PENNY COLUMN

Learn Barbering—Big Wages; Jobs guaranteed. Write for Catalog. Richmond Barber College, 602 East Marshall St., Richmond, Va. 13-10t-p.

Women Wanted Immediately to Introduce Priscilla Dress Fabrics, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs and General Dry Goods. Reliable firm. Beautiful samples, instructions furnished. Easy, pleasant work. Good pay. Fitzcharles Co., Trenton, N. J. 13-1t-p.

We Need An Industrious, Reputable Lady or gentleman to sell the genuine J. R. Watkins Products in Concord. A few good territories also open in other nearby cities. The nationally advertised Watkins Products have been known and used since 1868. Don't accept any other offer until you get our proposition—it's different. Full particulars and samples are free, write today. J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 93, 155 Perry, St., New York, N. Y. Oct. 6-13-20-27-p.

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For Rent—Nine Hundred Square Feet of storage space. Five dollars per month. Telephone 817. 10-6t-p.

Phone 550R For Information to the purchase of Singer Sewing Machine. H. D. Carpenter. 10-4t-p.

We Still Have Plenty of Good Home made kraut. Phone 565. Ed. M. Cook Company. 9-5t-p.

Wanted—Men or Women to Take Orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women, and children. Eliminates darning. Salary $75 a week full time; $1.50 an hour spare time. Cotton, heathers, silks. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa. 3-10t1p.

For Sale—My Gardner Touring Car, Recently repainted and completely overhauled. In A1 condition mechanically, for $350.00 cash for quick sale, as I am leaving city. M. Verburg, 47 Loan st. 13-4t-p.

Garage For Rent. Dr. J. E. Smoot, phone 88. 12-tf-chg.

Miss Ethel Griffin, Public Stenographer and Notary Public at St. Cloud Hotel. 10-6t-p.

Apples, Apples, We Have Fresh Car in Bulk and they are fine, and also cheap. Phone 565. We deliver quick. Ed. M. Cook Company. 9-6t-p.

The Kannapolis White Bus Line During Fair Week will run through from Kannapolis to the Fair Grounds. The same hourly schedule will be maintained. Buses leave Fair Grounds for Kannapolis after last show each night. 9-6t-p.

For Sale—Fresh Cow With Her Calf. Valuable real estate at Kannapolis. Stores, barbershop, dwelling. Rented now at good prices. Will sell one or all of stores in Bellvue (Petheltown) now occupied by McCombs & Son, Bruce Ford and others. Will sell the barber shop and the 7 50-foot vacant lots below. With the exception of the North Side this property is surrounded by the Cannon Mills property, and only four blocks from the mills. Rents well. Set your own price. Sell to the highest bidder. See or phone B. L. Umberger, 3603. 9-tf.

All Persons Having Rooms Which They want to rent during Fair Week are asked to make the fact known to either Mrs. W. A. Foil or Mrs. M. L. Marsh. 8-6t-c.

For Rent—Cafe Building. Ideal Location. G. M. Beaver. 8-6t-p.

Help Wanted—10 Well Educated 100 per cent Americans to travel. Not house to house proposition. Reply giving two references, Box 261, Concord, N. C. 13-1t-p.

COTTON ASSO. OF STATE ANNOUNCES ITS PRICE

Will Pay Average of 24 1-2 Cents to All the Members in State

Raleigh, Oct. 12.—An average price of twko and one-half cents a pound over the average price recevied on the open market is the amount which the members of th eNorth Carolina Cotton Growers Co-operative Association will receive for the 1922 crop—after deducting all expenses of operation—a showing that commands the appreciation of the membership and demonstrates the value of co-operative marketing. Checks are being mailed the members for the final settlement now and will continue until every check is out.

According to the results of a survey of the cotton markets throughout North Carolina cotton belt the average price paid for cotton during the season of 1922 was twenty-two cents. The final statement of the Cotton Growers Co-operative Association shows that the net average price which is being paid to the members of thhe Association on short staple cotton is twenty-four and one-half cents. This is the net price after paying all expenses of operation.

Director of Information, T. W. Chambliss, says that naturally the expense of operation was heavier for the past season than it would be the coming season, this being the experience of other co-operative organizations. Starting with inexperience, the untrained employes and the fact that every department had to be built up from the ground was necessarily more expensive than it will be from this time forward.

