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Big line of farm implements at Farmers Hardware Co.

I have a big lot of Felt Hats that I am selling at \$2.00. Mrs. E. E. Mc-

FOR RENT-Garage in Spindale, located on Route 20. Size 40x40 feet. Apply N. M. Ponder, Spindale, N.

Woolsey's heavy body paint is the best. Get it from the Farmers Hardware Co.

FOR SALE-Good house and lot. Will trade for small farm. See owner for price and terms. L. L. Reid, Spindale, N. C.

DeSoto Paint, double thick. Farmers Hardware Co.

MORTGAGE BLANKS-For sale at this office, or sent by mail. 1c each. No mail order for less than 10.

Lime and cement. Best in quality, lowest in price. Get it from the Farmers Hardware Co.

I am expecting another big lot of New Felt Hats this week. Mrs. E. E. McCurry. abbuttand account

LIME-The uniform fineness of Mascot Dolomitic Agricultural Lime insures dependable results and may be most profitably used in connection with super phosphate or a complete fertilizer. Write us for literature. American Limestone Company, Knoxville, Tennessee.

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MASONIC NOTICE-Forest City Lodge, No. 381, A. F. & A. M., meet every second and fourth Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. J. S. Wood, Secretary, G. C. Mc-Brayer, W. M.

Poultry supplies. Get the best and cheapest at Farmers Hardware Co.

MONEY TO LOAN - Short term loans on approved security. Moss and Powell, Attorneys, Forest City, N.

Keep your food as it should be Co. kept with Frigidaire. Farmers Hardware Co.

BOOST YOUR CITY-By using the illustrated Forest City letter less than 25 at one cent a sheet. Buy a few to write to your friends away from home. The Forest City Courier.

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able prices. Farmers Hardware Co. F. B. Harrill.

## ANGLO-EUROPEAN TELEPHONE NOW WELL DEVELOPED

Fifty-seven Circuits Connect British Isles With Their Continental Neighbors

Telephone service between England and the Continent was inaugurated in April, 1891, when two circuits were completed between London and Paris. It was not until twelve years later, in 1903, that communication with Belgium began with two London-Brussels cir-

When war broke out in 1914, twenty-three years after the Anglo-Continental service began, there were but thirteen circuits in operation and they carried just about one thousand calls a day. However, during the war, the telephone repeater came into existence in the United States, where it was perfected by engineers of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company for use in the first transcontinal line, uniting the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts, which was then being completed. The development of the telephone repeater at once attracted attention in Europe, where it was used on an extensive scale during the war; by the Germans to maintain communication between Berlin and Constantinople and with the German Headquarters in Macedonia, Roumania and Russia, and by the Allies for communication between their headquarters in France and Italy; and in Great Britain for the maintenance of communication at a critical time between London and the Military Headquarters in the north of England and Scotland.

Following the war, the first task was that of providing sufficient plant to meet demands for internal services, but by 1922, extensions of international services began, with the result that in September of that year an Anglo-Dutch service was opened, with two circuits between London, Amsterdam and Rotterdam. Since that time communication with the continent has increased to such an extent that there are now fifty-seven Anglo-Continental circuits in operation as compared with thirteen in August of 1914.

On the Anglo-French, Anglo-Belgian and the Anglo-Swiss circuits, the French language is employed for operating purposes, but on the other routes a considerable amount of English and German is used. The operators, for the most part, are required to speak more than one language.

LOST—Small patent leather hand ourse containing \$10.00 check, \$1.25 in change. Return to Courier office.

Spray and dusting material for bean heetle at Farmers Hardware

NOTICE-Farmers who wish to store potatoes in the Forest City curing house should see us at once about heads. Buy in any quantity of not your crates. Farmers Federation, Spindale, N. C.

Poultry supplies at Farmers Hard-

NOTICE—The Spindale Used Car to notify the public that after September 1, I will not be responsible

# Heating and piumbing at reason- for any debt contracted by this firm.

SMART FALL SHOES STYLES FOR EVERY COSTUME

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Timed to the moment in fashion are Wright-Scruggs Shoes for discriminating women. Each correct new apparel theme is reflected in appropriate shoes—that your ensemble may be perfect. Whether the costume is black, brown, tan beige, green, red or blue, correct shoes are here in models, as well as materials, that are adapted to the costume and the occasion, with a price range from \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Illustrated here is a beautiful Black Moire Step-In with silver kid trimmed bow. Quite appropriate for afternoon dresses.

PRICE \$8.50

Beautiful Hosiery Always.





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## PINEHURST NEWS

Ellenboro, R-2, Sept. 10.-Mr. W. A. Bridges and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bailey spent the week end visiting at Mr. G. S. Harrill's in Charlotte and Mr. W. T. Keeter's in Cramerton.

Miss Alice Harrill visited Miss Pauline Spratt Saturday night.

Miss Dorcas Jones, who is attending the teachers training school at Rutherfordton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A.

Miss Layettle Weast, teacher in the Pinehurst school, spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Merck are the proud parents of a fine son, born Sunday September 9.

