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## THE DAY'S RESULTS

Is anybody happier because you passed this way?  
Does anyone remember that you spoke to him today?  
This day is almost over and its toiling time is through;  
Is there anyone to utter now a kindly word for you?

Did you give a cheerful greeting to the friend who came along,  
Or a churlish sort of "howdy" and then vanish in the throng?  
Were you selfish pure and simple, as you rushed along the way,  
Or is someone mighty grateful for a deed you did today?

Can you say tonight, in parting with the day that's slipping fast,  
That you helped a single brother of the many that you passed?  
Is a single heart rejoicing over what you did or said?  
Does a man whose hopes were fading, now with courage look ahead?

Did you waste the day or lose it, was it well or poorly spent?  
Did you leave a trail of kindness or a scar of discontent?  
As you close your eyes in slumber do you think that God would say,  
You have earned one more tomorrow by the work you did today?  
—Edgar S. Guest, in The King's Own.

## PROVERBS FROM SPURGEON

Buy not slix when you owe for milk.  
Better do than dream; better be than seem.  
She who buys bargains is often "sold."  
Avoid what makes in thy pocket a void.  
Sellers need tongues, buyers need eyes.  
Desired things may not be desirable.  
Fear of failure is the father of failure.  
Why kill nettles if you grow thistles?  
Pegging away will win the day.  
Maybes are no honey-bees.  
Add pence to pence, for wealth comes hence.  
Better a good groat than a bad bank-note.  
A maid's best dress is bashfulness.  
Fathers' fraud drives sons abroad.  
Play not with fire nor ill desire.  
To be loved, be loveable.  
It's risky riding when the devil's driving.  
Lessons learned in the cradle last to the grave.  
Be hardy, but not hard.  
The good wife's face lights up the place.  
Don't get a helpmeet until you've got meat to help.  
Better be one-sided than two-faced.  
If you can't be clever, you can be clean.  
To avoid a second quarrel, avoid the first.  
Better single still than wedded ill.

Men's and boys' clothing at 10% discount at the Henrietta Mills Stores.

**VOTING BALLOT**  
Good for 150 Votes  
This ballot is good for 150 votes for the candidate whose name is written on it. Do not fold. Trim neatly.  
NAME.....  
ADDRESS.....  
Void After December 9  
Anyone can clip these ballots and vote for their friends

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS BANK & TRUST COMPANY AT FOREST CITY, CAROLEEN AND LATTIMORE

In the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, Nov. 17, 1919.

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Loans and Discounts	\$908,009.04
Demand Loans	80,578.70
Overdrafts, secured	6,518.65
United States Bonds and Liberty Bonds	119,000.00
Banking Houses, Furniture and Fixtures	22,861.72
Cash in vault and net amounts due from Banks, Bankers & Trust Co's	125,777.69
Liquidating Acct. First State Bank, Bostic, N. C.	5,791.21
Rutherford County Bonds	9,200.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,272,737.01</b>
LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus Fund	35,000.00
Undivided Profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	18,373.79
Deposits subject to check	\$701,829.06
Time Certificates of Deposit	305,167.81
Savings Deposits	7,768.93
Cashier's Checks outstanding	20,352.74
Due to State Banks, Bankers and Trust Companies	77,609.12
United States Bond Acct.	117,076.41
Liquidating Acct. First State Bank, Bostic, N. C.	20,000.00
	7,286.81
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,272,737.01</b>

State of North Carolina, County of Rutherford. Nov. 17, 1919.  
I, J. H. Thomas, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. H. Thomas, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of Nov., 1919.  
Gudger W. Edwards, Notary Public.  
My commission expires January 29, 1920.  
Correct—Attest: E. O. Thomas, G. P. Reid, T. R. Padgett, Directors.

# Christmas Goods

We cordially invite you to visit our store and inspect our line of Christmas Goods. We have one of the niftiest lines ever brought to Rutherford county and you will have no trouble in selecting your gifts if you come early.

## A Few Suggestions

Florence Brush Sets, Manicure Sets, Mary Garden Toilet Sets, Lazell's Toilet Sets, Mavis Toilet Sets, Lady Mary Toilet Sets, Cutex outfits, Safety Razors, Cameras, Purses, Kodak Albums, Fountain Pens, Work Baskets, Military Brushes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Special Boxes of Cigars. We want you to see our line of perfumery gift sets and perfumery atomizers. Many other things too numerous to mention.