There is another feature that is important. The co-operating associations acted as a stabilizer of the market and it was evident that the average price received by the non-member of 22 cents was higher than it would have been without the influence of the C-operative Marketing Association.

While the final statement does not show as much gain for the members as the management hoped for, Mr. Chambliss explained, it is gratifying and should assure those members who have listened to enemies of co-operative marketing that they can depend upon receiving better returns for their labor when their product is handled co-operatively. The fact that much of the 1922 crop had to be held for several months has naturally increased the expense.

Plans for the coming year indicate an increased delivery of cotton and every department is ready for the work. The sales department has already made some sales both at home and abroad and many of the larger manufacturers with whom the association did business last year are making inquiries and are anxious to do business the coming year.

Sleeping Sickness Responds to Scientific Treatment.

Hamburg, Oct. 12.—Cures which strike the Congo natives as being more miraculous than those of biblical days are being performed on victims of sleeping sickness in Central Africa, according to Dr. Martin Mayer, of the Hamburg Tropical Institute, who was the first scientist to test a German remedy on sleeping sickness.

A German commission under the leadership of Dr. Klein is now in the tropical section of Africa applying the remedy. There are records of 170 Congo natives who have been treated. Only a few of these died, owing to brain and nerve complications. The others regained their strength, and declared they were as well as they ever had been.

Dr. Mayer is of the opinion that science has found a remedy which will make it possible to develop much territory in the tropics which has hitherto been closed because of the danger of sleeping sickness.

62,430 Pay to See the Third Game Between New Yorkers.

New York, Oct. 12.—The total receipts for the first three games of the world's series reached $541,482 with today's record crowd of 62,430 at Yankee stadium.

Today's figures:
Attendance, 62,430.
Receipts, $201,072.
Advisory council's share, $30,160.80.
Players' pool, $102,546.72.
Each club's share, $34,182.24.
Total figures for three games:
Attendance, 158,139.
Receipts, $541,482.
Advisory council's share, $87,222.30.
Players' pool, $270,155.82.
Each club's share, $92,051.95.

An uphill journey early in life strengthens your staying power.

The barriers are not yet erected which shut out aspiring talent.

A RIOT EXPECTED

The Pastime Theatre's attractive and special arranged lobby will be packed and jammed with an enormous crowd of people, all eager to see the FILMED-IN-CABARRUS MOTION PICTURE COMEDY SUCCESS, with Cabarrus characters and revealing Cabarrus' most beautiful scenery.

Many feet will be trampled upon, heads will be shoved together, as the old town "time-piece" sounds the warning for the theater doors to swing open.

And then, "the morning after the night before" if your new pair of shoes are ruined, your feet two times their natural size and a swelling big rising upon your head sending painful "messages" to numerous parts of your exerted body, indicating "the night before" YOU CAN'T DENY TAAT IT WAS NOT WELL WORTH IT.—Nothing matters if you get to see this inexpensive treat.

Please, all who can, come in the afternoon to vaoid the night "riot," especially the "tots." Will show continuously day and night, Monday and Tuesday, October 15 and 16, at the Pastime Theatre.

Come—don't mind the crowds!

—ALSO—

Milton Sills with an all star cast, in **"LEGALLY DEAD"**

This is one of the very biggest photoplay sensations ever offered to the people of Cabarrus County. Booker especially for these two days, and is a complete special program itself. You'll be delighted with this one.

Owing to the expectation of large audiences for these two days the admission will remain small, 10c and 30c.

GERMANY NOW THE BEST COTTON BUYER IN NEW YORK

And Pays Cash, $72,566,183 in Eight Months Despite the State of the Mark.

New York Times.

Despite the fact that its currency is well-nigh worthless in all markets, having sold in New York yesterday at 2,000,000 marks to the dollar, Germany continues to be one of this country's best customers for cotton, copper and meat products. In the last eight months Germany has bought approximately $10,000,000 more cotton than any other country, and in the same period her copper purchases have greatly exceeded those of any other one country.

The question has been raised in banking circles by these figures, issued by the Department of Commerce, as to how Germany has been able to finance these tremendous shipments of raw materials. In August, for instance, shipments of raw cotton to Germany were 70,209 bales, valued at $9,534,187. The next best customer was England, whose purchases totalled 46,479 bales, valued at $5,998,725.

For the eight months ended with August, Germany took 509,644 bales of cotton, valued at $72,566,183. The next highest purchaser was England, which took 443,343 bales, valued at $62,352,491. In this connection it is interesting to note that German imports during that period were approximateley double those of either France or England.

