

Special Ribbon Values

ONE-HALF AND ONE-THIRD OFF OF RIBBONS—A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR FANCY WORK.

10 and 15c. Ribbons, 5c.
Satin Double Faced and Satin and Taffeta Ribbons, just the thing for fancy work; values up to 15c. yd. Reduced to.....5c.
15 to 35c. Ribbons, 10c.

These are same as above in still wider widths, many desirable shades; values up to 35c. Reduced to.....10c.

Sample Linen Pieces—Many of the Most Desirable Numbers Left—One-Third Off

We are selling hundreds of these Sample Linen Pieces—Scarfs, Table Covers and Centre Pieces; real hand drawn work and the popular Renaissance. No lady can afford to buy the material and make these when she can buy these samples of beautiful hand work at the prices these are marked:

25 to 50c. Linen Pieces.....10c.
75c. Linen Pieces.....25c.
100 and 25 Linen Pieces.....\$1.25

Charlotte's Foremost Handkerchief Store

We always do a large business in Handkerchiefs. Just now bought especially for the holiday trade, we offer some extra special Handkerchief bargains:

Ladies' All-Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.....50c. doz.
Ladies' All-Linen plain effect, sheer 1-4 inch Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; 15c. value. Special.....10c.
Ladies' Sheer, Hemstitched All-Linen Hand Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, put up six in a beautiful embossed box. Special.....15c.
Specials in Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs.....10 and 15c.
Ladies' and Gents' narrow hem Hemstitched All-Linen Hand Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, put up six in an attractive box.....25c. each
SPECIAL—Men's large size half-inch hem Hemstitched All-Linen Handkerchiefs.....\$1.50 doz.

Kid Gloves—Splendid Values

Real \$1.50 French Kid Gloves, two-clasp.....\$1.25
\$1.25 two-clasp Kid Gloves, all shades and Black. Price.....\$1.00
18-button Kid Gloves—Black, Browns and Tan. Price.....\$3.00

Other Merchandising of Interest to the Xmas Buyer

Satin Petticoats, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, at.....85c.
New line of Hand Bags—everything in this line that's stylish.....25c. to \$5.00
Back Combs—the new, stylish ones we offer make acceptable presents.....10c. to \$3.00
Splendid bargains in Dolls, Dressed Kid Body and Blouse.....10c. to \$5.00

McCall's January Patterns, Fashion Sheets and Magazines are Ready for Your Inspection.

BELK BROS.

WHOLESALE RETAIL

Attractive Offerings For Christmas

CUT GLASS
We are showing for the Christmas season the most beautiful line of Cut Glass yet seen in this city. Excellent in design, artistic in cutting and highly polished. Each piece is the highest example of the glass cutter's art. Every conceivable style is included in this line, and prices are reasonable.
Hawley's Pharmacy
Academy advance sale three days ahead.
Phones 13 and 260.



In Men's and Young Men's Suits, Overcoats and Furnishings.

Only 2 Weeks Longer Have You Tried Yet?

\$25.00 will be given for the Best 5-Inch Single Column Advertisement

of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. It may be either written or displayed. Do not put name on the advertisement. Put name and address on envelope. The advertisements will be carefully numbered in the order in which they are received. Send for pamphlet giving information in regard to

MRS. JOE PERSON'S REMEDY.

Messrs. J. E. Ross, of The Charlotte Observer, and A. W. Burch, of The Charlotte News, will act as Judges. Failing to agree, they will call in a third man.

Contest Closes at Noon, December 24th, 1907.

No advertisements returned. Send all advertisements to

MRS. JOE PERSON,
Charlotte, N. C.

are shown here in such great variety that you will find it decidedly to your interest to come and see the display. Do that to-morrow as early as you can and be sure to look at the splendid values we offer.

Long-Tate Clothing Company

Goods sent on approval returnable at our expense.

AN IVERS AND POND PIANO

for Christmas would be a most acceptable gift. It pays to buy a Piano of high grade. They last longer, the tone is sweeter and the touch more responsive and elastic. The Ivers & Pond is that Piano. We want you to see our new Christmas models. Easy terms if you wish.

Parker - Gardner Co.

Ivey's Ladies' AND Children's Cloaks

Even after Christmas we never were able to offer such bargains in Coats.

New York manufacturers were in very low spirits last week and our buyer, with the ready cash, was able to buy new, desirable garments at about half value. This is a strong statement, but come and see for yourself.

