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OUR FAVORITE TRI- | related in The Star Friday, was we see an item saying that stumped when some one asked her ss men in New York and to suggest menus for Christmas dinelsewhere have endorsed the pro- ners which would be healthful. Her posed 13-months year. Can't say reply was that it couldn't be done. that we blame the business men, Perhaps she is right as no one could but what about us poor fellows their hardly say that a big Christmas bill collectors call on 12 times each dinner is healthy to the eater, but year now? Just have to dodge our idea is that quite a number away one more day of our life each of healthy (meaning robust, wellyear, apparently. proportioned) Christmas dinners will be disposed of tomorrow in

TELEGRAPH COMPANIES IN

urging prospective patrons to send

their various greetings by tele-

graph usually get out a form mes-

sage which many people sign and

send, thus saving time. One of

these forms no doubt caused How-

lowing form in F. P. A.'s New

THANKSGIVING . DAY GREET-

INGS FOR YOUR NEWBORN

CHRISTMAS JOY AS YOUR

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY BE-

GINS ANOTHER NEW YEAR

INCIDENTALY, W E HOPE

Smith. And while he' about it he

might pack a few Stetsons in his

cling to their brown head-gear.

MAY YOUR EASTER BE FULL OF proval.

WITH NEWS OF YOUR ELEC- istration spokesman combine there-

TION PLEASE RESERVE DOUBLE fore to make his statement that

ROOM WITH BATH AND BE MY the eight months school term is

Santa Claus will be kind to Al most interested in the cause of

kit for Al's supporters who still izenship and who hope and pray

York Wold column:

VALENTINE

O.N.E. THING ABOUT IT, Shelby and Cleveland county. And the doctors having about all the fellow who draws his pay by they can do to cope with the "flu" the month should benefit, but not without bothering with indigeslikely And another thing: think of the

poor tough luck babies who may be born in superstitious homes during the 13th month of the year.

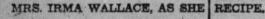
Perhaps, however, they'll tack the new month on at the end of December so that most of us will have a chance to get some of the Christmas bills paid in order to start the new year about half-way even on ard S. Benedict to suggest the fol-January 1.

WHAT ALL THAT HAS TO DO IN YOUR TRIUMPH ACCEPT MY with Shelby is not clear, but to localize it, one should remember that it will not be long until scores of INGS FOR YOUR NEWBORN people will be walking from store SON WHO GRADUATES FROM to store in Shelby asking for calen- COLLEGE ON MOTHERS DAY

dars. Incidentally, we're assured that a new year may be here before longthe Blum's almanacs have arrived at Ebeltoft's.

A STAR NEWS NOTE MENons the fact that Judge John full is having light dockets in his court just before Christmas due to his observation that there is al-ways a caim before the storm-and we recall it will be Judge Kennedy who will have to weather the after-Christmas court rush. There's where Judge Mull gets at least one

THIS DEPARTMENT WILL AND SINCE ALL GOOD LITTLE greatly miss the Gilmer's Store, for boys who expect Santa Claus to visit them must go to bed early, one thing because Archie Galloway, the store's demon "ad" man, has the store's demon "ad" man, has always tipped us off to more mis-pelled signs in Shelby than any other person. WAS AND A MERRY CHRISTwe'll stop right here and toddle MAS AND A JOLLY EGG-NOG





THE CLEVELAND STAR the state may in no way be retard- to provide additional funds, those ty tax rates? Certainly one can- PLANE REFUELS WHILE

One wonders, after reading Mr. Mull's statement, if he is speak- rather than to quiet a few coun- tages. ing merely his personal views, if ties which may be squalling now. Our hope is that in this particuhe gives what may be interpreted Which will pay greater returns, lar instance Mr. Mull is wrong. as the belief of Democratic lead- we ask, better educational oppor-

Rocky Mt. Paper Discusses Shelby ers or, what amounts to virtually tunities for North Carolina chilthe same thing, if ne is filling dren or a few cents shaved off coun- Try Star Want Ads. Man's View Of Long Term School

ecutive committee in North Caro-

lina, and any statement which

comes from him must be inter-

preted as voicing to some extent

To cap the climax, Mr. Mull has

been picked by political writers

and observers as the administra-

tion spokesman for the approach-

ing session of the general as-

sembly, believing that he will

champion the measures which the

governor approves and lead the

fight against those which meet

with the administration's disap-

The official position of Mr.

Mull, his connection with the

Democratic party machinery and

his chances for acting as admin-

not likely to come just now fall

with telling effect upon the ears,

minds and hearts of North Caro-

linians, especially those who are

education, who realize that the

public schools offer the future cit-

that the educational progress of

the party's views and policies.

even now the office of spokesman for the next state administration.

Considerable significance must townsman of the next governor is necessarily be attached to the requoted as expressing the belief cent statement of Odus M. Mull that the present educational burat Shelby that there appears to den is too heavy for many of the be little chance for passage of counties, that the state will likethe eight months school legislaly give greater aid toward the six tion at the approaching session of months term but that the eight the North Carolina general assemmonths term is unlikely to come now. Mr. Mull may be right, and Of course, the statement of itthen again this may be a political self is significant and of vital inmove to cater to some of the counterest to North Carolinians, but ties which are grumbling. Our greatest claim to significance opinion is that so long as any rests in the person who uttered it. burden whatever is imposed, there Mr. Mull, it will be recalled, is a fellow townsman and intimate None of the counties appears to friend of Governor-elect O. Max have broken under the weight of educational costs. If the state is chairman of the Democratic ex-

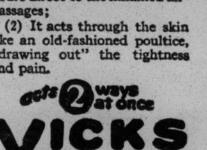
> Checked at the start RUB your chest with Vicks before your little cold gets BIG.

