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SANTA STARS IN DUNN PARADE FRID



MR. AND MRS. JAMES A. POOLE Plenty Of Reasons For Those Proud Smiles

AFTER 37 YEARS AS FEDERAL TAX AGENT

James A. Poole Retiring With Government's Praise

These Little Things

By HOOVER ADAMS

THE FBI TELEPHONES:

Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, our telephone rang and Treasury George Humohrev. the switchboard operator at the other end of the line asked our identity and then instructed, "Hold Investigation in Charlotte is call-

At first, we figured it was some friend playing a joke on us. We are blessed (or plagued) by a couple of friends who are always calling us North Carolina and a cifrom far-off places just for the al friend of Mr. Poole. fun of it. They've got plenty of money and are just as likely to call from London as from California. Once she phoned from Bang-

kok, Thailand. (Continued On Page Two)

High officials of the U.S. Internal Revenue Service from various Youths Ignore sections of the State made a special trip to Dunn to honor the veteran revenue agent and left with him several highly-prized momentos and testimonials of his long and faithful service to his source. faithful service to his government. Among them are: Race To Death

James A. (Jim) Poole of Dunn, the State's oldest fed-

eral income tax officer in years of service and head of the

Dunn and Fayetteville U. S. tax offices, retired from his

official duties yesterday after 37 years of continuous serv-

The II. S. Treasury's coveted Albert Gallatin Award for outstand-DARLINGTON, S. C. IP - Three ing and meritorious service, person-ally signed by Secretary of the and a half hours before national Safe Driving Day began at midnight, two carloads of thrill-seek-A letter of commendation and ing teenagers pried bars from a praise from E. C. Palmer of At-lanta Ga. regional Commissioner ternational Raceway and began ternational Raceway and began

of Revenue in charge of the Southracing around the track. ern States and the Republican of Panama. Another letter of commendation for his services from P. K. Sanders of Greensboro District Director for North Carolina and a close personstallation of a tunnel.

PRESENTED GOLD WATCH cared into the hazard. Also a handsome gold Hamilton watch and a gold chain of 37 links

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To The People RALEIGH, N. C. (P) - Gov. Luther H. Hodges promised last night that a special session of the Legislature will be called to deal with school segregation problem if his present program "should result in conditions not acceptable to the state."

Gov. Hodges

Makes Report

For the present, Hodges said he and legislative leaders have agreed that "no additional legislation is needed." He said he remains convinced that his "voluntary segregation" plan, proposed in a speech Aug. 8, "is the best approach to the problem."

Hodges said there have been foud protestations" from the National Association for the Advancepeople of North Carolina, including you want the governor."

In a televised-broadcast statewide "report to the people" Hodges listed the school segregation issue among a number of "difficult problems" faced during his first year as chief executive.

His proposal that "in the interest of keeping our public schools, the different races of their own free choice, attend their own schools, P. S. has been endorsed by "prominent colored leaders." These leaders, he said, have had

to remain anonymous "becaus they do not wish to be made the objects of pressure from the pro ssional agitators."

He said the Negroes "are working for the program and I believe their number will grow." He said the segregation problem is "re-ceiving constant attention, and we as conditions develop."

The governor remained that if a special session is called "before ur school system, a state consti-(Continued on Page Five)

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had dug a 24 - foot wide ditch, 15 Linden School auditorium, Friday Court under \$10,000 bond. feet deep, across the track for in- evening, December 2, at 7:30 o'clock. The plays are: "Just What One of the racers was killed and four were injured when the cars edy and "A Sign Unto You."

Butler Jr. said one automobile adults and 25 cents for students.

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NORTH POLE

Hi Kid Ch tmas is almost here and we're busy as bees up ment of Colored People and "un-favorable reactions" from certain Christm's Eve.

Nesro groups, but he said "as time It's also time for you to write to me and tell me just

passes" Negroes will realize "that what you want. I've got loads and loads of toys and oth-their real friends are the white er things, but you have to write and let me know what s, but you have to write and let me know what

Just write to me like this: SANTA CLAUS Care Of THE DAILY RECORD DUNN, N. C.

Last year, hundreds of you wrote to me in care of The Daily Record and I tried to fill your orders as best I could. Son't be late. Write today and The Daily Rec-

SANTA CLAUS

I'm going to be in Dunn for the Christmas parade Friday afternoon at six o'clock. See you then.

DUNN POLICE AID FBI IN FEDERAL CASE

Negro Says Parolee ceiving constant attention, and we are cosvined that wisdom dictates it be healt with a step at a time

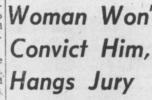
Twenty-five-year1-old John Joseph Mitchell, who has already been up for robbery, has passed through the hands any basic change could be made in of several police departments including Dunn's since night before last and is now in custody of the FBI.

> Mitcheil is charged with kidnap ton, D. C., a 45-year-old negro who works in the Pentagon by day and is a saxaphone player in a nightclub at night...

Ray Abbaticchio, chief of the FBI for North and South Carolina reported that a complaint was filed at 4 p. m. Wednesday before U.S. PLAYS TO BE PRESENTED— at 4 p. m. Wednesday before U. S. Commissioner T. L. Hon at Fay-The Linden school teachers will eterille. Mitchell was bound over the didn't know track officials present two one-act plays in the to the March term of Federal to the March term of Federal vict

BROKE FEDERAL LAW

It was charged that he did "unlawfully and wilifully seize, abduct, The patrons and public are in- kidnap and carry away by threat State Highway Patrol Cpl. C. H. vited. The ticke's are 50 cents for of a firearm, to-wit a pis ol, the of Alvertus Lowery, 44, at (Continued on Page Two)



Defense lawyers are commonly of the opinion that a woman will conman a lot quicker than men will but it didn't work out that way in court here yesterday Solicitor J Shep Bryan reports

that five minutes after the jury re-tired on the case of L H Tew, charged with driving under the influence of intoxicatng beverages, the count was five to six for conviction. It never changed.

