Highly Paid Executive

the annual earnings statement.

Gets Huge Block of Stock.

Happened on Friday the

Thirteenth

As for the 13th:

February 13.

The national anthem was born

posed 13 famous operas, presented

Hastings, Minn.-D. E. Eyre, who

bachelor, celebrated his 100th birth-

would rather have a sense of humor

you're unmarried," he said, "especially from the girls. Besides, a

sense of humor is a man's most

when a man gets married he loses

Eyre celebrated his birthday at

Hastings hospital, where he has

been confined since he partly lost

After cutting his cake and receiv-

years ago, when he was 36 years old.

"If a dog steals a piece of meat

he asked the man behind the desk

"You can get more attention if

claims to be the world's oldest

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ofor bridge. Easter tallies were used

Mary Brandt Switzer.

Mrs. Gerald Morgan

afternoon at 3:30.

S. Shelby P. T. A.

To Meet Tuesday.

tion are urged to be present.

to Miss Gettys' sixth grade.

SOCIAL-

in dress clothes in the new picture, ried on a heated debate on whether of Shelby visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake

You've seen places called "Sandwich When scores were added Miss Mar- Party For Members, Of

Grills"? The customer ahead of me Ordered lean corned beef on rye. The busy counter man

With a leer and reluctant com-

pliance Shoved the order across the counter. "Fat corned beef on rye" Was my timid request.

The counter man's face lit up Into a joy of relish of compliance.

mustard And pickle? That guy ain't got no sense

Philardee.

Twentieth Century

beef, too.

To Meet This Week. On Friday afternoon of this week To Have Bridge Club. Mrs. E. Y. Webb will be hostess to members of the Twentieth Century Washington street.

Meeting Of Mothers' Club For Tuesday.

Mrs. Roland Elam will be hostes to the members of the Mothers' club Shelby Parent-Teachers association

Bridge Games To Be Held Each Wednesday.

Beginning on Wednesday after- Mrs. Lovelace To noon of this week the Green Lan- Entertain Two Clubs. tern tea room will be available for day afternoon.

Garden Club To

Meet Tuesday. club at the club room at 3:30. Mrs. C. F. Sherrill will be leader for the Marion P. T. A. afternoon. Members who have plants Meeting Last Wednesday. for exchange are urged to bring them to this meeting.

Regular Meeting Of

Music And Arts. the Woman's club at the club room der the direction of their teacher, ter was present, on Wednesday afternoon at 4 Miss Alpha Gettys. Mrs. C. M. Stroup The group received an invitation the central P. Cleveland Gardner will be host- of affiliation with the national or- held at Statesville on March 31. present as an important business voted to join the national group. meting will be held.

Pretty Party

Misses Kate Wilson, Anita Win- Mrs. Smith Honored kler and Jes Misses Camille Campbell and Eliza- O. Smith, who is a recent bride, the church on last Thursday evenbeth Corpening and Mr. Charles Miss Hoey were a crepe dress of ing from 7 to 10:00 o'clock. tables during the evening.

coffee and accessories.

Social Meeting Of Chicora Club.

joyed a social meeting on Friday faultlessly served. N. Morgan street. A variety of spring ton, Miss Kathleen Hord, Miss master. flowers were used as decorations Montrose Mull, Misses Nancy and The program consisted of such placed reason. Spring printed on the sides of the Hattle Gidney. cubes, was played at five stables.

A delicious salad course with Mrs. Loy Thompson Gives sweets was served, the hostess be- Party For Her Son. ing assisted by Mrs. E. B. Lattimore,

Twentieth Century Club

Has Meeting Friday. ing discussions of current topics ed on each corner of the table. Ice by prayer, led by Dr. Wall. given by Mrs. George Hoyle and cream, cake and Easter candies were Mrs. R. T. LeGrand. Mr. Boyce served. played a piano solo.

Invited guests outside the club son in entertaining. members were Mrs. Carl Thompson and Mrs. Lewis Forney.

Mrs. Suttle was assisted by Mrs. Dinner Hostess. Forney and Miss Betty Suttle in serving a pretty salad plate with ac- tained at a charming small dinner

Nancy and Betty Suttle were host- blonde accessories, and Mrs. Smith ment and a coroner's jury exoner- today at the plant. esses at a delightful small party in wore a dress of brown figured chif- ated her.

bowl of jonguils, and spirea centered the table, and little green cups filled with green and white mints served as placecards. The color note of green appeared in the salad and on the diner plate. A delicious four ourse dinner was served.

