

THE CITY DESK

By HOWARD WHITE

PASSING COMMENT: After we ran that story out of Fayetteville last week concerning J. W. Williams, the former Alamance county farmer who had been in seclusion there for the past 20 years, we had an interesting thing to happen. The story centered on Mr. Williams' request for a Bible, his telling that everything had been taken care of but that into the office the next morning came Rev. J. W. Collier, Negro minister from Morgantown, with an old Bible that had been greatly used. As pastor of the Bethesda Baptist church, he had used the Bible a lot, but he was willing to use another. The one he wanted to give Mr. Williams had served him well. He wrapped it up and sent it on to Fayetteville. . . . Mrs. James F. Hayes' sister made some news on Christmas day. Wife of Lt. Col. John F. Mallard of the U. S. Marines stationed at Camp Lejeune, she went to the hospital there on Christmas day, 1947, and gave birth to a daughter. On Christmas day, 1948, she was in the hospital again and gave birth to twins, a boy and girl. And yesterday was Lt. Col. Mallard's birthday. . . . That story of the big egg found by Bill Fonville at his home and printed here in picture recently received wide circulation. Bill picked up the egg two days after the picture was printed, and his curiosity got the best of him. He broke it, and, as he suspected, a full-sized egg, shell and all, was on the inside. . . . The mail call brings in this communication from William Lewin, general chairman of the Department of Secondary Teachers of the National Education Association in Newark, N. J.: "Dear Sir: I desire to congratulate you on the splendid 10-Page educational section which you published on November 8, 1948. This has only now come to my attention. It is altogether without parallel in any town the size of Burlington. . . . If all newspaper editors supported the development of public education as you do, we would have the best bulwark against Communism." . . . Congratulations, Boss! . . . Tom Fesperman of the Charlotte News started an interesting series of articles on W. Kerr Scott in his sheet on Monday. . . . A large number of people locally already are making plans to go to Raleigh January 6 to attend the inauguration of the next governor. . . . We haven't said anything about it here since last week, but \$5 donations from parents of midget football players came in good the next morning to help pay off the \$300 debt which Roney Cates has personally accepted for midget equipment. . . . We got about \$35 in within an hour or so, but then it stopped. . . . It seems that there would be more people interested in this program than that. . . . How about sending us

Local Motor Firm Again Is Honored

Nash Motors' 10 point bronze plaque, awarded for outstanding customer service, facilities and management, has been won for the second time by K & H Motor Sales here.

The 1948 plaque award was presented to George L. Kivett and Nat Harris, partners of K & H Motor Sales, in ceremonies at the dealership by C. D. Durden, district manager of the Detroit automobile manufacturer.

To qualify for the award described by Durden as "the highest honor Nash can bestow" dealers must meet "the highest standards in the industry." The 10 points take in every phase of automobile dealer service, sales, financial responsibility, business methods and other requirements for outstanding customer relations. Awards are determined by annual competition among Nash dealers to meet the rigid measurements of excellence. At the ceremonies all employees of K & H Motor Sales received recognition by Nash Motors and 10 point medallions in the form of the familiar Nash crest.

Ensign's Wife Dies In Car-Truck Crash

Madison, Conn., Dec. 29—(AP)—The 30-year-old wife of a naval ensign was killed and her husband and a passenger were seriously injured when their car crashed into the rear of a truck on the Boston post road here last night.

Mrs. Flora Wilson Brown was killed instantly, according to police. Her husband, Ensign Prentiss M. Wilson, 23, a student of the Lines School, Newport, R. I., and Pvt. Robert H. Cusson, USMC, of Cherry Point, N. C., were reported in serious condition at New Haven hospital.

BARNES WINS TITLE

Winston-Salem, Dec. 29—(AP)—Luke Barnes of the Charlotte country club stroked a 37-35-72 yesterday to become the titlist in the first annual Carolina PGA Assistant Pro golf tournament.

Serve left over slices of roast veal with an interesting sauce—tomato and mushroom, perhaps, or a brown sauce with capers and parsley.