Members of the hung jury were

R. Smith, J. A. Green, Milford Gainey, J. Edgar Black, Jr., A. N. Hudson and Mrs. Myrtle T. Lee Mrs. Lee, a resident of Dunn, Rt. 2, was reported by the five male members as the only one who "refused to have anything to do with

the guilty verdict." The jury staved out an hour and a half before Judge H. Paul Strickland declared a mistrial. Tew will be tried again.

CAUDLE INDICTED

ST. LOUIS IP-Two former officials of the Truman administration and an attorney were name dioday in a 24-count in-dictment charging conspiracy,

Named as defendants were Matthey J. Connelly, former White House appointment secretary; T. Lamar Caudle, head of the Jus tice Department's tax division until he was fired by President Truman in 1951, and Harry L. Schwimmer, a Kansas City attor-

Beautiful Floats, Other Attractions

Youngsters are vibrating like so many tenor saxo-phones as the time draws near for Dunn's big Christmas parade, marking the formal opening of the holiday festiv-

Zero hour is 6 p. m. tomorrow night. That's when Santa comes. By all reports, Santa has been

ignoring the campaign against fatness, and will appear in Dunn with all his fabled rotundity, his great beard, and his enormously con-vivial spirits still intact.

Santa will ride an enormous float and give out candy to boys and girls who come to see him. Sharing the spoilight in the parade will be a group of Mother Goose floats and Dunn's own "Miss Merry Christmas," Meredith Cro Charles Hildreth chairman of

the parade which is sponsored by the Retail Merchants Association has asked that all parade participants be at the Armory by 5:30 at the very latest.
This definitely includes young-

sters who plan to ride their decorated bicycles and compete for prizes.

EVERYBODY'LL BE THERE

The whole town is expected to adjourn to Broad Street for the parade. Expecting this rush, Hil-dreth has requested that parents take a back seat to their children and not push into the front lines where they will block the view of youngsters who will have enough to do seeing around each other.

Besides the Mother Goose floats and Santa Claus, many local floats will be in the parade. The Harnett High band will play. The parade will be one of the longest planned best organized, greatest in length and greatest in sheer thrill ever to appear in the Christmas season.

THIRD QUAD DIES

ALMA. Ga. (P) - The third mem ber of quadruplets born to a tenant farm wife here Tuesday died



HARVEST SIGHT — Wearing a "gown" of lettuce leaves, 1955's "Lettuce Queen of Phoenix, Ariz., and the Valley of the Sun" helps during harvest of the vegetable in Phoenix. She's Betty Borkenstein, 23.

School Board Delays Meeting
The county board of education

which usually meets on the first Monday, has delayed its meeting until Dec. 16 when bids will be opened on three new school plants. These projects, which will be the early today and concern was ex- first to be financed by the two pressed for the remaining baby, a million dollar bond money voted Continued on Page Five

Edmonds Is Ford Sales Manager

Harry Edmonds, new sales manager for Auto Sales and Service, hasn't moved himself and family in from Fayetteville yet but that will come just as soon as he finds a house here. started in Williamston in 1939.

Auto Sales sells. Tiny Beverly is He was a master sergeant, served only two months old.

five and Deborah two. ing until Appointment of Mr. Edmonds to a week.

the post was announced today by "I thin he said.

An auto salesman for twelve years, all told, Edmonds said he three weeks

At least one member of the family Drafted into the Army, he switched he moves here will be as fresh as the Fords and Mercuries which instructor in map reading.

overseas in '43, '44, '49 and '50. Deonly two months old.

Edmonds and his wife Lois have spite service experiences, he contwo older children — Harry, Jr., (the Third) and Deborah. Harry is works at it from eight in the morning until nine at night, seven days

"I think Dunn is a great place,"

He has been at the new job for



HARRY EDMONDS - Ford, Mercury His Line

Hi-Lo Supermarket Plans Big Opening

Lillington's newest grocery store has the catchy name of Hi-Lo Supermarket.

This four letter word stands for high quality and low price reports owner-manager David O. Martin, who is inviting the public to come and see that his store has the right

Grand opening of the grocery will be held Friday and Saturday at the new store which aiready is open for business on Lillington's Main Street, opposite the Town Hall and adjoining the Lillington Furniture Company. The building is one which formerly housed the Firestone Store and is the property GIFTS AND PRIZES

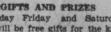
(one for each year of service) pre-

sented to Mr. Poole by Weld (Continued On Page Two)

Ail day Friday and Saturday

be drawn Saturday at 6 p. m. Lillington's first superior represents a new business, but grocery business is not new to Martin
who has had seven years experlence in food selsing, with two
years of special training in meat
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there will be free gifts for the kid-dies. Other visitors are invited to register the same two days for an array of attractive prizes. Every person who goes into the new store Friday and Saturday also may reg-ister for the grand prize which will



GOOSE PAGEANTRY — Ten strik-it around Mother Goose themes, will Junn's Christmas parade tomorrow.

Above is the Humpty Dumpty float — with Jack and Jill on wall at rear — which was seen in Durham's Santa Claus parade,