THE CLEVELAND STAR

Miss Switzer presented Mrs.

Miss Louise Bailey.

garet Blanton was winner of the Teacher Training Class. high score award, a novelty box of Miss Louise Gill was hostess at a with the green-gray eyes and the bath salts, and Mrs. Floyd Smith small party last Monday evening at longest hair in Hollywood, does a is estimated to have paid its presi- Friday afternoon. received the second high score the home of Mrs. Ceph Blanton en-award, a box of four pretty hand- tertaining the members of her class kerchiefs, Mrs. Smith was also given in teacher training and a few other Gary Cooper in Fighting Caravans, year, and his services thus rewarded spent last week-end with Mr. and a linen guest towel as an honor gift. friends. The teacher training girls the new Paramount picture playing The hostesses served a pretty party all over the state are making a at the Carolina theatre today and plate with pressed chicken, coffee crocheted afghan to be presented to Tuesday. Her name is Lily Damita. the state supervisor at the state of "The Bridge of San Luis Rey" Those playing were: Mrs. Smith, meeting in Raleigh this spring; each fame. Fighting Caravans is taken "You got brains, mister; have some Mrs. Frank Hoey, Mrs. Flay Roey, girl is to contribute one square. Miss from Zane Grey's novel of the Miss Montrose Mull, Miss Kathleen Gill devoted the first part of the same name Hord, Miss Mary Suttle, Miss Louise evening to getting her guests start-Bailey, Miss Margaret Blanton, Miss ed on their square for the afghan, Solicitor Tries Lean corned beef, humph, I like fat Isabelle Hoey, Miss Carolina Blau- after which a group of teachers arton, Miss Katherine Dover and Miss rived and the remainder of the evening was spent in playing games at five tables.

ing by Mrs. Ceph Blanton and assisted in entertaining by Misses Mrs. Gerald Morgan will be host- Nancy Bagwell, Victoria Young. ess to members of the Tuesday aft- Alice Brunson and Viola Randall. club at 3:30 at her home on South ernoon bridge club on Wednesday An ice and sweet course was served in which the St. Patrick's idea was carried out.

American Legion Auxiliary

The regular meeting of the South Holds Special Meeting. games, to take place each Wednes- club and the Ishpening Literary club the district committee woman, Mrs. sults." nesday afternoon at 3:30 at her present and gave interesting talks whether Mr. McNeill spoke in his a Hill-George Washington Hillhome on W. Warren street. Mem- on the work of the organization. At- agragian, his professional, his philbers of either organization who will torney W. S. Beam made a talk on anthropical or his political capacity. On Tuesday afternoon there will be unable to attend are asked to the organization of the American That, however, is perhaps immatebe a regular meeting of the Garden please call and notify the hostess. Legion in Paris, at which he was rial after all. But it does seem On Wednesday afternoon of last er sang 'Where my Caravan has Rest mental efficiency or does not give o week a regular meeting of the Par- ed," with Mrs. H. S. Plaster at the damn about changes which will cl- Outstanding Events In History That Bill Barrets Sunday. ent-Teacher association of the Mar- plano. Miss Carobel Lever gave a iminate duplication and overlapping, ion school was held at which time reading. "Little George at the fix responsibility and patently rean interesting program on "North Show," and Miss Mary Helen Lat- sult in substantial savings to the tax There will be a regular meeting Carolina, a Good Blace to Live," was timore played a piano solo. Almost payers of the state. Can it be that of the music and arts division of given by the sixth grade pupils un- the entire membership of the chap- those interested in the cause of tax

o'clock. Mesdames Oscar Suttle and gave a short talk on the benefits to attend the area conference to be which, it has been shown will save esses. All members are urged to be ganization of P. T. A.; the group The hostesses served delicious relis put into effect? And this is but a A roll call of parents present was being carried out on the plates.

taken and the dollar was awarded

Peoples Anniversary Social.

events of the season for the young lightful small party in honor of hostess at a pretty luncheon on Sat- Peoples' department was the anni-

Wilson, of Newton, entertaining at black and turquoise, while Mrs. The spacious assembly room was the home of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Smith had chosen for the occasion a transformed by festoon decorations. Taxes may be shifted to bring a sort new of discovery; the Declaration of Quinn. Bridge was played at three becoming tailored model of mustard Here and there were globes covered colored woolen. A bowl of mixed with old gold lending their soft light of relief, but complete relief, us it Independence was signed; Cornwal-After several progressions the flowers formed a centerpiece for the to the beauty of the scene, while the hostesses served a sweet course with beautifully appointed luncheon table varied touches of decorations and used to direct the guests to their the evening's pleasure.