August shipments of copper to Germany aggregated 9,580,045 pounds, valued at $1,460,319. These monthly shipments were exceeded only by those which went to France and England. For the first eight months of the year Germany's imports of copper from the United States were 107,976,528 pounds, valued at $17,301,717, which is considerably larger than the value of copper shipped to any other country.

Many bankers of the financial district, thoroughly familiar with international trade conditions, admit their inability to ascertain just how these large shipments of American raw materials have been financed. They know, of course, that Germany has had an opporeunity of building her balances to a tremendous size in this country by the sale of marks over a long period, through shipments of gold, through American cash now in Germany, through the sale of German securities abroad and through balances in other countries, drawn on by her importers. But these bankers believe that some light might be thrown on this problem if the exact figures on imports and exports, representing Germany's foreign trade, could be ascertained.

Figures on Germany's exports are practically impossible to ascertain because of the cloak of secrecy thrown about them, but it is admitted not only by the Department of Commerce, but by international bankers in touch with the situation, that her exports probably are greatly in excess of her imports.

Investigations which have been made in the financial district, while they do not conclusively prove that all payments were made in the same way, indicate that Germany has been able to finance the purchase of these materials in three ways. First, by recourse to credit reserves established in the United States over a long period of time, and which probably started very soon after the armistice and continued down to this day, in diminishing ratio, however, as the mark became more nearly worthless.

The Cabarrus Fair.

Salisbury Post.

We cannot but feel interested in the Cabarrus fair which is staged for the coming week. Cabarrus patronized the Salisbury fairs in past years most liberally, and Rowan will no doubt return the compliment this October and visit the Cabarrus fair. The organization backing the fair has a new plant, large tract of land with new buildings and the whole county is boosting it; so we may expect a good exhibit.

Story of Diamond in Floats.

In order to celebrate its renaissance, the diamond industry of Antwerp organized a great jewel procession. The Royal family viewed the pageant.

The parade consisted of 15 beautifully decorated cars depicting industry, and also the history of the jewel. The procession lasted for one and one-half hours.

EQUINE FLAPPER LOVES TO KISS DASHING OWNER

York County Horse Also Knows How to Laugh When Anything Funny Happens.

York, S. C., Oct. 11.—A horse that can count, shake "hand," laugh and kiss, yes, kiss, is owned by Dr. M. W. White, well known York dentist. This remarkable equine is not a trick horse bought from a circus, either, but is an honest, every day sort of horse, who each day gives excellent service to the buggy and under the saddle, performing fancy stunts strictly as a side line.

She—yes, it is a lady, no masculine mind could be so nimble—is 10 years old and has learned all her tricks in the last two years, during which she has been the property of her present owner. Maud is her name, though the doctor's children objecting to this prosaic cognomen, usually call her Beautiful. She is a small, brownish, ordinary looking horse, with nothing outward to evidence her superior intelligence—but then W. Shakespeare looked about like other individuals of his day, with nothing to indicate the light behind the brow, did he not?

Dr. White brought Maud down town this afternoon and put her through a few of her tricks, to the amusement and delight of scores of spectators. After she had demonstrated her mathematical knowledge by counting, indicating her answers by pawing the ground, and doing other tricks, her master pointed his finger at one in the crowd not noted for personal pulchritude, to put it euphemistically, and told her to laugh at him. She complied almost instantly with a very creditable laugh, in which only the cackle was missing.

Next Dr. White walked off a few steps and told her to come and kiss him. She looked at him attentively but hesitated a few seconds, either from feminine modesty or for stage effect. "Oh, came right on and kiss me, don't be bashful," added her master, whereupon she walked up and implanted a kiss in regulation style. True it is one of the flappers among the onlookers pointed out that the osculation smack that marks the perfect kiss, but the rest of the crowd was not so critical, one pointing out that flappers are too hard to please about kisses anyway, as they are unduly concerned about the finer points of the game.

All these tricks were taught Maud by Dr. White himself, who is a great animal fancier. "If I were a better trainer she'd have a much larger repertoire of stunts," says the doctor. "She has a world of sense and there is no telling what she could learn. All the reward she wants is a biscuit, apple or anything except a banna peeling."

GIANT "SWEET SPUD" GROWN IN CABARRUS

Farmer of That Section Exhibits Potato Weighing More Than Ten Pounds.

Charlotte Observer.

