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HARDY CHILDREN

Asheboro's school children are a hardy lot, likewise their teachers, to withstand the almost unbearable cold of the school building.

The janitor was in attendance, feeling radiators—apparently doing his best. It was late in the afternoon, it is true, but all the more reason why the room should have been comfortable.

The parents and patrons of the Asheboro school should look into this matter carefully. It should, of course, have been done before cold weather, but while the children are away from school for the holidays is the time to get busy on this matter.

CHRISTMAS TRADE GOOD

While people have been doing their Christmas gift shopping, they have indirectly been saying, "happy Christmas" to the merchants of the country.

The survey made recently by the Associated Press was nation-wide and points to a volume of retail shopping business "not unprecedented" in some sections to the enthusiastic estimates of gains over the same period in 1930 and 1931.

Some business men think the increased business is a "spurt" that is attributed to the season, but these are in the minority and people everywhere are optimistic.

With Other Editors

The Small Gift

Who has not felt in these days the tug on purse strings when called on to help some appealing cause; Distress and need are so widespread, too, and one appeal seems to follow fast on the heels of another.

TREND OF WORLD AFFAIRS

Germany is re-arming. Germany is building pocket battleships. Germany is building the largest air force in Europe. Germany is buying scrap iron.—These are some of the headlines constantly appearing.

bread is allowed an admixture of only from 10 to 15% of harder foreign wheat. On account of a short potato crop the compulsory admixture of potato flour has been abandoned.

The family boots must suffer because the country is trying all manner of substitutes for leather, fish skin being one of the new substitutes being tried out.

The number of sheep raised in the country is to be quadrupled and groups are already being organized to teach the German housekeeper the best uses of lower priced cuts of mutton.

For the poorest peasants food cards are being issued which enable them to buy the cheapest sort of margarine made from whale oil.

Another point which should be stressed is that Germany is also trying out the home subsistence plan on land reclaimed or improved by the Labor Service Army.

These are among the points which are little spoken of. A philanthropist or, better perhaps, a humanitarian who has been doing his bit for the last several years in Berlin says something like this: I have had to go from one end to another of Germany.

THEY DON'T MIX ON THE HIGHWAYS

Whether you are a "wet" or a "dry," this fact will interest you: Repeal of prohibition has resulted in a tremendous increase in drunken driving, according to reports of police bureaus, safety departments and similar organizations.

A driver does not even have to be noticeably drunk to be dangerous. Investigations show that very moderate doses of alcohol produce the following effects on the average driver: Slower reactions, less uniformity in response, a narrowing of the field of attention, a rise in self-assurance which breeds recklessness.

The "wets" of the country should take the lead in discouraging the drunken driver. He is one of the worst dangers to the cause they espouse—"alcohol on the highway" is certain to be used as a potent argument for prohibition.

In Chatham County, lespedeza growers report a surplus of seed for sale this winter.

Great Advance In Treating Sore Throat

You can't expect lasting relief from sore throat when you use salves or gargles. A sore throat is due to an internal cause and as such should be treated internally.

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Greetings



CONDENSED NEWS OF STATE AND NATION

Important Happenings of the Current Week Written Exclusively for Readers of This Paper.

The North Carolina cotton crop, including government benefit payments, is estimated to be worth about \$47,125,000 to the cotton farmers.

Two American missionaries, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Stam, are reported to have been found near Tsingteh, China, after being killed by bandits.

Sixty high schools of North Carolina are faced with the prospect of being dropped from the list of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary schools in December, 1933.

One hundred and seventy-eight world war veterans will be accepted for duty in CCC camps next month, according to the announcement of Major Charles G. Montgomery.

J. Francis Gorman, organization director of the United Textile Workers, predicted Monday evening that an alliance of labor unions will be formed for a drive against industries now considered hostile to trade-unionism.

The first woman aerial cop is Cora Steiner, of Seattle, Wash. She will patrol the skies for air regulation offenders.