Gill Billings, To Aid Nisbet On Legislature

Times-News Bureau
Asso. Afternoon Dailies
By LYNN NISBET

Raleigh, Dec. 29.—G. M. (Gill) Billings, Jr., will assist Lynn Nisbet in special writing about the general assembly for the Times-News and about twenty-five other newspapers in the state served by the Raleigh bureau of the N. C. Association of Afternoon Dailies.

Addition of Billings to the Raleigh staff assures better than usual coverage of legislative news. A native of Morganton, son of Dr. G. M. Billings, he graduated from his home town high school and entered Wake Forest College in the fall of 1940.

He identified himself with several college publications, but as was the case with many young men of the period, his education was interrupted by the war. He enlisted early in 1943 and did not get back to Wake Forest until the spring of 1947. During that summer he took a course in creative writing at Center College in Kentucky, and returned to Wake Forest to graduate last spring. For the past several months he has taken special post graduate work in journalism at Chapel Hill.

He has an enviable record of varied service in the army air force which he joined as a private and from which he was placed on inactive duty as a captain in February, 1947. His army experience included assignments as a troop-carrier pilot, public relations officer at Laurinburg-Maxton, Fort Bragg and Langley Field in this country and special public relations duties with the Royal Canadian Air Force and as attaché of the American Embassy in Mexico City.

The family Bible record says he is just 25 years old. His college and air force experience record definitely takes him out of the kid class and qualifies him to do a good job of creative and interpretive writing, as well as straight news reporting about developments in the legislature and around state departments at Raleigh.

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AUTHORESS ENDORSES SEAL SALE



Pictured above is Betty MacDonald, authoress of the best selling "The Egg and I" and most recently "The Plague and I", as she applauded Christmas Seals to gifts prior to Christmas. The authoress, in endorsing the Tuberculosis Association drive to the limit, pointed out that the dread disease can strike anyone and added that she knew from experience. She urged the success of the Alamance County Seal Sale Campaign which has been extended for the next few weeks in an effort to meet the \$14,000 goal.

Christmas Seal Campaign Is Extended As Goal Is Missed

With only \$2,944 remaining between present collections of \$11,056 and the \$14,000 goal for 1948, Alamance County Tuberculosis Association officials announced today that the County Christmas Seal sales have been extended indefinitely.

R. Homer Andrews, chairman of the drive, appealed to residents of the county who have not contributed as yet to the cause to do so at once so that the \$14,000 goal may be met promptly and to enable the complete program for 1949 to be conducted without flaw or slushing.

The program, he said, has been arranged by the Tuberculosis Association to meet the needs of the county in every phase of work against tuberculosis, one of the most dreadful of all diseases.

The problem includes the operation of the mobile X-ray machine throughout the county, provisions for a countywide educational program against tuberculosis, recreation for sanatorium patients and aid for their return to a normal home life and the purchase of streptomycin for treatment of those suffering with the disease who are unable to purchase the expensive drug.

These activities are absolutely necessary to conduct the operations of the association in the best interest of the entire county and all contributions to the drive will be used to forward the health conditions of the entire county, he said. Since Christmas, Mr. Andrews reported \$164.30 has come into the fund, meaning that there are still more residents to be heard from. These residents are being reminded that the completion of the drive depends on them, he said, and all who have not yet contributed are asked to do so at once.

In connection with the drive Miss Edith Rowden, executive secretary of the association, stated today that members of the Key Club are collecting the coin cans distributed by the association prior to Christmas and indicated that the money will be added to the fund. The drive, originally scheduled to close Christmas Eve, has been extended, she said, to give all residents of the county a chance to contribute.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from Hebron Methodist Church with Rev. W. T. Lee and Rev. T. B. Hough officiating. The body will lie in state at the church 30 minutes before the funeral hour.

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Deaths And Funerals . . .

JAMES WILLIAM SQUIRES
Mebane, Dec. 29.—James William Squires, 73, died at his home in the Buckhorn Community of Orange County this morning at 5 o'clock.

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ANDREA LYNN DIMONT.
Graveside services were held at Bethlehem Christian Church cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock for Andrea Lynn Dimont, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dimont of Route 4, Burlington, who died at Duke Hospital Monday afternoon.

