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Special Notices

Valentine cards at I. N. Biggerstaff's.

To prevent the flu, use DeVilbiss atomizer. Ask your physician. Long Drug Co.

Sweet Milk Wanted—We want some to furnish sweet milk for our fountain use. Long Drug Co., Forest City.

Listen Girls! Get to thinking. Are you satisfied with your hair? Why not have beautiful and attractive hair by having your Combing made into a lovely braid or switch. Call at Mr. Ed Williams' residence. Clella Carter, Forest City, N. C.

Buy your shingles from Hollifield-Champion & Co. Forest City. They have the "Titehold" brand, the best cedar shingles on the market.

Ferry's garden seeds, new supply at I. N. Biggerstaff's.

FOR SALE—Spirella corsets, made to measure. Mrs. J. C. Cagle, Phone 177, Rutherfordton, N. C.

For nice finish and quick return send your Kodak films to Miss Irene McArthur, Forest City, N. C.

Farm to Rent—A good one or two acre farm, good six-room house, in a good community. See Ambrose Crofts, my son, P. L. Crofts, Forest City, N. C., R-3.

Sweet Oronoko Tobacco Seed—One spoonful 15 cents, postpaid. Ambrose Crofts, Forest City, N. C.

LOST—Between the Florence mill and residence on Cherry Mountain street, purse, containing 1 five dollar bill and about 3 dollars in change. Woodman, and Metropolitan receipt. Please send at Courier office and receive reward. Oscar Green.

Big supply of men's and boys' overalls at old prices at I. N. Biggerstaff's.

COWPEAS WANTED—Best cash prices paid for all varieties. See or write me what you have before selling. W. W. Gay, Forest City, N. C.

WANTED—Four or 5 white tenants next year. Farms well located. Good houses to live in and the very best soil. Also wanted parties to log mill. For further information address H. W. Trout, Saluda, S. C.

WANTED—Seven girls to top or run to top in knitting mill at Forest City. Will pay \$1.25 per day while learning. Parsley & Tanner, Inc. 517

American garden seeds at old prices at I. N. Biggerstaff's.

WANTED—Ladies for central office work, Forest City; others preferred. Apply to W. Eskridge, Manager Telephone Co.

RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

Seley, Famous In This Specialty, Called to Asheville

H. Seley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will personally be at the Langren Hotel and will remain in Asheville Friday, Feb. 13th. Mr. Seley says: "The Spermatic Shield will not only cure any case of rupture perfectly, but contracts the opening in 10 days the average case. Being a vast improvement over all former methods—exemplifying instantaneous effects, immediately appreciable and standing any strain or position as instrument received the only award in England and in Spain producing results without surgery, incisions, medical treatment or operations. Mr. Seley has documents from the United States Government, Washington, D. C., for incision. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call, he will be glad to show same without charge, or fit them if desired. Business demands prevent stopping at other place in this section.

S.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and State Courts.—F. H. Seley

Wash tubs and dish pans at old prices at I. N. Biggerstaff's.

Big lot glass lamps and goblets at I. N. Biggerstaff's.

ANOTHER COTTON MILL FOR RUTHERFORDTON

Interesting Letter From the County Seat—Negro Flim-Flammer at New Game

Rutherfordton Feb. 2.—Rutherfordton is assured of another cotton mill, W. A. Harrill and B. F. Dobbins, of Rutherfordton, the promoters, having applied to the secretary of state for a charter for a cotton mill to be known as the Elizabeth Spinning Company of Rutherfordton. The authorized capital stock will be \$800,000, with a good portion of the stock already subscribed. The mill is to be installed with 12,000 spindles for the manufacture of fine combed yarns. An order for the machinery for the new concern has already been placed. The exact location of the mill has not definitely been decided as yet.

Attorney Michael Schenck, of Hendersonville was in Rutherfordton the latter part of last week in the interest of his candidacy for judge of the Superior court for this judicial district to succeed Judge J. Bis Ray, of Burnsville, who was appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge M. H. Justice. Mr. Schenck was solicitor in the eighteenth judicial district for about eight years prior to the world war, when he was called into the service of "Uncle Sam" for our country.

