. M., at the weekly meeting held Thursday night. C. B. Mooney was elected master of the lodge, suc-

ceeding Hubert Williford. Others elected were W. A. Harrell, senior warden; C. T. Griffin, junior warden; C. H. Wood, treasurer, and Louis George Wilkins, secretary. Mr. Wilkins succeeds J. Edwin Bufflap, has served the lodge for 18 years, and who, because of so many other duties, asked that he not be considered as a candidate.

Prior to the meeting about 50 Ma-

sons enjoyed a barbecue supper served by miscellaneous arrests with 16 and at Ernest Lee's cafe. The affair was drunks third with 14. the climax of a recent attendance con-Tuesday, Dec. 25 test in which the losing side, captained the deby W. M. Rhoades, entertained the winning side, of which J. A. Curran winning side, of which J. A. Curran Duving the month police answered

Edenton Police Arrest

According to the monthly report of rests were made in Edenton during stolen property recovered amounted November. Of this number 66 were to \$1,500. During the month police found guilty, six not guilty and five made 565 radio calls and were on the were transients. Arrests included air 47 minutes and 5 seconds. four colored females.

Miscellaneous traffic violations led the list of arrests with 30, followed

Fines amounted to \$249, costs \$321-30, or a total of \$570.30, of which,

During the month police answered 107 calls, investigated two automobile accidents, two automobiles were stolen and recovered, three funerals .77 During November worked, 54 street lights reported out, 23 courtesies extended, 20 doors found open, attended two fires, issued 325 Chief of Police George I. Dail, 77 ar- citations, made 24 investigations, and



Pocahontas Christmas

Chowanoke Council, No. 54, Degree of Pocahontas, will have its annual Christmas party Friday night in the Red Men hall. The regular meeting will begin at 7:30 o'clock, when new officers will be nominated, and the party is scheduled to begin at 8:30 o'clock.

Each member is requested to bring an article of food which will be given to needy families and also a present to be exchanged among members.

| Mary Forbes Wiggins, to George Small Twiddy of Edenton, son of Mr. Party Friday Night and Mrs. George A. Twiddy of Elizabeth City.

The wedding will take place Wednesday, January 17, in the Murfrees-boro Methodist Church.

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Thursday and Friday,

December 14-15-Jane Powell and

Ricardo Montalban in "TWO WEEKS WITH LOVE"

Saturday, December 16-Wild Bill Elliott and Marie Windsor in "THE SHOWDOWN"

Sunday and Monday, December 17-18-Robert Mitchum and Janet Leigh in "HOLIDAY AFFAIR"

Tuesday and Wednesday, December 19-20-John Payne and Maureen O'Hara in "TRIPOLI"

EDENTON, N. C.

Friday and Saturday,

December 15-16-Robert Stack and Broderick Crawford in "MEN OF TEXAS"

Sunday and Monday, December 17-18-Robert Walker and Joan Leslie in "THE SKIPPER SURPRISED HIS WIFE"

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, December 19-20-21-"ROOKIE FIREMAN"

Dorothy Patrick in "LONELY HEARTS BANDITS"

Say Merry Christmas With Flowers!





Whether it's the traditional poinsettias in a ribbon-tied container or a magnificent bouquet of roses, flowers to add zest and color to the Christmas living room are a must. Flowers cost little, yet repay many times over in pleasure. And remember, if you are in doubt about the right gift to give, don't hesitate, send flowers. We wire flowers everywhere.

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