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LOST - Man's wrist watch, white gold case with night numerals, brown leather band. German make. Believe lost in Wallace Tuesday

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
 Having this day qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of W. E. Currie, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the 18th day of November, 1950, or this notice will be pled in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate, will please make immediate payment.
 This November 12, 1949.
 Sudie Dall Currie, Admrx. of W. E. Currie
 12-30-51. RDJ

NOTICE OF SALE
 UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the power of sale contained in a certain chattel mortgage executed by Levie Faison, dated the 16th day of July, and recorded in Book 49-B,

Uncle Sam Says



Lots of folks complain that the money they draw every payday zooms away from them with super-sonic speed. If that's happening to you, here's how to stop it automatically! Sign up for U. S. Savings Bonds regularly, under your firm's Payroll Savings Plan, or—if this method is not available to you—your bank's Bond-A-Month Plan, then, that part of your earnings can't get away from you. In fact, every \$3 you invest—in the safest investment in the world—grows up to be \$4 in ten years.
 U. S. Treasury Department

Good reward to finder. Return to Ed Padgett, Richlands, Route 1. 12-30-21. pd.
 page 320, of the Duplin County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and said mortgage being by its terms subject to foreclosure, the undersigned mortgagee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the place of business of Service Motor Company, in Kenansville, North Carolina, on the 2nd day of January, 1950, Monday, at 12:00 Noon, the following articles of personal property:

One 1938 Ford Tudor, motor No. 18-4274554.

Advertised this the 12th day of December, 1949.

Service Motor Company
 By: Elmore Bell, Partner

H. E. Phillips, Attorney
 Kenansville, N. C.

12-29-21. HEP

Roads Approved By Commissioners

Duplin County Commissioners have approved petitions for improvement of five roads in the county. The petitions have been forwarded to A. Wilbur Clark of Fayetteville, district highway commissioner. They are:

Albertson Township: From Drummersville east to the Lenoir County line and known as Mount Olive-Lidell Road. Eight-tenths of mile. Rose Hill and Island Creek Townships:

From Rose Hill to Sutton's Cross Roads and known as old Rose Hill to Hallsville road. Four and one-tenth mile.

Smith Township: From Pink Hill, Lenoir County line, to N. C. Highway No. 111. Duplin County and known as Painter Mill Road. Five and seven-tenths miles.

Albertson Township: Road running from Lenoir County line, to Dr. Maxwell's place, and known as Burnt Coat Road. Two and two-tenths miles.

Smith Township: Road running from Highway No. 11 to old road from Pink Hill to Dr. Maxwell's near H. E. Maxwell farm. One and three-tenths miles.

Prominent Duplin Farmer Dies

Robert L. (Bob) Summerlin, 73, retired farmer, died Monday at his home in the Summerlin Cross Roads Community after several years of declining health. Funeral services were held at Rooty Branch Free Will Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday with Rev. Stephen A. Smith, Free Will Baptist minister of Beulaville, officiating. Interment was in the family cemetery. Surviving are Mrs. Summerlin, formerly Nealia Kilpatrick; eight daughters, Mrs. Florence Houston of Kenansville, Mrs. Carl Ivey, Mrs. Walter Hinson and Mary G. Summerlin, all of the home community, Mrs. Edward Goodson of Raleigh, Mrs. Bernard Goodson of Red Springs, and Mrs. James Southerland of Seven Springs; one son, Robert, of Chapel Hill; three sisters, Mrs. T. A. Jernigan of Mt. Olive, Mrs. Addie Potter of Goldsboro, and Mrs. Uggie Batten of Hallsboro; one brother, G. L. Summerlin of the home community; nine grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Grandson of Duplin Was Accidentally Hanged At Play

Charlie F. Strickland, 15, of Fayetteville, was accidentally hanged on Saturday afternoon while at play. Funeral services were held Monday at 3 p.m. He was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blackman of Faison and the paternal grandson of Major Randal Strickland of Magnolia. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Strickland, a brother and sister also survive.

Nancy Holmes SUGGESTS



MANY young brides will be entering for the first time this Christmas and, of course, will be extremely anxious for the perfection one reads about so often but which really is achieved with experience. If a simple dinner with few courses is planned, however, there's no reason why everything won't go off with flying colors. Casserole cookery is always a smart idea for most everything can be prepared in advance. Then casseroles are so easy to serve and the variety is practically limitless. Nancy Holmes of the Best Foods consumer kitchens suggests a delicious casserole of chicken. Team it with a crisp green salad. Finish off with fruit and cheese and there's a dinner any bride will blush with pleasure over.

