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In Memoriam
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The News-Journal this week is carrying Christmas Greetings from the county officials and the business houses of Raeford. Not since the paper has been published have these people entered more wholeheartedly into this. They have all had a great year and that they could share this feeling with their fellow citizens was their pleasure and desire. If a grouch was found it is not worth remembering. All join with The News-Journal today in saying "MERRY CHRISTMAS."

Linotype Operator Ill

Another week and hard luck—our linotype operator has been very ill all week and no one was available anywhere to take his place. However, The Laurinburg Exchange came to our rescue and got the paper out on Christmas Eve for us. The paper is late again, but "C'est le guerre."

McNeill-Roper

Mr. and Mrs. Hector McNeill of Wagram and Raeford N. C. announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Allen, to Mr. J. A. Roper, Jr. of Wagram and Maxton. The wedding is to take place in the early Spring.

ROSE-CHASEY

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rose announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna Pearl to Joseph Frank Chasey son of Mrs. Mary Chasey and the late Mr. George Chasey of Long Branch, New Jersey on November 1, 1941. The wedding took place at the home of Rev. Arthur Stainback, Long Branch, New Jersey using the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a brown tailored suit with brown accessories. Eupha Shaw of Lumber Bridge, N. C. was bridesmaid and Russell Chasey of Long Branch, brother of the bridegroom was best man. Other friends attending the wedding were, Lenora Chasey of Redbank N. J., Mary Gwen Ashborne and Faye Gurganus of Williamston N. C.

The young couple will make their home at the present in Long Branch New Jersey.

Tom Clark Sinclair and Basil Wright are home from A. S. T. C.

THOSE HOME FROM COLLEGE

Mollie Cameron and Mary Lewis are home from Salem College, Billie McIntyre from Wak Forest, Barbara Stevens from Meredith, James Hendrix and Herman Cole from A. S. T.

C. Gurion Eubanks from State, Star McMillian from Campbell College, Julian Jordan from Atlanta Dental School and Milton Jordan, Auburn Tech, Mildred Saunders of Flora McDonald, Eldred and Laurence Helton from State and Mars Hill, Howard

Baucom for Penn. State, Tom and Hugh McLaughlin from Davidson and Alys Dickson, George Washington University.

Miss Mary Francis Tapp Hospital, Raleigh is at home few days.



But even if Christmas came once a month, we would hardly find words with which to thank you for your generous support.

And now let us wish you all a very Merry Christmas in 1942.

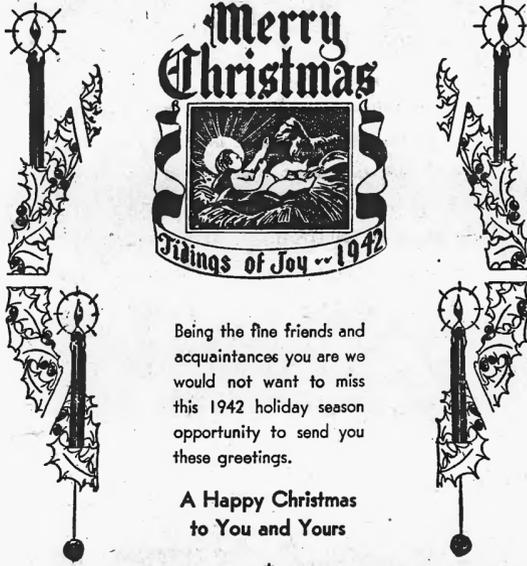
THE LADIES' SHOP

JOYOUS SEASON TO ALL



JUST the friendliest of wishes for your happiness and cheer at Christmas time and always. Let not the sacrifices of 1942 have been in vain.

BLUEMONT BEAUTY SHOP



Being the fine friends and acquaintances you are we would not want to miss this 1942 holiday season opportunity to send you these greetings.

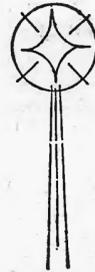
A Happy Christmas to You and Yours

BAUCOM'S CASH STORE
Raeford's Leading Department Store



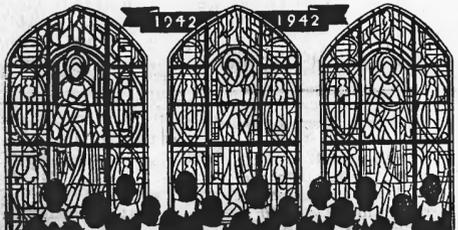
We thank you for your loyalty to us during the year. May you experience every joy during this blessed Yuletide of 1942.

HOKE AUTO CO.



Rising above the turmoil and cares of the world is the majestic story of Bethlehem. May the star that shone then still cast its light for you and all of us, revealing new pathways to happiness and achievement. Our entire organization joins with us in thanking you for your good will and patronage during 1942, and in wishing you a very Merry Christmas.

REAVES DRUG STORE



COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON

A Very Merry Christmas

So we say to you not just as our customers in 1942, but also as our friends and acquaintances which you have indeed become. We hope that you enjoy to the fullest all the happiness and goodness of this Christmas Season.

COLLINS' DEPT. STORE
RAEFORD, N. C.



YES, there IS a Santa Claus. There were times during this year of 1942 when we had begun to doubt it, and no doubt YOU had begun to doubt it, but now, when the Christmas spirit steals over the land we know that the Christmas story is true and that Santa Claus will come again, as he has always done. And so, with this cheering thought, we wish you a Merry Christmas.

RAEFORD HOTEL



So that Christmas Can happen There!

YES, we have practice blackouts now and then. And we're gradually getting used to ration books.

But America's Christmas will be warm with light and food and friendship — while war-worn peoples abroad face the cold night with fear and hunger.

American children may get fewer bikes and skates and trains — but the children of Europe's New Order, cowering in dark doorways, will get nothing.

Surely, every kid has a right to Christmas.

It is ironic but appropriate that on the birthday of the Prince of Peace, this nation should renew its pledge to win the war — so that all the world can share our kind of Christmas.

It will take everybody. Fighters and farmers and workers. It will take tanks and tractors and turret lathes — planes and plows and drill presses.

It will take an ever-increasing torrent of electricity to power the factories and serve the homes. . . . That's OUR job and we're doing it!

CAROLINA
POWER & LIGHT
COMPANY

INVEST IN AMERICA! BUY WAR SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS!