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$20.00 WILL BUY a No. 7 Fay-Sho, a No. 1 Williams, a No. 2 Oliver a No. 7 Underwood a No. 6 Remington or a No. 2 Smith Premier. Crayton & Co., 217½ S. Tryon. 'Phone No. 304. 11-3t

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LOST—A white bull dog, female, ears and tail cut. Collar and lock on neck. Reward. Hall Bros., 235 E. Trade. 3-6-d&w-tf

H. C. LONG CO. already have in new Spring Suits, Pants, Hats and Shoes. 11-1t

DR. W. H. WAKEFIELD has rooms in 408 and 409 Realty Building and will be in his offices from 9 to 2 on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. 4-tf

NOTICE—The firm of Overcash & Mills has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the firm are to be paid to me. I will not be responsible for any new debts incurred by A. W. Mills or the old firm of Overcash & Mills. This Feby. 6, 1909. J. W. Overcash. 6-10t

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TO LOAN—$2,000 for a long term, on first mortgage on up-town, improved, city real estate. Thaddeus A. Adams, attorney, 214-216 Law Bldg., city. 10-2t.

DR. A. M. WHISNANT removed to rooms 307 and 308 Realty Building. 2-1-25t

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H. C. SHERRILL, the Notary Public, wants to do your notary work. See him at News office, or 'Phone 115.

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New Blood In Old Firm

Important Changes in the Little Long Co. — Mr. Springer and Mr. Townsend Are Added to The Directorate.

The elevation to the presidency of one of the greatest mercantile institutions of the city and state of Mr. J. W. Cuthbertson, and other changes, mark an epoch in the business life of Charlotte. Mr. Cuthbertson was yesterday elected president and treasurer of the Little-Long Company, the huge department store. At the same time the firm was strengthened by the election of Mr. J. H. Little, vice president; Mr. A. B. Springer, vice president and buyer, and Mr. L. J. Townsend secretary and manager. The latter are new men, comparatively speaking, so far as connection with this house is concerned, but their long experience and fine judgment insure a larger measure of success to the company than it has ever enjoyed in the past.

At the stockholders' meeting which preceded the meeting of the directors which resulted as above stated, the following board of directors was chosen:

Messrs. W. E. Holt, S. B. Tanner, R. L. Gibbon, D. H. Jenkins, J. R. Irwin, P. S. Gilchrist, J. H. Little, C. S. Lyon and J. W. Cuthbertson, of the old directorate. To these were added Messrs Springer and Townsend.

Mr. Cuthbertson is a Charlotte man who has climbed to the top of the ladder of business success. He began business in Charlotte 20 years ago, going with the firm of H. Baruch as cashier. After five years' service he went with the Charlotte Clothing Company and was here also for five years. For the past ten years he has been with Tapp, Long & Co., the Tapp-Long Co., and the Little Long Co., successively. Mr. Cuthbertson's experience and talent have made him one of the foremost business men of the state, and fitted him for the great position of trust to which he was yesterday chosen.

Mr. Springer has had 20 years' experience in the dry goods line. He came here from Waycross, Ga., on the first of last December. At Waycross he was manager for the Grace-Brantly Company, one of the largest houses in Georgia. Before this he was for a while with the J. M. High & Co., of Atlanta.

Mr. Townsend is well known in Charlotte, having for the past four years been manager of the Kress store here. He was for three years previous to coming here with one of the Southern stores of the Kress company, and has been extremely successful.

With the experience of these men, so finely qualified, the department store will be systematized thoroughly and put in modern, up-to-date shape. The business of the Trade and Tryon street stores will be concentrated more closely than ever before. The sale of silks or underwear, for example, will be had in only one place or on one floor of the building. Heretofore the sale of many articles has been duplicated in both stores.

Among new improvements to be put in are electric elevators and a cash carrier system in the Tryon street store and both a parcel and cash carrier system in the Trade street store.

The entrance to the Trade street store will be changed by the addition of another large plate glass window in the centre.

A Card of Thanks.

The Craig family wishes to extend their heartiest thanks to their kind neighbors and friends, and Dr. Winchester; also to the pastor and members of Trinity M. E. church for their kindness during the illness and death of their mother, Mrs. M. J. Craig.

JOY

Mothers know real Joy who have seen the quick relief given to the little ones by Vick's Croup and Pneumonia Salve. Have it ready. All Druggists, 25, 50 and $1.00.

