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Mocksville Celebrates Xmas Without A Single Drunk

Two Farmington Drunks Get Into Trouble—One Pays Fine

Cope Gets Still On Hairston Farm—No Beer—No Men—No Whiskey

It may have been "wet" at many other places in the State but Christmas passed in Mocksville without a single drunk being seen. However, up in Farmington two drunks were taken into custody by Sheriff Kelly Cope and Deputy Eaton and down on the farm of perhaps the driest man in the county, Peter Hairston, a wooden still was destroyed Friday. Mr. Hairston's young son at play in the woods saw the outfit and his father sent for the sheriff.

The two drunks up in Farmington Township were picked up just as their celebration got well under way on Christmas day. One of them was M. L. Wilson, of Yadkin County, who was turned over to the Yadkin Sheriff to be taken back there to answer to a charge of blockading. The other was young Jack Hill, of Stokes County. Hill was fined \$5 and the costs and advised to return to his home. Wilson will have to come back to face the drunkenness charge when the Yadkin court is over with him.

Over on Mr. Hairston's big river plantation, Sheriff Cope found a distillery still hot but no liquor or beer, the operators having evidently just made a "run" and decamped. The Davie officers followed the tracks up the bottom to within sight of a man's home but made no arrests. The distillery was on the bank of a small creek not far from Mr. Hairston's fine old country place. The still had wooden sides and a sheet iron bottom and the boiler was of sheet iron. There were two empty barrels.

The character of Mocksville people and its visitors was exceeding good during the holidays and they are to be commended for their excellent character. We can not recall of ever witnessing a Christmas like this here before, and we have been here for 34 years, having spent every Christmas of our life here except one spent in France, and it certainly was not spent like the one here this year.

The fact of the business is that we only saw two or perhaps three persons that even looked like they had had a drink and they were not in the least out of the way.

We are glad to pass such news as this to the world and let them know that at last Mocksville people have celebrated one Christmas in a real Christ-like way and have forsaken the "boozelegger" for the occasion.

Thanks to the Winston-Salem Journal for helping us spread the good news.

WARNING TO MOTORIST

Chief of Police, W. M. Nail, tells us that in the future all motorists who fail to stop at the sound of his whistle will be fined for not stopping after being caught. So if you hear him blow the little whistle you had better stop or else you will have to pay a fine even if there is no other charge against you.

It seems as if there are few around town who make of a habit of crossing the square without proper lights and will speed up when they hear the whistle. The Chief says he has a car to use in case a man fails to stop in the future at the sound of the whistle, and he is going to get them and collect a few fines. "Bill means just what he says."

HUNTERS' LICENSES BRING STATE REVENUE OF \$170,000

Raleigh Dec. 28.—Hunters have paid the State approximately \$170,000 for licenses this season, the department of conservation and development estimated today.

Officials said they held hopes that the receipts would be over \$200,000 when the major hunting seasons are closed on February 15.

SOMETHING DIFFERENT

In the future the Mocksville Enterprise is going to be different—different from any other newspaper in the world. Therefore, you will want to see it.

Beginning with this issue we are going to carry articles of interest to every member of the family from great-grandpa down to the baby. Watch for the new features in this issue and after reading them for a few weeks come in and tell us which you like best, and give us your ideas as to what we should print and what we should not print. The Mocksville Enterprise is your paper and we want to print just what you want printed.

OWNERS DISAPPEAR AFTER MYSTERIOUS CAR CRASH

Coolsmee, Dec. 30.—Friday night on Highway 80 near Jerusalem, there occurred a mysterious automobile wreck in which two cars were put out of commission and two others, the cause of the second wreck, were crippled and knocked off the road. It was reported that at about 8 o'clock two light cars had a collision just beyond Bessant's Filling Station toward Salisbury, and that although neither car was badly damaged, both were knocked off the hard surface and due to the slippery condition of the ground were unable to get back on the road.

Taylor's garage about two miles distant was called for assistance and when Mr. Taylor arrived with a towing car he found no one there.

Thinking that the drivers had gone in search of other assistance he was preparing to hitch to one of the cars when an automobile driven, it is claimed, by a Mr. York, of near Harmony, Iredell county, had a head-on collision with the service car, and practically made scrap iron out of both. Deputy sheriff Gregory arrived within a few minutes and after placing the driver under arrest, found, it is reported, one quart of whiskey and a .45 calibre revolver. The man was carried before Recorder Gools and after fixing bond was released.

It is alleged that the following morning the car which was left at the scene of the wreck, was found to contain several bullet holes which witnesses claim were made by a .45 calibre gun.

The drivers of the two cars who called for assistance to get their cars back onto the road, at last reports had not been heard from. The cars were towed to Taylor's Garage at "Greasy Corner" where they remain.

FORMER DAVIE FOLKS ON VISIT HERE

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. S. Walker, former Davie residents, now living at Elkin, are here this week visiting relatives and friends.

Rev. Mr. Walker was a pleasant visitor at our office Tuesday and says that he is always glad to get back home for a visit to his relatives and friends. Mr. Walker has many friends here, having served as pastor in the county for many years. Come again, Mr. Walker, we are glad to see you any time.

YOUTH KILLS MAN AS LATTER WAS ROBBING FATHER'S STORE

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 28.—When two men attempted to hold up Frank Snigiers in his meat market tonight, Leo, his 20-year-old son, pushed a shotgun through a year door shot one of the alleged bandits in the face.

The victim, unidentified, was taken to a hospital, where he died. His companion escaped.

Prodigal Son Returns To Davie Via The Sheriff Way

Sheriff John Taylor, of Stokes, last week delivered to Sheriff Cope a prisoner, Lonnie Bowles, who has long been wanted in Davie to answer to certain charge of infringement of the law. Lonnie was running a filling station in Stokes and is alleged to have been living there with a woman other than his wife. The charges against him here are for manufacturing liquor and for living in adultery. He formerly made his home in Farmington Township. He gave bond in the sum of \$1,000 on the liquor charge and \$200 upon the adultery charge. When this court passes upon him he will be returned to Stokes County to answer to a charge of the theft of a gun.

WE WANT THE NEWS OF DAVIE COUNTY—HELP US

If your community—any community in Davie county—is not represented each week with a good news letter in the Enterprise we want YOU to write us for stationery, stamps, etc., and become one of our happy correspondents. We furnish you with everything and give you the Enterprise free. If you live in the city and have a visitor, or go some place yourself, won't you please call 84 or 112 and tell us about it.

Auto wrecks, accidents, deaths, sickness, fires, thefts, marriages, etc., make NEWS, and surely there is not a day that some of you do not know of a happening of this kind right by your side, therefore, won't you help us to get the news. Phone us, please, and tell us what you know.

BOY SCOUTS ENJOY A BIG RABBIT STEW AT PARSONAGE

The Boy Scouts spent two afternoons last week working on their Scout tests. For their troop good turn last week they put wood in the shed for the Weanits.

On Monday of the week the Scouts went rabbit hunting on the farm of Mr. M. D. Pass. With sticks and dogs they scared 13 rabbits to death. Monday night 25 Scouts enjoyed a rabbit stew at the parsonage with their Scout Master, Rev. R. C. Goforth. Mr. A. M. Kimbrough and Mr. Z. N. Anderson accompanied them on the hunt.

What Will The New Year Bring?

(By Caleb Johnson)

While business may move slowly in the early part of 1930, it is certain to pick up by spring and by the middle of the year will be moving again on a definite upward trend.

Farming conditions will be better, on the whole, with prices improving and the farmer getting a higher proportion of what the consumer pays.

There will be fewer jobs available in the early part of the year, but as programs of public works begin to go into effect, unemployment will diminish. Wages will not be cut in the major industries of the nation.

Those are the principal predictions of the professional prophets for the new year. They come from the men who work with facts and figures, find out in what direction things are moving and at what speed, and then tell where we will arrive—if nothing happens.

They are prophets in the same sense that you are a prophet when you get on a train and say: "I will be in Chicago at 9 o'clock in the morning." Nine times out of ten your prediction will come true. The tenth time the train runs off the track.

First among business prophets is Col. Leonard W. Ayres, vice-president of the Cleveland Trust Company. Every year he tells the business men of America how business is going to be for a year ahead. He is right so often that it seems uncanny. This is what Col. Ayres says about 1930.

The year promises a poor start and a good finish. Automobile production will be at least a million

Insane Man Kills His Wife, Six Children, Then Sends Bullet Through His Breast

Walnut Cove, Dec. 25.—Becoming suddenly maniacal this afternoon, Charlie B. Lawson, well-known Stokes county farmer, killed with a shotgun and beat out the brains of his wife and six children, and after laying them out for burial went into a field near his home and sent a bullet through his heart. Only a son, Arthur, 12 years old, who was visiting his uncle in Germantown at the time of the tragedy, survives of the family which a few hours before had celebrated the arrival of Santa Claus.

The dead are: Charlie B. Lawson, 48. Mrs. Charlie B. Lawson, 38. Marie Lawson, 17. Carrie Lawson, 13. Maybelle Lawson, 10. James Lawson, 7. Raymond Lawson, 5. Mary Lou Lawson, 5 months. Five of the bodies were found in the living room to the home, located about four miles west of Walnut Cove. The mother, her son, Marie, Raymond and James lay with folded arms, a pillow under each head. Two pools of

blood were found near the bodies. (Continued on page 6.)

FORMER MOCKSVILLE MAN TOLD GIRL THAT SHERIFFS HAVE LOTS OF WIVES

Danville, Va., Dec. 19.—Bessie Denkin, 22-year old girl, principal witness against Ed Hutchins, a former Mocksville, North Carolina man, told United States Commissioner C. T. Barksdale yesterday that she had been told that sheriffs are allowed to have as many wives as they want, hence her involvement in an alleged white slave law transgression.

Hutchins was held for the February session of the federal court after evidence had been offered that he already has two wives, one living in Winston-Salem and the other at Adkinsville. It is also alleged that he has six children. The girl, who is held as a witness, testified that Hutchins had represented himself as being a county sheriff to which she said the fable of "polymary" was added.

WOMAN FREEZES IN RUTHERFORD

Rutherford, Dec. 25.—The death from cold of Miss Mary Jane Morgan, 50, at her home near Union Mills, almost cost the life of her invalid mother, Mrs. Grayson Morgan, 82, it was learned here today.

Late Thursday afternoon Miss Morgan, left the house on an errand. The next morning her body was found, frozen to death, on the front porch.

Meanwhile, the aged mother, unable to replenish the fire, had spent the night in her chair, and was near death when assistance reached her.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES HELD AT THE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

The Christmas season was heralded in Mocksville by the impressive service held at the Community Tree on the square on Christmas Eve. The holidays passed off quietly here, but there were many visitors in town, and many delightful family dinners were given. Among those entertaining at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. John Larew, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Call, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Morris, Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. Julia C. Helman, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. LeGrand, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brenegar, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sheek, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Rich, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Meroney, Mr. G. A. Allison, Mrs. E. E. Hunt, Miss Blanche Eaton, and others.

'MAN OF LONGEST BEARD' OF CIRCUS FAME IS DEAD

Ashville, Dec. 28.—Death has written a final chapter in the long, colorful career of another money puller of the tented shows, and S. C. Brinkley, 78, for years billed as "The Man with the Longest Beard in the World," has been laid to rest along with his luxuriant beard, which was 5 feet 6 inches long when he died.

The old man traveled for years with John Robinson, Ringling Brothers, Barnum & Bailey and other noted circuses. He was a member of Buffalo Bill's famous Wild West Shows which toured Europe and drew thousands beneath the canvas as spectators, including many of the royalty.

ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE

Amount brought forward last week \$107.25
D. H. Hendricks \$1.00
Oscar Rich \$1.00
Mrs. O. R. Allen \$1.00
Miss Josephine Dennis \$1.00
Mrs. Fletcher McMahon \$1.00
Condon Smith \$1.00
C. Wesley Johnson \$1.00
Miss Margaret Brock \$1.00
Lola Solley \$1.00
Hazel McDaniel \$1.00
Helen Davis \$1.00
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Bertina Lee \$1.00
Mrs. H. M. Deadmon \$1.00
I. C. Berrier \$1.00
Mrs. J. V. Mills \$1.00
P. K. Manns \$1.00
John Bailey \$1.00
Miss Phoebe Eaton \$1.00
W. B. Allen \$1.00
G. L. Potts \$1.00
W. P. Cornitzer \$1.00
Lela Martin \$1.00
(Bethel School) \$1.00
J. L. Clement \$1.00
Jacob Grubb \$1.00
E. D. Ijames \$1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Green \$2.00
Miss Elizabeth Taylor \$1.00
Mrs. J. L. Kirk05
Total Received \$136.90

Family Of Six Shot To Death

Vernon, Tex., Dec. 29.—Death ended a bleak Christmas for J. H. Haggard, 56, a tenant farmer and his five motherless children. They were found shot to death in their poverty stricken home near here today, and apparently they had been dead several days.

Justice of the Peace H. C. Justin held an inquest at the scene of the tragedy and indicated his verdict would be suicide in the case of the father and death by gunshot wounds for the children, poverty was the only motive advanced for the slaying.

A note, tragic in its brevity, pencilled in scrawling print and stuck to the door of the house read:

"All dead. I had rather be dead. Look in cellar."

It was signed J. H. Haggard. The dead, all of whom were shot in the head, were: J. H. Haggard, the father, 56; Simon Haggard, 18; John Haggard, 10; Alta Haggard, 15; Alma Haggard, 12; Dorothy Haggard, 6.

REV. AND MRS. SHERILL ARE OFF FOR FLORIDA

The many friends here of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Sherill, of Charlotte, will be interested to know that they will leave Jan. 1st, for Winter Park, Fla., where they will spend several months.

EPWORTH LEAGUE HOLDS WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

The Epworth League held a Watch Night service at the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, to which the B.Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church, and the Christian Endeavor Society, of the Presbyterian Church were invited. A devotional service was held at 8:30, which was followed by a social gathering.

LOCAL CHAPTER EASTERN STAR TO MEET JAN. 2ND.

Mocksville Chapter 173, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet on Thursday evening, Jan. 2nd, at 7:30. A full attendance of members is urged. Mrs. Madeline Feozor, W. M., Mrs. C. N. Christian, Sec.

GERMAN RETURNS BIBLE OF YANKEE

Washington, Dec. 28.—A battered New Testament carried into battle in France by an American soldier was returned by a German today.

The War Department received the testament from Baron Hane George Von Studnitz, whose father was killed in action with the volume in his pocket. It bore the name Edward C. Nordin, Minneapolis, also killed in action. The Baron said he had read of the War Department returning a Bible captured from a German wished to reciprocate. The Testament is being returned to the soldier's mother, Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Burns, of Minneapolis.

FRANCE PAYS UP DEBT ANNUITIES

Washington, Dec. 26.—The treasury tonight announced the receipt of \$12,097,384 from the government of France, completing payment of annuities due up to this time under the Mellon-Brenner agreement for funding the \$4,025,000,000 war debt France owed the United States.

The announcement said that payment had been received in treasury notes and first Liberty loan bonds. The payment was the first made since Congress approved the Mellon-Brenner agreement, which was signed on December 15 by the president.

THE MOCKSVILLE ENTERPRISE, MOCKSVILLE, N. C.

John A. Arroyo dairy extension specialist at State College, says that the Bureau of Dairying at Washington had proven the value of 834 bulls up until September, 1929, through records kept by dairy herd improvements associations.

streams of water upon this building to whose roof they clung. They fought the fire as one might fight the living assault of

One of the best is the method used by a group of farmers in Caldwell county. These men have an eleven-year old animal owned jointly. They have constructed a pen with shelter and with a breeding pen adjoining. This equipment is so constructed that each individual and yet it provides ample facilities for handling the bull and at the same time insures his safe handling. Such equipment is recommended by Mr. Aray to other farmers who may wish to keep a herd sire that has grown dangerous with age.

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Moreover he said unto me, Son of man, I will give thee words that I shall speak unto thee: receive in thine heart, and hear with thine ears.—Ezekiel 3:10.

GIVING THE PAPER LIFE

Beginning with our next issue, we expect to introduce two new features, possibly three. In addition to the other features such as editorial, local and other news matter, we shall run an article each week by Charles McSwain, "Rural Song and Comment," by Arch Huneycutt, and "Sassafras Ridge Items," by "Jimmie." We believe, in fact, we know, that our readers will like these features. The "Rural Song and Comment" column by Arch Huneycutt will consist of light and serious verse, with occasional comments on various things and ideas. Arch Huneycutt is not only a poet of more than mediocre merit, but he is a philosopher as well. Lying in a far isolated forest in the country of Standy, he contemplates and writes mostly on nature, farm life and such like. His work will please those who really think, and those who believe in looking on the brighter side of life. McSwain writes most interestingly on any and everything. His articles will be the written thoughts—those thoughts which we all have but never reduce to writing. He is the one original writer in North Carolina. He patterns after no one, says the most unthought of things at times, and then again he utters the most thought of things in the world, but things which no one else ever wrote. That's what makes him different from all other writers.

"Jimmie's Sassafras Ridge Items" will please all, for all are interested in fun. You'll wonder where Sassafras Ridge is. You'll not find out, but be assured that it will soon be a real place, and Squire Bixter, Sallie Sileum, Rev. McCormac, St. Watson's meadow and other characters which Jimmie creates each week, will soon be as familiar to you as your next door neighbor. We feel safe in predicting that in the last issue of the year, "Items" will be the most universally read column carried in the Enterprise.

These added features will put more of the human touch into the Enterprise each week. They will make the Enterprise different from any other newspaper in the world, for at present only the Enterprise will carry these features. You can't get them in any other newspaper on earth. Look for these features. Read them and tell your neighbor how interesting they are. That will help us and also help your neighbor.

WHAT ARE YOU READING?

"I have read more than twenty good books within the last year," said a friend, to the Enterprise a few days ago. "These in addition to a newspaper and magazine reading, and I have kept pretty well up on that line of reading," he went on. This gentleman stated that most of the twenty books were high class biographies, "and I have not neglected my regular work in the meantime," he explained.

In response to our questions he went on to say that he had been greatly benefited in many ways than one from this fine reading. "I find that reading the biographies of great men, broadens one and possibly produces more real mental and soul development than any other class of reading." The gentleman is doubtless correct. In biography one not only comes in close touch with the daily work and manner of life of the world's great, but one gets a world of history and other general information.

We wonder how many of our readers are taking their reading as seriously as this gentleman. Unfortunately few of us read enough. And many of us who do read spend too much time on trashy reading. If we could all realize that our lives are largely influenced by the reading we do, surely we would read more, and certainly we would be more careful as to what we might read.

READ YOUR HOME PAPER, TOO.

Speaking of reading, reminds us that we have practically three months yet of long nights. All during the months of January, February and March one should easily be able to get in three to four hours reading every night in the week. As to what one should read, is largely a matter of personal taste and individual likes. But with all your reading, read your Bible and your home newspaper. The Bible is the greatest book ever written. No one can read it for very long without becoming a better man or woman; a better neighbor and a better citizen. So read your Bible. Then from your home newspaper you keep up with what the people of your county are doing, what they are thinking and you learn their needs and their aspirations. This paper is going to do its level best to be a mirror of the wants, the needs, and reflect the thoughts of the people of Davie county.

EDITOR SHERRILL HITS THE MARK

Under the head, "Most of the Time It's Dark," the Mocksville Tribune makes this editorial comment:

"Several days ago our attention was called to a letter from a veteran officeholder of the State who had written to a friend, in which the former confided that after due consideration he had decided to offer for office again, because the time had come when for a contest and my strength probably will be needed in view of the almost certain primary fight involving Senator Simmons."

"We are not concerned, especially with the fate of this particular politician; we quote from the letter merely to show how important each officeholder thinks he is and how he tries to make everybody else hold a similar view."

"This man could quit right now, we believe, without seriously affecting anything but his own income. His party would be stronger with some other man in his place."

Brother Sherrill, you spoke truer than you knew. The time has come when the kind who try to keep in office in order to "strengthen the party" during the campaign, are dead weights tied to the feet of the party only to hinder and hamper in the race. We know of a certain United States Senator who seems very anxious that what would become of the democratic party in North Carolina were he to get out of politics. But we are wondering what is going to happen to the party if he doesn't get out of politics. In our opinion the fellow who runs to save his party, is unworthy of the franchise of good North Carolina voters. He is usually in hindrance rather than a help and the voters ought to let all such know that they are on to it all.

FARM HOMES NEED PAINT

A few days ago we drove all the way across Davie County, we paid special heed to the appearance of the farms, the farm homes and the country side generally. As a rule we saw well cultivated fields, showing signs of the use of good judgment on the part of the farmers. Many painted homes were noted, but too many of our farm homes, we noticed, are without paint. To the owners of these let us urge that you resolve now at the beginning of 1930 that before this year shall have rolled on its way into history you will paint up your home. Of course, where a dwelling, or an outbuilding, is very old, it would be impractical to paint it. It would take too much paint. But white wash will do wonder on old buildings. And it is inexpensive, too. About all you need is a bag of lime, a few pounds of salt, an empty can, and a brush to hold your mixture, and a whitewash brush used for four or five hours. It will not all cost over \$5.00 and you will find your house or your barn will be as white as a snow ball, and that coat of whitewash will hold for a year or more.

MUST SCRATCH HARDER

The holiday trade in Mocksville was not what most of the local merchants would have liked to have, but, generally speaking it was satisfactory. Now then we are starting on a new year. Let the merchants remember that 1930 was not only the Enterprise's year, but it was also their year. Let our merchants put the goods on their shelves at prices that will compete with the prices in other towns, and then if they will use the columns of the Enterprise to tell the trading public what they have and at what prices their merchandise is selling, business will be entirely satisfactory this year. Let our merchants remember that there is still some business, even good business, but that one must scratch a little harder in order to get it.

KNEE DEEP IN BEER

In Malden, Mass., the other day firemen answered an alarm and soon found themselves fighting fire in a man's cellar standing knee deep in beer. The news dispatch did not say how much time the firemen took in fighting the fire, but how much time they put into getting the cellar dry and nice to work in. One must put to considerable disadvantage when trying to fight fire while beer is sizzling and foaming all around, even knee deep. Somebody wrote a poem once entitled, "Knee Deep In Beer." Surely now some one will write one entitled, "Knee Deep In Beer."

SLIP US ONE FIFTY, PLEASE

January is a mighty good month in which to settle up for your subscription and get paid up a year in advance. Try to make it a point to send your renewal before Feb. 1st. We shall need all we can get, for we are putting a lot of money into equipment and into material for making the paper a better one and a better medium through which local merchants may advertise. What do you say about sending us \$1.50 right away.

NO NET RESULTS

I heartily despise demagogical appeals against the rich, or any particular class, but this question is so grave that it must be treated without gloves. The growth of the money power in this country has been fabulous, and the interest in the Government is alarming. We all want prosperity, but not the expense of liberty. Poverty is not at great a danger to liberty as is wealth, with its corrupting, demoralizing influences. Let us have prosperity, but never at the expense of liberty, never at the expense of real self-government, and let us never have a government at Washington owing its retention to millions ofaires rather than to the will of the millions.—Joseph Pulitzer.

Misfit: "Drinking and necking, sir but just now I'd like to buy a shirt."—Williams Purdie Cow.

Press Comment

MAJOR STEDMAN

The Charlotte Observer.

There is called "the reaction" to the declaration of Maj. Chas. M. Stedman, representing North Carolina from the fifth congressional district, that he will positively not be a candidate for re-election is reflected in an editorial by The Greensboro News, which is agreeable to the suggestion that it opens its columns to a referendum on keeping the major there, anyway. The News is manifestly in favor of the enterprise of a nonacceptance of the major's proposed retirement, for it writes in endorsement that he "is the lone Confederate, the lone veteran of the war of the sections, surviving in Congress; 20 years he has represented his people there, a picturesque figure embodying of a bygone day. His appearance of himself has carried the thought of thousands, from all parts of the country, to the people have been well content that the world people and the place whence he comes, and his looking upon him should say, 'that is the Representative of North Carolina.' For himself and for what he symbolizes he has been accorded an increasing respect and thus his influence has deepened and broadened. As the one remaining from a heroic age, Major Stedman becomes more conspicuous than ever, and the realization of this takes on a peculiar significance."