A novel scheme to defraud the negroes of Rutherford county was discovered a few days ago when chief of police R. L. Houser and deputy sheriff J. W. Jones arrested a negro man who gave his name as Robert Davis, and claimed Hickory Grove, S. C., as his home. Davis claimed to be a census enumerator and told the negro men that the government required them to take out life insurance under a penalty ranging from \$1,000 to \$5,000. His fee for the alleged service was \$6.00 and after having lined up about 30 negroes around Rutherfordton with the expectation of collecting his pay of \$6 from each one of them, a suspicious party reported him to the police and he was arrested as above stated. The negro fills the description of the man wanted at Reidsville charged with murder and for whom a reward of \$50 has been offered. A photograph and description has been sent to the authorities at Reidsville and he is being held in jail pending an investigation. The chief of police from Hickory Grove was in Rutherfordton yesterday and identified the negro as Robert Davis, from Hickory Grove, who is wanted there by the authorities charged with stealing. Davis will doubtless have a preliminary hearing before Recorder Judge McBrayer within a few days, and if not convicted, will be turned over to the authorities of Hickory Grove.

Republican Meeting Is Moved to Hendersonville

Asheville, Feb. 1.—Announcement is made that owing to the regulations here against holding public meetings, due to the influenza epidemic, the republican congressional convention for the tenth district to select a nominee would be moved from Asheville to Hendersonville, the date to remain February 7.

There are three candidates for the nomination, L. L. Jenkins, millionaire banker and cotton mill owner of Asheville; Brownlow Jackson, of Hendersonville, chairman of the congressional executive committee, and T. J. Harkins, Asheville attorney.

A Road to Health and Happiness.

If a person is weak, feels tired or run down, there is no reason for remaining in that condition if you want to be strong and healthy. Healthy people are the happy people. People who always feel tired cannot be happy and contented.

If you have that tired, weak feeling, go to Long's Drug Store and get a bottle of Syrup of Hypophosphites. It is a reconstructive tonic in bronchitis, mal-nutrition, nervous exhaustion, emaciation and strumous skin affections. It aids nutrition of the structural parts of the body and is a reconstructive and tonic for convalescents from wasting and debilitating diseases.

Get a bottle today and begin at once to build yourself up. For Sale by Long Drug Co. Forest City.

Tanlac—a splendid tonic and system purifier. Long Drug Co.

If you need shingles come and see our stock and get our prices. We handle three grades, our prices are right. Hollifield-Champion & Co. Forest City.

943 Shares

Have been sold in the twenty-eighth series of this Association, and they are still selling. That means a weekly income of \$202.25 from the last series alone, which will enable us to make two \$500.00 loans per month if we only had the 28th., to back us up. But we have about 900 other shares, and we average making one \$500.00 loan every week. We said when we came here that we would double the number of shares in force within a year, but we've done it in less than six months. That's going some for Forest City. But listen friends, within a year we'll have one of the largest Building and Loan Associations in western North Carolina. This is the place to invest your spare change.

Buy prepaid shares at \$72.50 if you desire to invest in lump sums. That pays you six per cent.

You Can Buy Shares In the 28th Until February 8

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

THE BEST INSURANCE AGAINST INFLUENZA

Prominent Educator Believes That Vapomentha Is A Sure Preventive

Dr. R. M. Brame, discoverer of Brame's Vapomentha Salve, has a letter from C. C. Wright, Superintendent of the Wilkes County, N. C., Public Schools, in which he says: "We have used Brame's Vapomentha Salve for nearly all the ills for which it is prescribed and have always secured satisfactory results. If used in time it has never failed to break up colds, usually the forerunner of Grippe, Influenza and Pneumonia. I speak from personal observation. I believe in this preparation is used in time it will prevent the development of pneumonia in every instance, if used according to directions." These strong statements are fully justified by the remarkable recoveries that follow. Brame's Vapomentha Salve is applied freely over the chest and throat and inserted in each nostril. Brame's Vapomentha Salve penetrates the pores of the skin, relieving congestion, at the same time healing vapors arise and are breathed through the mouth and nose, loosening the phlegm and causing the patient to breathe freely. Its absolutely reliability is evidenced by dozens of unsolicited testimonials. Brame's Vapomentha Salve will relieve pneumonia, influenza, grippe, pleurisy, bronchitis, whooping cough, catarrh, asthma, tonsilitis, hay fever and inflammation of the skin. Vapomentha is applied externally, and it will not stain the clothes, as other salves do. No home should ever be without it. Buy it from your dealer or direct from the Brame Drug Co., North Wilkesboro, N. C. A small bottle cost 30c.; a much larger one, containing six times as much, \$1.20.—Adv.