The Appeal to A. R. P. Synod

Paper Adopted at Meeting of First A. R. P. Board Argues Against Dissolving Pastoral Relation.

At a meeting of the elders, deacons and trustees of the First A. R. P. church last night, the appeal to Synod from the action of the Presbytery dissolving the pastoral relations between the pastor and the congregation was decided upon. The following is a record of the minutes of the meeting:

At a meeting of the elders, deacons and trustees of the First A. R. P. church, Charlotte, N. C., held in church, the following were present: Elders T. M. McConnell, T. P. Ross, A. J. Hunter and W. A. Cochrane; Deacons J. H. Hamilton, Ira P. Ranson, G. J. Griffith and R. H. Ramsey; Trustees J. C. Glenn, J. H. Hamilton and R. H. Ramsey.

T. M. McConnell was unanimously elected chairman and R. H. Ramsey elected secretary.

A motion was made by A. J. Hunter that an appeal be taken from the action of Presbytery held at Rock Hill, S. C., on Feb. 4th, 1909, dissolving the relation of pastor and congregation, seconded by T. P. Ross. Remarks were made by T. P. McConnell, T. P. Ross, W. A. Cochrane and A. J. Hunter after which the motion was put and carried unanimously. There was not a dissenting vote.

It was moved and seconded that the minutes be adopted as read and corrected. The motion caried.

R. H. RAMSEY, Sec.
Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 10, 1909.

"Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 10, 1909.
"The Rev. R. M. Stevenson, D. D., Clerk of the First Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of the South.
"Dear Sir and Brother:

"We, the undersigned, as elder, and special commissioner respectively, representing the congregation of the First A. R. P. church, of Charlotte, N. C., give notice, hereby, of appeal from the action of the First Presbytery, taken at a recent meeting in Rock Hill, S. C., in dissolving the pastoral relation existing between Rev. Wm. Duncan and the congregation of the First church, as both unwise and unjust, and for the following reasons:

1st. It was only two months and a half since this Presbytery, after a most careful, and thorough investigation of the case, exonerated Mr. Duncan and directed him to remain where he was, until the meeting was called at which this action was taken.

2nd. Because the congregation, as now constituted, is united, happy and prosperous, receiving members into its communion every few days, paying the pastor's salary as usual, and meeting all its financial obligations at home and abroad—and with one voice—deep-toned and serious—entreats that their beloved pastor be allowed to remain and continue his work until believing it to be for the best interest of our church, and of the cause of Christ, he shall voluntarily resign his charge.

3rd. We believe that the case has been strongly prejudiced against us by misrepresentations which have been made, as regards the real condition of affairs in our church; by the covert, unfair and unchristian methods employed, and by the prejudiced, misleading and untruthful reports of the case appearing in the papers, and given by persons who have been, and who are Mr. Duncan's avowed and relentless enemies.

4th. Because this meeting of Presbytery was arranged for, and this matter re-opened at, the instance of certain parties who, refusing to abide by the decision of the Presbytery, given at a former meeting when this case was issued, have opposed their own judgment (or wish) against the judgment of the Presbytery, and have persistently, and determinedly, urged a different course from that directed by this court—namely: that the pastor ought to resign, though the mandate of the Presbytery bade him remain where he was; because in its judgment "greater harm would result from a dissolution of the pastoral relation than otherwise." Yet, by continual agitation of the matter, and advocacy of their individual opinion, they have succeeded in bringing about this decision now rendered.

5th. Because it will result disastrously to the congregation; for while it caters to the demands of a few people who have already left the congregation, and identified themselves with other churches and denominations, will offend and grieve three hundred loyal members who have stood by the church, and are now standing by it, and by what they believe to be a just, and righteous cause, who have met and are meeting all the obligations of the church, financial and otherwise.

6th. Because the decision just rendered does a gross injustice to our pastor, who was, by this same court, vindicated, and who has been faithfully, and patiently, carrying out the instructions of the Presbytery in face of the unceasing and bitter opposition of those who resented, and despised, the authority of this court, and who are his implacable enemies; Mr. Clerk we appeal to the Synod to reverse the action of the First Presbytery in this matter.

(Signed.)
T. M. McCONNELL,
THOS. P. ROSS.

—Mr. H. D. Willcox left last night for Montgomery, Ala., in response to a telegram announcing the death of Miss Josephine Willcox, a niece. Mr. Willcox was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. C. P. Willcox.

