

The Southern Life Insurance Company,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Assets may prove the strength of Life Insurance--New business its popularity.

But Payments to prove its bene-
The Southern Life
 Paying Promptly--
 Interest earned--In
 agement--In liber-
 ers.

Lumberton, N. C., November 1, 1906.
 Mr. R. D. Caldwell, Vice-President of the
 Southern Life Insurance Company,
 Lumberton, N. C.
 Dear Sir:
 Please accept my sincerest thanks for the check of the
 Southern Life Insurance Company for \$2,000.00 in prompt settle-
 ment of policy No. 258, on the death of my husband, James W.
 Raybon.
 The establishment of this Company so near at home and
 the prompt settlement of death losses by it is a great blessing to
 those who are so unfortunate as to be bereft. I fully appreciate the
 kindness of your Company in making a quick settlement of the
 claim, being the first to settle. My husband had insured in
 several companies.
 Very truly,
 MARY E. RAYBON,
 Widow of J. W. Raybon.

Policy - h o l d e r s
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THE "SOUTHERN LIFE"

Deserves the Hearty Support of every Citizen of Robeson County.

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R. D. CALDWELL, Vice President.

JNO. A. OATES, Secretary.

C. J. COOPER, General Manager.

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R. F. DeVANE, Red Springs.
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Ready for Business.

We are now ready to do your work, and do it right. We make a specialty of mantels, turn work, repair furniture and upholstery; builders' finishers, etc. We also make tables, desks, cupboards, safes, etc., etc.

Freeman's Woodworking Plant.
H. C. FREEMAN,
 Proprietor.

Just across the River--foot of Iron Bridge. 6-1

THE CARLYLE LIVERY,

Lumberton, N. C.,
 Will furnish you a team or feed and care for your horse at reasonable prices.
 Phone calls promptly met, day or night. PHONE No. 63.

Ira Bullard,
 Manager.

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Proprietor and Manager.
R. B. Humphrey,
 Lumber Novelty Works
 and all kinds of odd jobs.
 Desks, Book Cases, Mantels, Table
 For Columns, Balusters, Brackets, Table
 Scroll Sawing a Specialty. Good Make-
 rial used and Satisfaction guaranteed.

CALL ON Granite And Marble.

Correspondence desired and designs for monuments, tombstones, etc., furnished on application by
G. E. RANCKE,
 Lumberton, N. C.
 6-16-12-18

It pays to advertise. Let the people know you are living.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis Enjoyed Considerable Estate.

Richmond Evening Journal.

For some years past considerable curiosity, not altogether of the unpardonable sort, has existed as to the worldly possessions of Mrs. Jefferson Davis, and the income she enjoyed during her life.

The widow of the Confederacy's President openly acknowledged that she was continually pressed for money and that she had to supplement her means by her pen. Indeed this was given as one of the reasons for her living in the North.

It should be understood, however, that the significance of the word poverty varies, according to the station in which one moves, and in Mrs. Davis' case it should not be understood that she was by any means what the middle classes would call poor. In truth, she was to the last what some people might call "well to do."

It is conservatively estimated by one who believes he knows, that Mrs. Davis left an estate worth at least \$40,000, and probably more. Some years ago, when the price of cotton was low, her plantation on the Mississippi is said to have yielded her an annual income ranging between \$3,500 and \$4,000, and it is safe to assume that in more recent times it brought considerably more.

Then too, Mrs. Davis had powerful friends in the newspaper profession of the North and she must have procured good prices for her articles. Certainly they were worth handsome figures, for her pen touched nothing but to adorn it.

On the other hand, apropos of the distinguished widow's so-called poverty, it should be borne in mind that her station in life

was a dignified, semi-official one, which necessitated the expenditure of much money.

Her apartments in New York were always luxurious and artistic. Eighteen or twenty years ago she had a suite of rooms at the old New York hotel, which has since been pulled down, and from there she moved to the Marlborough. Thence she went to the Gerard, and about a month or so ago she established herself at the Majestic. It was there that she died.