places where each guest found a The delicious four course dinner, little old-fashioned nosegay as a under the chairmanship of Mrs. advocates to declare that he doesn't Napoleon, Bismarck. Disraeli and Members of the Chicora club enfavor. A four course luncheon was Grady Lovelace, who selected a give a damn for consolidations or Washington were born; Christ was afternoon with Mrs. W. B. Nix as Covers were laid for: Mrs. Smith, was interspersed with peppy stunts, hostess at her attractive home on Mrs. Flay Hoey, Miss Carolina Blan- led by Mr. Horace Easom, the toast- was speaking his temper instead of fought; Joan of Arc was burned;

and little old fashioned plates, as Betty Suttle, Mrs. Brevard Hen- numbers as the Shelby Hawaiians, place cards, directed the guests to nessa, Misses Mary Adelaide and the Shelby Dixie four colored male age jury in North Carolina, but the their places. Dice, with the letters of Minnie Eddins Roberts, and Miss quartet, special vocal selections by solicitor is likely to find it a faux American troops took St. Miniel; Mr. Emmett Davis, baritone, of pas in winning a verdict from the Richard Wagner, who had 13 letters Asheville; Mrs. Emmett Davis, so- intelligent citizenship of the state in his name, was born in 1813, comprano, of Asheville; Mrs. L. R. Phil- in whose hands solution of the preslips, contralto, of Asheville; Mr. Jim ent tax problem ultimately repores, the first on March 13, and died on Mrs. Loy Thompson entertained Hall, with his soft tenor voice and Mrs. Tom Lattimore and Mrs. J. Y. at a delightful childrens' party this ukulele, of Asheville: "Around the Belwood Defeats afternoon in honor of her little World in Twenty Minutes." a set of son, Loy, jr., on his fourth birthday stereopticon slides, by Dr. E. B. Jen-The party was given at the home of kins, of Rutherfordton; address by the child's grandparents, Mr. and Mr. C. N. Walker, of Asheville; mes-Mrs. Z. J. Thompson, on W. Marion sages by Dr. Zeno Wall, and Judge by home in Belvedere Heights Mrs. street. After an hour spent in play- B. T. Falls. The climactic number Julius Suttle was hostess to the ing games in the living room the came when all of the lights were Piedmont 15 to 5 in a game featurmembers of the Twentieth Century children were invited into the dining turned out and a cross was illumin- ed by heavy hitting and good sportsclub. The rooms were arranged with room, where the table bore the white ated at one end of the hall. The de- manship shown by the rival organspring flowers and an interesting birthday cake with its four lighted partment was summoned to gather izations program was given. A paper on pink candles. Around the cake Eas- around the cross with emphasis "France" given by Mrs. B. L. Smith, ter excelsior was banked and pret- upon the approaching revival at the limited Piedmont to three hits. was the main feature of the after- ty bunnies and Easter eggs nestled church. All stood and sang "The Old These safeties were made by Falls. noon, and was followed by interest- among this. Tall pink candles burn- Rugged Cross," and were dismissed Wallace and Philbeck. D. Peeler and

Miss Esther Ann Quinn who later Mrs. Marion McDonald and Mrs About one hundred and fifty guests bat. Aaron Quinn assisted Mrs. Thomp- were present.

> Woman Kills Negro Miss Switzer Is Over Her Daughter Miss Mary Brandt Switzer enter-

party on Friday evening at the

On Baturday afternoon Misses turquoise blue dinner dress with daughter accused him of mistreat- week according to reports obtained. Eyre had a love affair sixty-four

honor of Mrs. Floyd O. Smith, a re- fon with brown accessories. The St. The child ran home and told her automobiles in the Carolinas is con- her home at Toledo to get a troussent bride. Mrs. Smith wore a love- Patrick's idea was carried out in ex- mother of the negro's demeanor to- tinuing at a rather rapid rate. This seu, was taken sick and died. ly tallored sports suit in shades of quisite detail, with little green pigs ward her. Forthwith, Mrs Lyons improvement caused the increase in own and tan. The living room was and green hats placed around on armed herself with a revolver pur- operations, which now for the first

Kathleen Norris' best-selling novel has been made into film, with a cast "made for their parts." Kay Francis. George Washington Hill, Pro-ident Smith with an attractive pewter Kay Johnson, Charles Bickford. Lewis Stone, Zasu Pitts give the Covers were laid for: Mrs. Smith. story its fullest interpretation. Char-Miss Montrose Mull, Miss Kathleen les Bickford is seen for the first time "Passion Flower," playing today and tomorrow at the Webb theatre.

