

Penny Column.
ONE CENT A WORD..
Try 'Em They Bring Results.

WANTED.

WANTED: Good second-hand refrigerator, 100 pounds capacity. Apply Gazette office. 11p2.

WANTED: To contract with party to move dredge boat from Crowders Creek to Long Creek. Gaston County Drainage Commission, E. L. Wilson, secretary, Gastonia, N. C. 4f

WANTED: Boys and girls to earn handsome gold-plated watch or bracelet by selling 24 packages binding. We trust you. Send name today. Star Novelty Co., Lowell, N. C. 11p2.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT: The John R. Raulin house on South York street. All modern conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply to Rev. M. S. Ashby. 11

FOR SALE OR RENT: Six-room house on Harvey avenue, at \$7 per month. See W. B. Smith or call at Gazette office. 1f.

FOR RENT: Desirable modern residence, Highland street. O. M. Boyd. 8-15c

FOR RENT: Seven room house on South street. A. C. Stroup. 1f.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE: Manila Second-sheets at Gazette office. Attractive prices in large lots.

FOR SALE: O. L. C. Pies. Pedigree with each pie or registered free. Oscar Rhyno, Route 4, Gastonia, N. C. 25p5

FOR SALE: Genuine Nancy Hall Potato plants, \$1.50 per thousand. T. S. Ramsey, Lincolnton, N. C. Route 5. 29p

FRESH VEGETABLES, Fruits, eggs, butter and chickens at W. H. Dellinger's. Phone 179. 1f

NICE Hand-packed Tomatoes, full 3-lb cans, 10c per can at W. H. Dellinger's, Phone 179. 1f

FULL LINE of Staple and Fancy Groceries. W. H. Dellinger. Phone 179. 1f

MEAT MARKET outfit, good as new. Apply to C. J. Bumgardner, 613 East Franklin Avenue, Gastonia, N. C. 18p4.

FOR SALE: Good riding and driving horse. Apply to A. R. Martin, Dallas. 11p2.

AUCTION SALE: On Friday, April 18th, at 3 p. m. we will sell at auction all the furniture and fixtures of the City Cafe in the basement of the Lebovitz building. Any or all of this can be bought at private sale prior to the above date. D. & L. LEBOVITZ, S. S. Morris, Agent. 15c 3

FOR SALE: Pheasant eggs. English Ring Neck. I will have a limited number to sell; \$1.50 per setting. D. M. Jones, Gastonia, N. C. 1f

FOR SALE: Roller-top desk, in good condition. Apply to Dr. H. P. Glenn. 1f

LOST.

LOST: Between Southern depot and Todd's bakery open-face watch, 7 jewels, No. 16 Rockford works. Return to L. G. Ramsey and get reward. 11p

MISCELLANEOUS.

DELLINGER—Notary Public, Realty Building. 1f

EARLY Cabbage Plants for sale. Jas. L. Hanna. 1f

BOOKKEEPING, SHORT HAND: Special rates. Satisfaction guaranteed. Gastonia Business College, Gastonia. 29

RUBBER DATE STAMPS, the large 75 cent kind for 50 cents each at The Gazette office. 1f

Wedding Gifts

IN SELECTING A WEDDING GIFT, YOUR FIRST THOUGHT IS NATURALLY, QUALITY. NO MATTER HOW TRIVIAL THE ARTICLE MAY BE, IF QUALITY IS APPARENT, THE SPIRIT OF THE GIVER IS MORE VIVIDLY IMPRESSED, AND THE REMEMBRANCE IS SURE TO PROVE LASTING AND WILL BE MORE APPRECIATED.

This Store STANDS for QUALITY

WE INVITE YOU TO SEE THE Dainty Silver Sets, TABLE CUTLERY AND SINGLE PIECES, BOUGHT EXPRESSLY TO SUPPLY YOUR REQUIREMENTS AS WEDDING PRESENTS; AND OFFERED AT PRICES LESS THAN YOU CAN POSSIBLY PROCURE SIMILAR GOODS—EVEN OF INFERIOR QUALITY—FOR ELSEWHERE.

Torrence-Morris Co.

JEWELERS

ESTABLISHED OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY.

Town and County.

—Mr. J. L. Jenkins, of Asheville, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Miss Jennie Pogram is spending several days in Charlotte as the guest of Miss Lillian Reid.

—Remember the big auction sale of residence lots, property of Mr. J. F. Jenkins, tomorrow afternoon beginning at 1:30 o'clock.

—There will be services at St. Michael's Catholic church on Sunday, April 13th, at 10:30 a. m., by the pastor, Rev. F. Melchior, O. S. B.

—Rev. J. H. Henderlite, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has been confined to his home this week suffering from an attack of rosacea.

—Mrs. J. D. Post returned Wednesday to her home in Newton after spending a few days here with her daughter, Mrs. Chas Ford.

—Mr. P. H. Van Dyke, of Cherryville, route two, was in the city yesterday enroute to Rock Hill, S. C., where he goes to enter a hospital for treatment.

—Rev. Neill C. Williams will fill his regular appointments next Sunday morning at Ozark Methodist church and Sunday night at Franklin Avenue Methodist church.

—The Gazette learns on good authority that Mr. S. N. Boyce, at present city school commissioner from the Fifth Ward, does not intend to stand for re-election to that office.

—Mrs. C. P. Mathewes, of Spartanburg, S. C., arrived Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jones. Mrs. Mathewes is a sister of Messrs. A. C. D. M. and L. G. Jones.

—Miss May Parlier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parlier, underwent an operation at the City Hospital this morning for appendicitis and is reported as getting along nicely.

—No action has as yet been taken by the city council with reference to the bids for constructing 38,000 square yards of concrete sidewalks opened last Friday night.

Correspondence of The Gazette.

—Raleigh News and Observer, 9th: The Monarch Cotton Mills Company, of Gastonia, alters its charter by making \$100,000 of its stock common stock and \$25,000 cumulative 7 per cent preferred stocks.

—Mrs. E. F. Ormand had as her guest Tuesday and Wednesday, her sister, Mrs. J. B. Simpson, of Durham. Mrs. Simpson has been the guest for the past ten days of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burke, at Bessemer City.

—From the Manger to the Cross, a reverent moving-picture life story of "Jesus of Nazareth" is being shown at Lumina Theatre today and to-morrow. It consists of five reels, 5,000 feet in all, and is said to be a very fine film.

—The Gazette is requested to state that, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. A. Satterfield, who is detained at Charlotte on account of illness in his family, the pulpit of the Loray Presbyterian church will be filled Sunday by Rev. T. B. Anderson, of Charlotte.

—Mr. W. S. Loughridge returned Wednesday night from Hot Springs, Ark., where he spent some time taking the baths for rheumatism. He was greatly benefited by the treatment and his friends are glad to see him so much improved.

—Reports from the bedside of Mr. Lee L. Brison, who has been confined to the City Hospital for a week suffering from injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident, are very reassuring today and his hosts of friends are rejoiced to learn that he is improving rapidly.

—As announced in an advertisement on another page, an auction sale of lots will be conducted here to-morrow afternoon at 1:30 by Thomas Bros. Realty & Auction Company, of Greensboro. The lots are the property of Mr. J. F. Jenkins of Gaffney, S. C., and are located in the southeastern part of town, some of the lots lying near the Union road opposite the Clara Mill.

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Particularly
Choice
Spring Suits!



IF YOU THINK WE'RE TOO ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT OUR GARMENTS COME IN AND SEE OUR CLOTHES FOR YOURSELF.

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AND WE'VE GOOD CAUSE TO BE ENTHUSIASTIC OVER THE WAY WE'VE MADE GOOD WITH THESE SPRING SUITS OF OURS.

They're Certainly Fine!

WE'RE PROUD OF EVERY ONE OF THEM. EXTRA PROUD BECAUSE WE ARE ABLE TO GIVE YOU SUCH SPLENDID CLOTHES VALUES FOR MODERATE PRICES IN THE FACE OF THE VERY HIGH PRICE OF WOOLENS.

AND WE'RE JUST ACHING TO SHOW THEM TO YOU.

Suits at \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$16.50 to \$27.50

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The Home of Good Clothes

J. M. Belk Co.

The store that carries the largest and most complete stock of dry goods, notions, millinery, ladies' ready-to-wear, men's and boys' clothing, furnishing goods, hats, caps and shoes for the whole family to be found in Gaston County. Our prices are less, if you consider the quality. We Mention Here Only A Very Few Of The Good Things We Are Offering These Days.

