

MOTHER OF BABY WANTED

CHANGE STORY OF A NEGRESS  
White Woman Who Writes Letters to Baby's Mother...

"This woman wants you to help her find the mother of a baby," said a tall, black negro man...

"What about the baby?" asked the man with the pencil.

"My name is Annie Holt," declared the woman, "and I live at Greensboro. My husband works in the Finishing Mills there."

"You are required forthwith, to take into your possession one white male child, of about the age of two months and eight days, of name and parentage unknown, now in the custody and possession of George Holt and Nancy Holt, colored, his wife, at house No. 7 of the Steel & Iron Works for negroes and hire to safely keep and have him before me, together with this order, at my office in the court house in Guilford county, on the 17th day of February, 1906, at 10 o'clock, of which return you will serve a notice on the parties, plaintiff and defendant."

"I have walked until my tongue is hanging out, continued the negress, and visited every hospital but I cannot find that woman. No such person has been in any of the Charlotte hospitals. I have spent \$5 trying to locate her and now I am going back home. I wish if you could let me hear from you, that baby and gotten nothing in return. It was not even on Saturday and now I want something for my pains and trouble."

"Was this woman, Helen Jones Smith the mother of the child?" was asked, and visited every hospital but I cannot find that woman. No such person has been in any of the Charlotte hospitals. I have spent \$5 trying to locate her and now I am going back home. I wish if you could let me hear from you, that baby and gotten nothing in return. It was not even on Saturday and now I want something for my pains and trouble."

"The negro woman is at a loss to know what has become of Helen Jones Smith. She believed firmly that she would find her here, and was very much worried and disappointed at failing to find her."

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WHAT HURTS CHARLOTTE.  
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A POINTER DOG 36 YEARS OLD

Has Been in the Wallace Family for 36 Years—The Oldest Dog in Mecklenburg County.

An individual may count himself fortunate if he lives beyond the half century. The half of many a man is grey, his eyes are dim, his steps tottering even before he reaches the age of 36 years. Many hold that the greater part of a man's work has been accomplished before he reaches that age.

To say that a dog had lived 36 years is something that is passing strange and hard to believe. But it is stated on the very best authority that "Jack Wallace," a pointer belonging to Mr. Wallace, Wallace, and fees, that many years and until 5 years ago was as strong and vigorous as many a dog that has not a decade to his credit.

Recorder F. M. Shannonhouse had an easy berth yesterday morning. The docket in the city police court was a slender affair, consisting of only two cases. In the first case Nathan Lindsay and Levi Berry, two dusky sports who had used deadly weapons in a fight instead of settling their difficulty in the good old way, were arraigned. Both were bound over to the Superior Court.

Two diminutive white boys were charged with turning in a false alarm. The little fellows, Lloyd Weddington and Glenn Porter, were accompanied to the court room by their mothers, Wallace, and fees, that many years and until 5 years ago was as strong and vigorous as many a dog that has not a decade to his credit.

MR. C. C. MOORE AT WORK.  
The Result of His Campaign Over the State May Already Be Seen.

The reports that reach Charlotte from all over the State have much to say of the work of Mr. C. C. Moore, president of the North Carolina Cotton Growers' Association. He is going from village to village and from city to city, visiting every cotton growing county in the State, and doing all that he can to perfect the organization. To quote from a personal letter received by a friend several days ago, Mr. Moore declares: "I am after those counties not yet in line by letters, cards, circulars, in person and through the press. Two stenographers are with me as much as possible clicking off cards and letters to men all over the State. I am already beginning to see the results of this work."

Old maids would be scarce and hard to find. Could they be made to see. How grace and beauty is combined by using Stock Mountain Tea. It. H. Jordan & Co.

Cold Weather  
The weather man is giving us cold weather late in the season, and you will find our stock of

Heavy-Weight Clothing  
to be all you could want or wish for. Our shirt stock is somewhat light; still we have all sizes made and at very attractive prices.

Overcoats  
Underwear  
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Y. M. C. A. VS. WAKE FOREST

A Fine Game of Basket Ball Expected To-Night—Game to Commence at 8.45 O'Clock.