A Stitch In Time

Cure that cough or cold before it develops into influenza or pneumonia. Run no risk, but use only tried and reliable remedies, such as Vick's Vaporub Salve, Gowan's Pneumonia Salve, Nyal Cough and Cold Remedies, Wampole's Extract of Cod Liver Oil, Dr. King's New Discovery, A. D. S. Baby Cough Remedy, Cough Tablets, Cold Tablets, and other reliable and well-known remedies handled by us.

Sick Room Supplies

We have a complete line of sick room supplies, such as Rubber and Metal Hot Water Bottles, Syringes, Bed Pans, Thermometers, Atomizers.

Stationery

We handle the well-known Eaton-Crane and Whiting lines of Stationery, in all the correct colors, tints and sizes. There is no better Stationery made, and this is the only store in the county where you will find these high class lines.

Candies

We are headquarters for fine candies, handling Whitman's Exquisite Lumps of Delight and Norris Candy, received fresh by express every week. The ladies prefer Whitman's and Norris' because it suits their refined taste.

Our line of Drugs is complete. Phone us your wants. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

We expect to have in a line of Phonographs this week.

Long Drug Co.

The Nyal Quality Drug Store

Mt. Pleasant News.

There will be a debate at the Mount Pleasant school house Wednesday, February 11, at 7:30 o'clock. The query being, "Resolved that the world is growing better morally, spiritually and intellectually." Everybody is invited to attend.

J. D. Brown and family, from Alexander, spent the week-end at the home of J. R. McDaniel.

Miss Selma Price and Mr. Brantly Devinne, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Cliffside.

Three cars were derailed on the Blanton track of the C. C. & O. Saturday night. The results were not bad.

Forest City, R-2

We are having some very bad weather at present.

Mr. J. P. and Miss Ada Hardin are improving after an attack of flu.

Mr. Ralph Green is very sick at this writing. Hope he will soon be well again.

J. E. Womack and family are doing fine, after the flu.

Local News Items

W. O. Huntley, of Spartanburg, was here Sunday.

O. O. Griffin, spent the week-end with home folks at Hickory.

Messrs. J. H. Thomas and N. Giles Carter made a business trip to Charlotte Monday.

J. A. Turner, of Turner Bedding Company, of Henrietta, was in town Monday on business.

Dr. J. Sibley Dorton, a prominent young veterinarian of Shelby, was in the city Sunday night.

N. Giles Carter, of Harriman, Tenn., is spending several days here visiting his sister, Mrs. J. H. Thomas.

Spurgeon Moss says you buy Pathe machines now just as you would a "flivver"—get on the list.

Miss Nell Padgett returned last Thursday to Limestone college at Gaffney, S. C., after a visit home.

We are glad to see Clarence Morris out again after several weeks serious illness at his home on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Daniel spent Sunday visiting Mr. Daniel's mother, Mrs. Susan Daniel, near Forest City.

Rev. W. L. Dawson has announced a revival meeting to begin at the Methodist church the fourth Sunday in March.

Miss Ottilie Long came home last week from High Shoals, her school there being closed on account of influenza.

T. R. Padgett spent Sunday in Gaffney, S. C., with his daughter Miss Nell Padgett, and Monday in Charlotte, on business.

J. H. Thomas is building a brick veneered bungalow on West Main street. This will be a very attractive residence when finished.

Messrs. E. O. Thomas, Terry Moore and E. C. Weir have returned from a business trip to the Buick factories at Flint, Mich.

J. B. Long and daughter, Miss Ottilie, are at Pensacola with the family of J. B. Burkholder, all of whom are down with influenza.

J. A. Wilkie is building a beautiful 8-room bungalow on Caroleen drive. This will be one of the prettiest homes in town when completed.

Miss Kitty Gale Thomas, who has been confined to her room for the past ten days, on account of illness, is improving, we are very glad to say.

Miss Lucy Patterson, who has been ill for several days, went to Charlotte last Wednesday for recuperation. Reports say that she is fast improving.

W. A. Bennett, contracting engineer for the sewer system for Forest City, has commenced active operations and will soon have the work full under way.

Clyde, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Baylus Baynard, of Spartanburg, died Saturday of pneumonia. The body was brought to Forest City, their old home, for burial.