Fine Kersey Broadcloth Coats. You will pay \$7.50 to \$10.00 for same grade elsewhere. A big lot to choose from—Blacks, Tans, Caftors, Navy, Brown; all sizes.....\$15.00

Nice Coats, sold earlier for \$10.00 to \$12.50.....\$7.50

Great line Coats, all colors, fine goods; regular prices up to \$15.00.....\$10.00

Also in same lot and same reductions fine Coats, sold at \$20.00 and \$25.00.....\$15.00

SPECIAL SALE OF SILK AND NET WAISTS

Big lot fine Waists, suitable for Christmas presents; Waists that are worth \$5.00 and \$6.00. We bought them very cheap and they go at \$3.95

Special Net Waist, with Cluny Insertion; worth easily \$3.00, for \$1.98

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HARKY & PAGE, ELECTRICIANS. Everything electrical, house, mill and line work a specialty. We also furnish estimates for city lighting plants. HARKY & PAGE, 269 W. Trade st., Charlotte, N. C. Shop phone 821. Night calls 119 and 182.

FIFTY TO SEVENTY-FIVE PER CENT. off on second-hand typewriters, 20 machines at prices that will astonish you by their cheapness. J. E. CLAYTON & CO., 27 S. Tryon St. Phone 34.

WHAT WE SERVE IS APPETIZING and healthful. It's a long, hearty and a better menu, healthier food or prices more popular. Eating here means satisfaction as well as good humor. GEM DINING ROOM AND LUNCH COUNTER.

Miss Annie Deane, of Clinton, S. C., is expected in this city this week to visit Miss Lottie Withers, on East avenue.

Mrs. M. G. Hunter will entertain at cards this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Sarah Seifels, of Columbia, S. C.

Cards reading as follows were issued yesterday:
Mrs. P. H. Halley
Miss Laura Halley at home

Saturday December fourteenth nineteen hundred seven
Hours four to six
at North College
Miss Grace Francis.

Mrs. Oates Sprinkle will leave today for Raleigh to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Misses Camille, McCormick and Maude Lentz, of Mooresville, spent Sunday in the city with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Alexander.

Miss Anna D. Casler, Inter-State Y. W. C. A. secretary, is spending a few days in this city for the purpose of making arrangements for a permanent organization in that city. She is the guest of Mrs. D. Rich.

Miss Louise Sheresee, of Charleston, S. C., who spent Sunday in the city, left yesterday for Piedmont, S. C. to assume her duties as secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association recently organized among the Piedmont cotton Mills. Miss Sheresee had charge of the local Y. W. C. A. some time ago while Mrs. Carrie Martin was out of the city and made a host of friends who will watch her work among the Piedmont Mills with much interest.

Capt. and Mrs. William R. Robertson are expected to return to-morrow from Florida, where they have been spending the honeymoon. They will make their home with Miss Julia Robertson on West Trade street.

Miss Texie Bauguess left yesterday morning for Taylorsville, where she will spend a greater part of the winter with her aunt, Mrs. P. O. Watt.

A particularly interesting meeting of the Treble Clef is anticipated to-morrow afternoon at Mrs. C. G. McManaway's, on East Sixth street. A special musical programme has been arranged and among the invited guests will be the music teachers at Elizabeth and Presbyterian Colleges. The programme is as follows: "Massenet," Mrs. A. D. Gilchrist; "The Story of Manon," Mrs. J. W. Mobley; "Masogni and the Triumph of Cavalleria Rusticana," Mrs. A. H. Washburn; roll call, "Noted Musicians and Orchestra Leaders," by Mrs. Charles E. Platt. Selections.

Mrs. C. C. Hook will entertain at tea this afternoon at her home on East Morehead street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Humphrey and guest, Miss Hall, of California, and Mr. H. N. Gharr.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bailey, Miss Alice Lee and Mr. Hugh Sanford, of Hendersonville, were registered among the guests at the Central last night.

Miss Mary Kennedy, of Statesville, is a guest at the Central.

Mrs. Edmund Berkeley, Miss Berkeley, and Mr. Alfred R. Berkeley, of Mayodan, were visitors in the city last night on their way to Sumter, S. C. They were guests at the Selwyn.

The social event of to-morrow is the reception which Mrs. Peter C. Brunson will give in honor of her guest, Mrs. John J. Andrews, of Charleston, S. C.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wright have returned from New York, where they spent a week.

Mrs. W. A. Reynolds will entertain a number of her friends to-night at her home in Dilworth in honor of Mrs. J. H. Herbener, of Providence, R. I., who is the guest of Mrs. E. W. Thompson.

Miss W. D. Cowles expects to leave in a few days for New York to spend a short time.

Miss Grace Francis, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Laura Halley, at her home on North College street.

Mrs. Thomas Smith, of Lincoln, will arrive in the city to-night to spend a few days at the home of Mrs. J. H. Ross, on North Bevard street.

Mrs. J. M. Tull, of Birmingham, Ala., will arrive this morning to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Busbee.

CAUGHT AT FORT MILL.

Lizzie Scott called the Police Departments of Two Towns to Her Aid and They Proved Very Accommodating.