It might be said that the people of the State in general, share this increasing estimation of the gallant Representative from the fifth and the sentiment of the State, if it could be developed in print, would unquestionably sustain the admirable intention of the people of the fifth district to keep Major Stedman in Washington until his term is cancelled by death.

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Press Comment

MAJOR STEDMAN

The Charlotte Observer.

There is called "the reaction" to the declaration of Maj. Chas. M. Stedman, representing North Carolina from the fifth congressional district, that he will positively not be a candidate for re-election is reflected in an editorial by The Greensboro News, which is agreeable to the suggestion that it opens its columns to a referendum on keeping the major there, anyway. The News is manifestly in favor of the enterprise of a nonacceptance of the major's proposed retirement, for it writes in endorsement that he "is the lone Confederate, the lone veteran of the war of the sections, surviving in Congress; 20 years he has represented his people there, a picturesque figure embodying of a bygone day. His appearance of himself has carried the thought of thousands, from all parts of the country, to the people have been well content that the world people and the place whence he comes, and his looking upon him should say, 'that is the Representative of North Carolina.' For himself and for what he symbolizes he has been accorded an increasing respect and thus his influence has deepened and broadened. As the one remaining from a heroic age, Major Stedman becomes more conspicuous than ever, and the realization of this takes on a peculiar significance."

It might be said that the people of the State in general, share this increasing estimation of the gallant Representative from the fifth and the sentiment of the State, if it could be developed in print, would unquestionably sustain the admirable intention of the people of the fifth district to keep Major Stedman in Washington until his term is cancelled by death.

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so the same way. The lure of riches quickly and easily attained draws the greedy as the candle light draws the moth. It is an age-old story, but the passing years see an ever increasing number of young men take this path that leads but to destruction. Each thinks he can beat the game. In the majority of cases they are ground to powder in the inexorable maw of the relentless machine. Despite their frequent recurrence, stories like this always bring a slight of sympathy for the victim. It is pathetic, indeed.

RE A FOOTSEER

Rutherfordton News.

At this season of the year it is a good time to get the boosting spirit. It will help you to look on the bright side of life and will make you feel better. Knocking never accomplished anything. It never will.

We like to meet folks with a smile and a kind word. We like to meet folks who are not talking "hard times." It does no good and makes bad matters worse. We got a lesson from our good friend Mr. Plato Hawkins, of Clifside, recently. When seen on the streets here and asked, "How is everything in your community?" he replied, "Fine. We have stopped knocking and gone to boosting and feel much better over it." He has the right spirit.

Dr. Frazier, in his address to the Kiwanis club here last Thursday night said that Atlanta, Ga., had been built up on "boosting." It is the one thing that has made the Georgia city outstanding among Southern cities. "If things are dull and business not so good, keep boosting and it will help."

A NEW YEAR

Mocksville Enterprise.

Some of us may have cause to complain of our lot during the year passing into history; it wouldn't be human nature if we did. And yet, if we will be fair with ourselves and compare our own conditions with the conditions of a good many others in the neighborhood we will be quick to banish our petty complaints.

Taken by and large, the nation's crops in 1929 were highly satisfactory. Working conditions and wages were normal up to the moment of the crash in Wall Street, a crash that can always be expected when men who prefer to speculate for their money run the stakes too high. And ven that event has not crippled anything save the speculative business to any serious extent. Unemployment, in the larger cities is greater than at this time last year, due to industrial readjustments made necessary by the decline in stocks. But everywhere construction and road building programs for 1930 are being made on a scale much larger than usual and even the most pessimistic are forced to admit that if only one-half of these programs are carried out it will be a prosperous year.

We see no real cause for alarm over conditions in this country as we enter a new year. Things could be better in many respects—but just pause and consider how much worse they could be, and how much worse they have been. With this in mind, let us set our faces toward the future and resolve to do our part, individually as an enterprising community, to make 1930 a surprise to the pessimists and joy-killers. It can be done. Sticking to our jobs and talking better times instead of preaching and predicting calamity will do it. So, with the remedy in our hands—Let's Go!

TEN YEARS SUFFERING IS ROUTED BY SARGON

"I suffered ten years with indigestion and pains in my stomach after nearly every meal. Sometimes the pressure around my heart would make me feel like I was smothering to death."



MISS MARY T. MANGUM

Constipation bothered me a great deal, and I'm sure it was caused by a sluggish liver. No medicine I could find would help me more than just temporarily. "Recently my mother visited me and got me to try Sargon, which had done the same for her. I can eat anything I want, even cabbage, without a sign of indigestion. Sargon fills me up my liver to work and ended my constipation. I feel like a new woman."—Mrs. Mary T. Mangum, 117 Wolf St. Durham, N. C.

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FOR SALE OR RENT STORE, Dwelling, large lot with garage and barn.—D. R. Stroud.

STRAIGHT SALARY: \$35.00 per week and expenses. Man or woman with rig to introduce EGG PRODUCER. Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

LOST POINTER BITCH, WHITE and liver, name Lady, Reward.—Allen Grant, Mocksville, N. C.

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SOCIETY NEWS AND PERSONAL MENTION

MISS MARY J. HEITMAN, Social Editor
Phone 112

To the readers of The Enterprise: "May all the pleasantness of the Old be united with the glad promise of the New to bring you a New Year of happiness."

Miss Rebecca Watt returned home this week from a visit to relatives in Murfreesboro.

Mrs. J. H. Boates, of Winston-Salem, was the week-end guest of Mrs. T. B. Bailey.

Mr. L. G. Horn is able to be out now, after an attack of acute indigestion last week.

Mrs. J. Lee Kurfess and Mrs. G. N. Ward spent Friday afternoon in Statesville.

Mr. J. D. Collette, of Cana Route 1, was a business visitor here one day last week.

J. H. Meroney, of Lenoir, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meroney.

Mr. W. I. Leach and family, of Winston-Salem, visited relatives here during the holidays.

Mr. John L. Howard, of Mocksville Route 4, was a caller at the Enterprise office Friday.

Mrs. Katherine Formwalt, of Asheville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Johnston.

Misses Clara and Margaret Knox, of Salisbury, spent Tuesday with Miss Alice Lee.

Mrs. W. C. Patterson, of Taylorsville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Woodruff.

Irvin Boles, who has a position in Charlotte, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Bowles.

Mr. Walter Leach, of Winston-Salem, spent last week with his uncle, J. F. Leach and family.

Misses Hattie and Bess Fowler, of Statesville, spent Christmas with their sister, Mr. G. G. Daniel.

Miss Emma Chaffin, of High Point, was the recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Chaffin.

Mrs. Alice Woodruff has returned from "Nashville" where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Kelley.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Speight returned to their home in Roper after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Clement and children, of Raleigh, visited Mrs. W. K. Clement during the holidays.

Miss Frankie Craven will leave Sunday for Catawba College, where she is a member of the senior class.

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Miss Eva Call will leave Sunday to resume her duties in the Browns' high school after spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Call.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Luther, of Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Betts, and son, of Albemarle, and Miss Lula Betts, of Lexington, were visitors here last week.

Miss Frances Brown, of Salisbury, and Mr. Ed Stenness, of Raleigh, and Mr. Katherine Sten

THANKS FOR THE OLD YEAR, GREETINGS FOR THE NEW

Don't look at the year that is passing
And fuss and grumble and fret;
Just bustle and stop grating—
There are opportunities yet.

As the New Year takes place of the old one
Review your numerous mistakes;
Then think of the battles you've won
And work hard for a still higher place.

If you feel that you could have done better,
Don't lose valuable time in regret;
For there are many opportunities
That neither you nor I have met.
—Iris Minish, 10th Grade.

A GIFT

Hark! The Heavenly Angels Sing
"Unto you is born a King,"
Wrapped in swaddling clothes was he
Humble, meek and most lowly.

In the fields near Bethlehem
Were the Shepherds tall and trim,
Watching lest their sheep should stray
Ignorant of Christ's birth that day.

Lo! the Shepherd's hearts did fear
When God's Glory round them were
Shone so brightly and so plain
Telling them of Jesus Name.

Then an Angel said "Don't fear,
I have messages of cheer,
Unto you is born a Prince,
Jesus Christ in Innocence."

In a manger he did lay,
With his mother on the day,
As the star of Bethlehem
Led the Shepherds on to them.

As a lily came he here,
Spotless, clean and white and dear,
Fragrant with a love sublime,
Cleansing pure your heart and mine.

Rejoice: let the world be gay,
Sing His praises day by day,
God a gift to you did send
Peace on earth, good will to men.
—Lila Snow Dobbin.



International Sunday School Lesson for January 5 CHILDHOOD OF JESUS Matthew 2:10-23

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.
During the coming six months
the lessons will be taken from
Matthew and the general theme
is "The Gospel of the Kingdom."

From July to December the titles
will deal with "Representative
Men and Women of the Old and
New Testaments." The aim of the
present series, as indicated by
the Lessons Committee is "(1) To
present a clear and comprehen-

sive view of the entire Gospel of
Matthew, (2) To keep in mind
the Messianic character of the
Gospel, (3) To observe the well-

balanced relationship between Je-
sus' ministry of teaching and his
ministry of mercy, (4) To de-

velop faith in Jesus as the Son of
God, (5) To indicate the way to
complete Christian living. It will
be very helpful if you can find
time right now to read through
the 28 chapters of this first Gos-

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for the Hebrews to endeavor to
make clear that Jesus Christ is
the Messiah of Old Testament pro-

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Mother And Infant Son Die In Snow; Two Daughters Make Way to Shelter

Huntsville, Ala.—The story of
the death on a snow-swept moun-
tain side of a mother and her in-
fant son, was told in Huntsville
today by the first man to make
his way through the heavy snows
which cut off communication with
the region.

The mountaineer had heard
Minnie Marcum relate her wan-
derings with her mother, Mrs.
Frank Marcum, the infant and a
younger sister. She described
the death of her mother and the
small brother from exposure after
four days in the woods and later
the removal of clothing from the
mother's body to protect the
younger girl.

The bodies of Mrs. Marcum and
the infant were placed in a hol-
low log before the two girls con-
tinued search for food and shel-
ter. The bodies were found on
Christmas Day, and buried yester-
day.

Mrs. Marcum and the three chil-

dren left Huntsville for their
mountain home December 17 to
spend Christmas. They left their
automobile at the base of the
slope and started up the mountain
trail, a distance of three miles.

The trail soon was obliterated
by a snow flurry. They had start-
ed Thursday, and they kept wan-
dering Friday and Saturday. On
Sunday the mother became ex-
hausted, collapsed and died within a
few minutes. The infant, died
shortly afterward, with the bodies
secured in a log, and the moth-
er's clothing protecting the youn-
ger sister. The two girls roamed
the mountainside for two more
days before they reached home.

The father retraced his daugh-
ter's footprints through the snow
to the hollow log only three quar-
ters of a mile from the Marcum
home.

Physicians said the girls were
suffering from exposure, but
would recover.

INSANE MAN KILLS WIFE, SIX CHILDREN AND THEN SENDS BULLET THRU OWN BREAST

(Continued from page 1)

blood on the porch indicated that
members of the family had been
shot at various points about the
house and then dragged into the
living room.

The bodies of Carrie and May-
belle, who started to visit rela-
tives in the community, were found
in a tobacco barn about 400 yards
from the dwelling. Their arms
likewise were folded and the re-
mains laid out as if for burial.
The door was latched from the
outside.

New toys, evidently left by
Saint Nicholas, were scattered
about the house.

Charlie Lawson, the father, lay
in a field a half-mile from the
home, a bullet through his heart
and a rifle clutched in his hand.
A shotgun lay at his side.