A pill in time that will save nine is Rings Little Liver Pills. For biliousness, sick headache, constipation. They do not gripe. Price 25. Sold by S. L. Alexander & Co.

MADAM NAZIMOVA COMING ON 27TH.

Russian Actress, Whose Gowns Have Been Given Much Notoriety, Will Appear Here in "The Doll's House."

A notable event in theatrical circles this month will be the appearance in this city of Madame Nazimova, a Russian player who has gained an enviable position among the best known stars of Broadway. Madame Nazimova will be seen here in "The Doll's House," on the evening of the 27th.

Madame Nazimova's career in New York is known throughout the land, for few foreign actresses have been given so much newspaper and magazine notoriety as she. Her gowns have also been given much notoriety.

Madame Nazimova learned English to appear at the Herald Square Theater, New York, for an engagement that was a mere trial, and triumphed so notably that a regular playhouse was found for her, she has remained steadily on Broadway, first in the Princess and afterwards at the Bijou, where she has presented in turn "A Dill's House," "The Master Builder" and "Hedda Gabler" and given Ibsen a vogue such as this author has never known. Later she offered Owen Johnson's "The Comet" and Robert Bracci's "Comtesse Coquette" each for a long run.

Under the direction of the Shubert's Madam Nazimova is making her first regular tour and this will include only the more important cities of the United States. Everywhere she has repeated her New York triumph and her engagements have been a series of gatherings of the most brilliant society and culture.

Her local engagement will bring to this city the same acting company seen with her at the Bijou and three car loads of stage settings and effects. Her repertoire will be all in in English.

SOCIAL

Washington Party for Children.

The ladies of the Young Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Second Presbyterian church will give a George Washington party next Monday, Washington's birthday. It will be given in the store room on North Tryon street, formerly used by the La Marguerite shop. An attractive program is being arranged.

Mr. H. C. Irwin, formerly chief of police of this city, who has been laid up for several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, has gone to Hot Springs, Ark., to take the baths. He was accompanied by Mr. J. H. Lillycrop, who has been suffering severely from sciatica. They take with them the best wishes of their friends for an early recovery.

LOOKED LIKE A MYSTERY.

A Corpse at Depot Waited for Long Time For An Owner.

"Have you found out anything about a corpse at the depot?"

A young man at one of the undertaking houses asked a News reporter that startling question this morning. "It's a big story, shrouded in mystery," thought the news gatherer and he at once began asking more questions.

"No. What have you heard about it?"

"One of the officials of the express company phoned us at 11 o'clock last night and asked if we had an appointment to meet a corpse at the depot. We didn't and the matter ended there so far as we were concerned.

The other undertaker's place was visited but the proprietor had heard nothing of the corpse. The reporter hurried on down to the express office. The clerks said the corpse was at the depot and that they would be both much obliged and relieved if somebody would call for it.

"To whom is it assigned?" The reply was "Miss Mattie J. White." The city directory was examined but Miss Mattie J. White's name was not found. Neither did the colored directory contain a Mattie J. White. There was, however, a Munroe White, of Caldwell street, whose wife's name was Mattie. This clue had about solved the mystery when Mr. Hamilton, the agent, walked in and cleared it up. He said the corpse had been called for and shipped to Davidson.

Bell Telephone Managers Meet.

A conference of the North and South Carolina managers of the larger exchanges of the Southern Bell Telephone company was adjourned last night after a two-days' session. The purpose of the meeting was to consult in reference to extending toll lines, and adopting such measures as would result in increasing the number of farmer's lines and exchanges at each exchange.

Work of Tearing Down Now in Progress.

The work of tearing down the old Young Men's Christian Association building on South Tryon street for the erection of a fine banking house for the home of the American Trust company is now under way. The work will be pushed as rapidly as possible and is under the direction of Superintendent Thurlow of the contracting firm of Hoggson Bros., of New York.

Grand Jury Investigating.

The grand jury is making its usual investigations. A committee from its members, composed of Messrs. L. H. Robinson, J. A. Gilbert, A. A. McAlister, W. R. Alexander and P. A. Newell are at the county home today, and it is understood will have an important recommendation to make.

Calhoun Trial Postponed.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 11.—The trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railways, accused of bribery, was postponed until next Monday on account of the illness of Assistant District Attorney Heney.

