

## HOLIDAY GREETINGS

Let us forget the unusual year just ending and celebrate this Yuletide in a spirit of gratitude. We may have lost some of the things which we have created, but we have not lost the ability to create more . . . nor have we lost any of our most valuable assets . . . our friends.

TO YOU AND YOURS. A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS.

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## MERRY CHRISTMAS

TO ONE AND ALL, WHETHER YOU ARE A CUSTOMER OF OURS OR NOT.

We extend to you the season's greetings and trust health and happiness will abide with you throughout the coming year.

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**Tonight & Thursday**  
EVERYBODY

**10c**

**RICHARD DIX**

IN  
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**WHEELER and WOOLSEY**

IN  
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LOOK! BIG CHRISTMAS DAY SPECIAL.

— FRIDAY —

**WALLACE BEERY**  
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IN  
**"THE CHAMP"**

— 10c AND 25c —

— COMING NEXT MONDAY —

**GRETA GARBO - RAMON NOVARRO**

IN

**"MATA-HARI"**

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

**Webb Theatre**

## LOCAL and PERSONAL News

Miss Virginia Laughridge of Washington, D. C., will arrive Thursday to spend the holidays at her home on West Marion street.

Miss Margaret Joyner will be the guest of Miss Charlie Mae Laughridge Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl M. Long will return tomorrow from a short honeymoon trip in Georgia, and will spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Betts at their home on Fallston road.

Miss Helen Whitener of N. C. C. W. at Greensboro arrived home Saturday to spend the holidays at home.

Mrs. R. R. Lawrence of Winston-Salem has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. C. Kester and will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Kester to Hickory tomorrow to spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Effie Cline.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neal of Clinton, S. C. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Patterson of Cherryville were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sloop Monday evening.

Mrs. Cubby Ingle of Asheville and children are spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Abernethy.

Bloomfield Kendall arrived home Saturday from Chapel Hill for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McCarley leave today for Columbia, S. C. to visit their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Mills, jr. Mr. McCarley is joining a party composed of Mr. and Mrs. James Spear, jr., of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hoshier of Canton, Pa. for a hunting trip in Florida during the holidays.

Misses Elora, Edwina and Nora Belle Alexander will motor to Charlotte tomorrow for the day and be accompanied home by their sister, Miss Pat Alexander who will spend Christmas at home.

Mrs. Mary W. Logan is spending the holidays with her brother, Mr. H. L. Toms and Mrs. Toms. Mrs. Logan has charge of the infirmary at Oak Ridge Military institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Chapel of Norlina will arrive tomorrow to visit Mrs. Chapel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Arey during the holidays.

Miss Sarah Suffell of Rocky Mount arrives tonight to visit Miss Mildred Boyles during the holidays.

Misses Nita Benton and Mammie Gaddy will spend the holidays with their parents in Laurinburg.

Miss Eunice Westbrook left this afternoon for Arlington, Ga., where she will spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. Todd Caldwell is spending the holidays with his parents at Lawndale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webb and son, Billy, leave Sunday for Key West, Fla., where they will sail for Havana, Cuba, to attend a convention of The Pilot Life Insurance companies.

John Best arrived home Sunday from Chapel Hill and left Monday for Kinston to play trumpet in the University orchestra there Monday night and other engagements each night this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Rhyme and children of Charlotte will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kendall.

Miss Ruth Mundy, of Durham, will arrive home tomorrow for the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mary Mundy. Misses Ruth and Ouida Mundy will be week-end guests of Miss Betty Smith in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McBrayer left today to visit home folks during Christmas at Lexington and Harrisburg, Va.

Mrs. Jessie T. Wilson spent last week-end with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Stoll at Lancaster, S. C.

Miss Helen Francis visited her brother, Mr. Norman Francis in Gastonia last Sunday.

Mrs. G. G. Abernethy left Monday for Norfolk, Va., to join Mr. Abernethy and they will make their home there for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stoll and children of Lancaster, S. C., will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Jessie T. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Whitaker, of Jeffersonville, Ga., are spending the holidays with relatives in and around Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dodd and little Rebecca spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kincaid at Gastonia.

