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Auto Plates CHRISTMAS FUNDS Sales Well FOR ARMY \$290.60 Ahead Now Kettles Yielded \$58.20; Many Children Remembered at the Tree 2,933 Sold to Christ-

mas, 826 More Than Season

Mas day, it was announced today by War Cry," official Salvation Army Miss Nell Jordan, manager of the lo- publication.

cal branch office of the Carolina available

Christmas eve day, last Thursday, she had sold 2,933 State license plates, a taken, he said, and in addition many gain of 862 over the 2,071 sets of plates children were provided with toys sold to the corresponding date last year

had been disposed of.

At both offices there was a rush and congestion today, it being rather spasmodic at the city cler.'s office, but an all-day affair for the State licenses. The city expects to sell a round 1.200 plates in all, where the State license totals will run probably clore to 10,000.

The local branch office of the motor club serves not only Vance county but this entire section of the State and motorists from many surround ing and nearby counties come here to obtain their licenses.

The motor club office and the city clerk's office were both closed from Number Defendants Before Christmas Eve day until this morn ing, takin goff the Saturday holiday as well as Christmas day itself.

The plates went on sale December 15, and from that time until the close of business today, which was 4 o'clock this afternoon for the State agency, approximately one-third of the expected total sales were made. Only three days remained in which the other two-thirds of the plates were to be sold, as the law requires that automobiles must be equipped with the new plates if operated after the first day of the year.



Trucks Still Delivering Parcels Today, But Clearing Up Jam

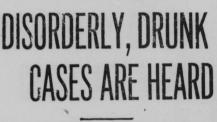
Christmas funds raised and expend-ed in caring for needy families at the Yuletide season by the Salvation 2,071 Total Last Army amounted to a total of \$290.60, Adjustment Joseph Willett, in charge of Adjutant Joseph Willett, in charge of the local corps, announced today. Of the total, \$172.40 was from what

was known as the Christmas fund; Sales of automobile license plates \$58.20 was contributed by the public were about 40 percent ahead of the through the kettles on the street, and same period last year up to Christ- \$60 was realized from the sale "The

Adjutant Willett today voiced his Motor Club, which is dispensing the thanks and appreciation to all who State plates here. Sales of plates for gave cash and to those who provided the city were larger also, although for needy families presented as "Opexact statistics were not immediately portunities," and also to the Henderson Daily Dispatch for presenting the

Miss Jordan said that through facts about the needy families. All of the "opportunities" were fruits, raisins, nuts and candies at the Army's annual Christmas tree At neon today, some 200 city plates event held Christmas night in its hall

at South Henderson. It was believed that all of the most needy families were provided for at the season.



Mayor I. B. Watkins In

City Court Drunk and disorderly cases made up the docket today before Mayor Irvine B. Watkins in city court, it being the first season since last Wednesday, and carried most of the cases docketed durng the Christmas holiday period.

Thomas E. Faulkner was convicted of being disorderly and cursing and busing Bonnie Smolensky, and judgment was suspended upon payment of he costs and staying away from Cenral cafe.

R. B. Morton, Negro, drew a fine of 55 and costs of court when he pleaded guilty to being drunk.

Elnora McKnight was charged with lisorderly conduct, and prayer for judgment was continued upon pay-

ment of the costs and staying away from the Fields home. Entering a plea of guilty, Sandy Eaton, Negro, was fined \$5 and costs for being drunk.

George L. Jones, Negro, of New York City, was fined \$2.50 and costs for speeding. Harry Hayes, Negro,

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This Truck Will Take Books To Rural Section



This is the North Carolina Library Commission Book Truck that will be used by the H. Leslie Perry Memorial Library in Vance County during the month of January to take books to the rural residents.