Though details of the tragedy
will perhaps never be known, a
corner jury, called by Dr. B. J.
Holsenbeck late in the day, deter-
mined that Charlie Lawson mur-
dered seven members of his fam-
ily and then committed suicide.
No motive for the act was ascer-

ted. The diabolical brutality and
precision with which the wife
and children were shot, indicated
to members of the community that
the man was insane. Apparently
he shot down his wife and chil-

ren like rabbits, hunting them
down to the last two and omitting
only the last child too far away
to be reached. Then, as if to in-

sure that no spark of life remain-
ed, he turned the butt of the
weapon into a club and crushed
each skull.

Neighbors give Charlie Lawson
a good name. They declared he
was sober, industrious and even-
tempered. He had hogs and cows
on his lot and was not believed
to be in a strained financial con-

dition. Evidence in the house
that the family had observed
Christmas in the usual fashion
were also taken to indicate that
Lawson was not in need of mon-
ey.

Some of the man's friends re-
call that last summer he com-
plained of trouble with his head,
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ted with its flavor.



New Year Greetings



The good will of our patrons and
friends is one of our most valuable
assets. The spirit of the season brings
to us renewed appreciation of old as-
sociates and of the value of new
friends. We wish to express to you,
our old customers, our appreciation
of your loyalty. To our new custom-
ers, our appreciation of your confi-
dence. To you who are not our custo-
mers, the hope that we may be of ser-
vice to you during 1930. May your
caravan through the coming year trav-
el along paths of peace and happi-
ness. May health and prosperity at-
tend you and those you hold dear.
May your New Year be one of glad-
ness and contentment.

C. C. SANFORD SONS CO.

Everything For Everybody.

SANFORD MOTOR CO.

CLEARANCE SALE Trade-In Cars

Beginning Monday, December 30th,
every Used Car in our stock will be of-
fered at greatly reduced prices.

Fords, Dodge, Buick, Chevrolet, Chry-
sler and Nash. Open and closed cars and
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We have a good assortment, all makes,
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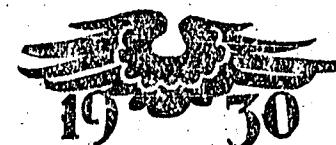
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1 1924 Ford Touring car, 4 good
tires, cash, \$35.00
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May 1930 be as great a year for
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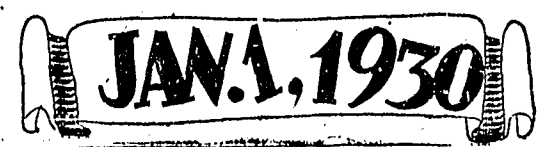
Looking forward to another plea-
sant year in your midst, we extend
our heartfelt wishes for a Happy
New Year.

Horn Service Station



To our friends and to those whom
we have not yet had the pleasure
of meeting—a Happy New Year.

C. J. Angell



Our New Year's greetings to you
we wish to accompany with a pro-
mise of even better service dur-
ing 1930 than we have given you
in the past.

Home Ice & Fuel Co.



We can't say how much we ap-
preciate your friendship during
1929, and hope for its continuance
in 1930. Happy New Year!

F. M. Carter



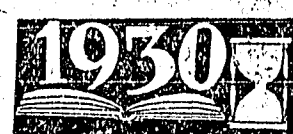
We resolve to give the best
possible service—to spare no ef-
fort in constantly improving that
service. A Happy New Year to
you!

Allison-Johnson



Our sincerest wishes for a Happy
New Year, and many thanks for
your cooperation and patronage
during 1929.

Mocksville Hardware Co.



In wishing you a Happy New Year
we thank you for your past pa-
tronage... and ask only the
happiness of retaining old friend-
ships and making new ones.

Princess Theatre



In closing the most successful
year we have ever had, we wish
to thank you all and extend our
most hearty New Year's greetings.

J. Frank Hendrix



We look forward to another year
of service illuminated by your
kind cooperation and friendliness
Happy New Year.

Mocksville Motor Co.

We can think of no other way to
say it, but behind the simple fam-
iliar phrase is a wealth of grati-
tude and appreciation—Happy
New Year.

Foster & Green

We endeavor to give the best Ser-
vice possible—and if possible, im-
prove that service. A Happy
New Year to you.

Campbell & Walker
Funeral Directors



New Year Greetings

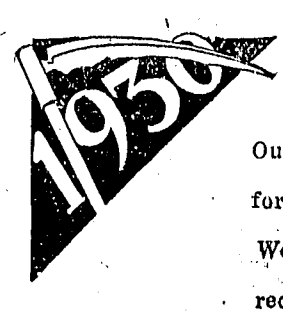
The merchants and business men represented on this page greet
the New Year with high hope.

They have been encouraged during 1929 by your kind co-opera-
tion and patronage, and wish to assure you that during 1930
they shall continue to practice those ideals of business ethics,
and to maintain the high standards of service, quality and value
which in the past have merited your trust and confidence.

With your aid, they look toward 1930 as a year of great pro-
gress and development of the community in which they play so
vital a part and they join in saying "Happy New Year" to you
with heart-felt sincerity.

May 1930 multiply your joys and obliterate your
sorrows. A Happy New Year!

The Mocksville Enterprise



Our heartfelt wishes to all of you
for a successful and happy year.
We are eager to eclipse all our
records of service during 1930.

Green Milling Company

rich deposit of gold ore in place. The largest producing gold mine in the world, according to the Bureau of Mines is the Home stake mine at Lead, S. Dak. There are others in South Africa with almost equal output. To think that the man who discovered gold in California, James W. Marshall, died in poverty—old and alone in a mountain cabin!

In placer mining gold is obtained in form of grains distributed through sand and gravel, as fol-

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It is of the Lord's mercies that we are
not consumed, because his compassions
fail not. They are new every morning;
great is thy faithfulness.—Lamentations
3:22, 23.

WHERE FLOWERS ARE BLOOMING

A news dispatch says that flowers are blooming
on the little island of Ocracoke, just off
the coast of North Carolina. That little place,
in the past so little known, and so seldom
heard of, even by North Carolinians, may yet
become a regular southern California. It has
always had a peculiar appeal to us and some
of these days we are going to take off a week
and run down for a brief vacation on that isolated fringe of the Old North State.

THE QUACK DOCTOR

The Monroe Journal says that the father of
John D. Rockefeller was a quack doctor, claiming
to be able to cure cancer, and suggests that
John D. Rockefeller's fortune may be the result of an effort to overcome the
bad work done by his father. Maybe so. Anyhow,
if Mr. Rockefeller has as poor an opinion of a
quack doctor as we have, he would be willing
to lay out almost any amount in cash, if by so
doing he might do something to overcome the
bad which a quack doctor may have set in motion.
The most hurtful character on earth is the
he who works in a way to undermine the public
health, or to fleece the sick and needy by selling
worthless medicines.

FARMING POSSIBILITIES BRIGHT

We see no reason why business should not be
reasonably good in this section during the
year 1930. We may be wrong, but we are
confidently expecting the greatest revival in
the farming industry during this year ever be-
fore experienced in the history of Davis county
agriculture. Our farmers as a rule are hope-
fully many of them enthusiastic over the dairy-
ing possibilities. With the opening of the big
cheese and butter manufacturing plant of the
Foremost Dairies Inc. at Albemarle during the
coming summer, all Davis County dairymen
will find a ready market for their cream.
There will be a growing demand for more and
better dairy cattle and generally we may look
for a big revival in the business of farming in
almost every way.

THE FIGHT ON DISEASE

Is science about to discover the weapon with
which to destroy tuberculosis? A Des Moines
news despatch of a few days ago reported that
Dr. William Charles White of the United States
Public Health Service had reported the discovery
of a sugar made from tuberculous bacillus
which may lead to the final medical control of
that dreaded scourge which takes such a heavy
toll among the human race every year. The
discovery, it was said, was made while he was
in the sale of Christmas health seals and should
it prove to be a valuable one, every one who in
the past has bought Christmas seals can take
to himself a portion of the credit. Let us hope
that we have reached the beginning of the end
of tuberculosis. Let us hope the future can be
waged on that melody. Vigorous and long
science has also fought for the control of can-
cer and other deadly diseases. And we predict
that the young fellow is now taking his early
training, if indeed he is not already out and
actively engaged in the contest, who will do
for tuberculosis, cancer and possibly many other
dreaded maladies, what Pasteur did for rabies
and what Lister did for wandering microbes.

GOVERNOR AND TAXES

Chicago, the second largest city in the United
States, faces 1930 bankrupt, it is reported. A
dispatch says that great city's debts have
reached two hundred and seventy million dol-
lars. The city is paying sixteen million dol-
lars a year on interest alone, and the debt
grows. Schools are embarrassed and the city
fathers are in a dilemma.

Here should be a warning to other American
towns and cities. This thing of public debt
must be checked. There is no in talking,
unless our public officials shall soon start wag-
ing a campaign of honesty and economy in ad-
ministering public affairs, we are headed for
the rocks. There is too much extravagance.
There is too much graft. There is too much
incompetence. The people of this country must
forget their little political prejudices and de-
mand in their officials honesty, competence,
economy. This thing of taxation is getting
too serious. And we need to go to Chicago
to get reminded that the average voter must
start thinking more about the administration
of public matters, if we are to avoid that which
has destroyed many a government and civiliza-
tion, in days past.

BLOOD? YES, BUT WHISKEY, NEVER

The many stories, going the round these
days tending to establish men's fondness for
that which some say is so scarce, are amuse-
ing. As one is quoted as having said, "I will
trust you with my pocketbook, I will trust you
with my wife, but brother, you don't get hold
of the key to my cellar," shows how some look
at it. So does a story told by Dr. Page North-
ington, editor of Southern Medicine and Sur-
gery. Here is the story as the famous "medico"
tells it in the December number of his publi-
cation:

"Gentlemen," said the surgeon as he entered
the lobby of the Good Egg Club. "I have a
patient hovering between life and death. One
thing will save him. Is there a gentleman here
8, 1879."

"That's enough, doc I'll do it!" cried out an
athletic youth.

"But it must be good, you know. It must be
pure. I shall have to make a careful examina-
tion."

"Sure thing. Step right in here."

They entered an adjoining anteroom and the
sturdy man started to remove his coat.

"Here, here—what's the idea?" demanded the
doctor.

"Don't you want to examine me?"

"Certainly not. Just let me see the whis-
key."

"Whiskey? Well, of all the nerve! Think
I'd give up a quart of good whiskey for a guy
I never saw in my life? I thought you only
wanted blood."

This reminds us of one which the late Carey
Dow, publisher of the Charlotte, and to tell:
"A Charlotte man so dry that his 'mardie'
rattled, stepped into a dark alley where he had
an engagement with his bootlegger. Handing
the said bootlegger the dollar bill, and snatching
the pint, he shoved it into his hip pocket.
Just at that time a cop rushed around the
corner. The thirsty fellow, determined to
make a getaway with his precious fluid, made
a dash for a still darker place, and one a little
further away from the shining presence of
the said cop. "Halt!" commanded the cop.
But the man did not halt. "Halt!" he com-
manded, a second time, and then a shot. The
bullet passed in such close proximity to the
pint on the man's hip that a chip was taken
off from the lower left hand corner of the
flask. But the man continued to run. Then
feeling the fluid trickling down his leg and into
his shoe, and knowing for a certainty that
either his flask or his anatomy had been pier-
ced by the policeman's bullet, the Charlotte man
said as he ran: "I hope to God that's blood."

Rural Song & Comment

By Arch Huneault

Twelve strokes of the clock, and another
year, once bright with promises and radiant
with hope, sinks into the cold,
clamy arms of the past, there to
slumber while time, the great
physician, shall heal every hurt,
dry every tear, and turn every
bitterness into cheer and merriment.
True, each bright spot must
grow dim with dust, and
twinkle only as a star through
the haze of distance, but the
flower that fades will send back
on the wings of the wind a frag-
rance rivaling that of the living
rose by the wayside—a fragrance exhilarating
in for its cherished pathos, and in its purity
whispering, angel-like, into the immortal mes-
sage of hope that drives ever onward in the
quest of life's one worthy goal.