All colors of crepe paper for decorating. Christmas cards. Ballons for the kiddies.  
See our line of Norris Exquisite Christmas Candies.

## LONG DRUG COMPANY

Next Door to New Theater  
Trade at Long's—It Pays in the Long Run

## Save Some of Your Earnings

Most men and women—especially men, perhaps—are lured by other things than mere money. They imagine that they are captivated by the lure of coin, but, ah, no; other things obsess them. Take the men who earn, say \$40 a week; nine out of ten spend all they earn and are no better off on one Monday morning than on any preceding Monday. They imagine they want money, but in fact they want other things more than they want money; otherwise they would save the money. Sometimes laziness, sometimes sport, and sometimes luxuries command all cash obtainable. The inward desires of most people are stronger than their outward desires and the dollars filter or fritter away. They lack

## A Balance Wheel

such as a membership in a building and loan association will provide.

Forest City B. & L. Association  
Forest City, N. C.

Courier Ads Bring Results

# Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

## EVERY FORD OWNER SHOULD KNOW

Just what Ford service is, and why it is different from ordinary garage service, and why it is more profitable to patronize the Authorized Ford Dealer?—The Ford Dealer is a part of the Big Ford Family. He carries a large stock of genuine Ford parts for repairs and replacements, so you don't have to wait while he sends for them, and he uses only genuine parts because he knows the imitation parts aren't dependable and don't wear.

He has a thoroughly equipped up-to-the-minute garage with tools that enable his Ford Mechanics to efficiently and properly make any repair—from a minor adjustment to a complete overhaul. And when the work is finished, his bill represents the reasonable, standard Ford prices.

Now, we are Authorized Ford Dealers—a part of that great Ford Service organization which was formed chiefly to put within each community a dealer who would have more than a passing interest in Ford repairs and adjustments. We are prepared and equipped to render prompt, careful Ford service. Drive in or phone and we'll come after your car.

Touring Car	\$525.00	F. O. B. Detroit; Government Tax, \$21.66; Freight, \$38.36
Runabout	500.00	" " " " 20.63; " 38.36
Coupelet	650.00	" " " " 26.81; " 38.36
Sedan	775.00	" " " " 31.97; " 38.36
Chassis	475.00	" " " " 19.19; " 38.36
Truck	550.00	" " " " 13.61; " 38.36

## WITH STARTER

Touring Car	\$600.00	F. O. B. Detroit; Government Tax, 24.75; Freight, 38.36
Runabout	575.00	" " " " 23.72; " 38.36
Coupelet	725.00	" " " " 29.91; " 38.36
Sedan	860.00	" " " " 35.06; " 38.36
Chassis	550.00	" " " " 22.69; " 38.36
Truck	625.00	" " " " 15.47; " 38.36

Add for Demountable Rims and 30x3 1/2 Tires, \$25.00 and Govt. Tax, \$1.03.

Henrietta Garage, Henrietta, N. C., B. B. Doggett, Owner;  
Headquarters, Forest City, N. C.

**INFLUENZA starts with a Cold**  
Kill the Cold. At the first sneeze take  
**HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE**  
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.  
At All Drug Stores

WANTED—Seven girls to top or learn to top in knitting mill at Forest City. Will pay \$1.25 per day while learning. Parsley & Tanner, Inc. 51tf

## Polk Miller's Liver Pills

The Good Old Fashioned Kind that have been doing Good Work for 50 years without change of formula. More popular than ever. Great in Malaria, Sick headaches, Constipation and Biliousness. At all druggists. Manufactured by Polk Miller Drug Co., Inc., Richmond, Va. 10c.

**J. W. REID**  
Sign Painting and Inside Finishing  
Picture Framing and Oil Paintings a Specialty  
J. W. REID, Forest City, N. C.  
Office next door to Dr. Gettys' office



**WE BELIEVE IN ENCOURAGE GOOD BUSINESS**

Good business means increased production.

There is not a single legitimate business expansion or activity that we do not favor.

Any man who has in mind such activity or expansion is heartily urged to come in and consult with us, if we can be of service.

IF YOU HAVE MONEY, WE WANT IT. IF YOU WANT MONEY, WE HAVE IT.

**THE FARMERS BANK & TRUST CO.**  
FOREST CITY, N. C.  
CAROLEEN, N. C. LATTIMORE, N. C.

4% INTEREST ON TIME & SAVINGS ACCOUNTS