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# Aberdeen Section

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CIRCULATION  
IN ABERDEEN

## Coming Attractions At The Aberdeen Theatre

ABERDEEN, N. C.

Two Shows each night, at 7:15 and 9:00  
Western Electric Sound

### Program Week of Dec. 26 thru Jan. 1

Saturday, December 26

Matinee at 3 o'clock—Night at 7:15 and 9:00

#### "Sworn Enemy"

ROBERT YOUNG and FLORENCE RICE

Two brothers, East Side boys, are trying to make their way in the world honestly, food racketeers cause the death of one, but the other succeeds in bringing the gang to justice.

Late Show Starting at 10:30

#### "Rose Bowl"

ELEANORE WHITNEY and TOM BROWN

Rival football players in love with the same girl are pitted against each other in the big game.

Monday, December 28

#### "Ladies in Love"

JANET GAYNOR LORETTA YOUNG  
CONSTANCE BENNETT

The love and heartaches of three women friends in search of a husband who are joined in the search by a country girl bent on the same errand.

Tuesday, December 29

#### "Career Woman"

CLAIRE TREVOR and MICHAEL WHALEN

SHOULD my career come first or would it have been better the other way.

Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 30 & 31

#### "The Charge of the Light Brigade"

ERROL FLYNN and OLIVIA DeHAVILLAND

Two Englishmen, brothers and soldiers in love with the same girl and their conflict with a betrayer who joined the Russian forces and caused "the noble six hundred" to be sent to death and glory.

Friday, January 1st

#### "The Devil Is a Sissy"

Two tough and one refined lads are thrown together, with the latter's influence bringing honor to his pals as well as joy to the tangled lives of their respective families.



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### MRS. HAFER'S ABERDEEN PUPILS GIVE RECITAL

Mrs. Claud Hafer's piano class in Aberdeen gave its mid-winter recital at Aberdeen High School Friday evening. Those on the program were Anna Capps, Inez Maurer, Arnette Avery, Ruth Raician, Evelyn Garner, Betty Barber, Marian Doub, Betty Cavanaugh, Ruth Lawhon, Catherine Rowe, Gloria Medlin, Louise Martin, Eather Farrell, Kathleen Rhyne, Jean Chester, Clara Kirk and Mary Margaret Burney.

### THANKFUL FOR BOOKS

To the Citizens of Aberdeen:  
Please accept my thanks for the many very good books and magazines received from the Community Christmas Tree for our school library. I especially thank the Rev. Mr. Hall, who allowed me to make my own selection of the books and magazines, which enabled me to secure some very prized copies.

—J. F. McRAE, Principal.

### SANATORIUM BENEFIT PARTY IS HUGE SUCCESS

The sum of approximately \$132 was raised at the annual benefit party sponsored by the Sunshine Club of the North Carolina Sanatorium on Tuesday evening, December 8, to raise funds to aid needy patients, and gifts and donations received since have brought the total receipts to approximately \$150, according to those in charge of the party. Expenses totaled about \$10, leaving a cash balance of \$140, which has been described by members of the Sunshine Club as quite gratifying.

### TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Woman's Society of the Church of Wide Fellowship will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, December 30, at 8:30, in the church parlor. A program will be presented under the direction of Group III. Members and guests are cordially invited to attend.

### John Robert Ingram, Leading Citizen of Sanford, Dies at 66

Brother of Mrs. A. A. McKeithen of Aberdeen and Mrs. C. J. Fields, Southern Pines Passes

John Robert Ingram, 66, one of Sanford's leading citizens and a brother of Mrs. A. A. McKeithen of Aberdeen and of Mrs. C. J. Fields of Southern Pines, died in Lee County Hospital last Saturday following a stroke a few minutes before. Mr. Ingram was driving his automobile in the business section of Sanford at the time he was stricken. Mrs. Ingram, who is a member of the Moore County Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and well known in Aberdeen and Southern Pines, was with him at the time.