> Vicks acts two ways at once to check the cold and prevent complications:

(1) It is vaporized by the heat of the body and inhaled for hours direct to the inflamed air-

like an old-fashioned poultice, "drawing out" the tightness and pain.







SEASON AS the year of 1928 passes into that long trail of yesterdays and 1929 is usher-

SHELBY, N. C. MONDAY, DEC. 24, 1928.

funds can go to no better purpose not claim a penny saved when it

than to provide more months of is saved at cost of less adequate

school for North Carolina children and unequal educational advan-

ed in with its vista of promise, we extend greetings of the season and our wish that each succeeding day of the new year add its measure of contentment and prosperity.

The Acorn Store Inc. SHELBY, N. C. LET US SERVE YOU.



Dallas, Texas, Dec. 20 .- Two hun

dred gallon: of gasoline were trans-

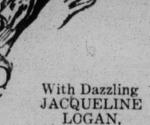
ferred to the army tri-motored

Kokker plane Douglas O--- 2,500

feet above Dallas today and the

transport with the Douglas O---

THE



department for Midland, Texas, or

The rates charged for making

radio announcements have proved

conclusively the truth of the old

- SPECIAL -

**CHRISTMAS DAY** 

adage about time being money.

2,500 FEET UP IN AIR the next lap of its tarns-continen-

tal flight.

Peppy Gertrude Astor, "Skeets" Gallagher.



General Admission 10c - 25c

News - Serial.

Also Good Comedy.



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Performance Starts 12 M. Xmas Night

JACK MILEY

**KING OF COMEDY** 

PRINCE OF BLUES YODELERS

VAUDEVILLE

**Musical Comedy** 

**DE LUXE** 

**MIRTH--FUN** 

MUSIC

**Prices 25-50** 

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XMAS

PRINCESS

THEATRE





L'S PREDICTION

Tomorrow is Christmas. It is the day of all days, because it commemorates the birth of the Christ Child.

We can rejoice on Christmas Day and every day that the accident of birth means little in the final outcome of our lives. The memory of manger casts no shadow over the career of Jesus.

He waxed strong in body, took His place in the primitive society of His day, and worked as a carpenter. From that lowly position Jesus Christ has come to be recognized as its Savior by fully half the world.

In seeking to fathom the future of the newborn babe, the accident of birth may be disregarded. The early surroundings of the child do not determine his career, provided he has a strong body, a good mind and goodness of soul. The child may be born in a palace and die in a hovel. He may be born in a manger and arrive at a throne.

Just as the Christ Child was unhampered by DR. COPELAND the conditions of humble birth, so any child may wax strong, as Jesus did. No matter how poor may be the home in which he is born, it cannot begin to be as humble as the place where Jesus saw the light of day.

In North America it is made possible for every parent to give his child the proper beginning. To give the child a healthy body is greater than great riches. No matter how lacking the home may be in things making for physical ease and comfort, it can be the abiding place of perfect health.

In the spirit of the Child Jesus communities have established health Christ upon the spiritual life of the centers, hospitals and clinics. Baby world. Let us not forget that the health stations supply pure milk, physical vigor of the Master did many states, counties provide dis- mission.

Newspapers and magazines supply above all others the gift of good readers with medical advice. Every health. school teaches physiology and hygiene. High schools, colleges, and SPECIALISTS GET THE the churches regard their gymna-

slums and out-of-door contests as e sential features of their work. No one can read the Bible without being impressed by the idea that the body is the temple of God. doctors are no longer being re-Each of us dwells in a holy place. cruited? Fortunate indeed is that family "Enough men (and women) are

must not be defiled.

On this Christmas Day, the birth- the specialists, and beyond all day of the Christ Child, let every doubt the money to be gained all parent in the world take a solemn goes to them! The more they specyow that the children in that home jalize the greater the reward. The shall be given every opportunity for profession has not been slow to health. Let every child in all the notice this law, and the results world dedicate himself to habits grow ever more astonishing. One which make for good health and can sympathize with the lady who long life. Let every person deter- asked a doctor who was being inmine upon a conduct of life that troduced, where he practiced? '1 shall guarantee to posterity a her- am a naval surgeon, madam," he itage of good health.

Many of the preachers today will ialize now-a-days!' was her unnaspeak of the influence of Jesus tural exclamation."

medical advice and nursing care. In much to make possible His divine trict nursing. The states and prov- Among the good gifts we give inces send out sanitary trains and our children today, or contemplate disseminate health knowledge, giving in the future, let us prize

HONOR AND THE MONEY

(Dr. A. F. Van Bibber, In. North American Review.) "Is it any wonder that country

here father and mother in their being graduated today, probably, to devotion to child life teach the keep the ranks of the specialties solemn obligation that God's temple filled. The honor to be gained in the profession is to be gained by

replied. 'How you doctors do spec-

Little LELA MAY **EVERYBODY'S SWEETHEART** MERRY A RED HOT SHOW

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