NEW YEAR

Life asleep in the silent clod,
And the forest ways are still,
Under the eye of a patient God,
Waiting His infinite will;
And we waste no tears,
For the bygone years,
Asleep in the silent dust,
But face ahead
Where the dawn is red
And the future calls
"Thou must!"

TOGETHER

Reach me your hand
And 'spite of wind and weather
We two shall fare
Enchanted heights together;
And should a care
Weigh down and make you sad,
I'll pluck my heart
For songs to make you glad.

PEVISH MAN

Perhaps man has no worse enemy than self-
pity—peevishness we might call it—a disposi-
tion to get even with life by seeking the darkest
shadows and saying we can not always have
the brightest sunshine.

WINTER TONIC

In each cold dash
At the window pane,
In each cold splash
Of the midnight rain
Is a hidden air
From the land of dreams
In the Spring-land where
The home-sick gleams.

Nurse: "Come and see what the doctor
brought your mother."
Tommy (grazing with displeasure on the new
arrival): "I bet she blames me. He wouldn't
have known where we lived if I hadn't got the
flu."—Sidney Ballatin.

If you want work well done, select a busy
man—the other kind has no time.—Elbert Hub-
bard.

Press Comment

THE CHAINING PICTURE

Statesville Landmark.

Arthur Brisbane commenting:
General Grant's granddaughter,
Mrs. J. C. Hanbury, formerly
Princess Catherine, has
given birth to twin daughters,
in London. If these little girls
grow up, and have sons, and are
poor, so the sons will have to
work, those boys should amount
to something. Unfortunately the
successful man, by his very
success, makes it hard for his de-
scendants to succeed for at least
a generation or two.

Can't be certain whether the
editorial of the Statesville Landmark
will be worked out even in the
fifth and sixth generations.
It depends on the training, the
family influence. Sometimes the
more remote the ancestor, the
greater the magnifying of its im-
portance. Very often that impor-
tance is not only overrated, it
never had real foundation on
fact; it is a myth. But Mr. Bris-
bane speaks truly, and in main-
taining the chain of the family
is not for sale. We want all the
work that we can get in a legiti-
mate way; but not at the cost of
our self-respect.

No, Mr. Brunner, The Journal
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BUSINESS LOCALS

IN OUR LADIES READY-TO-
wear Department we have a
few good numbers left in La-
dies Coats, Dresses and Hats
to go at a real bargain.—C. C.
Sanford Sons Co.

IF YOU WANT ANY KIND OF
Brick work, concrete or plaster-
ing done, phone, write or see
H. L. Mooney, Mockville, N. C.
Will work by the day, or con-
tract.

SPECIAL—ONE LOT OF LA-
dies Dresses to go at \$1.98 to
\$7.98.—C. C. Sanford Sons Co.

LESPEDREA SEED FOR SALE,
variously Double cleaned and
field cleaned. Instructions for
sowing. Supply limited. J. G.
Crawford, Coolemans, N. C.
Phone 5211. 1944p.

BIG LOT OF 20c to 25c GING-
hams to go at 15c.—C. C. San-
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NOTICE: BRING US YOUR COT-
ton. We will give you the top
of the market price and then
some. Service with a smile.
—J. W. Garner, Near Over-
head bridge.

NOTICE: WE CAN GRIND
your corn and shuck all
peas 1000 lb. lots but not
in small quantities.—Horn-
Johnstone Co.

UNLOADING TODAY ONE CAR
of Barch Wino, Nails, Paul
and Hog Fence, Galvanized
iron. All lengths.—C. C.
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IF YOU NEED A GOOD PURE
Bred Guernsey Bull, call
H. A. Lakey or Hugh Sanford.
Jan 9-23, Feb. 6

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF
The Building and Loan Asso-
ciation. The annual meeting
of the stockholders of the
Mockville Building and Loan
Association will be held in their
office on January 23, 1930 at
7 o'clock P. M. for the election
of a board of directors for the
ensuing year, and for the trans-
action of any other business
which may be necessary.
4, 1930.—S. M. Cull, President.
B. O. Morris, Sec'y. Jan. 9-16

NOTICE
* Anyone desiring Insurance in
* The Farmers' Mutual Fire As-
* sociation of Davis, Inc., or
* and Alexandria Counties, see
* or write—J. R. Foster, Mock-
* ville, N. C., Route 3. This is
* Absolutely the cheapest Fire
* Insurance obtainable.

JUST RECEIVED. ANOTHER
car of Purnea Poultry and
Dairy Feed, Baby Chick Start-
ers.—C. C. Sanford Sons Co.

USE SAMPSON'S
Hot Drops
for colds, flu, lagrippe, cat-
arrh, nervousness and stom-
ach trouble.

PAY YOUR TOWN TAX
BEFORE JAN. FIRST. A
PENALTY OF ONE PER
CENT WILL BE ADDED
FEB. SECOND.—J. M.
HORN, CITY TAX COL-
LECTOR.

For twenty years we have served the people of Davis County
as Funeral Directors, and never before have we been so
Well Equipped, or had so wide a variety of styles and prices
as we now have.

CALL US AT ANY HOUR
G. C. YOUNG & SONS
Davis County's only licensed embalmers

10% REDUCTION ON
ALL FURNITURE
Beds, Mattresses, China, Electric Appli-
ances, Heating Stoves, Wood and Coal,
Brooders. Now is the time to save money.
A Simmons Iron Bed, Spring and
all cotton Mattress, choice of colors \$16.65
If interested come in and let us show you
these values. Must have room for large
purchase of Spring Furniture. Quality
and Style considered we will not be under-
sold. Come in and let us quote you some
attractive prices.

"THE STORE OF TODAY'S BEST."
Mockville Hardware Co.
PATRONIZE YOUR HARDWARE STORE

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BACKACHE
"I HAVE used Card-
ul at intervals for
sixteen years, when
I suffered from
weakness, and it
always helped me,"
says Mrs. J. W.
Jinright, R. F. D. 2,
Troy, Ala.
"Twenty years ago
I was afflicted with
backache. At times
I felt as if my back
would break. I
could not stand on
my feet, in a helpless
sort of a way, and
once I got down in
the mud and could not
get up. I do not believe
that I could have
done this without
Cardul."

Now is the time to begin
planning for the flower and
garden. We have just received
a fresh shipment of Rices
Flower and Garden seed.
Come in and let us help you
with your selection.

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A special collection for
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Starts In This Newspaper Soon

Development of Alaska Hastened by New Highway

Col. Samuel Hill of Seattle, famous international capitalist and promoter of good roads, is behind the project to build the connecting link between British Columbia and Alaska which will make a continuous motor road from Mexico to the Far North. The road will pass through the Peace Portal which stands on the International boundary line. The Reindeer meat industry in Alaska is being fostered by the Government which owns great herds which serve as food for the Eskimos.

Alaska's Vast Territory Being Opened

Reindeer Meat One Product Which Uncle Sam Hopes to Make Popular

(By Caleb Johnson)

Had your reindeer steak yet? The introduction of reindeer meat as a staple food product is the Government's latest method of getting the rest of the United States interested in Alaska. In the larger cities reindeer steaks, chops and roasts are being served in many hotels and restaurants, and it is expected that in time a great meat-packing industry will develop in the northern Territory. Alaska is getting closer to the rest of the nation all the time. Now the United States and Canada are cooperating in the construction of a great motor highway which, when completed, will make it as easy for automobile tourists to visit Alaska as it is now for them to drive to Florida. The driving force behind this latest project is the indefatigable Col. Samuel Hill of Seattle, who more than anyone else has been responsible for the building of good roads in the Northwest. It will take only 750 miles of road to connect the famous Peace Portal which stands on the International Boundary line. Although Alaska has been the property of the United States since it was bought from Russia in 1867 for \$7,200,000, large parts of the territory are still unexplored. Nobody knows what riches may yet come out of this northern wilderness. So far, products worth more than \$200 million of the principal cost of the territory have been yielded, chiefly in gold, salmon, seal furs and lumber. There is at least one oil field and a good grade of steam coal found at several points. The United States Navy is making an aerial survey of the whole territory, photographing it from the sky. This territory has already resulted in the discovery of a waterfall capable of generating at least 20,000 horsepower, and of forests which can supply all the woodpulp the United States needs for paper making.

Now realize how big Alaska is. You could put into it all of the Atlantic Coast states from Maine to Florida, and Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi and still have room to spare. In all of this territory there are only about 65,000 inhabitants, of whom half are Eskimos. Yet the climate in a large part of Alaska is milder than in most of the northern parts of the United States. The principal drawback being that it gets pretty warm in summer! In the interior the thermometer sometimes goes to 60 below in winter and rises to 90 or more in July, but along the coast, where the warm Japanese current tempers the climate, it seldom drops below zero and 80 above is about the highest in mid-summer.

There are considerable areas of good farming land, where wheat can be grown economically, Not from the bards sublime, Whose distant footsteps echo Through the corridors of Time. For, like strains of martial music, Their mighty thoughts suggest Life's endless toil and endeavor; And tonight I long for rest. Read from some humbler poet, Whose songs gushed from his heart As showers from the clouds of summer, Or tears from the eyelids start Who, though long days of labor, And nights devoid of ease, Still heard in his soul the music Of wonderful melodies. Such songs have the power to quiet The restless pulse of care, And come like the benediction That follows after prayer. Then, read from the treasured volume The poem of thy choice, And lend to the rhyme of the poet The music of thy voice. And the night shall be filled with music, And the cares that infest the day Shall fold their tents like the Arabs, And as silently steal away.

THE MOONSHINER
(By Edgar A. Guest)

They told me this in Georgia, Where I spent a week or two, And I rather like the story, so I pass it on to you.

Out of the hills they'd brought

PAINS Went Away
"I was very much run down in health. I had a cold across the middle of my back. I had a dull, tired feeling, and I was tired when I got up in the morning. I got a bottle of Cardui and I was sleeping all night. I was tired when I got up in the morning. I got a bottle of Cardui and I was sleeping all night. I was tired when I got up in the morning. I got a bottle of Cardui and I was sleeping all night."

THE DAY IS DONE
By Henry Wadsworth Longfellow
The day is done, and the darkness Falls from the wings of night, As a feather is wafted downward From an eagle in his flight. I see the lights of the village Gleam through the rain and the mist, And a feeling of sadness comes over me, That my heart cannot resist. A feeling of sadness and longing That is not akin to pain, And resembles sorrow only As the mist resembles rain. Come, read to me some poem, Some simple and heartfelt lay, That shall soothe this restless feeling, And banish the thoughts of day. Not from the grand old masters, Not from the poems of the past, But from the thoughts of day, And from the hearts of men.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for February 2, 1936
PUTTING GOD'S KINGDOM FIRST
Matthew 6:33-34; 19:21-22; 31:33
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

This is the second lesson study taken from the Sermon on the Mount. Though the few verses indicated are rich with helpful truth, the entire chapter should be considered. This is another choice portion of Scripture to commit to memory. The traditional place for the delivery of this general message is the House of Hattin, just back of the Sea of Galilee.

The prayer life of Jesus is mentioned frequently. He spent the night in solitary prayer before giving this address to the multitude and selecting His twelve apostles. Many knew Him, for it was in the very middle of His public ministry. Prayer is vital in the life of every one. This activity is noted in every race, though the function varies greatly. To hold these things in the mind, to pray with much ostentation when the call comes from the minutest of the temple. Prayer wheels are a device with some who believe that they are created with a prayer every time that wheel turns around. More intelligent people may be just as ineffective when they assume to pray. Each one who really approaches the Throne of God has a place, or places of prayer. Thither we resort that we may be alone with our Father. At times it takes longer to pray the hour shut, so we are consciously together with Him, then it does to offer our thanksgiving and petitions at the Throne of Grace.

Luke gives the Lord's Prayer as Jesus' reply to the request of the disciples. "Lord, teach us to pray, even as John also taught his disciples." 11:2-4. The Teacher purposed to indicate principles in prayer rather than to give the exact words of utterance. And yet this form, as recorded in Matthew 6:9-13.

Anxious thought can be stopped when we rest our lives in the All-Giver. Worry does not help any or bring our problem to a conclusion. As has been so often said, but always very truly, "We cannot worry and pray at the same time." The Golden Text is a restful working principle: "Seek ye first His Kingdom, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." Matthew 6:33.

SALES HORSE MEAT AS BEEF FOR CHILI

St. Joseph, Mo.—Convicted on a charge of selling horse meat as beef to St. Joseph chili can carne manufacturer, F. J. Behmer, proprietor of a Manhattan, Kan., slaughter house, was fined \$335. Behmer denied the charge, but admitted he carried the meat in stock as dog food.

WALSH TO HEAR KING OVER RADIO
London.—One of the most extensive radio "hook-ups" in history will enable the Prince of Wales to hear his father's speech at the opening of the forthcoming naval disarmament conference here on January 21. The Prince will "listen in" on King George from Capetown, South Africa, where he will be when the conference gets under way.

PICTURES OF GIRLS ARE HAIRD ON POSTERS
Colorado Springs, Col.—If girls must smoke there is no need to advertise it. Therefore, the graceful and aesthetic female figure must appear from local posters and billboards advertising cigarettes.

50 horsepower six-cylinder engine

Not until you drive the new Chevrolet Six can you appreciate what a wonderful improvement has been made in its famous six-cylinder valve-in-head engine. With its capacity increased to 50 horsepower, it has great reserve energy for sweeping up the steepest hills—for swift acceleration—and for sustained high speeds. Its power flows evenly and smoothly. And it is extremely flexible in traffic. In fact—it does everything you could possibly want a motor to do. Yet it is remarkably economical in its use of gasoline and oil. Come in today for a demonstration.

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The Roadster	\$495	The Club Sedan	\$625
The Phaeton	\$495	The Sedan	\$675
The Sport Roadster	\$525	The Sedan Delivery	\$595
The Coach	\$565	The Light Delivery Chassis	\$585
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The Sport Coupe	\$625	The 1 1/2 Ton Chassis With Cab	\$625

All prices, n. b. factory, plus, Michigan

The New CHEVROLET SIX

Tomlinson Chevrolet Company

Mocksville, N. C.

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Facts and Figures of Davie County

County Products	48,450	Yield	Production	Value	Value
Corn	14,775	24	354,600	\$308,502	\$20.83
Wheat	11,177	11	122,947	164,749	14.74
Cotton	7,140	287	3,540	323,233	45.98
Oats	2,815	20	56,300	37,168	16.75
Hay (including m'dow)	5,962	8	4,765	100,065	16.80
Horses and mules			2,771	230,432	
Cattle			4,707	222,170	
Hogs*			3,813	44,612	

NORTH CAROLINA RESOURCES AND INDUSTRIES
DAVIE COUNTY

In Central Piedmont; population, 15,700; area, 165,120 acres; topography, fertile, hills, plateau and river bottoms; waters, Yadkin River, South Yadkin rivers; railroads, Southern; buslines, Camel City; highways Nos. 65, 80, 90, 301, 302; telegraph and telephones; incorporated cities and towns, Mocksville.

Industrial statistics of the county follow:
Number of Manufacturing Establishments 7; Wage Earners 1,000; Total Wages \$550,322; Mat'l. Fuel and Power \$1,669,057; Total Value Products \$2,833,149; Value Added by Manuf. \$1,169,492.

Forest Products—The forest area is approximately 73,630 acres, comprising 45 per cent of the total land area. More than 72 per cent of the forest area is farm woodland including 10,580 acres of woodland pasture. The principal merchantable species are shortleaf pine, white pine, oak and oak 20 percent.

The estimated present total stand of 55,000,000 board feet of lumber at 25 to 75 years old.

Some 17 sawmills, two of which run regularly, produce about 2,000,000 board feet of lumber per annum. Some 17,000 ties are also produced. The estimated stumpage value of the timber cut annually is \$18,000.

Water Resources and Power—Yadkin and South Yadkin rivers; Dutchman, Hunting, East Branch Cedar, West Branch Cedar, and other creeks. Water: Streams of large size offer numerous sources of water supply. The chemical quality is excellent, in the larger streams the prevailing turbidity and suspended matter is moderately high. Power: Double transmission circuits of Duke power across county in northeasterly direction, one used for electric lighting, 1,800 h. p. hydro-electric plant is operated by that company on the Yadkin River at Idols.

Agricultural Products—Much good farming is found here. Since few farmers became interested in barley, a large expansion has been made in this crop. It is naturally suited to small grains, while cotton and tobacco are grown to an appreciable amount. About 40 per cent of the area is under cultivation. There are about 50,000 hogs, 8,000 milch cows, 150 tractors and a considerable area in hay crops. Dairy farming is practiced to a limited extent and could be expanded advantageously.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

GOOD AND BAD

There is no such thing! The doctor knows that it is not the article, but the excessive indulgence of it that does the wrecking. He knows that, used to the exact point of need, nothing makes one sick. He knows, as every thinking man knows, that nothing a man may eat, drink or smoke, can possibly do harm, if not indulged to excess; I wish you would understand that, please. Potatoes are as capable of killing a man as coffee, and have killed as many I have no doubt, if the truth were known. A very eminent specialist told me recently, "that to eat three baked potatoes a day is a good thing," daily would harm as certainly as the smoking of three cigars. It is the excess, and not the particular thing that makes partaking deadly.

Everything we see, feel, appreciate, is good for something some time, place, or somebody. This is a thought worth keeping in mind constantly. The family doctor is a trained thinker. He of all people is besieged daily with anxious queries about human systems that have been thrown out of gear, presumably by something not good for them—when, in reality, the wisest man, in my opinion, is the one that knows precisely where to draw the line in eating, drinking, and smoking. I have not met him up to this time. When I find him, I shall congratulate a perfectly healthy man, who is more afraid of excess than I am of the orthodox devil; that's not science—it's truth.

WIFE'S DAD COMES FOR DESERTER

Raleigh—W. L. Turner Jr., 20-year-old State College textile student, war arrested today on a capias carrying a charge of wife desertion in Brownwood, Texas.

Service of the capias on Turner, however, only started his worries. He found that the special deputy sent to carry him back to Texas was his father-in-law, M. T. Bowden.

Turner made no objection to being taken to the college but when he found his father-in-law waiting at the courthouse here for him he indicated he might resist extradition. He telegraphed his father in Brownwood for advice.

THE WAY OF LIFE

By BRUCE BARTON

CASTLES IN SPAIN

Have been reading the story of Cecil Rhodes. His life was full of adventure. He was a man of great spirit. But the passage that interested me most was this: "Rhodes had the usual four miles an hour, and he had not said a word for hours when he suddenly replied: 'Well, Je Saur, there is nothing I hope for you, and that that while still a young man I may never have everything I want.'"

Take myself, for instance: I am not an old man, and yet there is nothing I want. I have been Minister of the Cape, there are De Beers (the diamond mines of Rhodesia) and the Rhodesia Railway, and I have called after me, and I have more money than I can spend. You might say, "Wouldn't you like to be Prime Minister again?" I answered you very fairly: "I should like it if it were offered to me, but I certainly don't want it."

At twenty-five he was so rich that he did not want for any of the things that money can buy. He answered you very fairly: "I should like it if it were offered to me, but I certainly don't want it."

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THE PLACE TO EAT WHEN IN MOCKSVILLE

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"All Kinds of Ice Cream and Soft Drinks"

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We will pay you the highest market price for

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COME TO SEE US

Rear of Sanford Motor Company Mocksville, N. C.

Henderson's theory is a good one. Buy your flour and feed

At Home

and keep your money in the county. We buy thousands of dollars worth of grain and some of this money is being sent away. Is it necessary?

Horn-Johnstone Co.

PLANTATION GARDEN UPGRADE FOR EASTERN TERRITORY

Raleigh, Jan. 27.—One large garden, known as the plantation garden, where tenants and landowners may produce needed vegetables and charge alike in those grown, will be urged by the Agricultural Extension Service of State College throughout eastern Carolina this year under a plan proposed by O. F. McCrary, district agent in central North Carolina.

Mr. McCrary proposed this idea at a meeting recently held in Scotland County. There the idea was enlarged upon to include plantation dairies, plantation poultry flocks and probably plantation swine herds. However, the plan of having one central garden was immediately adopted and the county home and farm agents report that several will be established in the county this season. Under this plan, it is suggested that the owner will not urge his tenants to immediately adopt and the county home and farm agents report that several will be established in the county this season. Under this plan, it is suggested that the owner will not urge his tenants to immediately adopt and the county home and farm agents report that several will be established in the county this season.

RICH COUPLE HURRY ACROSS CONTINENT TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF THEIR PET DOG

Hot Springs, Ark.—J. B. O'Neill and his wife forsook the pleasure of travel which came with riches to speed across the nation today to attend the funeral of "Cuddles," their 7-year-old Spaniel, who died of a broken heart in their absence.

O'Neill was going to find an airplane pilot who would fly him to their home in Hamilton, Ontario, to the bier of the pet.

The O'Neills, happy in the luxury of winter touring on a fortune made in wheat, were grief-stricken when "Cuddles" died. A telegram advised them "Cuddles" heart action is very low. They wept publicly when a second wire advised them of the dog's death.

They cut short their travels immediately and did not stop until they reached Hot Springs, Ark., where O'Neill hoped to make arrangements for an airplane.

They wired relatives to "buy an expensive casket and hold body until we arrive."

O'Neill said he believed the dog died of a broken heart induced by the absence of his master and mistress.

COOLIDGE-MELLON-HOOVER-MELLON PROSPERITY

The record of bank failures in the United States during 1929 is a disheartening one and does not bear out the claims of a golden era of prosperity so lavishly made for the Coolidge-Mellon and Hoover-Mellon administrations. The report of R. G. Dunn & Company shows a total of 437 banking suspensions during the year, an increase of 65 over the number suspensions in 1928 and of 34 over the number closing their doors in 1927. Liabilities of banks suspending in 1929 were \$218,795,682 compared with \$129,649,005 in 1928 and \$143,449,246 in 1927.

How hard hit the agricultural section of the country has been is indicated by the large number of failures in the Central West that block of states in 1928 being 211. Of the 1,202 bank suspensions occurring in the country during 1927, 1928 and 1929, more than half of them, 607 to be exact, occurred in the Central Western states, showing how seriously agricultural sections have suffered under present economic policies and conditions.

A number of swine feeding projects have been started in Jones County as a live-at-home" measure this year. L. T. Mallard put 15 hogs on feed during the past week.

BEST IN RADIO

Young Radio Co.

BEST IN SUPPLIES

For twenty years we have served the people of Davis County as Funeral Directors, and never before have we been so well equipped, or had so wide a variety of styles and prices as we now have.

CALL US AT ANY HOUR

C. C. YOUNG & SONS

Davie County's only licensed embalmers

USE SAMPSON'S Hot Drops

for colds, flu, laryngitis, catarrh, nervousness and stomach trouble.

Save the Middleman's Profit on Guaranteed Tires

30x3 1/2 Cords	\$3.95
30x3 1/2 Cooper Cords	\$5.50
30x3 1/2 Cooper Co. Cords	\$5.50
22x40 Balloon Cords	\$4.95
28x440 Cooper Balloons	\$6.95

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1 lot to go at—
89c
A real value—Don't miss it.

MEN'S SHOES
Men's regular \$8.00 shoes to go at—
\$4.00

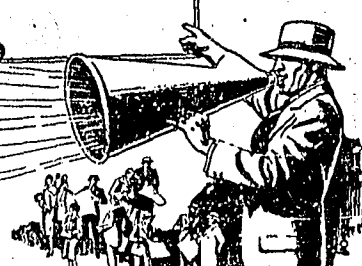
UNION SUITS
Good grade Union Suits for Ladies \$1.00 values, to go at—
50c

BOYS' SUITS
Extra good grade boys suits at—
\$4.95
Worth up to \$8.00

BOYS' SHOES
Genuine Shoes for Boys to go at a big—
Saving
During this Sale

LADIES SHOES
A real bargain in Ladies shoes here during this money saving event, \$5.00 Black velvet for—
\$1.95

We've Got to Unload!



J. Frank Hendrix Offers Great Money Saving Values In This Big

EVERYTHING

In this big store to go at
25 to 50% off
during this big sale

UNLOADING SALE

It is not a question of profit with us now, we need
CASH
and must sacrifice this \$15,000 stock to get it.

These Magnetic Values will draw crowds from many miles around Davie County. Just look at the prices listed in this advertisement. Come, Buy and SAVE.

One \$60.00 Parlor Suite to go at A real Bargain **\$35**

\$25 Beds for \$17.50

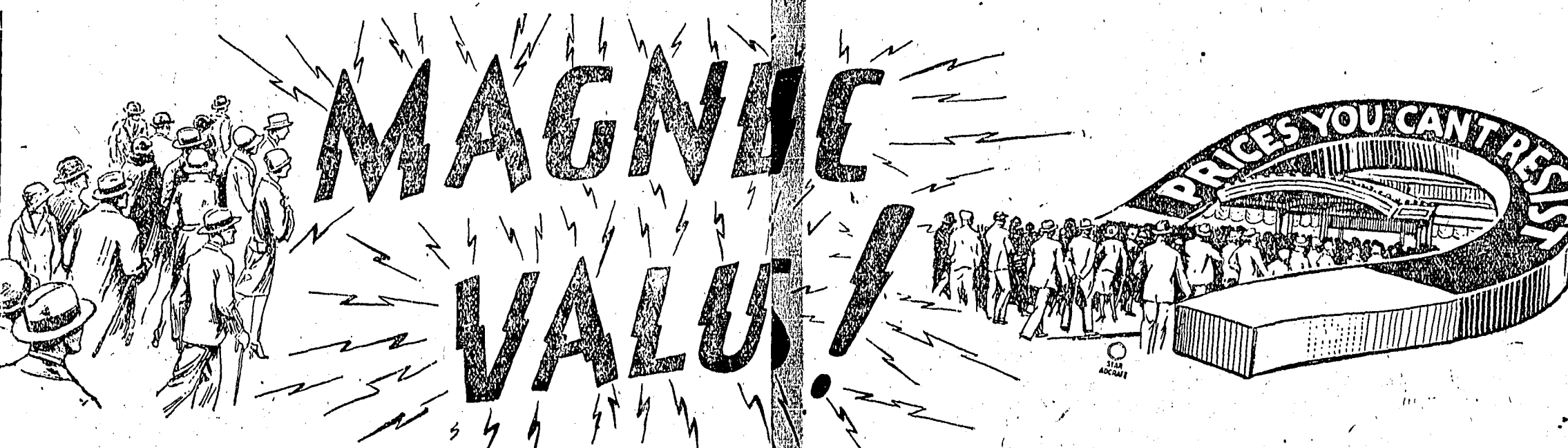
New Club Gun Shells, per box, only **59c**

One \$65.00 Victrola going at - Don't miss this **\$39**

Nitro Club Gun Shells, per box **75c**

Plenty of Electric Light Bulbs, each **25c**

We have hundreds of Bargains not mentioned in this ad



When we say SALE we mean to sell you good seasonable merchandise at about one-half of its original price. COME IN AND COMPARE.

Two 4-Burner Nesco Oil Cook Stoves, a real \$40 value, going at just **\$29**

Hurry If You Want One.

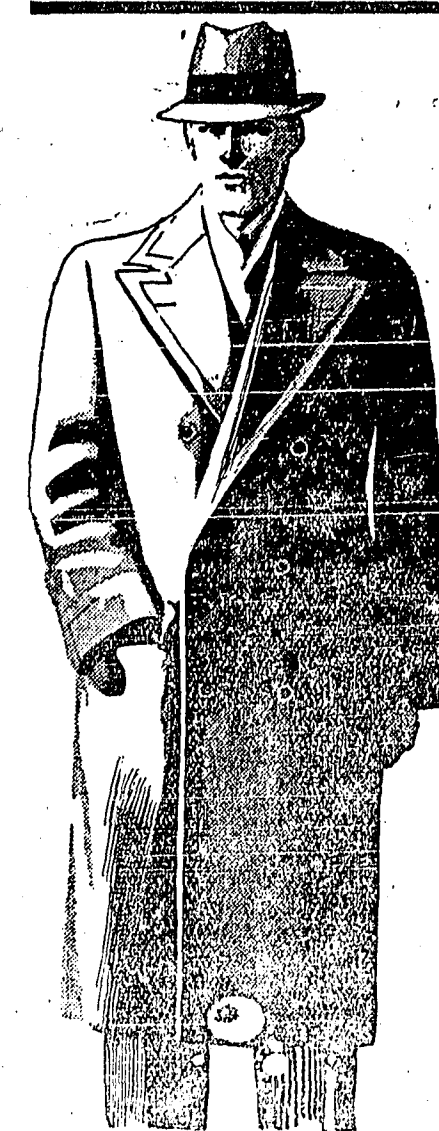
\$10 Beds at - \$6.50

\$10.00 Bed Springs, Priced for this sale at \$6.50

\$10.00 Mattresses, to go at \$6.50

One Medium Size Cook Stove. Regular \$25 value to go at **\$17.50**

BEGINNING AT NINE O'CLOCK FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY, 31st, RAIN OR SHINE



Unheard of values in Men's and Boys'

Suits and Overcoats

One lot of Men's Good Overcoats to go at only **\$3.95**

Worth more than twice this Amount

Men's \$20 to \$25 Suits to go at **\$12.50**

Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Dress Shirts at **\$1.39**

Men's \$1.00 and \$1.50 Dress Shirts, going at **79c**

Plenty of Oyster Shells, \$1 Per Bag

Sugar
5 pounds for **29c**
10 pounds for **57c**
25 pounds for **\$1.42**
100 pounds for **\$5.60**

Plenty of LL Sheeting, per yard, **10c**

75c to \$1.00 Silk Rayon at, yard, **63c**

50c Rayon at, per yard **33c**

25c and 35c Rayon and Ginghams, per yard **17c**

25 and 35c Broadcloth, per yard, **19c**

50c Broadcloth per yard **33c**

1 lot Outing per yard **10c**

1 lot Chambray per yard **10c**

Quilt Calico, per yard **10c**

Plenty of glazed milk jars and Crocks, per gallon **17c**

Three 5-cent packages of T Berry Chewing Gum for **10c**

Dix Sour Kraut, 15c size for **11c**

15c Box Sun Maid Raisins for **10c**

25c Talcum Powder for **10c**

50c Colg Cream for **25c**

5c Box of Matches for **3c**

5c Pencil Tablet for **3c**

20c Candy, per pound **12c**

2 pound box mixed candy worth 50 cents, now **29c**

5c Stick Candy, now 3 for **10c**

All 25 and 30c Candy now **19c**

5c box of Epsom Salts **3c**

All 20c Tobacco now **15c**

All 30c Tobacco now **20c**

All 15c Tobacco now **11c**

Three cans for **15c**

15c Cans and tomatoes **17c**

10c Tomato Cakes **10c**

10c Ladies **10c**

1 lot **10c**

10 Dozen **10c**

All 15c **10c**

25c No **10c**

50c Br **10c**

\$1.25

10 \$5.00 Wagons to go at **\$3.95**

Pure Coffee per pound **17c**

6 lbs for **\$1.00**

Kenny Coffee, one pound package With Spoon for **23c**

1 pound lard **13c**

4 pound bucket for **55c**

8 pound bucket for **\$1.05**

Prunes, per pound **15c**

Bananas, per dozen **25c**

Pinto Beans, best grade lb. **7 1/2c**

Per Bag **\$6.95**

Large Size Pork and Beans **10c**

Sunbright and Light House cleanser, 10c size for **5c**

1 lot Ladies \$1 and \$1.25 Bloomers **79c**

Ladies Silk Kimonos and Gowns at **REDUCED PRICES**

35 Pairs Ladies Bed Room Slippers, to go at per pair **45c**

25 Cotton Sweaters, \$1.25 to \$1.50 Value to go at **79c**

Dr. LeGears Stock and Poultry Powders at one-half Price.

FLOOR COVERINGS AT A BIG SAVING

RUBBER ROOFING

1 ply at **\$1.15**

2 ply at **\$1.48**

3 ply at **\$1.75**

Slate Surface at **\$2.25**

1 lot Ladies \$2.00 Hose, to go at **\$1.29c**

1 lot Ladies \$1.00 Hose, to go at **69c**

Lisle Hose per pair **10c**

1 lot Men's 50c Silk Socks to go at **29c**

1 lot of Men's black wool socks, 50c value for **25c**

1 lot 25c socks, 2 pairs for **25c**

Plenty of Watches and alarm Clocks. **89c**

1 lot \$3 Sweaters to go at **\$1.95**

1 lot \$4 Sweaters to go at **\$2.39**

1 lot \$5.00 Sweaters and Lumberjacks, to go at **\$2.95**

1 lot Men's 50c Neck Ties **35c**

1 lot Men's 25c Neck Ties **17c**

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One lot Ladies Rain Coats, \$3 and \$4 Values, while they last, only **98c**

Hat Boxes, Suit Cases and Trunks at **One-Half Price**

Plenty of Sewing Machine Needles and Shetters for all make of machines

Good \$1.75 value Home-Made Chair **\$1.25**

\$2.50 Rocking Chairs - \$1.75

\$1.50 Baby Rockers - 98c

Horn-Johnstone Flour **\$3.50 Per Bag**

Horn-Johnstone Feed **\$2.15 Per Bag**

Best Grade Cotton Seed Meal **\$1.90 per bag**

35c Oil Cloth for - 25c
50c Oil Cloth for - 35c

See us if you want a real bargain in cultivators, turn plows, plow points, section and disc harrows, wagons, poultry and barbed wire, etc.

J. FRANK HENDRIX
Near Overhead Bridge
South Mocksville, N. C.

SOCIETY NEWS AND PERSONAL MENTION

MISS MARY J. HEITMAN, Social Editor
Phone 112

John Lawer left this week on a business trip South.

Mrs. C. R. Horn visited friends in Winston-Salem this week.

Grady Call, of Sumter, S. C., spent the week-end with his family.

Mrs. E. L. Gaither and Mrs. R. B. Sanford spent Tuesday in Winston-Salem.

Miss Rosalie Wiley, of Salisbury, was the recent guest of Mrs. Knox Johnstone.

J. K. Sheek is spending this week in New York City attending a sales meeting.

Misses Bonnie Diggins and Frances Threlkeld spent the week-end in Asheville.

Mack Campbell, Jr., of Winston-Salem, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Anderson, of Winston-Salem, spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. H. Tomlinson.

Miss Gladys Little, of Denver, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Louise Little.

Mrs. Marvin Waters and Sam Waters spent Saturday in Concord with Miss Elizabeth Waters.

Miss Bernice Avett, who teaches at Jericho, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Louise Avett.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Barnes and son, Spencer, Jr., of Winston-Salem, visited relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. Luther Mooney, who has been spending some time in Asheville, is now with his brother, C. B. Mooney.

Miss Sarah Gaither, of the Gastonia faculty, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gaither.

Misses W. H. LeGrand, R. S. McNeill and M. D. Brown, Jr., were visitors in Salisbury one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Walker and Roy, Jr., spent Sunday in Clemmons with Mrs. Walker's sister, Mrs. Will Smith.

E. R. Brenegar and son, Edwin, of Winston-Salem, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brenegar, on Sunday.

Misses Elaine, Annie Ruth and Marjorie Call spent Sunday in Albemarle with Misses Helen and Elva Grace Avett.

Miss Lucille Martin, who teaches in Spencer, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin.

Miss Kathryn Brown, of the Proximity faculty, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Brown, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards, of Greensboro, were guests of the

latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson, on Sunday.

Gaither Sanford, a student at Davidson College, spent several days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sanford.

Mrs. C. M. Littleton, Jr., and Miss Hazel Kurfess were guests of Miss Mary Ella Moore in Cooleemee on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Nali and children, Mary and Abram, Jr., of Hickory, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ida G. Nali.

Miss Katherine Leiby and three of her schoolmates, of Salem College, were guests of her aunt Mrs. H. W. Harris, for the week-end.

Mrs. J. B. Johnstone returned home Friday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Katherine Formwalt, who accompanied her home for the week-end.

Mrs. O. L. Casey attended the birthday dinner of her father, Mr. Charles W. Leckie, in Statesville, on Jan. 28th. Mr. Leckie is 92 years old.

Atty. E. L. Gaither is in Raleigh this week attending a meeting of the Trustees of the State University which meets in the Governor's Office.

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Mrs. Crow was given a sachet of sweet lavender as a souvenir of the occasion. The guests included Messrs. E. W. Crow, R. B. Sanford, E. H. Morris, R. C. G. Gorth, P. J. Johnson, and J. Frank Clement.

On Saturday evening Dr. and Mrs. E. Carr Choate graciously entertained at one of the most delightful dinner parties of the season, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Knox Johnstone. The home was charmingly decorated with red carnations and red candles, and each of the tables where the guests were seated had in the center a vase holding a carnation and spray of fern. The delicious dinner, which was served at four small tables, consisted of: roast on toast, molded fruit salad, canned sweet potatoes, stuffed tomatoes, rolls, cranberry sauce, coffee and whipped cream, followed by ice-cream and coconut cake. Afterwards a number of games of bridge were played, Mrs. Knox Johnstone being awarded an attractive door-stop, and John LeGrand a deck of cards. The host and hostess were assisted in entertaining by Dr. and Mrs. T. Roy Burgess, of Spartanburg. Those enjoying this pleasant affair were Mr. and Mrs. Knox Johnstone, Dr. and Mrs. T. Roy Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. John LeGrand, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Morris, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Graham, of Cooleemee, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Brown, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McNeill, Mrs. L. E. Peacor, and Miss Oesie Allison.

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SMITH GROVE NEWS

The funeral services of Mrs. James Mulder were held here Sunday P. M., conducted by Rev. A. R. Bell. She was formerly a Miss Long, of this place. Interment followed in the cemetery here.

Billy Ray, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornater, is seriously ill with pneumonia, we are sorry to say, and we hope for him a speedy recovery.

The condition of Mr. W. L. Hanes is some worse at this writing, his many friends will be sorry to hear.

The condition of Mrs. J. K. Williams Fote, and Mrs. Bet Hendrix is not improving much we are sorry to say.

Mrs. J. T. Angel, of Mocksville spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanes.

Mrs. W. B. Allen spent one day last week with Mrs. J. H. Foster.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. S. J. Smith, on first Thursday, P. M. in Feb. at 2:30 o'clock. A full attendance is urged.

Mr. Cleland Foster spent one day last week in Winston-Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howard, Mr. Clemmons spent Sunday with Mrs. Howards parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. James Humphries, of Winston-Salem, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith. Sunday afternoon they all motored down to Salisbury to see Mrs. Humphries parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Allen.

SOCIETY CHURCH NEWS

The health of our community is very good at present. Mrs. Andy M. Stoudt, who has been very sick is much improved.

Mr. Dolph Clary had the misfortune to lose a fine milk cow the past week. Also Mr. Eugene West lost a mule the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edna West, who are Christmas holidays, is getting along nicely. She will return to Long's Sanatorium this week for the treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wilson and son, Brvin, of Jericho community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thorne.

Miss Elsie Booe, our efficient teacher at Stoupe School, returned to duties the past week after having a light attack of flu.

Mrs. Wiley West and daughters, Zeola and Bettie spent Sunday morning with her father, H. T. Daniel near Kappa.

Mr. Bill Jones and children and Mr. Leo West were visitors at Mr. Wiley West's Sunday.

Mrs. Omen Griffith and little son, Paul, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gaither, of Iredell.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Evans visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Seay, on Sunday.

On next Sunday, Sunday School will be at 1:30 in P. M., at Society Church. Following this W. M. U. holds its monthly meeting. The public cordially invited to attend.

DAVIE ACADEMY NEWS

Mrs. Wiley West and two daughters, Zeola and Bettie, visited at the home of Mrs. Wosta father Mr. H. T. McDaniel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams and Miss Temple Williams, of Concord were pleasant visitors in our back last Tuesday.

Mrs. Cy West who has been confined to her bed for some time is able to be up and about. The roads in our section are all.

The roads in our section are all most past traveling with automobile.

Mr. Alice Peacock visited her brother Mr. Cy West Sunday evening.

Mr. Glenn Williams spent Sunday with Mr. Robert Peacock.

Mr. William Seamon has moved his family to the old Tom Whitley farm near Salem Church.

TOWED AUTOMOBILE BADLY INJURED GIRL

Wicklaw, Wis., Jan. 18.—Miss Alice Quander will be partially paralyzed for the remainder of her life, physicians say as a result of being run down by an automobile that was being towed by a team of horses.

Miss Quander was riding on a farm sled behind which the automobile was being towed when the motor started suddenly and the horses became frightened and ran away.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONTROL OF WILD FIRE IN TOBACCO

Wildfire in the Seed Bed, Which is the Direct Cause Of The Disease

Wildfire of tobacco has caused great deal of damage to the tobacco crop in North Carolina for the past ten years, but control measures are simple and very effective if closely followed.

Wildfire makes its appearance in the plant bed during April and May and under field conditions becomes destructive when the crop is practically mature. The signs of the disease consists of the presence on the leaves of small, yellow, circular spots with brown centers about the size of a pin head. Within two or three days these brown spots will have enlarged to one half inch across. The tissue surrounding the dead spots is yellow or pale in color. If these spots are abundant they may fuse, making a large irregular area. The dead spots may either dry in place or rot out.

This is a bacterial disease caused by an organism called bacterium tabacum, which has been isolated from the diseased leaf and cultures grown which were in turn used to inoculate healthy plants, and within three days the first signs of the infection were present.

Since the plant bed is the source of the infection the following recommendations are made for the control of the disease:

1. Use seed from healthy plants

2. Use new seed bed or sterilize the old one.

3. Use new or sterilized plant bed covers.

4. Avoid infesting your own bed by visiting the infested bed of your neighbor.

LIVE-AT-HOME WEEK IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Raleigh, Jan. 27.—As a part of Governor Gardner's live-at-home week for agriculture all the schools of the State will serve "Live-at-Home Week" February 10-14, according to announcement made by State Superintendent of Public Instruction A. T. Korman.

The 26,000 public school teachers and school officials have been requested by Governor O. Max Gardner to emphasize the live-at-home idea and to convey through the schools to the people of the community its importance.

As an aid in the preparation of suitable programs for the observance of this week, a bulletin has been prepared giving suggestions, materials and helpful information concerning this program. This bulletin contains a message to the school children of the State by Governor Gardner, and material relating to the live-at-home program.

A topic for each day of the Live-at-Home Week is suggested as follows:

Monday, February 10.—Daily Food for the Family.

Tuesday, February 11.—Importance of the Cow.

Wednesday, February 12.—Importance of Poultry.

Thursday, February 13.—Importance of the Hog.

Friday, February 14.—Importance of the Garden.

For the best essays, posters and booklets State prizes will be offered to both white and colored pupils both rural and city and in the elementary schools and high schools. Superintendent Allen expects all of the 875,000 school children to take part in the activities during this week, and to compete for the prizes offered. Announcements concerning these prizes will be made later. Superintendent Allen stated.

The bulletins are being mailed out this week to the county and city superintendents of schools, who will distribute them to the teachers.

Meroney's

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Naturium Tall mixed 10c oz., \$1.00 lb.

Spencer mixed Sweet Peas 10c oz., \$1.00 lb. Plant Nov.

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MORE ABOUT EX-SERVICE-MEN

(Continued from Page 1) tive to the need of a live, active, virile post of THE LEGION in Davie County.

Commander E. P. Foster and the other officers of Davie County Post No. 174, are to be congratulated on the success of Tuesday night's meeting, and the thanks of the community are due Commander George K. Freeman for as signing as the principal speaker of the occasion Hon. Joe B. McCoy.

At the close of the meeting several new members joined the local Post. A membership drive will be continued through Thursday night of this week, and we hope every man and woman in the County eligible to membership will hand in an application to some member of the committee, or to Adjutant E. D. James.

RABBIT FEET FOUND IN SLAYER'S SUIT

Baltimore, Jan.—Wolf Glasner, a tailor, was brutally murdered and robbed today in his small shop in the northwestern part of the city, evidently by a superstitious person, whom the police suspect to have been a negro.

After beating Glasner's head with a heavy instrument, his assailant changed his clothes which were blood-spattered. He put on a fresh suit from the tailor's stock and fled by way of Blowing Rock, where several rabbits' feet were found.

APPLE TREE BEARS FORTY VARIETIES

Lancaster, Wis.—Mayor W. J. Baile has an apple tree which bears 40 different varieties.

Baile, who for many years has been experimenting to produce better apples by grafting, found his Willow Twig tree this year loaded with nearly every known variety of the fruit.

In the spring the various grafted limbs bud at different times with pink and rose shades of blossoms.

BUSINESS LOCALS

KORBAN LESPEDEZA, 35c lb. Get your seed now before stock is exhausted—Mocksville Hardware Company.

NOTICE: BRING US YOUR COTTON

We will give you the top of the market price and then some. Service with a smile. J. W. Cartner, Near Overhead bridge.

THE JACKSON DAY DINNER

Mr. Edwin M. Gill, of Laurinburg, who is district Vice-President of the Young Peoples' Democratic Club, was a visitor in Mocksville last Friday on business connected with the Jackson Day dinner to be held in Raleigh on March 15th.

Mr. Gill explained that the original plan provided for only 400 seats for the dinner, but because of the younger members of the party in honor of national chairman Shouse, but the demand for seats being so great it was later found necessary to increase the number to 600.

Davie County has been attended 4 tickets to the dinner, complimentary tickets entitling the holders to seats in the galleries may be reserved by making application therefore to chairman Robert S. McNeill.

FOSTER AND MCCLAMROCK IN MACHINERY BUSINESS

Messrs. Todd Foster and Ab McClamrock have opened up with a complete line of the J. I. Case farm machinery in the old location of Groce and Todd near the depot and are in position to supply your needs with anything in the line of farm machinery, tractors, gears, etc. They want you to call on them and inspect their line. Watch this paper for further announcements.

HONEYCUTT AND ALLEN OPEN NEW BARBER SHOP

F. W. Honeycutt and E. V. Allen formerly connected with Call's Barber Shop have opened a shop in Angell building on Main Street.

WILLARD BATTERY MANUFACTURING CO. LOCATED NEAR DEPOT

The Willard Battery Manufacturing Company is another new institution for Mocksville. Mr. Willard is an experienced battery and repair man and invites you to call on him. He is located in the old Groce and Todd location near the depot.

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To Ask For Bids For The Hard-Surfacing of Route 90

A choice bit of news of deep interest to the people of Davie County in general and the Town of Mocksville in particular, comes out of Raleigh, with the announcement of the State Highway Commission that it will, on February 13, 1930, ask for bids for the hard-surfacing of Route 90 from Mocksville to the Davidson County line. Route 90 is a trans-State highway, beginning at Columbia, in the extreme eastern part of North Carolina, and traversing the State in almost a straight line. Its western terminus being Lenoir. Already the greater portion of this highway has been paved or hard-surfaced and the building of the road from Mocksville to the Davidson line will complete the last link in an unbroken paved highway from Blowing Rock almost to the Atlantic Ocean.

Route 90, when completed, will materially shorten the distance from Mocksville to Raleigh. Its use by motorists will be increasingly popular because of the avoidance of the larger towns and cities. A present motor trip to Raleigh over Routes Nos. 66, 60 and 10 entails a severe loss of time because of traffic conditions in Winston-Salem, Greensboro, Burlington and Durham. Route No. 90 avoids all of these towns and encounters its heaviest traffic and most frequent stop lights in Lexington, Ashboro, and Chapel Hill.

The advantages offered by Route 90 over Route 10 is bound to result in the use of the highway by thousands