

HOLIDAY VISITS OVER AS VALUE IS NEAR Christmas Season to Be Unshowered in Today With Music in the Churches.

MANY LATE SHOPPERS

The holiday rush is over, and Christmas shopping is concerned, and Christmas, with its train of sacred and tender associations, comes tomorrow. Greensboro merchants reported a most successful sale of articles and everywhere in the Christmas shoppers spent more money, by far, this year than last Christmas.

But while the shopping season is over, the holiday season is just beginning, and the glorious Yuletide will be ushered in today in the various churches of the city, where special music will be held at the various churches and evening services. Many of the churches will give their Christmas music this afternoon.

Merchants yesterday stated that Greensboro shoppers did their buying early this year, but there were many late minute shoppers, as was evident by the large crowd that wended their way into the stores yesterday afternoon and evening services. There was a jostling of elbows in the rush, but the Christmas spirit was prevalent everywhere, and people took every opportunity to do their shopping.

The children, always inspired by the approaching day of gladness, were on the streets early yesterday morning, peeping into windows and were thrilled at the electric lights, the shimmering doll and the thousand, more or less, other toys that make the kiddies' eyes water with joy on Christmas day.

Greensboro yesterday afternoon and last night were very aptly been called the "New York of North Carolina." The streets were lined with people and everywhere glad tidings were exchanged. Automobiles and police officials kept traffic moving at a lively clip. The situation was handled well. Street car traffic was excellent. Large and small crowds were placed into service for the accommodation of the riding public.

The first real cheer of Christmas was noted yesterday afternoon at the Salvation Army and the Guilford county board of public welfare by whom bundles of good tidings in the form of food, clothing and toys were sent to the poor and needy throughout the county.

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GANNA WALSKA WILL APPEAR IN CHICAGO

Wife of Harold McCormick Will Sing "Zana" Just to Show That She Can

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Ganna Walska, wife of Harold McCormick, will return to Chicago in February to make her debut in a concert here, her husband's home town, Jules Dalber, her personal representative, announced today. M. Dalber arrived in Chicago today to lease Orchestra hall for the concert.

To reporters he announced that Mrs. Walska will yet sing "Zana," possibly at Paris Opera, but she has recently purchased—just to show Chicago that she can do justice to the role.

She had been engaged by the Chicago Opera company under the backing of Mr. McCormick, to sing "Zana" here two years ago, but left the city suddenly on the eve of the scheduled performance. Now, after the divorce, she is again in Chicago, and she is again offered, but gossip in the opera company said it followed a heated quarrel with the director.

M. Dalber announced that Mrs. Walska will extend her American concert tour to Illinois, where she will sing "Zana" at the Chicago Opera house. The present marriage, contracted in Paris, is not recognized in Illinois as it was solemnized in Illinois as it was solemnized in Illinois less than a year after the divorce.

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The Daily News continued that Mrs. McCormick has turned over the management of some of her property to Mr. Krenn and there are those who say that this management is part of a business training that will fit the young architect to handle the immense McCormick estate.

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ARBUCKLE AND POSTAL RULES TALKED BY HAYS

Movie Clear Spends Busy Time in Chicago; Wants Increase in Parcel Post Rate

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Postoffice reformer, Roscoe Arbuckle and Wallace Field occupied several busy hours for Will H. Hays in Chicago today. Mr. Hays, former postmaster general and now head of the moving picture industry, stepped definitely from cinema to government and back again while he stopped here a few hours on his way to Sullivan, Ind., for Christmas.

Commenting upon Brigadier General Charles Dawes' recent charges concerning the "submergence" of the first balance sheet and operating expense report of the postoffice department which set forth the department operating at a loss of more than \$60,000,000 a year—Mr. Hays declared that "there must be an increase in the parcel post rate."

There had been much talk and there is being made, he said, "a splendid effort to improve conditions by Postmaster General Work, General Dawes, General Lord, Comptroller Michael J. Furlow, president of the Otis Elevator company, and others. Everyone, of course, is interested in the success of what, as General Dawes has suggested, must be a reformation.