The union prayer meeting for home missions at the Second Presbyterian church at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon will be in charge of the ladies of Westminster Presbyterian church. Miss Mildren Watkins will speak.

Today's Markets

Hayward & Clark's Cotton Letter.

New Orleans, Feb. 11.—Instead of improving already small market difference between Liverpool and our market is worse today as new positions in the English market declined 3 points more than due. As spot support, which is so much needed at present, depends largely on improvement in the parity today's developments did not strengthen the situation. Spot prices in Liverpool were six lower total sales, 10,000. Our market received a good deal of support around the opening, which prevented liquidation from having a more pronounced effect on prices, but there was not much disposition to respond to any invitation towards a bullish move. It remains to be seen whether the much advertised bull deal in March will be carried out even under changed conditions. Meanwhile, it is hardly probable that leading interests will sacrifice their position, and the market is liable to be professionally supported against excessive decline. On the first real improvement in spot demand, the market is liable to recover rapidly as the conviction that cotton is working towards a pustified higher level of values is as strong as ever. New crops need no special recommendation, they stand in a class of their own containing a predominance of bullish chances. A conservative buying policy, taking advantage of the present sympathetic depression will hardly prove a mistake. No change in the spot situation. Only a small demand but owing to steadier futures prices are unchanged.

New York Cotton.

	High.	Low.	Feb. 11. Close.
Jan	9.23	9.22	9.20—22
Feb	——	——	9.42—44
Mar	9.55	9.48	9.48—49
Apr	——	——	9.43—44
May	9.50	9.41	9.43
June	——	——	9.39—41
July	9.47	9.39	9.39—40
Aug	9.37	9.32	9.31—32
Sept	——	——	9.27—28
Oct	9.34	9.26	9.27—28
Nov	——	——	9.22—24
Dec	9.29	9.22	9.22—23

Closed barely steady. Spots 9.85.

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, Feb. 11.—Futures opened steady and closed quiet; receipts 22,000, American 20,800; sales 10,000, American 9,500; middling 5.11, yesterday 5.17; moderate business.

Feb	5.02½
Feb-Mar	5.03
Mar-Apr	5.03½
May-June	5.04
July-Aug	5.05½
Aug-Sept	4.99½
Sept-Oct	4.95½
Oct-Nov	4.93
Nov-Dec	4.91
Dec-Jan	4.90

Liverpool Cotton.
Charlotte Cotton Market.

Good middling	9¾
Strict middling	9⅝
Middling	9½
Tinges and stains	6½ to 9c

Chicago Grain and Produce.

	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—			
May	113	112	113
July	101¼	100⅝	101⅛
Sept	96⅞	96¼	96¾
CORN—			
May	64⅝	64¼	64⅜
July	64⅛	63¾	63⅞
Sept	64⅛	63¾	63⅞
OATS—			
May	53½	53⅛	53⅛
July	48	47⅝	47⅝
Sept	39⅞	39⅝	39¾
PORK—			
May	17.05	16.92	16.97
July	17.15	17.02	17.07
LARD—			
May	9.72	9.55	9.70
July	9.85	9.77	9.82
RIBS—			
May	8.92	8.85	8.90
July	9.10	9.05	9.07

Charlotte Produce Market.

Hens—per head	.35 @40
Spring chickens—large	.25 @30
Spring chickens—medium	.17 @20
Turkeys—per lb	.13 @14
Eggs	.24 @25

CERTIFICATE

Being a state official and authorized to administer oaths and certify documents, I hereby certify that correspondence laid before me this morning from an Eastern city, states as follows: "A Dr. B——, an old practitioner in this city has had Bright's Disease for years, is bed ridden, and is simply waiting his time. He has taken three bottles of Fulton's Renal Compound with more than the usual results. Wednesday, of last week, a brother physician called to see him. The latter upon finding he was better, asked what he was taking. Dr. B—— replied, "it is in the window." The Dr.'s rejoinder was, "And so you are taking that stuff, too, are you? I had a severe case of Diabetes in a patient who left this city and whom I expected to die. Yesterday I had a letter from him stating that he had taken Fulton's Compound and was well."

The following report is made by another prominent physician in the same city, using Fulton's Compound on an acute case of Bright's—"case is now on the second bottle with astonishing results."

Witness my hand and seal in evidence of the genuineness of this correspondence affixed at Oakland, Cal., this December 28th, 1907.