Survivors include the parents, John Sidney and Erma Tickle Dimont and one sister, Wanda, of the home; three grandparents, Mrs. Frances Dimont of Reidsville, and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Tickle, Elon College, Route 2.

WILLIAM J. LASTER.
Haw River, Dec. 29.—The funeral for William J. Laster who died at his home here Sunday morning was conducted yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home.

Rev. D. J. Reid, pastor of Haw River Methodist Church, officiated at the services and music was by the Mission Bible Class Trio, composed of Misses Dewey Lea, Shirley and Bettie Jean Owens. Interment was in the New Haw River Cemetery.

Palibearers were Basil Laster, Hassel Laster, Pvt. Dun Laster, D. Laster and Bill Cole.

Flowers were carried by Messrs. James E. L. Perry, Herbert Cates, A. B. Starling, Melvin Rudd, Ber-

COURT CAN'T MAKE UP HER MIND
Fyzabad, India. — (AP) — A question was posed whether a court should be referred to as "he" or "she".

The Chief Justice of the Allahabad High Court, B. Malik, wanted the questioner to wait for a year or two when "with the increasing invasion of the gentler sex, it will be all she and no he."

At a dinner, Lawyer Pandit U. P. Pandey suggested it would be more appropriate to consider the gender in the feminine gender court since work in the court room involved presence of "suitors", "engagement" of lawyers, coming into existence of "issues" and finally the "delivery" of judgment.

Carpentry Class Is Scheduled

A carpentry class for veterans to be held from 8 a. m. until 1 p. m. Monday through Friday will be organized at the high school on Monday if enough interest is shown, according to an announcement today from C. C. Linneman, supervisor.

The class, he said, will be in addition to the one being held now from 4 p. m. until 9 p. m., and will cost the veteran nothing.

Tools, tuition and subsistence will be furnished by the government, Linneman explained, and the course has been set up to continue for 18 months.

"We are making this additional carpentry class available," he said, "because of the demand we have received. Already several veterans have enrolled, but we will need at least 20 before the work can be undertaken."

Registration can be made through Monday by contacting the high school office. The course will begin on Monday if enough enrollments are made.

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GRASS FIRE
The local Fire Department reported today that a grass fire occurred in the 100 block of North Ireland Street about 4:50 yesterday afternoon. Chief Roma Fortune said that the case of the fire was unknown, and that no damage was caused by the blaze.

Solicitors Ask Wrong Man

Graham, Dec. 29.—Two deaf and dumb men, selling deaf and dumb alphabets on the streets here recently, approached the wrong man.

The County Welfare Department plays a definite part in granting licenses for solicitors on the streets. In fact, the Welfare Department usually has to recommend solicitors for their license before they are granted.

These two men, however, approached Gerard Anderson, county welfare superintendent who said they apparently were selling their alphabets for any price they could.

"Do you have a license for this?" he managed to make them understand.

They didn't.

He, in turn, contacted the Sheriff's Department who referred the case to Graham police, who, in turn, made the arrest before they were able to make their escape, as they had attempted.

It was reported that they were driving a nice car and two women were with them, though no charges were preferred against the lady companions.

Taken before Justice of the Peace C. C. Bayliff, they were fined \$7.50 each and costs and were ordered out of town.

They were listed by police as Paul Linnie Taylor of Woodleaf and Otis Upchurch of Castella.

Chief Thompson Expresses Thanks For Presents

Graham, Dec. 29.—Chief of Police S. E. Thompson today expressed the appreciation of the Graham Police Department for the

many gifts received from local merchants and business houses. He said that each member of the force received a number of useful gifts and each is grateful for both the gift and the consideration of the givers.

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5th Year Dividend	2.76
Value End 5th Year	113.14
6th Year Dividend	2.83
Value End 6th Year	115.97
7th Year Dividend	2.90
Value End 7th Year	118.87
8th Year Dividend	2.97
Value End 8th Year	121.84
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9th Year Dividend	3.12
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