

# Local Tobacco Market

H. A. GOULD

### OVER A HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS SOLD YESTERDAY

There Was a Fractional Decrease in the Average Price

### PROBABLY BE BIG BREAKS THIS WEEK

Total number pounds sold yesterday . . . 127,215  
Total amount of money paid out . . . \$21,558.53  
Average price paid per pound . . . 16 5-8c

The local tobacco market picked up a little yesterday in point of number of pounds, there being nearly twice as much sold as on Saturday, but there was nothing like the break expected, not nearly so many pounds being sold as many had expected owing to the favorable conditions of the weather.

But there was a considerable decrease in the average price paid per pound for some reason. Whether this was due to the presence of an inferior grade of tobacco to light bidding because of the increased weight of the tobacco owing to the excessive moisture in the atmosphere or to a natural decline in the price of the weed not all are agreed. Perhaps the market was influenced somewhat by the presence of all three factors in the market yesterday. However, it will be hard for the farmer to believe otherwise than that the falling off of 5-8 of a cent in the average price per pound represents in more or less an actual reduction in the price he is to receive for his product.

Owing to the warm damp weather, it is expected that there will be a great break about tomorrow. The weather conditions are decidedly favorable to the handling of the weed and, no doubt, there are a great many who will rush their product on the market regardless of the decreasing price. And then too, this falling off may be only a temporary reduction and before the end of the week we may see the price ranging around 19 or 20 cents again.

## Local Leaf Prices

SMOYERS—	
Common	\$.90@\$.11.00
Medium	\$.11.00@\$.15.00
Fine	\$.15.00@\$.25.00
CUTTERS—	
Common	\$.10.00@\$.12.50
Medium	\$.12.50@\$.20.00
Fine	\$.20.00@\$.35.00
FILLERS—	
Common	\$.10.00@\$.11.00
Medium	\$.11.00@\$.15.00
Fine	\$.15.00@\$.30.00
WRAPPERS—	
Common	\$.25.00@\$.30.00
Medium	\$.30.00@\$.40.00
Fine	\$.40.00@\$.60.00

### CUTTERS BEGIN CRUISE

Washington, Dec. 1.—The regular winter and spring cruise of revenue cutters along the Atlantic coast began today. Eleven vessels have been designated for this service, and they will be out looking out for opportunities to visit other vessels from now until April 1, 1914. The cutters on duty are the Woodbury, Astorogoggin, Freshman, Acushnet, Mohawk, Onondaga, Apache, Pamlico, Seminole, Hascas and Yamcrav.

## WINSTON-SALEM MARKETS

### MEAT

Beef, corned, per lb.	.15
Chops, veal, per lb.	.12 1/2 @ .18
Chops, pork, per lb.	.20
Chops, lamb, per lb.	.25
Butlets, veal, per lb.	.25
Hams, fresh, per lb.	.18
Hams, cured, per lb.	.30
Roast, lamb, per lb.	.25
Roast, rib, per lb.	.18
Roast, chuck, per lb.	.15
Sausage, per lb.	.12 1/2
St. usage, all pork, per lb.	.20
Sausage, country, per lb.	.20 @ .22
Shoulder, fresh pork, per lb.	.18
Steak, round, per lb.	.20
Steak, sirloin, per lb.	.20
Steak, porterhouse, per lb.	.20
Steak, hamburger, per lb.	.20
Soup meats, per lb.	.10 @ 12 1/2

### FISH OYSTERS AND GAME

Black bass, per lb.	.15
Blue fish, per lb.	.10 @ .15
Trout, speckled, per lb.	.15
Trout, grey, per lb.	.10 @ 12 1/2
Other fish, per lb.	.10
Birds, each.	.20
Oysters, per quart	.40 @ .50
Rabbits, each.	.20
Squirrels, each.	.15

### POULTRY AND EGGS

Chickens, young, dressed, per lb.	.30 @ .45
Hens and roosters, dressed, per lb.	.15 @ .25
Hens, on foot, per lb.	.15 @ .18
Young fry, on foot, per lb.	.25 @ .25
Turkeys, on foot, per lb.	.25
Rutter, per lb.	.30 @ .40
Eggs, per doz.	.35

### FRUITS

Apples, per peck	.40 @ .50
Bananas, per doz.	.20
Lemons, per doz.	.30
Grapefruit, each.	.10 @ .15
Malaga grapes, per lb.	.20
Oranges, per doz.	.30 @ .50
Dried California prunes, per lb.	.12 1/2 @ .15

### VEGETABLES

Cabbage, per lb.	.05
Cranberries, per quart	.15
Cauliflower, per head	.25 @ .30
Celery, per bunch	.25
Corn, per bunch	.15
Lettsuce, per head	.16
Parsnips, per bunch.	.15
Potatoes, Irish, per peck	.35
Potatoes, sweet, per peck	.45
Onions, per peck.	.45
Salad, per peck.	.15
Turnips, per peck	.25

## Markets

### STOCKS.

New York, Dec. 1.—Following are the quotations on the Stock Exchange today:

Aldrich	92 1/2
American Can	25 7/8
American Tobacco	32 1/2
Anacosta	32 1/2
American Smelt, and Refg.	61 1/4
Amalgamated Copper	60
Baltimore and Ohio	92 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	56 1/4
New York Central	95 1/2
Canadian Pacific	223 1/8
Erie	26 5/8
Illinois Central	106 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	130 1/2
Lehigh Valley	147 1/4
Missouri Pacific	24 3/8
Norfolk and Western	106
Pennsylvania	108 3/8
Ray Consolidated	17 5/8
Reading	100 1/8
Southern Pacific	87 1/2
Southern Railway	21 1/4
Southern Railway pfd.	74 5/8
St. Paul	98
Union Pacific	149 1/4
United States Steel	99 3/4
United States Steel pfd.	104 5/8
Utah Copper	47 3/4
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	26 3/8
United Cigar Store	90
Seaboard Air Line	46
Seaboard Air Line pfd.	44 1/2
Loggitt and Myers	212
R. J. Reynolds	250
Lorillard	163
Norfolk and Western	102 1/2

### COTTON.

New York, Dec. 1.—Spot cotton very quiet. Futures closed weak.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	12.90	13.22	12.99	13.00
Mar.	13.10	13.22	13.10	13.12
May	13.08	13.13	13.02	13.03
July	12.97	13.00	12.92	12.93
Sept.	12.73	12.74	12.73	12.75
Aug.	12.20	12.20	12.20	12.20
Oct.	12.10	12.11	12.06	12.07
Dec.	13.12	13.25	13.10	13.11

Spots closed 13.50

### GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Today's quotations were as follows:

Wheat—May 30-58, July 58-18, Dec 80-34.
Corn—May 70-12, July 60-34, Dec 70-34.
Oats—May 41-58, July 41-4, Dec 37-58.
Lard—Jan. 10-90, May 11-37.
Ribs—Jan. 11-17, May 11-52.

### MONEY.

New York, Dec. 1.—Call money nominal, no loans. Time loans stronger, 90 and 90 days 5 1/2-2; six months 5 1/2. Prime mercantile paper 5 1/4-6 3/4. Sterling exchange steady; 60 days 4 1/2; demand 4 1/2-25. Commercial bills 80 1/2-2. Bar silver 57 1/8. Mexican dollars, 44 1/2; government bonds steady; railroad bonds easy.

### Listen for the Cheering

Kansas City Star.  
In the current issue of LaFollette's Weekly the Wisconsin Senator tells the Republican party what it must do to be saved. No more change in the basis of representation, he says, will have any effect. The Wilson Administration is making a record for achievement. In order to compete with the Wilsonian Democratic party and to bring back the Progressives, the Republicans, in the opinion of Senator LaFollette, must take more advanced ground.  
"An extraordinary convention," he says, "had it is to arouse an enthusiasm of 7,000,000 Republicans, men and women to a renewal of their allegiance to the party of Lincoln, must forecast a program of the overthrow of the centralized power that has undermined representative government, more radical, more aggressive and more advanced than has been adopted by any party since the war."  
"Can't you see what a bit that suggestion must make with Boss Barnes, Boss Penrose and the rest of the reactionaries now in control of the national Republican machinery? Can't you see a picture in your mind's eye of the wild enthusiasm with which the LaFollette program would be greeted in a convention snubbed by these gentlemen."