The little five-foot French actress

Jury Thunder On General Assembly

> For Own Method Cutting Taxes.

(See Editorial, Page 4-"Unduly

Excited.")

News' Raleigh bureau's account of company's books to learn details of little daughter, Ruby and son, Wilthe farmers' descent upon the gen- its stock bonus plan. The American Legion auxiliary eral assembly Thursday is a stateon Tuesday afternoon at 3:30, en- will be held in the auditorium of chapter enjoyed a special meeting ment which impresses this housetertaining at her home on W. War- that school on Tuesday evening at here on Friday evening at the club hold publication as strikingly Tobacco's president, George Wash-7:30. Rev. W. R. Jenkins will pre- room with Mesdames G. P. Smith, strange and almost beyond under- ington Hill, amounted to a cool side. All members of the organiza- Reid Misenheimer, B. C. Houser and standing. Solicitor T. A. McNeill, of million, and in addition, the distri-J. O. Panther as hostesses. The club the ninth district, is quoted as hav- bution of stock to employes, approvroom was beautiful with spring ing said, in the midst of an impas- ed by the directors last year, put flowers. Mrs. W. A. Abernethy, sioned appeal for land tax relief: 13,440 shares into his strong box at Glover or Glo chapter chaplain, conducted devo- "We farmers don't give a dawn about the low price of \$25, or a discount Glover on Cleveland Springs road. Mrs. Grady Lovelace will be host-tional. The state president, Mrs. your consolidation program or your of about \$1,283,000 from the curentertaining at a series of bridge ess to members of the Cecella music Reverdy J. Miller, of Charlotte, and Brookings institute. We want re- rent market price.

> present, and on the work of the leg-strange that a sentient citizen of Good And Bad On ion, Mesdames Grady Lovelace, Ben Scotch ancestry, if names count for Suttle, B. M. Jarrett and A. C. Farm aught, is not interested in governreduction care not a damn whether the state \$400,000 at one fell swoop, freshments, the St. Patrick's idea single instance of the consolidation

and reorganization program. Any reduction in governmental people throw up their hands in hor- sick list. costs and expenditures bring a pro- ror. portionate share of tax relief. In But history records good things G. Lemons over the week-end. One of the outstanding social event a sales tax of any form is have happened on these days as Miss Isabelle Hoey was a gracious people of the First Baptist Young farmers, although they may have week-end guests, urday given in honor of Mrs. Floyd versary banquet, which was held at will bear a part of the burden. Taxtheir ad valorem taxes lightened, on Friday: es generally rest upon the ultimate cessarily full in such a category, days; John Cabot started his jourapplies to the citizens generally, comes nearest attainment in reduced expenditures and operating costs land; the first emigrants reached and little flower place cards were favors formed a pretty setting for which will lower the total tax burden. For a spokesman of tax relief en flew the Atlantic; Shakesocare, large and capable committee to aid, the Brookings report is strikingly crucified; Fort Sumter was bominconsistent. But it may be that he barded; the Battle of Waterloo was his mind, that roar momentarily dis- Lincoln and Caesar were assassin-

Such thunder may sway the aver-

An Aged Bachelor Piedmont Outfit Says Sense Humor Better Than Wife

(Special to The Star.) Playing at Piedmont Thursday the Belwood baseball team defeated

day Wednesday and announced he Hartford Willis, Belwood hurler, than a wife. Propst led the sluging for Belwood This function was the second an- with two hits each. Stough Peeler valuable possession and lots of times niversary banquet held by this or- was at the receiving end of Willis' Wakefield sang two selections. He The little honoree received a col- ganization, the department having fine pitching while Wallace pitched it. was accompanied at the plane by lection of pretty and useful gifts. been organized about two years ago. for Belwood with Hord behind the

> 1,000 Men On Ford's the use of his legs more than a Charlotte Pay Roll year ago. Nurses provided him with

Charlotte, Mar. 11.—The oll of ing presents from nurses and employes of the Ford Motor com- friends-mostly pajamas and cigars Arcadia, Fla.-Mrs. William Lyons, pany's assembling plant at Charlotet -Eyre planned to go to the Gard-Green Lantern tea room in compli- wife of a railway engineer, shot and has been increased to approximately, ner hotel, where he lived for many ment to Mrs. Floyd O. Smith, of killed Eddie Burton, 19-year-old ne- 1,000 men and operations have been years, for a dinner with the town's Bristol. Tenn. Miss Switzer wore a gro, here soon after her six-year-old expanded to cover the full five-day leading citizens.