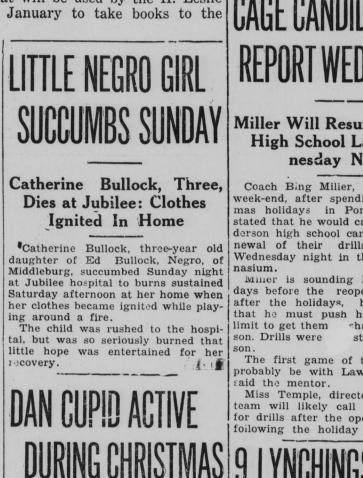
Library Commission Book Truck Will Visit County In January

1937 The books that will be distributed will be those belonging at the library.

section of the county and make regu-



Mrs. Addie Harper, of Franklinton, vas reported to be in a serious con-Maria Parham hospital as



SECURITY RECORDS | R. D. SKENES DIES ASKED BY DEC. 31 AT THE AGE OF 65

With Interment in Elm-

wood Cemetery

Robert Donald Skenes, 65, familiar

ly known in the city as "Doc Skenes" died at his home in the South Hen.

derson community at 11 o'clock this

morning after a long period of failing

county, where he was born October

26, 1871, but had lived in and near

"Doc" Skenes had been in failing

considered critical for the past week.

His death was not unexpected. He

had been a sufferer from a heart

His wife died several months ago,

but surviving are three sons, Rober

Donald Skenes, of Norfolk; W. C

Skenes, of Henderson, and D. S.

Skenes, of New York City; two daugh-

Pallbearers for the funeral Tuesday

Active, Hubret Mullin, B. S. Pope

Jack Collins, John Vernon, North Col

lins, W T. Riley: Honorary, T. W.

ailment.

follows:

health. He was a native of Alamar

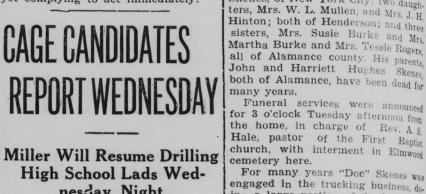
MONDAY, 'DECEMBER 28, 1936

Post Office Trying To Close Funeral at Home Tuesday, Up Lists by End of the Year

Postmaster J. R. Teague warned employers and workers today that he had received instructions from Social Security Board sources to have records on individuals completed and forwarded to the regional office in Baltimore by the end of December, which is next Thursday. The postmaster said there were Henderson for the past 30 years on more.

cards and some who had not even rehealth for several years. For the past ceived them by making request. He several weeks he had been confined adcised all such to act quickly. to his bed, and his condition had been All records that have been sent to

the postmaster have been worked up, and numbers have been assigned, with the final report on them now ready to be sent to the regional office. The tour extra helpers in charge of this work have caught up with all the work so far, and for that reason the urge has been sent out to those not yet complying to act immediately.



High School Lads Wednesday Night ing a large portion of the local haul-

ing in the community. He also had other interests and was well known to Coach Bing Miller, here over the many people. His long platte of hair week-end, after spending the Christthat hung down his back, the big mas holidays in Portsmouth, Va., stated that he would call out his Hencowboy hat he always wore and his enormous build and stature made him derson high school candidates for renewal of their drills at 7 o'clock | a familiar and rather outstanding figure in any group. Wednesday night in the school gymafternoon were announced today as

Miner is sounding his call a few days before the reopening of school after the holidays, but he realizes that he must push his boys to the shape for the seastarting this sea-

McCracken, Sinclair Newman, Charlie Harris, T. P. Gholson. The first game of the season will M. Hight, J. F. Lassiter, M. L. Wood, M. J. O'Neil, E. O. Falkner, J. E. probably be with Lawrenceville, Va., Hamlet, E. L. Fleming, I. B. Watkins,

Miss Temple, director of the girls eam will likely call her candidates

cent Year; All of Vic-

tims Were Negroes

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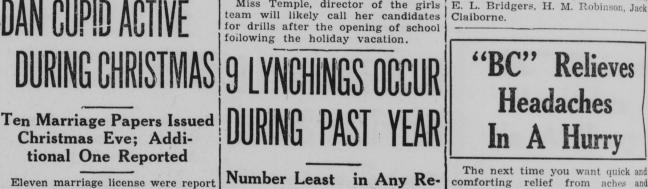
compiled in the Department of Re-

There were 35 instances in which of-

Five of these were in Northern States

and 30 in Southern States. In 30 of the

side of jails.