Mr. Claude Harrill left Monday for Wake Forest College where he will attend school again.

Those visiting at Mr. Ship Harrill's Sunday were: Mr. J. D. Well's and family of Henrietta, Messrs. Billie and Monroe Wells, Miss Malindy Wells and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Merck.

Miss Mable Jones entertained a number of her friends with a party Saturday night.

Those visiting at Mr. W. A. Bridges Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Watson, Mr. C. C. Merck and family, Mr. Walter Bridges and family Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bailey and Mr. Edgar Price and family.

The Pinehurst Home demonstration club met with Mrs. W. W. Jones last Friday afternoon and Miss Howard gave a demonstration on cur-

Mr. Edgar Price and family spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. Joe Allen's. The summer term of Pinehurst school will close Friday, September 14. It has been a most successful term, sponsored by Misses Layettle Weast and Docia Beam.

### HOLDS STEP-SAVING RECORD FOR NATION

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Has First Place in Development of Extension Telephones

Among cities of 50,000 population or more in which the Bell System operates, Mount Vernon, N. Y., has the distinction of possessing a tension telephones than any other city in the United States. Next to Mount Vernon is ranked East Orange, N. J. In these communities reside many New York business men who, having found extension telephones so useful in their offices, desire to have their homes similarly equipped.

The advantage of an extension telephone in the home is that it saves the housewife many weary steps. The use of such extension telephones is increasing rapidly, not only in New York and suburbs, but in other parts of the country. The city of Richmond, Va., has a high development of home extension telephones and likewise Washington, D. C.

Among other large cities of over 50,000 population where the Bell System reports a large proportion of extension telephones are: Portland (Me.), Hartford (Conn.), Albany (N. Y.), Syracuse (N. Y.), Yonkers (N. Y.) Atlantic City (N. J.), Harrisburg (Pa.), Pittsburgh (Pa.), Huntington (W. Va.), Oak Park (Ill.), Springfield (Ill.), Cedar Rapids (Ia.), Omaha (Neb.), Duluth (Minn.), Des Moines (Ia.), Dallas (Tex.), Little Rock (Ark.), Houston (Tex.), Oklahoma City (Okla.), St. Joseph (Mo.), Topeka (Kans.), Tulsa (Okla.), Wichita (Kans.), Denver (Colo.), San Francisco (Cal.), and Oakland (Cal.).

# USED CARS

FOR SALE I have the following cars

1 \$100.00 Due Bill on new

Ford. Gets next car.

1 '27 Chevrolet Landau

1 '24 Buick Touring.

1 '27 Dodge Coupe

1 '26 Dodge Sedan 1 '27 Oldsmobile Sedan

1 '24 Dodge Coupe

**3 Ford Tourings** 

1 '26 Dodge Coupe

1 '25 Oldsmobile Sedan 1 Studebaker Touring

1 '25 Ford Coupe

1'25 Ford Touring

Phone 107

### TOUGH PROBLEM FOR TELEPHONE COMPANY

Rebuilds Three Exchanges Without Interfering With Handling of Million Calls a Day

What is declared to be the largest single transition project in telephone installation history was successfully completed recently in New York City. It involved the revamping of three existing central offices, with economizing in apparatus and space so as to provide for two additional offices to serve what is known as Manhattan's "white light" district.

All the time that this huge transition was being carried out, traffic went on as usual throughout day and night, approximately 1,000,000 calls daily being handled through these offices. The project took place in the West Thirtysixth street building, which serves the heart of New York's shopping, hotel, transit, garment manufacturing, theatrical and night life district. Here the saying, "Broadway never sleeps," applies and the transition job of necessity was carried along with particular care against service interruption by night as well as by day.

It was necessary to literally rebuild these central offices. The task involved the removal of the entire incoming multiple switchboard and the replacement of same, re-cabling and in some instances transferring from one set of frames to another. This had to be done, of course, without any interference with service and it was a most difficult task.

When the task was completed there were two new offices in addition to the existing three to serve this important district of Manhattan.

The city of Athens in Greece has only 1,800 telephone subscribers.

In September the old poultry houses should be repaired or new ones built. Blue prints, showing how to build the North Carolina house, are available at State College.

# School Days are Here Again

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--- and we are prepared to supply the things needed for their comfort and well being.

> **Nail Polish Face Powder Face Cream** Lip Stick Compacts Rouge Perfume **Bath Salts Pocket knives** Razors Razor Blades **Shaving Cream Shaving Lotions**

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Prompt Mail Order Service

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Pencil No. 174 Made in five grades For iale at your Dealer ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH TIR RED BAND EAGLE MIKADO EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, NEW YORK

# Ihree Big Days

Thurs., Friday and Sat. Sept. 13, 14 and 15

Final Close - Out Sale of Piece Goods, Sweaters, Underwear and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

All items mentioned above going at ONE-HALF PRICE to close out.

We must sell these goods regardless of price to re-arrange our store for the most up-todate One Dollar Store in the state.

Our loss is your gain. Visit our store during this three days' sale.

Buck Stores, Inc.

**Next Door to Peoples Drug Store** 

Forest City, N. C.