Improvement in the demand for The girl started from Hastings to corated with quantities of spring the table, and tall green candles on sued him and killed him near her time in more than a year, are at the content of the centeroises a residence than a year, are at the content of the centeroises a residence to the centeroises are a content of the centeroises.

Tobacco Head Paid No. 1 Township \$2,283,000 Salary In A Single Year

(Special to The Star.) Of American Tobacco Co. /

Mrs. James McCurry spent last Thursday with her sister Mrs. Ed Blanton at Eastside.

New York, Mar. 14.—Having car- Mr. and Mrs. Moody Hambright lars a year, Wall Street suddenly Mrs. J. R. Glover spent last

finds that apparently it has one in Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. F its midst who received twice that Glover on Cleveland Springs road. Little Ruth Hendrick visited her The American Tobacco company uncle, Mr. Monroe Hendrick last

Misses Marie and Katle Glover In a year that was either lean or and little brother, J. P., spent last unprofitable for many of the na- week-end with their grandparents, tion's leading corporations, the coun- Mr. and Mrs. John Glover.

try's largest unit in the tobacco in- Mr. Clifford Grayson spent last dustry piled up a net income of \$43,- Wednesday night with Mr. Bill Mc-000,000 which was more than 40 per Curry. cent greater than the previous year Messrs. Hudson Glover and Bill

when the country was prospering. McCurry spent awhile Wednesday Nevertheless, the controversy over night with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. now a big corporation should re- Weast. Mr. James McSwain of Beams ward executives for extraordinary

services rages. Starting with litiga- Mill spent the week-end with his The hostess was assisted in receiv- McNeill Cares Not "A Dama" Except tion over the bonus system adopted cousins, Messrs. Arnold and Bonnie by Bethlehem Steel Corporation, McSwain. which netted its president well over Miss Kathryn Leigh spent Friday a million for 1929, a group of Am- night with Miss Doris Glover.

erican Tobacco stockholders, headed Mr. Frank Anthony of High Point by Richard Reid Rogers, has obtain- visited his grandparents, Mr. and ed permission through the Supreme Mrs. J. H. Anthony Sunday. Buried far down in the Jaily court of New York to inspect the Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Towery and

> Mrs. Spurgeon Glover Friday aft-The 1930 pay check of American ernoon. Mr. Horace Bridges of the Beaver Dam section spent Wednesday

> > Miss Madge Camp visited Mrs. J.

Mr. Fred Blanton of Eastside is It was the Duke family who creclub and the Ishpening Literary club the district committee woman, Mrs. sults."

It was the Duke family who created the close of the district committee woman, Mrs. sults."

A. S. Karesh, of Gastonia, were The dispatch does not indicate ated the closece Washington Hull.

Mr. Charles McCurry. Mr. John McSwain spent Wedwho assumed a heritage left him nesday with his brother at Beams by his father, and built the com-

Miss Lois Edwards spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Burt Thrift at Eastside. Mr. and Mrs. James Hendrick and

little daughters, Ruth and Virginia, Friday, Thirteenth attended a birthday dinner at Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goforth

visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anthony. Messrs. J. G. and Frank Anthony New York, Mar. 13.—This is the visited Mr. Gus Anthony Sunday. econd Friday the thirteenth of Mrs. John R. Glover spent Fri-

1931 and another will be along in day afternoon with Mrs. T. J. Glo-Mr. John Harrill spent Sunday

For hundreds of years Friday has been considered a hoodoo, and the with Messrs. Calvin and Spurgeon same is true of the 13th. When they Glover. both fall on one day, superstititious Mrs. J. H. Anthony is still on the

Miss Mollie Glover visited Miss O.

four political parties in 1932. No. no, Jim, we really haven't enough Columbus set sail, sighted land graft for the two we now have .started back to Spain and, returning Hubbard (Ore.) Enterprise.

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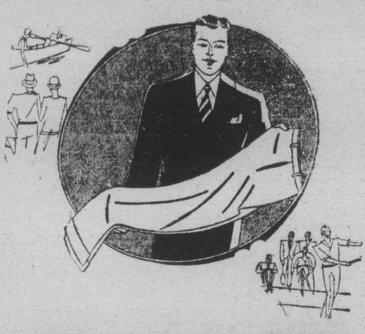
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