### TO PRESERVE ORDER IN INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1.—The first police action to prevent disorder incident to the unsettled labor conditions in Indianapolis was ordered by Acting Superintendent of Police Coffin when the police appeared at roll call this morning. The patrolmen were instructed to prevent the congregating of crowds upon the streets and were told that three or more persons would constitute a crowd.  
During the past few months many riots have occurred here when large numbers of persons were permitted to gather upon the streets.

### Guarding Against Crowd.

The best safeguard against crowd is a little of Fole's Honey and Tar Compound in the house. P. H. Ginn, Middlebury, Va., writes: "My children are very susceptible to colds, coughs and cold. I give them Fole's Honey and Tar Compound and in every instance they get prompt relief and are soon cured. We keep it at home and prevent crowd." E. W. O'Hanlon.  
A Matter Of Tenses  
The Southern dorky's love of putting off till next spring or later what should be done on the spot is as well known as it is vexatious. One day Major Jackson, a contractor in a Georgia quarry, told Zeb, the general utility man, to go to the blacksmith shop across the road and bring back a drill that was to be sharpened. About half an hour later the major saw Zeb come poking around the corner of the office.  
"Here," he shouted, "where have you been?"  
"I ain't been," responded Zeb, cheerfully. "I's gwine." Lippincott's.  
Journal Want Ads Bring Results.

## BURLESON WANTS CO-OPERATION

### Urges People to Mail Christmas Gifts at an Early Date

Washington, Dec. 1.—During the next four weeks Uncle Sam's infant prodigy—the parcel post service—will be called upon to perform a herculean task in connection with the transportation and delivery of millions of Christmas gifts. Postmaster General Burleson, who is responsible for the conduct of this service, has made extraordinary preparations to prevent congestion in post offices and to insure prompt delivery of these parcels. Several thousand additional employees will be added to the force during the holiday season and the collecting and delivery equipment will be augmented wherever necessary. Every possible effort has been made to strengthen those parts of the postal organization which will be under the greatest strain and Mr. Burleson stated today that with these special arrangements he is confident of the ability of the service to handle successfully the avalanche of parcels that will be thrown upon it during the rush period.

The Postmaster General is anxious, however, that the public fail to cooperate with him in observing certain important conditions necessary to enable the postal authorities to effect the timely delivery of Christmas gifts. In order to secure this cooperation he has caused to be printed for distribution throughout the country hundreds of thousands of circulars and placards containing directions for the proper preparation of Christmas gifts for transmission by mail.

Christmas parcels should be mailed early. For local delivery they should be mailed not later than December 25th and for out-of-town delivery as early as possible, but in any event in time to reach the offices of destination at least two days prior to Christmas.

Christmas gifts sent by mail should be wrapped securely. The containers or wrappers should be sufficiently strong to withstand the necessary handling incident to transportation and delivery. Glassware, crockery, Christmas toys easily breakable, glass framed pictures, etc., should be carefully packed in boxes of metal, wood, leather, or corrugated pasteboard with sufficient cushioning, raw cotton, or similar matter to prevent the contents from coming into contact with any portion of the box. These parcels should be marked "FRAGILE." Postmasters will refuse to accept for mailing packages that are insecurely prepared.

Parcels should be addressed plainly. The addresses should be complete and plainly written in ink. The regulations require that parcel post packages shall bear the names and addresses of both the sender and the addressee and also be written on the parcel itself.

Parcels and in advance of Christmas may be marked "Not to be opened until Christmas" or some similar direction. Written or printed messages such as " Merry Christmas," "Best Wishes," etc., may be inclosed in parcels but no other written or printed communication should be placed therein, as this will subject the parcel to a higher rate of postage. Parcels should not be sealed or otherwise closed against inspection. Sealed parcels are subject to the first-class rate of postage.

