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Christmas Greetings
 As we add our greetings to the many which you will receive during this season, we recall the immortal "Christmas Wish" of Henry Van Dyke:
 "I am thinking of you today, because it is Christ-

mas. And I wish you joy. And tomorrow, because it is the day after Christmas, I shall wish you joy. Mayhap I cannot tell you about it from day to day, for you may be far away, or we may be entangled with the things of life. But it makes no difference... my

thoughts and my wish will be with you. Whatever of joy or success comes to you, I shall be glad. Clear through the year, without pretense, I wish you the spirit of Christmas."

May the spirit of Christmas last throughout the year. May it extend beyond our circle of loved ones and friends to those in far places who now long for "Peace on earth, good will to men". So, we greet you and wish you at this holiday time the precious things of life: happiness and enduring friendships.

Christmas at B. H. S.

The Burnsville high school Student Council, under the direction of Mrs. Frank Howell, presented a beautiful dramatization of the Nativity in Assembly Friday, Dec. 18. Taking part in the program were members of the faculty, the council, and the Glee Club.

Following this a picture, "The Night Before Christmas" was shown. An informal party was held with refreshments served by the faculty.

Santa just couldn't make it to hand out the gifts, but Mr. Max Proffitt proved to be a very jolly substitute.

The Student body, together with the faculty, presented to Mr. Tomberlin, the principal, a handsome pen and desk set.

(Parrish-reporter)

There is nearly 40,000,000 board feet of saw-log size timber in North Carolina under the protection of the Division of Forestry and Parks.

The North Carolina Division of Forestry and Parks one of the six Divisions within the Department of Conservation and Development, has just recently opened its 10th District office at Lexington. This forest district includes seven north and central Piedmont counties. The North Carolina Division of Forestry and Parks protects nearly 17,000,000 acres of forest land from destructive forest fires.



This Merry Christmas is to you.

There is no wish we can give more true than this jolly old fellow is now bringing to you.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY
 Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of W. O. Griffith, deceased, late of Yancey County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home in Burnsville, Yancey County, North Carolina, on or before the 8th day of December, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
 All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
 This the 8th day of Dec. 1947.
 H. Lee Griffith, Administrator of the Estate of W. O. Griffith.
 Dec. 11, 18, 25, Jan. 1, 8 15

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY
 Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of H. M. Bennett, deceased, late of Yancey County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home in Burnsville, Yancey County, North Carolina, on or before the 25th day of November, 1948, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
 All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
 This the 25th day of Nov. 1947.
 S. T. Ray, Administrator of the Estate of H. M. Bennett.
 Dec. 4, 11, 18, 25, Jan. 1 8



Christmas 1947 PEACE ON EARTH

While angels hovered overhead, the Star of Bethlehem guided the Three Wise Men to the Manger at Bethlehem. We cannot offer you their gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. Our gift must be restricted to the old, but heartfelt wish for all the joys and blessings of the Yuletide season.

BRIGGS GROCERY



Christmas! No vaunting phrases can truly carry the meaning of that word, no marching adjectives picture its fulfillment. Its being and expression must ever lie in the simple words of the prophets, in the unpretentious but meaningful phrases of the Man of Galilee:

"ON EARTH PEACE, GOOD WILL TO MEN."

HOLCOMBE BROTHERS

TO OUR MANY FRIENDS



... AND MAY THE SPIRIT OF THIS DAY LINGER ON, BRINGING CHEER AND COMFORT LONG AFTER CHRISTMAS DAY ITSELF IS GONE.

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A JOLLY Christmas

And when the day is gone Our wishes for our friends Continue on and on and on!

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UNC OWNS TOP OF PEAK

The fact that the University of North Carolina owns a 40-foot-square lot on the summit of Mt. Mitchell in which is situated the grave of Dr. Elisha Mitchell, explorer and mathematician for whom the peak was named, was reestablished in a recently discovered document, according to an item in a recent issue of The Chapel Hill Weekly.

The document was said to have been found by J. A. Warren, university treasurer, while he was going through some old papers.

According to an account in the issue of the old Raleigh Register for July 10, 1854, one of the owners and donors of the lot was N. W. Woodfin, prominent Asheville attorney and legislator of the Civil War period for whom Woodfin street in Asheville is named.

A promise to deed the lot to the university was made by its previous owners, the account relates, on the occasion of the reinterment on the peak of the body of Dr. Mitchell, who was a professor at the university and who was originally buried in the churchyard of the First Presbyterian church.

There are 78 county forest wardens employed by the North Carolina Division of Forestry and Parks.

The North Carolina Division of Forestry and Parks gives advice on timber marketing as one of their many management services



Merry YULETIDE

With all the joys of the season to you! GOOD HEALTH, GOOD CHEER, and a MERRY CHRISTMAS

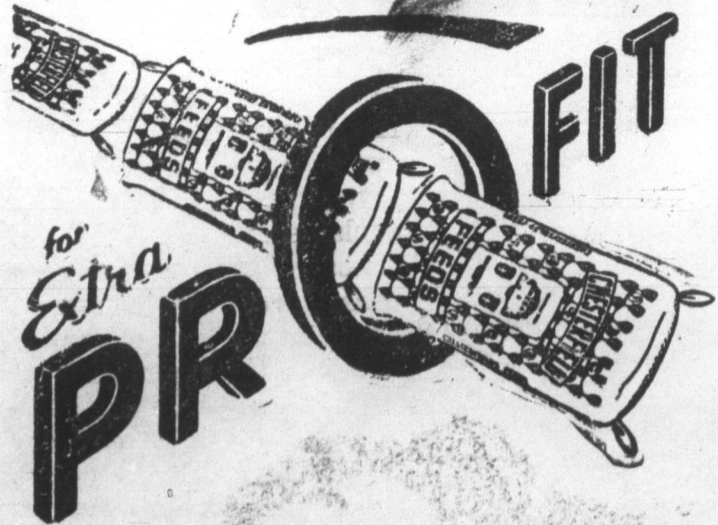
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WE WISH YOU AT CHRISTMAS MANY HAPPY HOURS AND TRUST WE MAY SERVE YOU IN THE FUTURE.

RAY BROTHERS GROCERY

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To you and yours this Yuletide season, we extend our sincere good wishes for a Merry Christmas.

A Christmas of joy and contentment: of peace, good cheer and happiness—that is our wish for you this joyous holiday season.

BANKS-YOUNG MOTOR COMPANY



A star in the sky

a light in the window, and hope in the heart! It's Christmas again, good folks of this community... the season when even strangers nod at you and smile. So we are sending you these wishes for Christmas cheer and happiness in your home.

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