On the credit of Desk Sergeant Reynolds at the police station must be chalked up the arrest yesterday at Fort Mill, S. C., of Lizzie Scott, colored, wanted in Charlotte for mistreating her husband, to wit, throwing a bottle of carbolic acid into his eye. The misconduct on the woman's part took place last week, when she administered humiliating chastisement to him in the presence of numerous spectators. Her husband, who is Ed Scott, a faithful employe of the J. W. Wadsworth Sons' Company, swore out a warrant for her and when she started to take her in law, the acidic incident took place, with painful and perhaps serious results. The woman escaped. Yesterday morning she called up the station here from Fort Mill, and wanted to know how to get her baggage. "Go to the chief of police," the sergeant kindly told her. She went, but the wires had been working in the meantime and she was nabbed by Fort Mill's chief. Officer W. W. Irwin brought her home last night and she camped in the station.

Death of Mr. Robert W. Gray.
The news reached the city yesterday of the death last week of Mr. Robert W. Gray, a former resident, at his home in Bennington, Oklahoma. Mr. Gray was 55 years of age and is survived by his widow, who was Miss Pauline Query, of this city, and four children. Two brothers, Mr. R. M. Gray and Dr. J. S. Gray, and two sisters, Mrs. M. J. Ransom and Mrs. Lizzie Gray, of this city, also survive him. Mr. Gray was native of South Carolina, but resided the most of his life in Charlotte, where he was well known and highly esteemed. The news of his death will be long and sorely missed by all of his friends in this city.

A GOOD COOK'S SECRET
In making this cake, puddings and desserts is to use the best vanilla extract—this Ribbon

FELT SLIPPERS
Coolest, prettiest house slippers made. The Empress, finest grade felt. Colors: Black, Red, Brown, Gray. Size 2 to 3. Price.....\$1.50. The Dutchess, medium grade felt. Colors: Black and Red. Size 2 to 3. Price.....\$1.00. Price by mail, 15c. extra.

GILBEATH & CO.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.
Charles Orr Gets Fined For Intoxication While Driving a Hack—Warrant For Henry Hayden For Contempt of Court—Other Cases.

The "promising" recorder's court expected for yesterday morning did not disappoint the expectations of those for whom it is the chief source of interest of the day, though nothing out of the ordinary developed during the session. Charles Orr was fined \$5 on the charge of being intoxicated in his hack.

The Movements of a Number of Foreign Visitors.
Mrs. A. S. Rogers, of Rock Hill, S. C., returned home yesterday after presiding Sunday at Sardis church in the county.

Mr. S. A. L. Johnson, of Abbeville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. M. Martin, of Wadesboro, was registered among the guests at the Central yesterday.

Mr. R. F. Littlejohn, of Concord, was a Charlotte visitor yesterday.

Mr. J. F. Hasten spent yesterday in Rock Hill, S. C., on business.

Mr. S. Whitlow left last night for McCall, S. C., to deliver an address to-day on building and loan.

Mr. J. P. Caldwell left last night for Morganton to attend a meeting of the board of directors of the State Hospital, of which he is chairman. He will return to the city to-morrow night.

Dr. T. N. Reid, of Matthews, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. D. A. Tompkins returned yesterday morning from Washington, where he attended the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which was in session there last week.

Among the guests at the Buford yesterday were Messrs. M. A. Steele and C. Harris, of Rock Hill, S. C.

Rev. Dr. H. G. Hill, of Maxton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Blake, at their home on East Ninth street.

Mr. W. W. Holland, business manager of the Spartanburg, (S. C.) Herald, spent a few hours in the city last night.

Mr. W. H. Michael, of Greensboro, is a visitor in the city, stopping at the Central.

Mr. W. H. Gatchell, of Washington, superintendent of manufacture of the Southern, was a visitor in the city last night, stopping at the Selwyn.

Mr. J. M. Robertson, of Augusta, Ga., spent last night in the city.

Mr. John M. Wolfe, of Greensboro, is here to attend Federal Court. He is a guest at the Central.

Hon. Theo. F. Klutz, of Salisbury, is in the city to attend Federal Court, which convenes this morning.

Mr. T. C. Israel, of Hendersonville, was a visitor in the city last night.

Mr. T. W. Rankin, of Fayetteville, was registered among the guests at the Central last night.

Mr. H. E. Weisiger, of Richmond, Va., was a Charlotte visitor yesterday.

Mr. R. P. Smith, of Asheville, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. L. T. Fuller, of Houston, Texas, was registered among the guests at the Southern Manufacturers' Club yesterday.

Dr. E. Q. Houston, of Davidson, is registered among the guests at the Buford.

Mr. Lonnie West, of Stanley, was a visitor in the city last night.

Mr. A. P. Rhyme, of Mount Holly, was a Charlotte visitor last night.

Mr. H. M. Edleman, of Gastonia, was registered among the guests at the Buford yesterday.

Mr. W. B. Parks, of the county, spent last night in the city, stopping at the Buford.

Mr. Frank Hampton, of Statesville, is spending to-day in the city.

Among the visitors here for Federal Court are Messrs. Clyde R. Hoey, O. M. Mull and J. H. Quinn, of Shelby.

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