Mr. Ingram was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ingram, and was born in Randolph county. He was an alumnus of Trinity college, now Duke university, and after teaching school for a few years, moved to Sanford in 1904. Here he established the Sanford Coca-Cola Bottling Company, which he had owned and operated since that time. He also had other business interests.

Mr. Ingram was a ruling elder in the Sanford Presbyterian Church. He was a member of the Board of Trustees of the Lee County Hospital since its organization in 1930, and had been chairman for the last several years. He was a member of the Masonic order and also was a Shriner. He was a Rotarian, and was past president of the Sanford club.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram maintained a winter home in Hollywood, Fla., and were planning to go there soon for the winter months. Mr. Ingram was twice married, first to Miss Margaret Harris of Pittsboro, who died several years ago. Later he married Miss Daisy Palmer of Sanford, who survives, as do two daughters, Mrs. E. P. Kelly of Goldsboro and Mrs. J. K. Mason, Jr., of Sanford; one son, J. R. Ingram, Jr., of Sanford; two sisters, Mrs. Fields of Southern Pines, Mrs. McKeithen of Aberdeen; one brother, S. T. Ingram of Sanford.

Funeral services were held at the Sanford Presbyterian Church at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon. Interment followed in Buffalo cemetery.

### PINEBLUFF

Misses Marguerite DeYoe and Charlet Parker of Phifer College are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Mrs. Cecil Farrell and daughter Jane and Mrs. L. A. McMinn spent Tuesday in Fayetteville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMaster and children of Brevard are spending the holidays with Mrs. McMasters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMaster.

Sally Allison of Flora Macdonald and Douglas Allison of State College are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Hazel Allison.

Mrs. Hugh Keith, Mrs. Earl Lampley and Misses Francis Van Huel and Bessie Wallace spent Wednesday in Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Doughty and children left for Kinston Monday where they will make their home.

Hoover Adcox of the Presbyterian Junior College of Maxton is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adcox.

Mrs. Mary Winhardt left Monday for Charlottesville, Va., to visit relatives.

Miss Francis Paget of San Francisco, Cal., arrived Wednesday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Paget for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Shannon celebrated their 18th wedding anniversary Saturday, December 19th with a dinner Mr. and Mrs. Martin James and Miss Helen Dearborn were guests Mr. and Mrs. Pervis Ferree and children of Pinehurst spent the week-end with Mrs. Ferree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Butler.

Dorothy Lawrence spent the week-end in Southern Pines with relatives. Joe McCaskill of Washington, D. C. is spending some time with her parents.

Clyde Simpson, Jr., of State College is spending the holidays with his aunt Miss Ella Backus.

Mrs. Ermon Pickler, Mrs. Bill Carpenter and Mrs. O. C. Adcox spent Monday in Carthage.

Bill Lampley of Raleigh spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs. J. R. Lampley.

Mrs. M. F. Butler and daughter Virginia and Cora Wallace spent Monday in Sanford.

### The Week in Aberdeen

Mrs. Jack Meador has returned from Asheboro where she was called home on account of the death of her father.

Mrs. Holmes of Morristown, Tenn., arrived last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Victor Tyler, and later accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tyler and small son to Miami, Florida for a two weeks vacation trip.

Mrs. Mary Ella David and Miss Nancy Ruth David of Columbia, S. C., are arriving this week to spend the Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. Mary Trueluck.

Mrs. A. A. McKeithen was advised Saturday of the sudden death of her brother, J. R. Ingram in Sanford.

Jesse Carter, a member of a CCC Camp at Glen Rock, Pa., is spending the holidays in Aberdeen visiting his parents.

Dr. P. J. Chester and family are motoring to Charlotte this week to spend Christmas with relatives.

Miss Miriam Johnson, who has held a position as floor manager in Thalheimer's Department Store in Richmond, Va., during the holiday season, is spending Christmas with her parents.

