* WEATHER *

Partly cloudy and turning colder Friday preceded by occasional rain is the east in the forenoon. Snow furries likely in the mountains. Sa.urday fair and quite cold.

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BOXING EXPERT—Dr. Joyce Brothers rushes into the arms of her husband, Milton, after she became the second person in the history of "The \$64,000 Question" program to win the entire jack-pot. The attractive blonde psychologist correctly answered a tough 10-nart question on boxing history.

Erwin Mills Shows \$731,512 Profit

In an annual report to Erwin Mills stockholders for the year ended September 30, 1955, President William H. Ruffin reported net profits of \$731,512, compared with a net loss for the preceding year of \$925,645. Net sales for the year were \$59,871,191, or a 12.7 per cent increase over the 1954 sales of \$53,133,234.

level of earnings.

Jhese Little Things By HOOVER ADAMS

LITTLE THINGS ABOUT

PEOPLE AND THINGS

Mrs. Elsie Kuby, a divorcee, tells us that the one thing she does NOT want Santa Claus to bring her is



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The school kitty is building up, This week Harnett learned that its share of 25 million dollars in state education funds will be a little over \$200,000.

That's not as much as Cumberland (\$427,726.50), Johns on (\$430,or Sampson (\$385,452.11), 138.66) but it will materially add to the two million of its money which the county will spend. From an earlier bond issue by the

state, also of 25 million, Harnett received \$300,000.

The state allocation become available when application is made for it, along with buliding specificatons that show how the money is to be used. Harnett's Board of Education i

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expected to take up this matter imrediately at their meeting on Dec. 16. Bids are also expected to be opened at that time for \$1,000,000 in building construction in schools of the county.

Since authorization by the voters of a two million dol*i*ar bond issue last spring, the county has moved to sell a million dollars worth of school bonds.

rural court county area the total allocation was \$1,444,994.96.

Record Roundup CHRISTIAN YOUTH COUNCIL

The Christian Youth Council O'Quinn of Boone Trail for poul-ll meet Sunday, December 11, at try: Wayne Faircloth of Boone will meet Sunday, December 11, at try: However, Ruffin calls margins of profits in the textile industry "high- make plans for their annual Christ- Erwin, Route, 1 for field crops; and mas caroling event. It is impor-tant that all members be present ly unsatisfactory." Profits after taxes are less than a cent on the dollar, he said, for goods sold. In a letter to stockholders, he so all churches will be represented.

remarked that developments late in the year showed an encouraging PONDER LIBRARY MATTER County commissioners are still pontrend. He said directors felt justi-fied in paying a 15-cent divided on dering how to build a county library for less than \$15,000 and with-Oct. 21, "which dividend, we hop condtions will justify our maintain out having to let bids on the building. Under the law, a building ing on a quarterly basis.", "Good authorities," Ruffin add less than that sum can be built un-der direct supervision of the couned, "hold that our industry is in the process of making the long expectv officials without cailing for bids ed move toward a more reasonable Blue prints of, the proposed new library which commissioners have

arreed to build, were before then

this week and comissioners report

ed them have discussed the matte



IN LEADING ROLES — Mrs. Janet Jackson Signor, left, and Marvin Godwin, right, have the leading roles in "On The Road To Bethlehem," a Christmas pageant to be presented on Sunday and Monday nights at 7:30 o'clock at the First Presbytterian Church in Dunn. The Presbyterian pageant is one of the highlights of the Christmas season in this area.

4-H Achievement Program Is Held

Presentation of annual prizes and awards marked the annual 4-H Club Achievement Night held Monday in the Lillington School auditorium when around one hundred Harnett's exact share of the state monies will be \$201,637.39. For this it pays "To Make the Best Better."

Winners in the boys division were growing beef cattle. Faircloth al-Winners in the boys division were eight who were singled out for out-standing work in particular fields. They included Glenn Ballard of LaFayette Club for ment animal production in heef-cattle; wohn Stone of LaFayette for meat ani-nal production in swine; Richard Byrd of Bunnlevel for electrical projects; Carson Gregory, Jr. of

sistanti home arent, presented awprojects; Carson Gregory, Jr. of Coats for dairy projects; Luther ards to the girls, and County Farm Agents C. R. Ammons and T. D. O'Quinn made the presentation to the boys.

> HOLLER SPEAKS .. Earlier, the audience of young people had seen visible proof of the

winner at the Holstein Breeders Association show at Wilmington. encouragement and scope of achiev-ement 4-H Club work offers young For 14 year old Parker it marked the second consecutive year he had people as depicted in films made captured the coveted field crop awat the recent National 4-H Club ard for his work in flu cured to-Congress in Chicago. The slides bacco. Parker, who makes his home were shown by Dan Holler, assiswith Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Byrd. tant State 4-H leader, who chalgrew an average of 22,000 pounds of lenged Harnett youths to strive to tobacco to an acre, which brought have a winner who will be eligible to attend this annual event, during

Ballard had the twin honor of the Congress top ranking farm being the county Health King in addition to his achievements in youths of the nation are literally (Continued On Page Four)

Won't Pledge Not To Use **A-Bomb First**

UNITED NATIONS (P) -The United States today re-jected Russia's demand for a pledge not to be the first to use atomic weapons as an invitation to "suicide."