Photographs, printed books, and other printed matter are not included in the parcel post but are third-class matter on which the postage rate is one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

Parcels not exceeding four ounces in weight may be mailed in street boxes, when prepared in conformity with the foregoing requirements. The postage on such packages is uniformly one cent for each ounce or fraction thereof, except where a higher rate is applicable in accordance with the Main Post Office or its Stations.

Ordinary postage stamps are valid for postage on parcel post matter. Christmas stamps or stickers of any kind other than postage stamps should not be placed on the address side of mail matter as this renders such matter unmailable.

Valuable parcel post packages may be insured against loss in an amount not exceeding \$25 on a payment of a fee of five cents in addition to the postage, and for a fee of ten cents such package will be insured in any amount not exceeding \$50.

### AUTO CRASH, NO WEDDING

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Miss Norma Ahlstrand, who was to have been maid of honor at the wedding of her sister Olga, will be buried in the pretty dress she had prepared for the wedding, the latter having been indefinitely postponed.  
Miss Norma was instantly killed last night when a street car struck the automobile in which she was returning from a pre-nuptial party. Misses Horn-Nelson, Gertrude Weber, Grace Medman, other occupants of the automobile, were badly injured, but will recover.

The street car left the tracks, crashed into a house, breaking the gas main and starting a fire that drove out 20 persons, and seven firemen were injured in fighting the blaze. Eight other persons, injured in the street car and house, it is said tonight will recover although three of them are seriously hurt.

### ABANDONED PROPERTY SOLD

Geneva, Dec. 1.—Sales are now taking place in Swiss cities of property lost or left behind a year ago by travelers, most of whom are believed to be Americans, as the American tourist appears to the police to be more forgetful or more indifferent toward trunks or valuables he has lost. Everything is kept a year, under the law, and then sold. An American who forgot a \$1,000 note in a Zurich hotel last year has not been traced, nor has the young American woman who left her jewel case in a boarding house at Davos.

Bobbs—"That fellow Kickersleigh used to be a cowboy." Slobs—"Yes, and he can't get over being a regular beefeater."

## UNCLE SAM PAYS BURGLARY BILLS

### Losses Sustained at Postoffices Heavy—N. Carolina's Share

(By George H. Manning.)

Washington, Dec. 1.—Uncle Sam paid out to postmasters throughout the country as reimbursement for losses by burglary, fire and in transit of postal funds during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913, \$442,604.12. This is the amount shown to have been paid by the Postmaster General Burleson, who is responsible for the conduct of this service, to Congress today by Postmaster General Burleson. During the year 2,071 claims were settled and there were still pending on July 1, last, 1,371 claims.

Of the total loss for which claims were paid, \$183,654.60 was caused by fire, \$232,236.04 by burglary, that being the largest item; \$45.53 by robbery and larceny, \$5,642.87 was lost in transit, and rats and mice caused a loss of \$48.55.

There were a large number of claims which were disallowed, in most cases owing to infractions of the rules which the department claims it properly lived up to could have prevented the loss. A comparison of the figures for North Carolina with that of the other States shows that the Old North State was more careful with Uncle Sam's money than probably any other State in the Union. But her percentage of claims disallowed is probably larger than any of the others, seeming to indicate that most of the losses were caused by the negligence of the postmasters.

North Carolina had 18 losses by reason of burglary, 12 through fire, and 3 claims were made for postal funds lost in transit. The good record of State of Virginia which had 29 burglaries, compared with 18 for North Carolina, 15 fires against 12, and 6 losses in transit against 3 for North Carolina. The robbery of the Richmond postoffice alone resulted in a loss of \$87,000, many times the claims paid to North Carolina postmasters to reimburse them for moneys lost through burglaries, together with the name of the office and the amount is as follows:

Beaver Creek, R. A. Hamilton, \$10,000.
Leaksville, Maffie S. Martin, \$811.83.
Bevg, Francis M. Watson, \$14,000.
McFarland, W. S. Braswell, \$47.12. Disallowed.
Maiden, John S. Campbell, \$290,000.
Marion, Lewis Marines, \$25,000.
Holly Springs, Henry W. Norris, \$12,000.
Disallowed.
Indian Trail, J. Frank Conder, \$83,000.
Mocksville, J. D. Morris, \$3,000.
Rougemon, Sarah A. Coltrone, \$2,000. (Withdrawn.)
Speedwell, Zeb W. Watson, \$42,000. Disallowed.
Stonewille, Wm. S. Fagg, \$724.00.
Hasty, J. W. Gurganus, \$5,000. Disallowed.
Noland, C. C. Maetin, \$5,000. Disallowed.
Shulls Mills, Luna P. Robbins, \$18,950.
Robersonville, Wm. S. Vick, \$17,850. Disallowed.
Wakulla, W. M. Smith, \$56,000. Disallowed.
Golden Rock, Paffie B. Moore, \$23,000. Disallowed.

The following claims were made and paid owing to fire:

Hanners Elk, Minnie V. Banner, \$8,100.
Barber, J. T. Barber, \$83,844.
Derita, W. B. Jordan, \$80,000.
Dudley, C. B. Griffin, \$8,000.
Idelwille, Thomas L. Church, \$36,000.
McBane, S. Arthur White, \$8,114.
Putnam, W. M. Manners, \$140,000.
Shulls Mills, Luna P. Robbins, \$35,000.
Vannoy, Mary E. Vannoy, \$145,000.
Golden, Jesse F. Gurley, \$87,900.
Granite Falls, Wm. E. Starnes, \$87,000.

Claims were paid to reimburse postmasters for funds lost in transit as follows:

Carris, Jesse F. Lanes, \$2,000.
Jackson Springs, N. B. Jones, \$10,000. Disallowed.
Tuxedo, James O. Hall, \$2,000. Disallowed.

### The Carelessness of Josiah

Wilmington Dispatch.  
With all respects to Hon. Josiah Bailey's judgment, ability, bravery and Democracy, he should accept a tip to be more explicit about whatever jobs he resigns in future. If he does he give out a plain, very plain interview on the subject coincident with handling in the resignation. Otherwise a lot of Democrats, who want office—big fellows, too—will have a good suit of mental anguish against him. Having been warned, we believe they will also be able to collect punitive damages should Bailey make a suit necessary. The other day Hon. Josiah, who holds the collectorship of the eastern part of North Carolina, sent a resignation to Washington. At once the news flashed forth that he had parted with his big job, and many Democrats took heart and whetted their appetites and stimulated their strength in anticipation of getting the discarded plum. But, lo and behold, it wasn't the collectorship, at multi thousand dollars per year, Hon. Josiah had resigned, but simply the custodianship of some federal building—carrying not one peso in salary. Therefore it behooves the Hon. Josiah, who we feel certain is a tender hearted to shatter nerves, to be in the careful in future.

### NEW EXPRESS RATES EFFECTIVE

Washington, Dec. 1.—The new zone system of the interstate express rates, invented by the Interstate Commerce Commission went into effect today. The Adams, American, Southern, United States, Wells Fargo and Northern and Great Northern Companies sometime ago notified their commission of their intention to obey the order, although counsel of the corporations profess to have grave apprehension as to the outcome.

### Why He Turned Pale

Wife—Wretch! Show me that letter Husband—What letter?  
Wife—The one in your hand, it's from a woman, I can see by the writing, and you turned pale when you saw it.  
Husband—Yes. Here it is. It's your dressmaker's bill.



These famous cigarettes are made of choice high grade tobacco selected for its unusual mildness and temptingly satisfying flavor.  
These are marvelously good—as anyone who smokes them will tell you.  
And they are always of the same unapproachable quality. You never lose your liking for Piedmonts. Whole coupon in each package.



10 for 5¢

## HISTORICAL HOME CHURCH HERE

(Continued from page three)

Hallelujah, Praise the Lord! the benediction being pronounced by Rev. James E. Hall.