Bill Bethune, U. S. N. whose ship, the U. S. S. Wyoming is now docked in the Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va., is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Misses Idell Buchan and Lena Stewart are spending this week in New York City where they are attending musical concerts.

Home for the Christmas holidays from their respective schools and colleges are Misses Helen Clarke Capps, Kate and Lena Stewart and Frances Wimberly from Flora Macdonald College, Red Springs; Dee Batchelor and Marcella Folley, from Peace College, Raleigh; Lida Duke Blue, St. Mary's, Raleigh; Frances Pean Freeman, Meredith's, Raleigh; Katharine Johnson and Margaret Rice, Wingate's College, Wingate; Betsy Jean Johnson, Ohio Wesleyan, Delaware, Ohio; Veta Epps, Louisburg College; June Campbell, Maxton Junior College; Fred Weaver and J. Vance Rowe, Jr., State University, Chapel Hill; Glen Caviness and David Melvin, Louisburg College; Francis Harris, Mars Hill College; Charlton Huntley and Ralph Buchan, Presbyterian College, Clinton, S. C.; John Edward Pleasants, Dental College, Atlanta, Ga.; James Little, Pineland College, Salsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McBride of Chapel Hill are Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vance McBride this week.

Miss Cornelia Shaw has returned from Greensboro, where she has been visiting her brother, Judge Thomas Shaw. She will spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Robert N. Page, Sr. The Walter Hines Page Book Club was entertained at its Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. E. T. McKeithen last Thursday afternoon, at which time a most enjoyable holiday program was held, with the program centering around "California." An interesting paper was given by Mrs. E. M. Medlin, followed by an impressive Christmas talk by Mrs. Robert N. Page, Sr. A Christmas tree carried out the holiday spirit, with gifts being distributed therefrom to the members present. The meeting closed with the Christmas hymn, "Joy to the World" being sung in concert.

J. T. Land has been confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Courtney Huntley returned from Raleigh last week after serving as a page during the special session of the General Assembly.

Mrs. Edgar Bowman was recent hostess to her bridge club with her living room attractively arranged for five tables amid a setting of holiday decorations carried out effectively in the tallies, prizes and refreshments. At the close of the game, Mrs. Malcolm Pleasants was presented with high score prize for the club and Mrs. R. C. Zimmerman received the guest prize.

The December meeting of the Aberdeen-Pinebluff Association of Parent-Teachers was held in the auditorium of the Grammar School. A Christmas program had been planned by the Fifth Grade under the direction of its teacher, Miss Yelverton, during which impersonations of Madonna paintings were given by the children and the singing of appropriate Christmas Carols. During the business period, \$88.00 worth of Christmas Tuberculosis Seals were reported

### New Books

Page Memorial Library of Aberdeen Adds Many Volumes To Shelves

New books now ready for distribution at the Page Memorial Library include The Himalayan Letters of Gypsy Davy and Lady Ba; Servant of Sahibs, by Russell Galwin; The White Company, Conan Doyle; Soundings, Hamilton Gibbs; The Highway, Mason; The Money Moon, Jeffrey Farnol; The Jay Bird, McKinley Kantor; Miss Bracegirdle and Others, by Stacey Aumonie; The Ruling Passion by Henry Van Dyke; Little Rivers, Henry Van Dyke; Lost Valley, Katherine Gerould; The Strange Adventures of Jonathan Drew, Ward; Gold, by Coyle; With Pack and Saddle, Evans; The Skipper of the Cynthia B; Devell; The Face in the Mist, Hoover Hulbert; The Mayor's Wife, Green; Flash, the Story of a Trail by Carolyn Bailey.

sold, and it was stressed that the association set its goal at \$100.00 for this worthy cause which goes toward helping several tuberculosis patients in and around Aberdeen. The treasurer reported a balance of \$105.35 on hand after all bills paid, and \$20.93 realized from the recent oyster supper, which will be used in the purchasing of needed class room equipment. The Ways and Means committee reported \$30.20 realized from a recent Kiwanis luncheon and \$10.80 from rummage sales. Following a report and discussion of the Hot Lunch committee, it was decided to hire help in the lunch room as being more satisfactory than voluntary aid. One hundred and sixteen are served daily in the lunch room, which means regular help must be provided. The second grade was the recipient of the cookies donated by the Walter Hines Page Book Club for having the largest attendance of mothers present at this meeting.