U. S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. made a strong appeal before the United Nations Main Politicai Committee for endorsement of a four-power disarmament resolution. giving top priority to President Eisenhower's "open sky" arms inspections plan.

Refering to the Soviet proposal to avoid use of nuclear weapons, Lodge told the committee: "If an international agreement makes it impossible for a nawabiding power to use them first, even in dire extremity of selfdefense against a massive agression, then that power which is strongest in conventional means of warfare would be immediately established as the strongest military power on ear.h. And it would still have a reserve of its own nuclear weapons sufficient to strike devastating blows.

"The three democracies of the world, by their very way of life, have traditionally been forced to accept the first blows in war. Thus, they generally concede a great str ategic initiative. Should they also agree not to use their most power-ful weapops in their own defense after taking that first blow, they would be committing suicide."

Injured Woman Asks \$35,000 A young woman who was injured

first child has filed a civil action in Harnett Superior Court requestng recovery of \$30.000 compensation for personal injury.

Mrs. Doris M. Tysinger of Bules Creek has brought suit against Eugene H. Lasater, Sr. of Erwin as a result of a two car wreck last April

In her complaint, Mrs. Tysinger ontends she was riding with her husband D. C. Tysinger approach-ing the intersection when Lasater. travelling North on the Old Wire Road, carelessly and without warning" darted into the intersection directly into the line of travel of



A CIFT FOR IKE—Embroidered portrait of President Eisenhower is displayed by Juana Maria Luz Albizu on her arrival in New York from Spain. It took her almost a year to complete the embroidery, sometimes spending 13 hours a day on it. Much of the thread in the portrait, which she hopes to present personally to the President, is made from gold.

25 - YEAR CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY

Mills Will Honor Group At Banquet

Erwin Mills will award Twenty Five Year Club pin to employees when it honors its long-time Durham an Erwin, N. C., employees on Saturday, December 10.

The nine new Erwin, members, tain at Erwin. bring that club's total number of Chauncey W. Lever, director of

members to 301. public relations for the Abney and Erwin Mills, will introduce Dr. The nine Erwin, employees who

this year completed twenty-five years of services are: Thomas B. Harris, vice president, will preside. A young woman who was injured state of servers are, and with the president, will president to the hospital to give birth to her J. Taylor, Anna W. Norris, M. S. Erwin, N. C., operation employing W. H. Miley, Jr., manager of the Williams, Jessie B. Walters, Hiram D. Morgan, Hubert P. Sessoms, and

Herbert Q. Beard. Dr. B. M. Grier, President of E. H. Bost, former manager of the Lander College, Greenwood, S. C., E. H. Bost, former m. will address the banquets, to be

held at 12:30 P. M. at the Erwin High School Gymnasium. Musical Eddie W. Seigler, Vice President President William H. Ruffin and 13 at the intersection of 421 and programs, memorial services, and In Charge of Manufacturing, will be door prize drawings will be held A family singing group will enter- C. Cottingham, general manager.



want Santa Claus to bring her is another husband..."Anything but that," she laughed. "One was en-ough,"...."But," we argued, "be-cause one didn't work out cause one didn't work out doesn't mean ail husbands are bad."...And then she sez, "I haven't seen a good one yet!"... Now, was that nice?...She just couldn't be convinced That pretty new home on the right side of the highway just before you reach Erwin is owned by George Joseph

Local Oral Roberts devotees are delighted over the announcement that the famous healing-evangelist ports that ever since it was dis-closed that President Elsenhower has been eating beef bacon for x-ray units. A total of 17,463 Har-I breakfast, markets across the na- nett residents

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Varied Cases Heard Harnett Court In

today.

Cares ranking from theft to norm farmett Recorder's Court. July 0. Lee was on the bench and bolicitor Neill Ross prosecuted the colori. Touise Carter Dalton, 25 year off fillington man, submitted to the fillington man, submitted to the find stres from Secton Motor Sales touch these on Oct. 20, but it was not mid this week that Sheriff C.R. More and Policeman Walker O'C Guine Sound sudence linking Dat

with several builders in an effort to see if the method of construc-tion is gracical. STIL A MYSTERY-The mys to detect tuberculosis among Hartony of how Willie Stekes. Anoien Norroi met death is exactly that. nett County residents will be conducted by the county health de-Reversi arrests have been made but all norsans schemed with the murpartment in January, Dr. W. B. Hunter, county health officer, said der have been released for lack of evidence listest are Rowens James.

took advantage of

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Nerro woman anteide of whose house the body of Stokes has found at a meliminary hearing Two mobile x-ray units and staff workers to conduct the examinations will be furnished by the State Theeday is county recorder's court Health Department. However, exnhaboas addingt the tames wome act dates and plans for the cam-paign await notification from the State Health Department. were diffused for lark of evidence. A orforner's furr held Strikes came to his death from a blow os the head from the hand of persons un-A similar free x-ray program in January 1953 utilized four mobile known.

> HOT THAT LICHTE ON _Street of Linin ton were aclow last night. with Christmas lights and laurel leaves. Chamber of Commerce officials ordered the holidar lights holsted on Mais and Front Streets this week. And Mrs. Casev Fowler wife of the Chamber president. is busy making original decorations (Continued On Page Four)



Yeah, Man, Go Go Melt That Curtain

Joe Gregory of Coats, blue ribbon

an average of \$1,200 per acre.

WASHINGTON (P) - A bop combo from Greenwich Village has told the State Department it is ready "to go, go, go" and melt the Iron Curtain for the United States.

COME ON CATS, GET HEP, DIG, DIG FOR UNCLE SAM

But so far it is the only jazz group showing real interest in the State Department's newly-disclosed plan to help jazz musicians travel abroad with their native American art.

The Greenwich Village jazzman said in a telegram to the state department, "We are ready to go, go, go, man, and melt that iron curtain."

The State Department declined to identify the village cats because it had not yet had a chance to reply.

The real cool offer came to the state department after Rep. Adam Clayton Powell (D-NY) told of the department's search for jazzmen to travel abroad under its special program for spreading American culture. In the past, the department has limited the programa chiefly to symphony orchestras, ballets and other long hairs.

Officials said they have gotten a batch of letters since Powell's announcement from people violently opposed to the jazz project. The objectors have askin effect, whether the department has gone out of its mind.

But state department authorities won't be dis-

suaded by such squawks from squares. "We still think it is a good idea," one official said. "We desperately wish we could get a good mixed com-bo which would make a trip almost anywhere but Europe."

He explained that jazz groups already are successfully booking their own engagements throughout Europe and don't need government help. the Tysinger car, which she contends had the right of way.

In the collision Mrs. Tvsinger suffered a broken right leg, and smashed her left knee-cap. She was a patient at Good Hope Hospi-tal. Erwin for ten days, she may have to undergo an operation for removal of her knee-cap, the complaint states. She further contends that she was disabled for 16 weeks and unable to give her child the

Wealthy CHICAGO (D) — Police force behind the Canadian Ace figures was ordered and an indest feared today that a new Chail Brewing Co., which traces its origin was scheduled for later today. Police were also mindred that cago beer war may have straight back to the heyday of Al Police were also mindred that claimed as its first victim Capone and the bloody beer wars Greenberg was the fifth underworld

cago beer war may nave claimed as its first victim Alex Louie Greenberg, fi-nancial genius and brewery king of the Capone crime syndicate. Capone and the bloody beer wars of Chicago's prohibition days. Tavern owners on Chicago's South Side have been complaining recently that Canadian Ace repre-sentatives were returning to the invertion of the roaring 20's of four top underworld figures in

rour bullets ended Greenberg's to push their product. An immedi-rags-to-riches career as he stepped from a restaurant Thursday night. His wife watched in horror as the gered after his two assassins, only to crumple in the middle of a dingy to crumple in the middle of a dingy treet. Breenberg, 64, was the guiding A roundup of known underworld

Trial After Here

Two Take Appeal

Bernard G. Mason, 108 East Dguilty. He was sentenced to 90 Street, Erwin, charged with drunk days, suspended on payment of driving when he was stopped last \$100 fine and costs with a recont-April 21, pled not guilty in Dunn Recorder's Court Thhrsday, and of his license, Judge Strickland set on his conviction he filed notice of hond at \$200. Crosby was charged appeal.

appeal. Appeal bond was set at \$200 by Judge H. Paul Strickland. He had sentenced Mason to serve 90 days suspended on payment of \$100 fine suspended on payment of \$100 fine suspended on payment of \$100 fine suspended for the defend-support of the defend-tion of the defend-support of the defend-tion of the defend-support of the defend-tion of the defend-support of the defend-support of the defend-tion of the defend-support of the defend-tion of the defen and unable to give her child the "care and motherly love which she otherwise would have been able to give it." She argues that this omission has caused her great "mental anguish and grief." Mrs. Tysinger is represented by the law firm of Wilson and John-son.



Four bullets ended Greenberg's to push their product. An immedi-the 1943 trial, was blown to places

Two other members of the group (Continued On Page Four)