"There is now and long has been a deficit in the operation of the postoffice department. First-class mail is carried at a substantial profit. Second-class mail, which is newspapers and periodicals, never can be carried without a loss. The newspapers and magazines are the means of promoting thought, education, and national ideas and ideals, and it always has been the theory of the postal service that the circulation of the newspapers and magazines should be encouraged by postal rates which would make the maximum circulation.

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PROMOTERS SECURE BLANKET CONCESSION ON PRACTICALLY ALL FEDERAL FIELDS

Los Angeles, Dec. 23.—The Los Angeles Times today reported an announcement from the promoters that a group of Los Angeles manufacturers, bankers and oil operators have obtained from the Mexican government a concession on all government lands in the oil district of the east coast.

"It is by far the biggest oil transaction in Mexican history," the Times said, "and probably the most important deal of its kind in the world, for it involves 11,000,000 acres of land adjoining rich workings of the oldest established companies in the Tampico and Tuxpan districts."

The paper further declared that the concession also has important political significance, coming as it does after the extended controversy between the Oregon government and the American oil companies, in which the United States government has been as yet an unsuccessful arbitrator.

It is announced the Los Angeles group will go into the Mexican oil district and operate according to the terms of the concession. The concession on the same royalty basis which established companies have declared satisfactory. The concession, it is stated, will be drilled on lands immediately joining the richest wells in Mexico.

The announcement came after the return here from Mexico City of W. W. Wilson, G. E. Moreland and George J. Bushmiller, who stated they obtained the concession after an interview with President Obregon, who personally went into the details of the concession. He stated, was made out under the direct supervision of Alvaro Robles, secretary of industry, commerce and agriculture, and the concession is expected to be completed in a few days.

The concession provides that 40 per cent of the production of oil in the Mexican government; the concessionaries pay five pesos a year for the lands they will exploit; that a deposit of 400,000 pesos be made into the Mexican treasury; that works and exploration within a year. Two years are given for exploration and the concession runs for 30 years with provision for renewal.

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HAYS STANDS FIRM ON HIS STATEMENT

Tells Ministers to Remember Teaching of His Work Thought to Forgive

Los Angeles, Dec. 23.—What refusal to reconsider his decision granting Roscoe Arbuckle a chance to return to the films was contained in a message today from Will H. Hays, chief of the moving picture industry, to the session of the West Coast by the by-standers and various Los Angeles pastors who have protested against any further screening of Arbuckle's comedies. Mr. Hays said: "Everything I said is reiterated and emphasized."

"About nine months ago I suggested to those who owned Arbuckle pictures that they do not release them. This resulted in holding up the pictures already made and the elimination of Arbuckle from work in his profession. It was sure that the action was right, and the only doubt at that time was whether it might be doing an injustice to the individual, Arbuckle. I was sure, however, that the action was best for the industry."

"This is no reinstatement of Arbuckle nor any attempt to reinstate him. This is simply a declaration that I shall not stand in the way of this man having his chance to go to work and make good if he can. I am sure that in your consideration of the matter you will not be unmindful of the work of him who first taught us to forgive."

Permanence, Brazil, Dec. 23.—(By Associated Press.) The mishap to the seaplane Sampaio Correia II yesterday while the plane was proceeding from Natal to Cabedelo in the flight from New York to Rio de Janeiro occurred when it was flying at an altitude of 1,000 feet. The starboard motor stopped about 40 miles from Cabedelo, and it was decided by Lieutenant Hinton and his fellow fliers to come down, as the air currents were too strong.