Brown Linens

12 1-2c 27-Inch Brown Linens - 10c
25c 36 Inch Brown Linen - 18c
35c 36-Inch heavy Linen Suiting - 25c
Beautiful quality medium weight Brown Linen, extra good value, at 25c

White Linens

90-Inch Heavy Union Linen, the kind that is used so much for skirts for 50c yd.
Better quality 90-inch all Linen - 98c yd.
36-Inch Art Linen, beautiful quality 25c yd.
Also better grades at - 50c yd.
36-Inch Linen Lawns at - 25 and 50c

Table Linens

35c 58-Inch Mercerized Table Damask for - 25c yd.
64-Inch Table Damask, slightly seconds, for - 29c yd.
\$1.25 72-Inch all Linen Damask in a half dozen different patterns, for 98c yd.
Napkins to match all of above goods from - 75c Doz. to \$4.50

Ratines, Voiles, Etc.

27-Inch Ratine in Tans, Blues and Greys for - 25c yd.
27-Inch Japanese Crepe at - 25c
27-Inch Satin Stripe Voiles, at 38c
27-Inch Stripe Voiles, all colors - 15c
40-Inch Egyptian Voils, all shades 25c yd.

New Poplins

35c Ratine Stripe Poplins for - 25c
Plain Mercerized Poplins, All Colors, 25c

Silks

36-Inch Seco Crepe Silks, all colors, 50c yd.
36-Inch Wash Silks for - 48c
\$1.00 36-Inch Messaline Silks, all the new shades for - 85c yd.
\$1.25 36-Inch Waterproof Foulard Silks for - 89c
27-Inch Black, Oriental Japanese silks 50c
36-Inch Black Silk for - 98c
\$1 Brocaded Satin Silks at - 75c
25c Seco Silks for - 18c yd.
36-Inch Black Taffeta Silk for - 48c

Trimmings

We are showing the largest and most complete line of all kinds of Dress Trimming. Shadow Laces and Bands. Ratine Trimming. Bugle and Crystal Trimming and All-over Lace Trimmings. Greatest line ever shown in the city. Prices 5c yd. to \$3.50 yd.

Bulgarian Voiles

\$1.25 45-inch Bulgarian Voils - 85c
75c 45-inch White Voils at - 50c yd.
75c 45-Inch Embroidery Flouncing for - 50c yd.
Big line of 45-inch Flouncing for 98c, \$1.25 & \$1.50

Our Big 5c Counter

This counter grows more popular every day. You will see goods here that you can't buy anywhere in the city for 5c a yard.

All Standard Calicoes for - 5c
7 1-2c Apron Gingham for - 5c
Yard-Wide Bleaching for - 5c
Yard-wide Brown Sheeting for - 5c
Good Apron Gingham for - 3 1-2c

J. M. Belk Co.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK, at Stanley in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business April 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts... \$74,672.83
Furniture and Fixtures... 1,675.00
Due from Banks and Bankers... 27,693.84
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency... 747.94
National bank notes and other U. S. notes... 1,539.49
Total... \$108,219.10

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in... \$10,000.00
Surplus fund... 2,500.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid... 708.88
Notes and bills rediscounted... 600.00
Bills payable... 600.00
Time Certificates of Deposit... 17,676.32
Deposits subject to check... 16,098.60
Savings Deposits... 9,217.63
Cashier's Checks outstanding... 47.12
Total... \$56,248.55

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I, J. M. Reinhardt, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. REINHARDT, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of April, 1913.
D. F. HOVIS, Notary Public.
CORRECT—Attest:
O. E. CARPENTER,
JACOB JENKINS, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, at Gastonia in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, April 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts... \$657,676.89
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured... 393.64
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation... 100,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc... 5,000.00
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures... 20,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)... 32,474.63
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies,

and Savings Banks... 13,326.76
Due from approved Reserve Agents... 11,106.86
Checks and other Cash Items... 15,244.95
Notes of other National Banks... 4,500.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents... 369.33
Lawful Money Reserve in Banks, viz: Specie... 16,557.70
Legal-tender notes... 13,267.00... 29,824.70
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)... 5,000.00
Total... \$895,217.76

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in... \$100,000.00
Surplus fund... 25,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid... 45,155.30
National Bank Notes outstanding... 100,000.00
Due to other National Banks... 17,628.37
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers... 30,394.86
Due to approved Reserve Agents... 6,367.73
Individual deposits subject to check... 204,234.20
Time certificates of deposit... 208,365.61
Cashier's checks outstanding... 5,562.56
Notes and bills rediscounted... 57,509.13
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed... 85,000.00
Reserved for interest... 10,000.00
Total... \$895,217.76

I, S. N. Boyce, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. N. BOYCE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1913.
D. M. ROBINSON, Notary Public.
CORRECT—Attest:
T. H. CRAIG,
L. F. GROVES,
J. LEE ROBINSON, Directors.

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