We are glad to say that I. B. Covington, who recently underwent an operation at the Rutherford hospital, has sufficiently recovered that he goes to his office every day.

J. K. Dean has purchased a new Reo six from the Forest City Motor Company. Mr. Dean says he cannot get away from "that old reliable feeling of security" that goes with a Reo.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. C. A. Ford is ill at Knoxville, Tenn., where she and Mr. Ford went last week to visit Mr. Ford's mother. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, in the death of their infant daughter, who died last Thursday, and was buried at Oak Grove church Saturday.

Mrs. C. B. Crowell, who recently went to Asheville for a visit, was attacked by influenza while there. She returned home Saturday, accompanied by Miss Donaldson, a trained nurse.

Vick's Vaporub salve, Bromo Laxative Quinine, Wampole's Cod Liver Oil at Long Drug Co., Forest City.

NO INFLUENZA, BUT SMALLPOX, AT CLIFFSIDE

Situation Under Control and Causing Little Alarm—Prominent Farmer Dead

Cliffside, Feb. 2.—There is no influenza in Cliffside as reported but we have at this writing eight or nine cases of small pox. The school attendance is splendid and the nurses, Misses Davis and Padgett, make an inspection each day. To date there have been two-hundred-fifty vaccinations against small pox.

G. K. Moore left last week to spend some time in Jacksonville and other points in Florida.

B. D. Wilson, manager of the Cliffside Mills store, is in the northern markets buying goods for spring and summer. Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Harris, Monday, a girl.

Messrs. Osier Hill and John Carnegie of Rutherfordton, were visiting in town Sunday, the guests of Mr. J. H. Hill and Miss Carrie Hill.

Misses Verna Humphries of Avondale and Lillian Michael, who is teaching at Mt. Pleasant (C), spent Sunday at the home of Misses Willie and Minnie Carpenter.

Mr. Elliott, a young man of Waco, visited in town Sunday afternoon.

B. P. Caldwell attended the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. John L. Caldwell, last Friday at Laurinburg.

A new machine has been installed in the mill for drawing the warps for the looms. It is a wonderful machine which seems to operate with almost human intelligence.

The new studio of Messrs. Gilbert & Hames was formally opened for business last Saturday. It is one of the most up-to-date studios to be found anywhere in this section, and they have on exhibition a number of photos that prove their claim for high grade work.

Vaccination seems to be the order of the day and all are doing fine. Arms are dressed daily by the nurses free.

T. R. Honeycutt died Saturday at his home on the B. E. Gold farm between Cliffside and Chesnee, and was buried Sunday afternoon at Holly Springs. Mr. Honeycutt was one of the best farmers in this section and a splendid man, always ready to help those who needed help or accommodate a friend. He leaves a wife and several children and several brothers and sisters. He and his entire family had been sick with influenza and the writer understands Mr. Honeycutt developed pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Michael of Marion have recently moved to our town and Mr. Michael will assist his brother-in-law, Mr. M. F. Hamrick, in the management of the Cliffside laundry.

Miss Annie Hamrick, of Shelby, is spending several weeks here with the family of her brother, Mr. Flay Hamrick.

Mr. Horace Henson and a boy name Davis were enroute from Shelby to Caroleen last Saturday and when about a mile out of town they met with an accident of some kind, causing the car to turn turtle, pinning the boy underneath the car. Mr. Henson also sustained some bruises. The jitney on its way from Shelby to Rutherfordton brought Mr. Henson and the boy here where the boy was given medical attention and was later taken back to Shelby.

The Long Drug Co. has secured the agency for the well known Whitman line of candies.

Mrs. P. D. Bogan, and son, Monday, are visiting Mrs. Bogan's mother, Mrs. A. P. Hollifield of Bostic route 1.

Messrs. Julian Hiott and Walter Hester, of Easley, S. C., two typos of the sporting type, Sundayed in this North Carolina metropolis.

The local Board of Trade is not dead, in spite of the fact that no meeting has been held for several weeks. This was due to the illness of the popular president, Mr. Covington, who says that it will start on a larger scale than ever within a short time.

J. Calvin Beam, a native of Rutherford county, died Sunday at Morganton where he had been undergoing treatment for the past several months. He was a brother of Mrs. M. M. McMurry of Forest City. His home was at Shelby and his burial took place there Sunday.

New supply Manoeuvre's flower seeds, different varieties, at I. N. Biggerstaff's.