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With Three Holidays England Expects Merry Old Christmas

Two Englishmen Planning Trip Into India's Wilderness to Get Wild Game for American Museum. Americans in London Worrying Over a Gustatory Christmas Dinner

London, Dec. 23.—(By Associated Press.)—England's Christmas will be ideal this year, for it falls on Monday, thus giving nearly every one three successive holidays. The day after Christmas—boxing day—is observed as a holiday as strictly as Christmas itself. The day gets its name from the custom whereby landowners were expected to hand out boxes of Christmas gifts to their tenants, retainers and servants. Postmen and milkmen, as well as newspaper carriers, canvass their routes religiously for annual tips, while even the patrolmen on the beat seldom refused a largesse. The postmen now have a union which this year opposes tips.

For many of the city workers in factories, shops and offices, there will really be four days of rest, because a large proportion of these establishments closed before lunch today and will not reopen until Wednesday afternoon. No newspapers appear Monday and Tuesday. Tradesmen report that the Yuletide has been the most prosperous since before the war. They give the credit to the rising and the general feeling that England is on the verge of better times as the reasons for the large volume of trade.

The Christmas spirit has also been reflected in the large number of Londoners who have left for the country and the continent, and the railway companies have carried more passengers than in several years. Almost as astonishing has been the influx of country folk who always take the Xmas season as the occasion for seeing the sights of the city. These visitors, dressed in their best, pay their respects to all the hotels, restaurants and theaters. Theaters are booked to capacity. Particularly popular are such perennials as "Peter Pan," "The Private Secretary," and "Charles the First."

Contrasting with the holiday gaiety, is the great number of unemployed, the greatest, in fact, that the city has seen in many years. These unfortunates attempt to make a few pence by singing and playing in the streets, while the curbs of the downtown shopping centers are almost lined with men—the majority of whom wear war medals—wearily holding out a handful of matches or shoestrings to the passer-by.

The expedition organized by two Englishmen, which will collect mammals, reptiles and birds in India as a gift to the American Museum of Natural History in New York city in recognition of the hospitality shown by Americans to British officers during the war, is going into the Indian wilderness in January. The expedition is being organized by Colonel Fawcett, British commissioner at Lucknow, who was in the United States on a British war mission, and Arthur S. Verney, an art connoisseur who lived in America for years. Mr. Verney called for India this week where he will be joined by Colonel Fawcett, a cinematographer and a taxidermist. The latter has been sent by the museum.

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PSYCHO-THERAPY FOR BUILDING ATHLETES

Athletic Director at Harvard Adds To Course of Those in Training For Teams

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 23.—Psychology as an aid to the development of athletes along particular lines has been added to the athletic curriculum at Harvard University by the addition of a course in psychomotor training. Starting five weeks ago with 16 "patients" the class has increased until now more than 100 students are at work endeavoring to develop some particular part of the body in which a student requires greater strength in order that his athletic prowess may reach its highest degree of perfection.

Football players who have tried the new system have pronounced it a success. For example a lineman may wish to increase the effectiveness of his charge on a backfield player. He applies to the experts in charge, who writes a prescription of certain exercises and techniques to overcome his particular weakness.

The checks will be the first payment they have received since last December when they were notified by officers of the association that the monthly payments would no longer be available. Judge George Bell of Fulton county Superior court, who appointed the receivers, ordered the distribution, amounting to more than \$45,000, which has accumulated on the resources of the organization.

The receivership still is in the courts, although the Georgia Supreme court has twice decided that a receivership is necessary.

Dr. McNally Has Narrow Escape From Serious Hurt

High Point, Dec. 23.—Dr. J. W. McNally, a local physician, had a narrow escape from serious if not fatal injury when an automobile which he was driving was struck by a truck at the intersection of Main street crossing here tonight.

Dr. McNally had just started to drive his machine across the tracks when the truck, which was driven by a man named George Bell, immediately steered the auto to the left along the main tracks, when his car was sidetracked by the train, which was passing at the time. The physician escaped injury, but the auto was badly damaged.

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PROHIBITION FORCES GOING TO HIGH POINT

Headquarters For Fifth Prohibition District to Be Moved From Norfolk

High Point, Dec. 23.—Headquarters of the general prohibition agents force for the fifth prohibition division, composed of North Carolina and Virginia, will be moved to High Point, N. C., effective January 1. This information is contained in a letter received today by Postmaster O. R. York from R. B. Sams, chief of the fifth division.