Lovefeast.  
In the afternoon at 3 o'clock a lovefeast was held for members of the Salem Congregation, made up of the various Moravian congregations of Winston-Salem.

Prior to the services the church band played "Tune 220—O Lord Our God in Reverence Lowly," and Dean Shirley of Salem College, played the organ prelude. The following clergymen were seated on the pulpit: Bishop Rondthaler, Dr. J. H. Cleveland, Rev. J. K. Pfohl, Dr. H. E. Rondthaler, Rev. James E. Hall, Rev. E. S. Linn, Rev. Edwin Schwartz, Rev. K. G. Stempie, Rev. Leon Luckenbach, Rev. Walter Beigel, Rev. Wm. Spangh, Dr. Neal L. Anderson and Rev. Geo. Lee of the Presbyterian church, Dr. H. A. Brown and Rev. Mr. Staley of the Baptist church, and Rev. E. A. Shenk of the Lutheran church.

The service consisted of congregational singing with anthems by the large choir. "Oh, Come Let Us Sing" was rendered with Miss Pauline Peterson taking the solo part and Miss Vivian Edwards of Salem College leading, sang effectively Crusaders Hymn, "Fairer Lord Jesus." The pastor then announced that greetings had been received from Rev. A. D. Thaler, pastor of the Moravian church at Bethlehem, Pa., Bishop C. L. Meach, president of Provincial Elders' Conference of the Northern Province, Dr. Samuel Blum, principal of Nazareth Hall Military Academy, Nazareth, Pa., Rev. C. H.

Wenhold, Jr., a member of the Nazareth Hall faculty, and Rev. John Greenfield pastor of Nazareth, Pa., Moravian church; and in addition read a letter of greeting from Rev. Albert L. Oenter, now residing in Nazareth, Pa., on behalf of the Northern Province of the Moravian Church, Dr. J. H. Cleveland extended greetings to the congregation and the service closed with the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. Dr. H. A. Brown, pastor of the Baptist church.

After the lovefeast the communion was celebrated by Bishop Edward Rondthaler, assisted by Rev. J. K. Pfohl and Dr. H. E. Rondthaler. At this service seven persons were received into the communicant membership of the Home church.

At 7:30 o'clock in the evening the closing services of the day were held. They consisted of a song service and a sermon by the pastor introducing the series of evangelistic services that will be held at the Home church through out this week.

"I Was Glad" (Feast) was sung by a chorus of twenty voices and the students of Salem College rendered the Hosanna Chorus assisted by a large chorus made up of young members of the Home church.

It was announced by the pastor that the expenditures for improvements had exceeded somewhat the amount anticipated and that one member of the church had agreed to pay one half the amount; the congregation voted their approval of the plan when the matter was put before them by the pastor.

Rev. J. Kenneth Pfohl, the pastor preached an unusually strong sermon from 2 Cor. 6:16, "Ye are in the temple of the living God."

## "Get It at Watkins"

### Gifts With Individuality

The art of making acceptable gifts consists in selecting dainty remembrances, which fitly convey the sentiment of the giver and compliment the good taste and intelligence of the recipient. Nowhere are the requirements of appropriate presents for every age, taste and purse so well met as in our select line of:

GAMES	KODAKS
-------	--------

DENNISON'S CHRISTMAS TAG	VICTOR TALKING MACHINES
CARDS AND FANCY BOXES	EXCLUSIVE CALENDARS
CUT GLASS	JUVENILE BOOKS
POCKET BOOKS	DAINTY GIFT BOOKS
JEWEL CASES	IMPORTED BRASS
JEWEL BOXES	BIBLES AND PRAYER BOOKS
	DESK FURNISHINGS

## Waterman's Fountain Pens

### Gifts Appropriate for Sunday School Teachers to Give Their Pupils

## Watkins' Book Store

### Your Fall Suit and Overcoat is at BOYLES BROTHERS

**Buy "Him"**

One of our handsome serviceable Raincoats now for a Christmas present, and he's sure to "Come back handsome"

**Try It**

It Pays to

Follow the Arrow