### KATHERINE BALL BURNED

Mary Katherine Ball, 10-year old daughter of the Rev. W. C. Ball, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church in Goldsboro and former pastor of the Page Memorial Presbyterian Church of Aberdeen, was painfully burned on the neck while going home from school last Thursday in Goldsboro. A firecracker exploding near her caused the accident.

### 300 ENJOY ABERDEEN CHRISTMAS TREE PARTY

Some 300 residents of Aberdeen of all ages gathered for the Christmas tree party at the new playgrounds Sunday afternoon and the occasion was one of the most enjoyable in some time. There was a huge Christmas tree, under which were placed gifts brought for the poor and needy of the community, books, toys and magazines. The Rev. E. L. Barber, Rev. L. M. Hall and Rev. E. M. Harris made brief talks, and there was community singing of old Christmas carols. The Boy Scouts aided greatly in arranging and carrying out a most successful program.

### MARVIN A. BATCHELOR TO WED MISS MABEL COGHILL

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Mabel Coghill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Coghill of Henderson, to Marvin A. Batchelor, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Batchelor of Aberdeen. The wedding will take place in the spring. Mr. Batchelor is manager of the Aberdeen Feed Store, and Miss Coghill a teacher in the Sanford schools.

### Catholic Church Buys Property in Pinebluff for \$380

Will Convert Herod Stables, Purchased at Tax Sale, To Serve Community

The old Herod Stables in Pinebluff are to be converted into a Catholic Church. Father Williams of St. Anthony's Church in Southern Pines announced yesterday that his parish had purchased the property at a tax sale for the sum of \$380, and the building would be made over to serve the Pinebluff community.

The building is 60 feet by 30 feet, and Father Williams estimates it will accommodate approximately 100 persons when reconstructed. He says there are some 25 Roman Catholic communicants in Pinebluff, with a demand for a church of their own. No name has been decided upon, it is said, but this will follow the organization of the church. For the present, at least, Father Williams will serve as pastor.

### S. E. SLOAN, FORMERLY OF ABERDEEN, PASSES

In ill health for several months, S. E. Sloan, 65, former prominent resident of Aberdeen, died Tuesday night in Morganton. A native of Rowan county, Mr. Sloan had spent most of his lifetime in the furniture business, and while in Aberdeen operated the Freeman Furniture Company. Several years ago he moved to Concord and has been connected with the Hotel Corcord until ill health forced his retirement, since which time he has divided his time between relatives in Aberdeen and Concord.

Surviving are his second wife, who resides in Aberdeen; two sons, Edward of Concord and John of Aberdeen; two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Furr of Rowan county and Mrs. J. C. Griffin of Chapel Hill, and two grandsons, John and Edward, Jr.

Funeral services were held yesterday in Aberdeen.

### MIDNIGHT SERVICES IN THREE LOCAL CHURCHES

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will be presented by the Pilgrim Fellowship Forum and the Intermediate C. E. Society, assisted by the church choir and children from the church school.

On Friday, December 25, at 7:30 p. m. the Christmas party of the Church School will be held in the Assembly Room of the parish house. There will be a program of recitations, songs and a tableau. Santa Claus is expected to attend and preside at the Christmas tree. The public is cordially invited.

### DR. HERR MOVES

Dr. George B. Herr, Southern Pines dentist, has moved his offices from the former telephone building on West Broad street to the building on the corner of East Broad street and Pennsylvania avenue in which Dr. E. W. Bush has his offices.

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