The letter states that the change is necessary because the headquarters of the prohibition forces, arranged with reference to quarters here were fully discussed on last Saturday when Mr. Sams came to High Point, and made a survey of local conditions. The headquarters office is being moved here from Norfolk in order that it may be located nearer to the center of the district.

It was generally conceded here last night that Greensboro was not selected as headquarters for the fifth prohibition division because there is no suitable building in the city to accommodate the additional offices. During October Mr. Sams exchanged letters with Postmaster R. C. Chandler with reference to making Greensboro a headquarters for the division at the time it was made known that both Mr. Sams and Commissioner Blair favored Greensboro as the location and Mr. Chandler was also in favor of the office being located here. Mr. Sams formerly lived in Greensboro and is widely known in this section. He has been in government service for many years.

THOMAS POLLARD HELD FOR GRAND JURY WHILE J. M. WEST IS CLEARED

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It would prove valuable in the trial of the case. Mrs. Regester lives in the downstairs apartment of the building where the shooting occurred, while Pollard occupies a suite on the second floor. Announcement that Mrs. Regester had made an affidavit to the commonwealth's attorney, called attention, he said, had not previously been mentioned in connection with the shooting.

Robert Pollard, brother of Thomas Pollard, testified at the hearing. He said he was summoned from his home and, upon arriving at the residence of his brother, found Mrs. Richardson lying upon the floor. Thomas was standing nearby, he said, and told him "that woman came up here after me with this pistol."

My brother told me that he had shot her high above the kitchen table," he continued. "When she arrived he said she entered the vestibule, closed the doors and pointed the pistol at him. He said he took her by the neck of the dress and threw her out on the lawn. He said he followed her down the steps, when she turned and attempted to regain possession of the pistol and in the struggle she was shot."

WOMAN IS ARRESTED ON HOMICIDE CHARGE

Mrs. Beatie Kurwell Said to Have Given Guests Poison Whisky To Drink

New York, Dec. 23.—Detectives to the police, said Beatie Kurwell, of Brooklyn, on a charge of homicide, alleging she made and sold moonshine whisky which, according to police surgeons, caused the death of a young man, Florence Stevens. James Donahy, also of Brooklyn, was taken in custody as a material witness. He reported finding the body of the young man in a room at his home after drinking party in which he, Mrs. Donahy and the dead woman participated last night.

After a visit with the Donahys, according to the police, Mrs. Stevens went out to Mrs. Kurwell's and returned with a quart of whisky, which the trio consumed. When Donahy and his wife awoke this morning they found the woman dead and had during the night.

Stolen Money Being Spent Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 23.—Sheriff Gus Huyer announced tonight he had received information that \$5 bills, corresponding in serial number to those stolen in the robbery at the door of the Dexter mint, were expended Friday, one at Hastings, Neb., the other at Aurora, Neb.

POWERS SEARCHING FOR MURDERER

Worlean, W. Va., Dec. 23.—Armed possesmen led by bloodhounds from the state prison at Moundsville tonight are patrolling the hills and valleys of a thickly wooded section in the hills near Steubenville, Ohio, where they believe James Pearson, alleged murderer, is hiding. Pearson is alleged to have shot and killed Roy Ledson, farmer, near here yesterday.

Organize Spanish Bank. Madrid, Dec. 23.—Negotiations for the formation of a Spanish bank in New York have been virtually completed according to the newspaper Economista. The new institution, the paper says, will be named Spanish Trans-Atlantic bank and will work under the American laws in connection with the federal reserve system.

Santa Claus Drops Dead. Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 23.—Just as Everett Dahl, 44, playing Santa Claus his arms laden with Christmas presents, reached his doorway and was greeted by his children tonight he dropped dead. The coroner said heart disease was the cause.

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