The H. Leslie Perry Memorial Lib- lar book stops. The following sche

rary will use the North Carolina Lib-dule will be observed. Residents of rary [Commission Book Truck the the county are asked to keep a copy month of January to take books to of this and let their friends and neighthe rural residents of Vance county. bors know of the book truck service. The trips will begin Monday, Jan. 4, Books may charge.

Each day the book truck will visit a

Kittrell. Smith's Store 11:45-1:00.

Bobbitt-Poe Store 1:30-2:00. Sandy Grove Church 2:15-2:30. Epsom School 3:00-3:45. Dickey's Store 3:45-4:15. G llburg 4:30-4:40. Mt. Carmel Church 5:00-5:15. TUESDAYS Aycock School 9:15-11:15. Amos Mill 11:30-12:00.

MONDAYS

Baptist Church. Sidney Faulkner's Store 12:30-1:00. Cokesbury Church 2:15-3:00. Adcock's Store 3:30-4:00.

Greystone 4:15-4:45. WEDNESDAYS Townsville by way Corbitt's and St. Andrews' Church

Mrs. Elbert Wilson's 10:-10:45. Williamsboro 11:00-11:15. Rock Spring Church 11:45-12:15. Townsville School 12:30-2:30.

be borrowed free of Kittrell. Zeb Vance School 9:30-11:30

The last of the accumulation from the holiday rush of mails was being cleared up by the post office today, with a couple of trucks distributing packages over the city to their owners. Two trucks worked all day Saturday in clearing up last-minute arrivals of mails.

Postmaster J. R. Teague said today that the incoming mail volume as well as the outgoing was the greatest probably in the history of the post office. He said present indications were that the cash receipts for the office for December would be in excess of the total for December last year, though he would not be specific as to the amount until the end of the month.

Indications were, he said, that the year's volume would be between \$48,-000 and \$49,000 for by far the biggest volume of cash business ever done by the local office in a single calendar year. An increase in 1936 of about eight to ten percent over last year was indicated.

PLUMBERS HERE ON POST OFFICE WORK 30 days for being drunk.

Starting Preliminaries On Contract costs for being drunk. for Enlarging and Remodeling of Structure

Plumbers who are to have charge of the plumbing work in the new post office building were here today to December City Meeting Will Not Be start preliminaries toward carrying Held Until Thursday Night out their contract, it was learned. The concrete basement floor for the new part of the building has been completed and the erection of the walls is to be begun shortly. With the rise of the building, the plumbing work will go hand in hand so far as that is necessary.

From this time on, work will be pressed to completion as rapidly as possible, although the enlarged and renovated building is not expected to he did not know of any urgent busibe ready for occupancy before late ness, ercept that the Council would spring or early summer. The addition virtually doubles the size of the post office building.

Don't use smelly, greasy salves that stain and ruin garments and bed clothes! Scotts Treatment Soothes instantly. Kills the tiny mites that burrow the itching. Clean, quick, cheap and sure. All drug-gists-50¢ er the skin and caus Parker's Drug Store For Your Christmas Wine Phone 820 Ask for James. 332 Winder St. carry choice selection of best wines.

and costs for being drunk. He pleadresult of injuries sustained in an aued guilty to the charge. tomobile accident Sunday afternoon Duke Patterson was convicted of about 5 o'clock about two miles south being disorderly in the Busy Bee cafe of Kittrell, and D. O. Langston, of and with damaging the property of Franklinton, is being held under a \$500 bond for his appearance at Janthe cafe to the extent of \$100, and also with resisting an officer. He was senuary criminal term of Vance Superior tenced to 12 months. An appeal was oted, the bond being set at \$300. Willie Davis entered a plea of guilty

Court to answer to a charge of reckless and careless driving of an automobile while under the influence of whisky and failing to stop and render a charge of being drunk, and was fined \$5 and costs. aid after injuring a person. Page Thorp, charged wth exposing Walton Smith, of Bobbitt, driver of

the automobile in which Mrs. Harper his person indecently in a public place, was called and failed. His bond was riding, was not injured in the of \$8 was ordered forfeited. crash. Frank B. Bowling paid \$2.50 and At Maria Farham hospital today, it

costs when tried for speeding. was said that Mrs. Harper had a frac-Jack Bassey, Negro, was guilty of tured pelvis. being drunk, and was fined \$5 and

