

NOTICE

Fourth Liberty Loan Subscribers

Those who subscribed to the Fourth Liberty Loan under the Government's plan, are hereby notified that the second payment of 20 per cent will be due November 21.

We have just received another lot of Fourth Liberty Bonds. Those who hold receipts, and are waiting delivery will please call and secure their bond.

The Charlotte National Bank

United States Depository. Jno. M. Scott, President. W. J. Chambers, Vice President. J. F. Robertson, Vice President.

Assets: 4 Million. W. H. Twitty, Cashier. C. W. Butt, Assistant Cashier. W. B. McClintock, Teller.

Bank Strength and Good Service

OUR management makes the security of deposits a matter of first consideration and to this end the resources of the Bank are carefully guarded by prudence and conservatism.

4 Per Cent Paid on Time Deposits if Left Three Months or Longer. 4 Per Cent Paid Per Annum on Savings, Compounded Quarterly.

Merchants & Farmers National Bank

Established in the Year 1871. CHARLOTTE, N. C.

SINCE AUGUST, NINETEEN FOURTEEN

business conditions have been unsettled, and all over the country the real estate business has been affected perhaps more than any other line. But in spite of this MYERS PARK HAS KEPT RIGHT ON GROWING STEADILY.

PHONE 231 THE STEPHENS COMPANY Owner and Developer.

STATEMENT OF American Trust Co.

Member Federal Reserve System CHARLOTTE, N. C.

NOVEMBER 1, 1918.

Condensed From Report to Federal Reserve Bank and State Banking Commission.

RESOURCES

Table listing resources: Loans (\$4,146,993.77), Stocks and Bonds (\$85,900.00), United States Liberty Bonds, Treasury Certificates and War Savings Stamps (\$491,557.62), Due from Banks (\$759,061.62), Cash in Vault, Checks for clearing and due from Federal Reserve Bank (\$393,295.79), Trust Investments (\$1,471,383.63), Total (\$7,348,192.43).

LIABILITIES

Table listing liabilities: Capital Stock (\$525,000.00), Surplus Fund (\$375,000.00), Undivided Profits (\$85,383.10), Bills Payable (Secured by United States Treasury Certificates and Liberty Bonds) (\$423,000.00), Trust Deposits (\$1,471,383.63), Deposits (\$4,468,425.70), Total (\$7,348,192.43).

We beg to call attention to the above financial statement which indicates the confidence the public has in this bank and desire to express our thanks to the people for their patronage and co-operation.

We invite all those who desire new or additional banking relations to see or write us. This Bank is able and willing to grant liberal accommodations and facilities.

American Trust Co.

Member Federal Reserve System Charlotte, N. C.

OFFICERS

President, W. H. Wood. Vice President, George Stephens. Treasurer, J. E. Davis. Secretary, T. E. Hemby. Assistant Sec., H. E. Davenport. Trust Officer, P. C. Whitlock. Managers Ins. Department, Mgrs. Insurance Department, Walter Lambeth & Bro. Manager Stock and Bond Dept., P. B. Greene.

BISHOP DARLINGTON OPENS M. E. CONFERENCE AT 9 A. M.

Bishop Kilgo Addresses Historical Society This Afternoon. Hold Sunday School Anniversary

The Western North Carolina Methodist conference convenes in Tryon street church this morning at 9 o'clock, with Bishop U. V. W. Darlington presiding. All trains yesterday and last night brought ministers and delegates to the city. The attendance promises to be unusually large and the members are arriving early to enjoy Charlotte, and many of them doubtless to do some shopping before the session opens.

Francis Asbury, the Apostolic Founder of American Methodism, will be the subject of an address before the conference historical society at 4 o'clock this afternoon by Bishop John C. Kilgo, of Charlotte. The society is fortunate to secure Bishop Kilgo for this address.

The Sunday school anniversary of the conference will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Minnie E. Kennedy, of Nashville, Tenn., and O. V. Woolsey, the conference Sunday school field secretary, will deliver addresses upon some aspects of the work of the Sunday school.

BASEBALL COMING BACK SAYS REGISTER OF DEEDS

W. M. Moore, One of Leading Local Fans, Believes Charlotte Will Have League Team.

W. M. (Bud) Moore, popular register of deeds, believes that league baseball in North Carolina is coming back in North Carolina next spring, and coming back with a vengeance.

Charlottesville had a chance to enter the South Atlantic league two years ago and again last spring, but decided to remain with the North Carolina organization. The class of ball played in the two leagues in the past was about equal, according to Mr. Moore.

That the time is propitious for starting the "ball a-rolling" was the opinion of Mr. Moore, and it is possible that several Charlotte business men will be called together within a short time to discuss the baseball situation.

\$50,000 DAMAGE SUIT NOW IN HANDS OF JURY

Case of W. F. Simpson Against Public Utilities Company Long-Drawn-Out Affair.

The case of W. F. Simpson, a member of the Charlotte fire department, against the Southern Public Utilities company for damages in the sum of \$50,000, which began on Monday, took up the entire session of civil court yesterday. The case was given to the jury after a short charge by Judge W. F. Hardin, shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The suit is the result of an accident which occurred February 16, 1917, on East boulevard when a fire truck and an electric car collided. Mr. Simpson, Bob Barnes, also a fireman, and another man were injured. Drs. J. Q. Myers, W. K. Reid and E. B. Witherspoon testified that the plaintiff was mentally and physically permanently injured as a result of injuries received in the accident.

For the Stomach and Liver. Just Try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN, A Liquid Digestive Laxative. Pleasant to take. Now made and recommended by the manufacturers of Grove's Tasteless Chill-Tonic.—Adv.

FOR RENT

5-room house 205 E. 11th St., month, \$25.00. 5-room house 1103 E. Boulevard, month, \$30.00. 5-room house 205 Montgomery St., month, \$18.00. 4-room house 219 Filnt St., month, \$10.00. 5 room house Lakewood Ave., month, \$15.00. 4-room house Frazer Ave., month, \$8.00. Storeroom 301 N. Tryon St., month, \$5.00. Offices 11, 13, 17, 19 E. 6th St., month, \$10.00.

J. ARTHUR HENDERSON Real Estate and Insurance. 219 N. Tryon St. Phone 589

CHARLES C. HOOK ARCHITECT Charlotte, N. C. 207 Trust Bldg. Telephone 273

REALTY TRANSFERS

The following deeds were filed for record in the office of the clerk of the superior court, C. C. Moore, yesterday: John L. Howe and wife to William J. Kerr, for \$1,375, plot of land in Providence township. O. B. Robinson and wife to W. M. Robinson, for \$100 and other valuable considerations, tract of land on Old Potter road.

Continental Securities company to Hillary Wilder Houghton and wife, for \$100 and other valuable considerations, plot of land in Mecklenburg county. W. D. Rock and wife to Duncan G. Calder, for \$1,900 and other valuable considerations, plot of land on Mecklenburg avenue.

Duncan G. Calder and wife to W. D. Rock, for \$3,000, plot of land in Piedmont park. J. A. Sharpe and wife, of Lincoln county, to Luther Mosteller and J. D. Elliott, for \$15,170, truck of land in Iredell and Mecklenburg counties.



INFLUENZA DON'TS

Don't try to fight the influenza yourself. See a doctor. The Maryland Casualty Co.'s Health and Accident Policies cover every disease, including the dread influenza. Local adjuster handles claims promptly.

ERNEST ELLISON GENERAL AGENT 13 E. 4th St. Phone 2951

MATTHEWS AND STEERE MAKE VICTORY SPEECHES

J. M. Matthews, county superintendent of schools, chairman of the victory boys' campaign committee, and James E. Steere, scout master of the Charlotte boy scout organization, addressed the pupils of the Sharon and Sardis schools yesterday. An explanation of the victory club plan to assist in the united war work fund was given by Superintendent Matthews while Mr. Steere delivered patriotic addresses. Other schools will be visited by the county committees during the week.

Fire and Theft Automobiles

Palmetto Fire Insurance Co. The very best policies at attractive rates. The very best service. Claims paid from this office. Very attractive for agents.

W. D. Wilkinson General Agent For State of North Carolina.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Of Charlotte, N. C. Established in 1865. Capital \$2,000,000. Surplus and Profits \$800,000.00. Assets \$2,000,000.00.

Henry M. McAden, President. GEO. W. BRYAN, Vice President. JOHN F. ORR, Cashier.