The game of basket ball to-night at the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium between Wake Forest and the team from the Y. M. C. A. promises to attract a large crowd. Many tickets have been sold and those who wish to get seats should go as early as possible, especially ladies, as the seating capacity of the gallery is rather insufficient to accommodate such a crowd as is expected to-night.

To Arrange for Sunday School Convention.  
All of the Sunday school superintendents and officers in the city are requested to meet in the Sunday school room of the First Baptist church to-night at 9 o'clock.

HELP FOR THE LADIES  
No household commodity is half so useful or satisfactory as the SAD IRONS

Allen Hardware Co.  
Wholesale and Retail.

Big Values In Extension Tables  
We Will Offer This Week

HATS FOR MEN  
Every man should have an easy-going, soft hat—it's a pleasant change from the more formal derby.

THE TATE-BROWN COMPANY  
FURNISHERS AND TAILORS.

Bargains in Second-Hand Vehicles  
We have 10 second hand Pneumatic Buggies, all in good condition and newly painted that we will sell cheap. Also a number of other second hand vehicles.

J. W. WADSWORTH'S SONS CO.  
FURNITURE FOR THE Dining Room

Lubin Furniture Company

54, 4th and 50.

This association is inter-denominational and all who are interested in Sunday school work are urged to be present.

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THE WEATHER  
Is a gentle reminder that good substantial clothing is necessary for protection of man. One would think that this late in the season our stocks ought to be so depleted as to not be able to fill the requirements that such severe weather makes necessary.

ED. W. MELLON COMPANY  
LEADING CLOTHIERS  
MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

Lace Curtains  
SOME special things we are offering in this line. The very best that money will buy:  
Nottingham Curtains.....\$1.50 per pair  
Bobinet Curtains.....1.25 per pair  
Irish Point Curtains.....4.00 per pair  
Battenburg Curtains.....3.50 per pair  
Antique Curtains.....3.50 per pair  
Cluney Curtains.....2.00 per pair  
Many Finer Styles in all grades up to \$15.00 per pair  
Door Panels in Arabian, Battenburg and Irish Point 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and to \$3.50 each.  
We have them six feet long.  
Rugs and Carpets—New Spring Goods coming in daily. We can offer the very best inducements at this time.  
Parker-Gardner Company

Long-Tate Clothing Co's.  
Special Sale of Suits and Overcoats  
25 per cent off on all clothing, Overcoats and Pants  
\$25.00 Suits \$18.75 \$6.50 Suits \$4.88  
\$22.50 \$16.88 \$5.00 \$3.75  
\$20.00 \$15.00 \$4.50 \$3.38  
\$18.50 \$13.88 \$4.00 \$3.00  
\$15.00 \$11.25 \$3.50 \$2.62  
\$12.50 \$9.38 \$3.00 \$2.25  
\$10.00 \$7.50 \$2.50 \$1.88  
You must be satisfied or your money back.  
No Goods Charged at this Sale.

Long-Tate Clothing Co.

SEE OUR LINE OF FOUNTAIN PENS.  
A full assortment—all sizes and prices. Every one guaranteed. The best made. If you have ever had trouble with a Fountain Pen, give ours a trial, and we are sure you will be satisfied.  
THE PALAMOUNTAIN COMPANY.

SOMETHING Every HOUSEKEEPER Needs  
Is a nice feather duster. When we purchased the stock of the Gray Drug Co., we bought in the stock a very large number of fine, good quality feather dusters. Dusters that sold for 25, 50, 75c and \$1.00, we are offering at.....25, 50 and 75c. Here's your chance.  
The Tryon Drug Co.  
Phone 21. 1 N. Tryon. Sub P. O. Station in our Store.

A HEATED HOUSE  
Is a great comfort. One of our Stoves in your hall would stop those cold draughts and add materially in keeping you comfortable. All sizes, for wood or coal.  
J. N. McCausland & Co.  
Stoves, Mantels, Tiles, Grates. Phone 314. 221 & Tryon St.

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A bargain second hand 30 H. P. Swift Engine, with extra shafting and pulleys, in first class condition, now located in Statesville, N. C. Will exchange for lumber.  
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New and strictly first-class; centrally located; three minutes walk from depot. Hot and cold baths, electric lights. Callers to the commercial traveler.  
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