State Highway Patrolman T. E. Cooke, Jr., who investigate 1 the accosts Emmett Obey, Negro, charged with cident, stated that Langston was combeing drunk and disorderly at the ing toward Herderson, and Smith home of Ben Kearney, had prayer for was proceeding toward Franklinton at judgment continued upon keeping the the time of the crash. Both of . > a to nothe were badly peace and paying the costs.

Lena Hatch and Hattie Allen, Nedamage. groes, were charged with shoplifting at J. C. Fenney Co., and each was sent MRS. C. A. BLACKNALL I to jail for five days. DIES IN NEW YORK

John Roberts went to the roads for Will R. Grissom was fined \$5 and

COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE DEFERRED

of This Week

Because of the absence of several members from the city and the fact that for some the Christmas holiday was not wholly a thing of the past. the regular monthly meeting of the Henderson City Council was postpned from tonight, the fourth Monday, until Thursday night of this week. Mayor Irvine B. Watkins said today probably act on the resignation of J. P. and J. H. Zollicoffer as city attorneys and elect their successor. It is generally supposed that the office will go to A. A. Bunn.

CAN YOU ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS? See Page Four . In Greek mythology, who was Demeter? . Has the U.S. ever had a Roman Catholic President? Which country has the "Marseillaise" for its national anthem? In law, what is a defendant? Of what country is Lima the capital

Who wrote, "The Song of the Shirt" What was the name of the character played by Ginger Rogers in "Flying Down to Rio?" How are Justices of the U.S. Supreme Court chosen? Who was Caroline Howard Gilman? 10. Name the largest river in South

America.

Townsville Drug Store 2:30-4:00. Back by Drewry THURSDAYS

Middleburg Farm Life School 9:30-11:30. Community House 11:30-12:45. Drewry Walton's Store 1:30-2:00. Drewry School 2:00-2:30. Bullock's Store 2:45-3:00. Flat Rock Church 3:30-4:00. Wortham's Store 4:15-4:30. FRIDAYS

Dabney School 9:15-11:15. Renn Bros. Store-Watkins Township 11:45-12:30. Bearpond 2:15-2:30. Circle Egypt-Mrs. L. E. Barnes

4:00-4:30

EARLIER SERVICE NORTH FOR MAILS

A much faster mail service to the north was made effective here today for business people of Henderson, Postmaster J. R. Teague announced. The post office will put pouch mail on train No. 20, from Raleigh to Richmond, every week-day evening at 5:30 o'clock. Mail for this train must be

in the post office not later than five News of the death of Mrs. C. A. o'clock. This pouch will put business Blacknall, a sister-in-law of W. H. mail into New York by 6 o'clock the Blacknall, and Miss G. C. Blacknall following morning in time for delivwas received in the city this morn- ery for attention that day. Several ng from New York. weeks ago an arrangement was made Mrs. Blacknall died of an attack of for pouching on this same train south-

pneumonia. No details were learned bound for Raleigh, passing here a lit- Lednum, also of this city is a son of here of the funeral arrangements. I tle after 11 a.m.

VICTIMS OF SPANISH WAR-BUT THEY DIDN'T FIGHT



Death-to innocent children-in Madrid Nothing could depict the tragedy of the Spanish of two children, a boy and a girl, blasted to their givil war more than this pitiful sight of the bodies deaths in Madrid by bombs from Fascist planes,

ed as having been issued at the Vance Registry, ten of them being given on Christmas Eve.

