

# The News-Journal



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## Welcome News

News that the paving of the Raeford-Vass road across the Fort Bragg reservation to Little River township has become a possibility for the near future is welcome news to the people of that township in particular, and also to all the people of the county. We are grateful to Congressman Charles B. Deane for his efforts to bring it about.

Since the formation of the Fort Bragg reservation the people of Little River have been orphaned as far as their county seat was concerned, having either to travel a long bad road across the reservation or to go around by Southern Pines and Aberdeen. They have frequently been forced to do the latter by either the badness of the road or by artillery firing. Now, if the road is paved, they will be able to carry on their normal business in their county seat as other people do and will begin to feel that they are a part of the county again. As they will become closer by a better road they will more actively participate in affairs which concern the whole county, and we hope that they will come to feel that they are on equal basis with other parts of the county in receiving such improvements and benefits as may be allotted from time to time.

This is indeed welcome news to the whole county and it is the general hope that the paving may become an early reality.

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from the center of town, that is, pave the streets nearest center of town first. Now whether the board will use the exact geographical center of town for making this determination or will arbitrarily set a point as the center based on the more thickly settled sections has not been announced.

their home in New York Tuesday after spending the holidays with Mrs. O'Rourke's mother, Mrs. W. F. Walters.

Mrs. Max Heins of Sanford was a visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Blue, during the holidays.

Miss Shirley Wroten of Baltimore, Maryland, was a week end guest in the home of Mrs. J. M. Norton.

Sgt. and Mrs. Charles J. Augustoni left Tuesday for Albany, Ga. after spending the holidays with

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stephens.

Mrs. A. K. Currie had the misfortune to fall and break her arm last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McLeod and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis in High Point during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Barrington left Tuesday for Fuquay Springs after spending the holidays here in the home of Mrs. W. B. Barrington.

Mrs. A. R. Morris had as her guests during Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Fay Morris of New Bern and Miss Nora Mae Garner of Franklinton. On Monday Mrs. Morris, Fay and Jack visited Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. L. M. Russell in Troy. Mrs. Russell has been ill for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Langdon and children spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cole.

Mrs. R. B. Giles of Charlotte is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Graham.

Mrs. J. D. McBryde continues to be quite ill at Highsmith hospital.

Ed Brooks of Burgaw is a visitor in the home of his sister, Mrs. I. Mann. Other guests in the Mann home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mann of Elizabethtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tapp and daughter, Marilyn, returned Tuesday after spending Christmas in Charlotte in the home of Mrs. Tapp's father, Mr. Williams. Mrs. H. E. Stinchcomb of Black Mountain was also a guest in the home of Mr. Williams during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Niven visited Mrs. Niven's mother, Mrs. M. D. Gentry, in Roxboro for the holidays.

Miss Lona Graham and Murdock McDuffie spent the holidays in Faison with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. Newton.

Lt. and Mrs. Bob Smith of Langley Field, Virginia, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berder Niven during the holidays.

Mrs. D. J. Dalton and Miss Nora Dalton of Lumberton were week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Mann and family visited relatives in Whiteville Monday.

Charles Sessoms is spending this week in Lillington with relatives.

Mrs. L. B. Brandon left Monday for Norfolk, Va., for a visit in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Durham.

Mrs. W. R. Barrington left Monday for Ft. Pierce, Florida, to spend several days in the home of her son, Walter Barrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Currie and children spent the holidays in Sanford, Florida, with Mrs. Currie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wells. Ben returned Monday but Mrs. Currie and children remained for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith were guests of Dr. and Mrs. K. B. Grim Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The duplex on the corner of Magnolia and Donaldson's streets, owned by Dr. Gaddie Matheson has been completed and is ready for occupancy. Mr. and Mrs. Hector McNeill, Jr. who are now occupying Mrs. Seate's house, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, who have an apartment with Mrs. Julian Johnson will move into the duplex before the first of the year.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Heyward and family had as their Christmas guests Mrs. Heyward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ramsaur, John Ramsaur, Jr. and Mrs. Heyward's uncle, V. M. Ramsaur, all of Lincolnton. They will arrive Saturday.

Bill Wright has been a patient at Moore County hospital since last Thursday where he underwent a major operation.

Mrs. Mary McDiarmid left Saturday for Philadelphia, Pa. to spend the holidays in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montague, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinson Walters attended the Christmas Party of the Durham Herald Sun at the Washington Duke Hotel in Durham during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morris and daughter returned Monday after spending several days in Louisville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Pernell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jones of Washington, D. C. spent the Christmas week end with Mrs.

Jones' mother, Mrs. Lewis Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pope and daughter spent Christmas in Burlington in the home of Mrs. Pope's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd.

Lt. and Mrs. Kahl have rented Mrs. C. W. Seate's house and moved yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lentz and daughter spent Christmas Day in Sanford with relatives.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Lennon and son returned yesterday after spending the holidays with relatives in Wake Forest and Charlotte.

The Rev. Malcolm McBryde and his son, John of Fort Defiance, Va., Mrs. Annie McBryde Regan of Myrtle Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Grantham and Dr. and Mrs. Angus McBryde of Durham were in Raeford Monday for the burial service of T. A. Nisbet of Wilmington. These were in addition to all the members of the family and brothers and sisters of deceased.

Mrs. Dwight Brown and Mrs. A. J. Fuller left Wednesday last week for Daytona Beach, Fla. to spend ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cameron and children spent Christmas in Henderson with relatives of Mrs.

Cameron's.

Miss Mary Raye Freeman left yesterday for Charleston, S. C. to spend the remainder of the week with Columbia College classmates.

Miss Lyda Williams left last Friday morning to spend the holidays in Bradenton and Key West, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Privette spent the holidays in Rocky Mount and Dillon.

Miss Eva Leach of Mt. Holly is spending the holidays in the home of Mrs. Grady Leach. Other guests in the home for Christmas dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Calfee of Cary, Misses Cecil and Mary Robert Seall of Mon-

cure, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Seall and daughters, and Mrs. Mills of Brickhaven, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seall of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Averette and son of Hallsboro, John Chandler of Wake Forest.



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## Real Estate LOANS

I have moved my office from Central Avenue to the back of Raeford Super Market. Phone No. 6231. I will be glad to handle applications for FHA loans or GI Loans. This week I have 4 houses for sale in various parts of Raeford.

Julian Wright

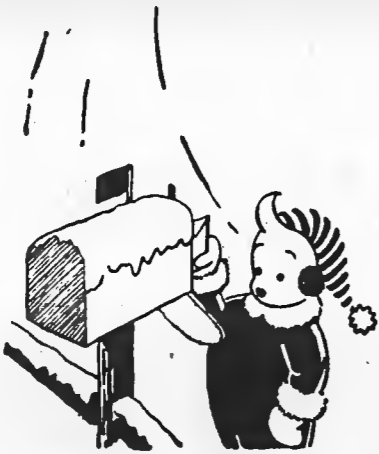
## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Billy O'Rourke and daughter, Peggy, left for



Happy Holiday 1950

A wealth of New Year cheer. May all the good things of 1950 be yours to enjoy.



New Year!



We wish you the best kind of a year, with no bad falls

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