On December 17, the thirty-first birthday of the airplane, America paid tribute to Orville and Wilbur Wright, who flew the first airplane, at Kitty Hawk.

The Federal government opened a drive against lawyers coupled with criminal gangs by arresting James C. Mathers in Oklahoma city and Ben Laska in Denver.

A public forest area of 8412,000 acres for North Carolina is proposed by the United States forest service and agencies of the national resources board.

The Russian government Monday executed 28 alleged enemies of the government, bringing the number of death sentences for plotting terrorism to 103 since the assassination of Ser-

Lady Says CARDUI Eased Pain In Side

Cardui helped an Oklahoma lady, as described below, and many others have been benefited in a similar way. "I had a hurting in my side every few weeks," writes Mrs. Bill Stewart, of Dewar, Okla.

QUICKEST WAY TO CURE ICH

Take a warm bath, use Reeves Sanitary Lotion one time, take another warm bath, and you are positively and completely rid of itch.

The Federal Reserve Board and Deposit Insurance corporation reduced the interest rates on savings deposits in banks from 3 to 2 1/2 per cent. The new rates become effective February 1.

Plans are being laid for 5,600 balls to be held on President Roosevelt's birthday, January 30. Col. Henry L. Doherty is chairman of the committee for the raising of funds to be used for giving medical and orthopedic treatments to thousands of victims of infantile paralysis in every state.

The National Retail Credit association reported Saturday that the buying public is paying bills more promptly and buying more from retail stores. Sales on credit for November was given as 14.6 per cent higher than in November, 1933, while retail collections were given as 9 per cent higher.

State highway programs, a survey indicated December 16, call for approximately 2,000 miles of roads and bridges at a cost of more than \$50,200,000 between now and spring. Ohio will lead in the program, spending \$15,008,435 on 610 miles of road projects.

Solid Steel Overhead Offered The Motorist First Time By Fisher

Detroit, Mich. Dec. 17.—(Special)—Protection of solid steel overhead is to be offered the motorist for the first time with the introduction of the new car models at the turn of the year.

This became known today when Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors, announced the development of the "turret top" by the Fisher Body Division of the Corporation in his quarterly message to the stockholders.

"A very important step, from the standpoint of construction, will be taken in the introduction in certain models of what will be designated as the 'turret top'." Mr. Sloan's statement reads.

motor car, and an added contribution toward safety in motor transportation."

Further details were made public by E. F. Fisher, general manager of the Fisher Body Division with headquarters in this city, who explained that the new "turret top" is a single sheet of seamless drawn steel that extends from the windshield to a point well below the rear window, and is further strengthened by a series of heavy U-shaped metal bows underneath.

"In the new Fisher 'turret' top body the driver and passengers are protected by steel on all sides, above, below, and at the front and back," Mr. Fisher declared.

"The entire front end from the instrument panel forward, and including the corner posts at either side of the windshield, is a single steel assembly. There is no back panel. The one-piece steel roof is brought down to form the top of the steel frame around the enclosed luggage compartment opening. The quarter panels curve around to form the sides; the steel floor, with the necessary molding, the bottom.

"Electrically welded into a solid steel unit and reinforced throughout by girder-type bracing, the component parts of the new body form a rigid structure, embodying the same architectural principles as those employed in the construction of the gun turret of a battleship—the strongest structure ever devised to withstand outside shock."

Besides affording safety heretofore unobtainable, Mr. Fisher points out that the one-piece construction of the "turret top" avoids the possibility of leaks, and at the same time adds to the grace and beauty of the flowing streamline design that will mark the 1935 models.

The "turret top" body is insulated throughout. A layer of 3/4-inch insulating material is secured to the underside of the steel roof. To seal out engine noise and heat, the dash is covered with a felt and fibre board deader, while a layer of heavy jute covers the flooring from front to back. Windows and doors are tightly sealed to keep out rain and chilling drafts.

Improvements in the no draft ventilation system pioneered by Fisher Body also have been made. The doors

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