On December 23, Willie Verne Avent, of Franklinton, secured license to wed Dorothy Lee Branch, of Henderson

Seven of the papers issued Christ-Institute in Alabama, and sent out by mas Eve went to colored couples. Henry P. Hughes, and Myrtle P. F. D. Patterson, president of the col-Lowry, both of Henderson, James lege. Dr. Patterson's statement fol-Austin Graeber, of Concord, and lows: Evelyn Pirie Barcel, of Henderson and Leonard Ralph Kerley, of Kittrell, and Lady Elizabeth Barnes, of Henderson secured license. The color- 1936. I find according to the records ed couples were James Hicks and Helen Williams, both of Manson, J. H. cords and Research of the Tuskegee Eaton and Ola Capp, both of Kittrell, Institute that there were nine persons Daniel Fogg, Henderson, and Polly lynched in 1936. This is 11 less than Towns, Elberon, George Allen Branch and Mary Towns, both of Elberon, Hal Martin and Josephine Howard, than the number 28 for 1933. Six of both of Henderson, Samuel Harris and Bertha Grant, both of Henderosn, of the law; two were taken from jails, and James C. Cheatham and Blanche Wright.

LOCAL MAN'S FATHER DIES IN BURLINGTON

nstances the prisoners were removed Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Whitehead left or the guards augmented or other prethis morning for Burlington, where cautions taken. In the five other instances, armed force was used to they were called on account of the repel the wouldbe lynchers. A total of death of G. W. Lednum, 80, grand-69 persons. Seven white and 62 Negro, father of Mrs. Whitehead. They exwere thus saved from death at the pect to be gone a few days. R. D. hands of mobs the deceased.

Of the nine persons lynched, all were Negroes. The offenses charged were: rape, three; attempted rape, three; murder, one; activity in share cropper strike, one; charge not reported, one.

The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Arkansas, two; Florida, one; Georgia, five; Mississippi, one.

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phlegm is loosened and expelled. Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, your druggist is authorized to guarantee Creomulsion and to refund your money if you are not satisfied with results from the very first bottle. Get Creomulsion right now. (Adv.)

Prof. Raynard Von Weisenfluh Teacher of Violin Studio located on second floor over Woodlief's Clothing Store. Garnett Street Phone 61-W

pains caused by neuralgia, try "BC". Note how quickly you are relieved and how much better you soon begin to feel.

"BC" offers prompt relief from Nine lynchings occurred in 1936, all of the victims being Negroes, and five these and similar aches and pains of of the total in Georgia, according to an inorganic character, because the a compilation furnished by Tuskegee "BC" formula contains several widelyprescribed, reliable ingredients. "BC" is also effective for the relief of muscular aches; headache and backache due to functional disturbances; pain and discomfort due to simple head colds, and for simple nervousness. Try "BC" and see if it doesn't relieve tion concerning lynchings for the year you in just a few minutes. Convenient 10c and 25c sizes, or by the dose at fountains. (adv.)

the number 20 for 1935; six less than Dr. Warren W. Wilson the number 15 for 1934; and 19 less Osteopathic Physician the persons lynched were in the hands 221 S. Garnett St. (Second Floor) and four from officers of the law out-Henderson, N. C. Phone 61-W ficers of the law prevented lynchings.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND. By virtue of the power of sale con ained in a Deed in Trust executed by . E. Boyd and wife, dated December 21, 1932, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Vance Coun-ty in Book 166 at page 23, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, on request of the holder of the same, I shall sell for cash, by public auction, at the Court House door in Henderson, N. C., to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock, Noon, on Monday, the 18th day of January, 1937, the following described property:

Begin at a stone in Little Nutbush Creek; thence down said Creek to the Rock Arch; thence along the railroad to a stone, Mrs. Spratley's cor-ner; thence S 45 W 36 ch. to a stone in Mrs. S. V. Boyd's corner; thence N 45 W 35.50 chains to the beginning, containing 98 acres, more or less, less 14 acres sold to R. E. Scott of Rich-

mond, Va., said 14 acres being deeded by R. E. Scott to Roanoke River Power Company, both of said deeds duly recorded in Register's Office of Vance County, N. C. For further de scription see deed from Mrs. Sallie V. Boyd to J. E. Boyd, duly recorded in Book 43, page 137, Register's Office, of Vance County, N. C.

GEORGE A. HARRIS, Trustee. MRS. SALLIE H. BOYD.