In addition to the tangible estate of Mrs. Davis, which, it is presumed, consists largely of realty, she had a fine collection of manuscripts, documents and letters, which possessed great sentimental value in the eyes of historians and relic-hunters.

Naturally, all the papers of her husband fell to her at his death, and these of course are daily enhancing in value. It will take a vast deal of time and care to assort and arrange them, especially if they are published, and it is supposed that this work will be done by a literary executor or some person named by the family.

Mrs. J. Addison Hayes, the only surviving child of President and Mrs. Davis, is comfortably fixed for life. Her husband is an exceedingly wealthy banker and her home is palatial.

Everybody's Magazine for December.

The Christmas Everybody's is full of overflowing with the holiday spirit, as indicated by the character of fiction, essay, and verse, but at the same time the serious undertakings of a purposeful magazine are not neglected.

There are ten well known writers of fiction represented in the number, and five important

special articles.

A notable contribution is the first instalment of Thomas W. Lawson's story, "Friday the 13th," a dramatically interesting romance of Wall Street and its ramifications. It has been the general expectation that Mr. Lawson could tell an intensely interesting story, but few have guessed his command of a vivid and finished narrative style as applied to the purpose of fiction.

"The Terrible Story of the Congo," by Robert E. Hark, is a bitter arraignment of King Leopold and a full exposure of the most unjustifiable conditions existent in the civilized world today.

Charles Edward Russell, in his "Soldiers of the Common Good," continues his account of the marvelous success of New Zealand's "Labor" government along the lines of experimental legislation.

But, after all, this is a Christmas Thought" and Vance Thompson's "Where the Toys Come From" will indicate. The former, full of the kindly humor of the gentle philosopher, tells some interesting facts regarding the origin of Yule, and preachers at the same time a valuable Christmas sermon.

Among the short stories, "In the Deep of the Snow," by Charles G. D. Roberts, is a thrilling story of a child lost in the Canadian winter woods--surely as fine a piece of fiction-work as its author has ever done. Mary Heaton Vorse contributes a dainty tale that marvelously interprets the heart of a child.

A remarkable feature of the Christmas Everybody's is the reproduction in color of Alphonso Mucha's paintings illustrative of the Beatitudes. Nothing more remarkable has yet been achieved by this great French painter, the fame of whose religious and allegorical pictures is already rivaling.

Man Can't Live By Bread Alone!

Neither can he be comfortable without his home well furnished. We carry at all times a well-assorted line of up-to-date House Furnishings,

Iron, Oak and Poplar Beds,



Felt, Cotton, Combination and Straw MATTRESSES.

Feather, Felt and Cotton Pillows.

Matting Designs too tedious to mention. Rugs, Window Shades, Brooms and Pictures.

China Closets, Sideboards, Dressers, Book Cases and Writing Desk of Different Styles. Crockery, China and Glassware of the Latest Designs. In fact we are too busy to mention anything except the Reasonable Prices we are making. Give us a call.

EAGLE FURNITURE AND CARPET CO.

Nov. 5th

Christmas Bazaar!

You are cordially invited to attend a Christmas Bazaar

Dec. 4th, 5th and 6th,

At The Ashpole Drug Co's store on Main Street,

Ashpole, N. C.,

Given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church.

All kinds of Christmas presents will be on sale, especially Fancy articles for the young and dolls for the children.

You can doubtless be pleased both in price and quality.

Refreshments Served Every Day.

Notice of Administration

Having this day qualified of Administrator upon the estate of S. C. Currie, deceased, late of Robeson county, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present same to me at my residence in Robeson county, or Messrs. McIntyre & Lawrence, my attorneys, at Lumberton, N. C., on or before November 10th, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

Dated this November 8th, 1906.

M. W. McLEAN,
 Administrator.

McIntyre & Lawrence, Attorneys for Administrator.

11-8-6thurs
 Read our Business Builders--it will be time well spent.