

CUME XXXVII

Forces Working Day and Night to Clear Streets In the Towns.

INTERFERRED WITH CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Suffering of Unemployed Made More Acute by Cold Weather.

Recent heavy rains, followed by a Grover Lyday. Recent heavy rains, followed by a record-breaking snowfall, have curtailed somewhat the usual plans for celebrating the Christmas holidays, and has made Christmas shopping more difficult than in many years. However, the highway forces and the city and town workmen have done great work in clearing the snow, making travel not only possible, but comparatively safe. Unless another snow falls, Christmas shopping will be in full blast by Thursday or Friday.

The snows of the week presented a nard task to the highway forces,

a hard task to the highway forces, and at the same time gave the new regime an opportunity of demonstrating its efficiency. For the first time in the history of the state the country roads were cleared of the snow before the city streets were made try roads were cleared of the snow before the city streets were made passable. Day and night found the state highway forces busily engaged with snow shovel and assisting crews, clearing the highways. Now, in contrast with former conditions, the motorist could travel at almost normal speed over the highways through the country, but was held up when a city or town was reached, and had to pick most carefully his way through the incorporated sections. The state highway department would be pleased with the many flattering remarks made by autoists, if the department could hear all that has been said.

No section of the state except a the future. narrow strip on the Atlantic coast es- "I would caped the heavy snow. Greensboro old Transylvanis Winston-Salem, and other central some time and cities reported to so of snow, friends and relatively and street car to abandoned in Ch week-end. Added the storm, Charlot entirely

## FEDERAL OFF **MAKE ARRES**

Federal officers mad rests in Transylvania c and Tuesday of men possession and sale of violation of the Volster those arrested and bou liminary hearing on . 4 before United States Alfred E. Hampton w ing:

George Bowen, Gar Siniard, C. P. H. Raines, Jim Raines a

The arrests were m Marshals Swann and ficers H. G. Ingram,

Here's a letter receive News from a former residently and because he friends in the county pleased to know that his here though he has been long a time, we are prin

"Twenty years are the this next March I leit Lake Toxaway in Than ty for Washington time I have spent all except a short time w the Fair in San Fra and a few weeks in

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