(seal.) T. C. LANDREGAN,
Notary Public.

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Rock Island	24⅞
Illinois Central	142½
Louisville & Nashville	127
Missouri Pacific	72¼
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	43
New York Central	126¾
Norfolk & Western	47⅝
Pennsylvania	132
Reading	132½
St. Paul	146¼
Southern Pacific	118⅝
Southern Railway	26
Southern Railway, pfd	63¾
Union Pacific	36¾
Union Pacific	179⅛
Wabash	19
Wabash, pfd	49⅜
Amalgamated Copper	77½
Broklyn Rapid Transit	71½
Col. Fuel and Iron	40⅛
Consolidated Gas	121
People's Gas	110⅝
American Sugar Refining	132¾
Sloss-Shef Iron and Steel	79⅝
U. S. Steel	52⅝
U. S. Steel pfd	113½
V.-C. Chemical	46

PINEVILLE ITEMS.

Pineville, Feb. 11.—Miss Margaret Marquis, of the Elizabeth faculty, Charlotte, spent the week end with her friend, Miss Vera Alma Culp, at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Stough, on Main street.

Little William, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnett, who has been very ill of pneumonia, is somewhat improved at present.

Mr. R. R. Harris has gone to Concord to spend some time with his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Howard.

The Ladies Missionary Society, of the A. R. P. church, were entertained yesterday at the residence of Miss Beulah Yountz, where dainty refreshments were served. The society was recently organized but is steadily growing in number and interest.

The Baptist Sunday school of our town, is the banner school, and has the largest attendance in the village. Its prosperity is said to be due to the fact that they meet in the afternoon, when all the young people are wide awake, but it is due to something more and that is that they are an energetic working body and are enthused with interest in the good cause.

Rev. R. H. Borthwick, who has been assisting Dr. Parker in a meeting at Waxhaw, has returned.

One of the most brilliant social events of the season was marked by a reception at the pretty home of Miss Nannie Gilson, on College street last week, where her niece, Miss Rebecca Nichol entertained in honor of her cousin, Miss Annie Mae Gelston, of Columbia, S. C.

The following invited guests were present: Misses Edith Ward, Fannie Siens, Margaret Warlick, Emma Lee Nesbit, Mary Sims, Nan Ward, of Charlotte; Minnie Garrison, Martha Smith, of Fort Mill; Annie Mae and Belle Gelston, of Columbia; Vera Alma Culp, Maggie Johnston, of the village; Messrs. Perry McGinn, Rae Lee, John Nichols, of Charlotte; Oscar Culp, Frank Huggins, of Fort Mill; Luther Hampton, of Gastonia; John Gelston, of Columbia; Will and John McLelland, of Steel Creek, and Prof. A. C. Dubose, of Pineville.

The following guests assisted in receiving: In the front hall, Miss Fan Sims, who wore pink batiste with trimming of baby irish and white carnations and Mr. Will McLelland. In the parlor, Misses Rebecca Nichols and Annie Mae Gelston, the former of whom was gowned in white silk, with lace trimming, and pink carnations, and the latter green crepe de chene with duchess lace and white carnations. Miss Vera Alma Culp, who presided over the punch bowl, wore purple princess silk with real lace trimming and violets. In the dining room Misses Belle Gelston and Maggie Johnston. Miss Gelston wore cream batiste with lace trimming and Miss Johnston's dress was white mohair with silk trimming.

The handsome dining room, the color scheme of which was red and green, was lovely and on the extended table, with its elegant spread of dainty refreshments, was a centerpiece of red carnations contrasting beautifully with the snowy nappery and the fresh green ferns, banked in every available niche. The evening was spent most pleasantly in a quotation contest and Misses Martha Smith and Mary Sims delighted the guests with charming piano selections.

Schooner Abandoned at Sea.

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 11.—The abandonment at sea of the schooner Elvira Ball, bound from Jacksonville to Boston, was reported by Captain Stanton of the abandoned vessel by telegram from Norfolk, Va., to agents of the vessel here. All bands on board were taken off and landed at Norfolk because the schooner, Thelma, bound for Savannah from New York, which put in in an opportune appearance on February 8th when the Elviria Ball, after striking a sunken obstruction became waterlogged and entirely unmanageable, and was struggling with heavy seas east of the entrance to the Chesapeake bay.

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