A sweet potato, nearly as large as a peck measure, and weighing 10 1-4 pounds, was exhibited in The Observer office yesterday by A. O. Carriker, farmer of Cabarrus county, who grew the giant "spud" on his place in the lower part of that county. The mammoth tuber is thought to be the largest brought to Charlotte this year. It is of the Porto Rican variety.

Mr. Carriker, the grower, stated that a number of extraordinarily large potatoes have been seen in the crops of Cabarrus county this season. The farmers of that section are not growing the "yams" for market so much as for home use, he said, but plenty of "sweet spuds" have been produced in Cabarrus for that purpose.

To Discuss Departments.

Washington, October 12.—President Coolidge expects to take up with the cabinet at an early date the plan for reorganization of the government departments worked out by a joint congressional commission, headed by Walter F. Brown, at the direction of President Harding. The President foresees no necessity for making any changes in the plan as transmitted to Congress by President Harding at the last session, although he has made no final decision.

Let the idea get into your head that you are going to fail and you are pretty sure to prove a good prophet.

A Great Business Man.

Philadelphia Record.

Your Uncle Sam is a great business man. He owes a number of billions of dollars upon which he is paying interest, and the principal of which debt he will ultimately have to pay also.

But your Uncle Sam is another who doesn't care. One of his business enterprises, known as the Post Office Department, did a business of over half a billion dollars last year, at a loss of over $24,000,000.

The greatest beneficiaries of this deficit, the owners of periodicals who have their magazines carried by Uncle Sam at less than cost, make millions of profit on a much smaller gross business than the half billion acknowledged by the Post Office Department.

Man never reaches heights above his habitual thought.

AN ORDINANCE

To Authorize $12,000.00 Sidewalk Bonds.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord:

Section 1. That for the purpose of constructing sidewalks of brick, stone, concrete or other material of similar lasting character, the City of Concord shall issue not exceeding $12,000.00 bonds, pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act.

Section 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

Section 3. That a statement of the debt of the City has been filed with the City Clerk as required by the Municipal Finance Act, and is open for public inspection.

Section 4. That at least one-fourth of the cost of said improvements, exclusive of the cost of paving at street intersections, shall be specially assessed.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and shall not be submitted to the voters.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Aldermen Ivey, Flowe, Wilkinson, Hullender, Sapp and McEachern.

Noes: None.

The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 4th day of October, 1923, and was first published on the 6th day of October, 1923.

Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of the said ordinance must be commenced within 30 days after its first publication.

GEO. H. RICHMOND,
6-2t. 1t-t-wk. City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

To Authorize $76,000.00 Street Improvement Bonds City of Concord.

Be it ordafned by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord:

Section 1. That for the purpose of constructing or reconstructing, of bricks, blocks, sheet asphalt, bithulithic or bituminous concrete laid on a solid foundation, or of concrete, the surface of roads streets and highways within the City of Concord, including, if the Board of Aldermen shall deem proper, the contemporaneous construction or reconstruction of curbs, gutters and drains, and including grading, the City of Concord shall issue not exceeding $76,000.00 bonds, pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act.

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WEEK END SALE of Needy Fall Merchandise

Swing Into Line and join the happy throng of Fall Shoppers who visit our store each day.

SATURDAY, MONDAY

Offers Unusual Values All Over the Entire Store

New Fall Gloves in all the new shades of covert, coffee, browns, oak, putty, silver, mode and grey in 12-button gauntlets and short gloves. Made of the best grade chamoisette and leatherette. Priced specially 98c, $1.25, $1.48

New Gordon Hosiery in wool, silk and wool, and silk just in today. All the new shades in Ladies' Wool Hose. Priced ---- 69c, $1.48, $1.98

Full Fashioned Silk Hose, made by Gordon-- $1.48, $1.98

THE NEW COTTON DRESS GOODS ARE WONDERFUL

Pretty New Dress Ginghams ---- 15c, 19, 29c
The New Figured Year Round Zephyrs ---- 48c
Ladlassie and Knicker Cloth ---- 15c, 19c, 25c

NEEDED FALL MERCHANDISE FOR COLD WEATHER

The fast color Outings in pinks, greys and checks, all solid colors ---- 15c, 19c, 23c

Dull Back Canton Flannels in bleached, and unbleached. Priced ---- 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c

NEW HAND BAGS AND POCKETBOOKS

A wonderful line of ladies Hand Bags and pocket books made of genuine 'