

TONKEL'S

AUGUST CLEARANCE SALE

BEGINS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6th

ENTIRE STOCK OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS WILL NOT ONLY BE SOLD AT A SACRIFICE, BUT ALMOST AT GIVEAWAY PRICES!

WE MUST RAISE READY CASH AND NEED SPACE FOR OUR NEW FALL MERCHANDISE. : : : :

WHEN DOORS OPEN FRIDAY
SILK DRESSES

Smart Styles Will Be Sold For

\$1.00

\$5.00 Silk Dresses in One and Two Piece Styles Will be Sold
2 DRESSES FOR \$5.00

ALL LADIES HATS

Grouped in Two Prices

25c AND 50c

Any Hat in The Store

LADIES SANDALS

White, Blue, Pink, Green, Red and Yellow. Grouped in Two Prices

49c AND 69c PAIR

MEN'S LIGHT WEIGHT
SUMMER SUITS

Linens, Garbadines. Sold up to \$12.50

FOR QUICK SALE **\$4.95**

MEN'S
WASH PANTS

Almost Giveaway Prices. Sold up to

\$3.50. At This Sale

95c - \$1.19 - \$1.49 - \$1.95

MEN'S
WHITE OXFORDS

Slashed In Price

\$1.49 - \$1.95 - \$2.49 - \$2.95

LADIES WHITE SLIPPERS
AND OXFORDS
LESS THAN HALF PRICE

TONKEL'S DEPARTMENT STORE

LOUISBURG,

N. CAROLINA

TODAY and TOMORROW

FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

ART 1400 years ago
One of the great events in the world of art was the discovery, in the ancient Church of St. Sophia in Istanbul, that under the plaster of its walls are the oldest known Christian pictures. Built in the year 537, by the Emperor Justinian, in the city then known as Constantinople, St. Sophia was the chief temple of the Christian faith for more than 900 years. The Turks captured the city in 1453, converted the church into a Moslem Mosque, and covered the pictures with plaster.

Now the Turkish government has disestablished Mohammedanism as the state religion, declared the old church a national monument, and has intrusted the work of scraping off the plaster and revealing the beautiful ancient Christian art, to an American commission, the Byzantine Institute, which has a dozen experts at work carefully uncovering the world's oldest art collection.

One by one the relics of the early days of civilization and the record of man's progress in the arts and crafts are coming to light. They all add proof that the upward march of humankind has been very short, indeed.

WOOD preservation
A few years ago a friend of mine found, buried under the bed of a river in Yucatan, thousands of mahogany logs which had been cut by the early Spanish explorers, who tried to float them down to the sea for shipment to Cuba or Spain. A great flood had covered them with gravel, and there they lay for more than 300 years. My friend dug them up and made a small fortune. The lumber was still as sound as when first cut.

Now they are "mining" white cedar from the marshland near Maurice town, N. J. Buried for hundreds of years, tree trunks up to five feet thick and fifty feet long are being hauled out of mud sometimes 30 feet deep. The wood is sound and smells like freshly-cut cedar.

These logs have been preserved because they have been continuously submerged. Wood decays when it is alternately wet and dry. Next to a dry barn the best place to store wood, apparently, is at the bottom of a pond.

BEAM REUNION

The TIMES is requested to make the following announcement:

"Will you please announce in your paper that the John Teeter Beam descendants will have their annual reunion which is always held at New Prospect Church five miles northeast of Shelby each year on Thursday before the third Sunday in August, the date of which is August 12th this year.

"John Teeter Beam is the father of all the Beams covering a wide area of the Piedmont section of North Carolina. Every year from fifteen to twenty-five hundred descendants gather at New Prospect Church to pay respect to their forefather. This is only a small percentage of his descendants, they gather here from all sections of the United States.

"The program committee has arranged one of the best programs ever. There will be good speaking, singing and dinner served on the ground. The unveiling of a large and handsome monument erected to the memory of John Teeter Beam will be dedicated at this reunion. We are expecting one of the largest reunions yet."

G. N. Lilley and M. C. Lilley of Gatesville purchased this spring the first combine in Gates County. This machine was used to assist farmers in harvesting their small grain.

"Sore shank" of tobacco is reported to be prevalent in Edgecombe County. The county agent has made rotation recommendations for the control of this disease.

FINE PRINTING . . . NO JOB TOO SMALL

Louisburg
SATURDAY, AUGUST 7th
Double Feature

THE THREE MESQUITEERS
HIT the SADDLE
A REPUBLIC PICTURE

MARY BRIAN in
NAVY BLUES
A REPUBLIC PICTURE

EXTRA ATTRACTION
RUFÉ DAVIS (who sang "Mama Don't Allow No Playing in Here" in "Mountain Music") in
"SOUND DEFECTS"
Chapter No. 4 "DICK TRACY"

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8th
Shows 3:30 and 9:00

DAVID L. LOEW presents
JOE-E-BROWN RIDING ON AIR
with GUY KIBLER

MONDAY, AUGUST 9th
A THRILL A SECOND!

Richard DIX
THE DEVIL & DRIVING
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10th
ROCHELLE HUDSON in

Born Reckless

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11th
Roscoe Karns - Ruth Coleman in

NIGHT OF MYSTERY

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, AUGUST 12th - 13th

FIRST TIME AT POPULAR PRICES!
THE GOOD

EARTH

Paul STARRING Luise
MUNI-RAINER
with WALTER TILLY

CONNOLLY - LOSCH
Charley Grapewin - Jessie Ralph
Based upon the Novel by Paul S. Eck - Adapted for the Stage by Owen Davis and Donald Davis
Directed by Sidney Franklin
A Metro-Goldwyn Mayer picture

SPECIAL NOTE
See it from the beginning.
Shows 3:30 - 7:00 and 9:30
Box office will open and show will start 15 minutes earlier at night this attraction only.

COMING NEXT WEEK
Win. Powell in "The Emperors Candlesticks."
Jack Benny, Martha Raye in "Artists and Models."

THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS

By MAC ARTHUR