Holiday Casserole of Chicken
 1/2 cup vitaminized margarine
 1 cup sliced mushrooms
 1 tablespoon flour
 1 cup chicken bouillon
 1 cup milk
 1/2 cup cream
 1/2 cup diced pimiento
 8 hard cooked eggs, chopped
 1 tablespoon onion juice
 1/2 teaspoon paprika
 Dash of nutmeg
 Salt and pepper to taste
 3 cups cooked chicken or turkey, diced
 Hot cooked rice

Saute mushrooms in vitaminized margarine until lightly browned. Remove from pan. Blend in flour until smooth. Add chicken bouillon, stir constantly until smooth and thickened. Add milk and cream, pimiento, eggs, nutmeg and chicken. Cook over low heat until meat is heated. Do not boil. Stir to blend well. Serve at once over hot rice. Yield: 6 to 10 servings.

Warsaw Methodist Church Program

The Warsaw Methodist Sunday School will hold its Christmas tree Friday night at 7:30. Gifts will be on the tree for all the young people. The program will include musical selections and a movie.

The regular Sunday School and Church services will be held at the usual hour Sunday morning, (Christmas Day).



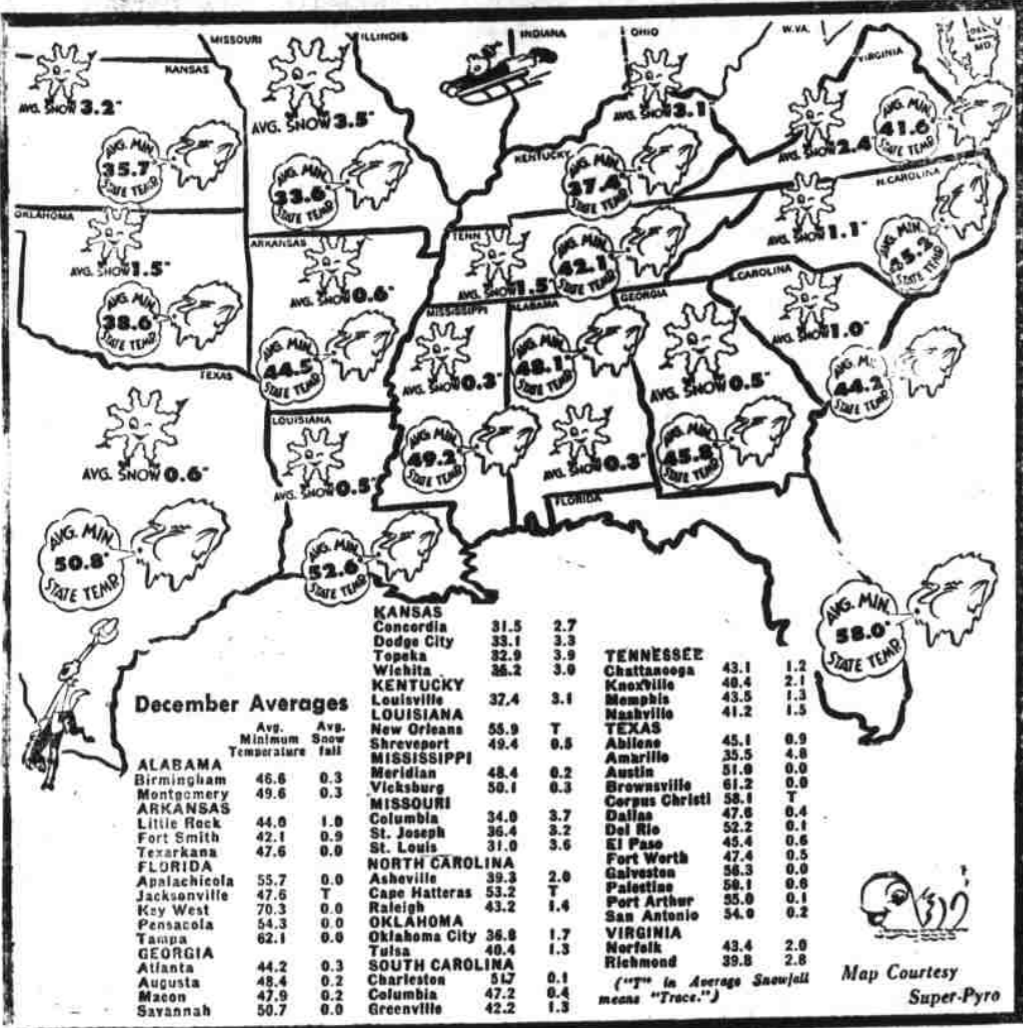
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December's Weather Record for North Carolina



Old Man Winter is blowing his frigid breath all over this Weather Record Map, which gives you an idea of what kind of weather you may have in December by averaging U. S. Weather Bureau figures for temperature and snowfall over the past 50 and more years. When the Old Man sneezes icicles (Winter officially begins Dec. 21), it's wise to keep the old car's spritis high with an anti-rust and-freeze like Super-Pyro, the stuff that keeps the bus from getting a hole cracked in its head.

Christmas trees are ready for market at 8 to 15 years of age, depending on the species, soil conditions, and size desired.

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