Miss Sara Best, who is a student at Flora McDonald college, arrived home Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Best.

Mrs. John Hudson and two children, of Brevard, are spending the holidays here with Mr. Hudson and Mrs. H. T. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth Gillespie and Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Nelsler of Kings Mountain returned Monday from a ten day trip to New York.

Born Dec. 27th to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harris, a daughter, Nancy Ellen.

Miss Ruth Hopper and Mrs. Thelma H. Smith spent Tuesday in Charlotte.

Miss Margaret Blanton arrived home yesterday from Red Springs, where she teaches.

Miss Martha Eskridge of Agnes Scott college, Decatur, Ga., arrived Saturday to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Chas. L. Eskridge.

Miss Sara Thomas left today for her home at Graham for the holidays. Miss Mackey left for her home at Granite Falls, Miss Hardy for Winston-Salem, Miss Ruby McDonald to Anderson, S. C., Miss Clara Edwards to Pendleton, and Mr. Abernethy to his home at Hickory.

Mrs. S. F. Parker was called to Maysville, S. C. Sunday on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. C. E. Cooper. Dr. Parker accompanied her home returning Monday.

Mrs. Mial Tiddy will spend the holidays with her home folks at Elm City. She was accompanied by Mrs. Furman Ragan as far as Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Wells and Miss Nora Belle Alexander motored to Asheville Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Wells taking Dr. A. E. Ware to his home there and Miss Alexander to deliver the Christmas box to the boys at Oteen from the Junius T. Gardner post, of the Spanish American Auxiliary.

Miss Egberta North, Mr. T. D. Cobb, of Asheville and Mrs. Kate L. North were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Showalter in Charlotte last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ward of High Point are spending the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hothernal at their home beyond Cleveland Springs.

The B. Y. P. U. of Elizabeth church is giving a pageant "The Story Beautiful" and also a Christmas tree Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Showalter, of Charlotte, will arrive Thursday night to spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Kate L. North.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Morgan will leave Sunday for Columbia, S. C. to visit Mrs. Morgan's sister, Mrs. George Holmes and Mr. Holmes. Mrs. Morgan will remain for a weeks visit and Mr. Morgan will return Sunday night.

Attending the funeral of Mr. T. W. Hamrick today were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marks, of Greenville, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Hamrick and Ed Hamrick of Chester, S. C.

Mr. H. F. Young will leave Saturday to attend the semi-annual style show of the Star Brand Shoe company in St. Louis. He will be joined in Asheville by several friends for a motor party there.

Miss Ruth van-der Maaten, of Springfield, Mo., is spending the entire Christmas holidays with her school mate, Miss Minna LeGrand. Miss Zella Washburn, of Kingston, Jamaica, will arrive tomorrow to spend the rest of the holidays with Miss Peg LeGrand.

Mrs. L. L. Sloop left today for Smithfield to spend Christmas with her father, Rev. D. H. Tuttle. Mr. Sloop will join her there Sunday and they will return home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall will leave Christmas day for Ridgeway, S. C. to visit Mrs. Kendall's relatives.

Mrs. Lucius Randall, who underwent a serious operation at Chick Springs hospital Saturday is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Holland, of Fayetteville, visited Mr. W. J. Hogue over the week-end and Mrs. Holland visited her sister, Mrs. Randall at Chick Springs hospital Sunday.

Herman Mauney and Robert Hocu were business visitors in Charlotte yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton are spending today in Charlotte.

Miss Lucy Hamrick left yesterday for Moorestown, N. J., to spend the Christmas holidays with Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Summey and also while away she will visit in New York City.

Mrs. Boyce Holland, who has been spending the past month with her husband who was shot accidentally and is in the hospital at Fayetteville came home for the week-end.

Attending the funeral of Mr. I. A. Gettys last week were: Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Brice, of Blacksburg, S. C., Miss Duggon and Carl Gettys of Jeffersonville, Ga., his sister, Miss Sara Wood, of Chesnee, S. C., and Mr. M. E. Gettys, of Gaffney, S. C.

Mr. Grover Hamrick, of Albany Georgia, arrived yesterday to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. M. N. Hamrick. Mrs. Hamrick recently celebrated her 90th birthday.

Edwin Harris, who is with a Drug company at Marion will spend the day Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harris.

Mrs. T. W. Miller returns Sunday from a two months visit to her brother, Mr. John Moore, at Merchantsville, N. J.

Miss Elizabeth Black, who teaches at Warrington, will arrive today to spend Christmas with home folks.

Robert Gidney of the State university is at home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Laughinghouse of Greenville, will arrive tomorrow to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jenkins and family.

"Father, how do they catch lunatics?"  
"With" face powder, rouge, clothes and coquetry, my boy."

Messrs. M. W. Hamrick and Earl Grice and Miss Mabel Atullinax, of Asheville, were in Shelby today to attend the funeral of Mr. T. W. Hamrick, who was a cousin of Mr. Hamrick of Asheville.

SEE THAT BIG 'Special'

Greta Garbo  
And  
Ramon Novarro  
In

"Mata-Hari"

MONDAY & TUESDAY

**Webb Theatre**

## GREETINGS

To you, our friends, who have helped make our business dealings more pleasant, who have inspired us with the courage to carry on through these many years, we say—Thank you.

And so—we pause in our planning for the next year to wish you much joy during the coming holiday season and sincerely hope that you will receive a generous share of Happiness and Prosperity in the New Year.

**T. W. Hamrick Co.**

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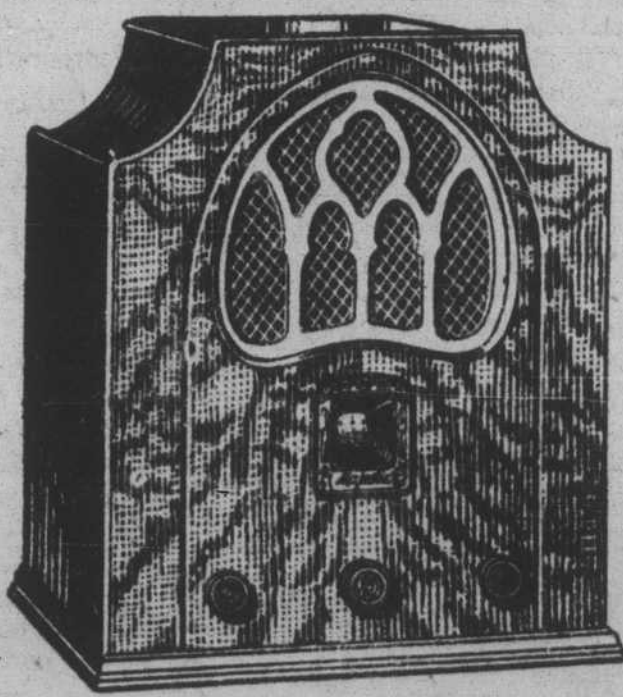
## MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYBODY

We pause to thank each of you for any favors shown us during the year just closing and trust that 1932 may have many happy surprises in store for you and yours.

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**Today and Thursday**

SIDNEY FOX

Brilliant new screen star, in

**"NICE WOMEN"**

Rolling good story of how two modern girls win their husbands.

ALSO: "VANISHING LEGION," Chapter 8;  
COMEDY and CARTOON.

**FRIDAY**

(ONE DAY ONLY)

EDDIE QUILLAN

And

ROSCOE (Stuttering) ATEs

In

**"BIG SHOT"**

ALSO: CARTOON and COMEDY.

**SATURDAY**

TOM KEENE

In

**Freighters of Destiny**

ALSO: COMEDY and "DANGER ISLAND"  
Chapter 11.

EVERYBODY **10c** ALL THIS WEEK

— COMING NEXT MONDAY —

LINDA WATKINS and JOHN BOLES In

**"GOOD SPORT"**