YOUR BUSINESS SOLICITED. HENRY M. McADEN, President. GEO. W. BRYAN, Vice President. JOHN F. ORR, Cashier.

20% Due November 21

All subscribers to the Fourth Liberty Loan on the Government plan will please forward check for 20 per cent of their subscription by November 21st.

We invite your business and promise you every possible courtesy and service. Safe deposit boxes for rent \$1.50 per year and up.

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK OF CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Capital, Surplus and Profits \$970,000.00. R. A. Dunn, President. A. T. Summey, Cashier. D. H. Anderson, Vice President. C. W. Johnston, Vice President. I. W. Stewart, Assistant Cashier.



A Business Home

Your Are Invited to Make the Independence Trust Co. your business home. The officers of the bank are at your service. Our building is conveniently located for the officers and men coming in from Camp Greene. We will be glad to be of service to you when you are in the city. Resources \$2,800,000.00

OFFICERS: J. H. WEALIN, Chairman of Board. W. A. WATSON, Vice President. W. M. LONG, Vice President.

HAPPY HEARTS

The 56th series is matured and, as usual, in less than standard time. Bring in your certificates on or after the 20th inst. and get your cash. \$120,000.00. is going off and this is just one of our quarterly maturities, so you can grasp something of the amount of business this old ship is doing. Had you ever thought about how much of a factor this institution is in the life and prosperity of Charlotte? WE LOVE TO PAY OUT the boodle when the golden grain is ripe for we see smiles and good cheer light up the countenances of our multitude of shareholders. KEEP ON SMILING and carrying shares with Keesler and the Mutual Billy Malone and happiness is your reward, and don't you let that escape your cranium. YOU CAN STILL GET 'EM in the old series, and your county cousins are still a-pouring in. Let the ball roll on, joy be unconfined. E. L. Keesler, Sec. & Treas. 244 PHONE 244 25 SOUTH TRYON ST.

Beautiful New Home in the Pines at Elizabeth

Fresh from the hands of the builders and ready for immediate occupancy, we offer for sale a house in which is embodied nearly every feature desirable in a modern, luxurious home. It is situated among the pines at Elizabeth on a large lot, fronting a paved street and car line. It contains eight splendid rooms, those on the first floor being floored with oak. A good heating plant and every modern feature that makes for comfortable living have been built into this house. The price and terms are very attractive and may be learned at this office.

Southern Real Estate Loan & Trust Company

4 S. Tryon St. Telephone 236. THE STRONG BOX. The newspapers often tell of instances where people lose all their savings, because they have put their money in stockings, or a bureau drawer, or a strong box, and have been robbed. When you have money around the house you invite the burglar and the sneak thief. The best strong box in the world is the savings bank. There your money is protected as well as it can be protected anywhere.

SOUND AND CONSERVATIVE

Those who require the services of a thoroughly progressive yet sound and conservative institution will appreciate the services we render. Your business invited.

The Peoples Bank & Trust Company THE WELCOME BANK.

C. A. Blant, President. W. W. Roberge, Cashier. W. R. Foreman, Vice Pres. W. S. Buice, Asst. Cashier.

UNION NATIONAL BANK Charlotte, N. C.

We invite your business and assure you in advance of every courtesy and accommodation consistent with safe banking. Our business is confined to that of Banking without any outside features whatever. Every transaction treated confidentially.

H. M. VICTOR, President.

Stocks and Bonds

SUBJECT, WE OFFER: \$2,000 North Carolina State 6 per cent Bonds. 5,000 North Carolina State 4 per cent Bonds (old issues). 50 shares North Carolina Railroad Stock, 7 per cent. 25 shares Elba Mfg. Company, 7 per cent preferred. 50 shares Aragon Mill 7 per cent preferred. 50 shares American Trust Company Stock. 25 shares Peoples Bank and Trust Company. 10 shares First National Bank. 50 shares Ivey Mill. 10 shares Woodlawn. 50 shares Marion. 7 shares Arcade. 35 shares Glen Lowry. 50 shares Chadwick-Hookins. 25 shares Marlboro. 25 shares Lola Mfg. 50 shares Clinchfield. 50 shares Ranlo. 35 shares Aitavista. 10 shares Adrian. F. C. ABBOTT & COMPANY INVESTMENTS.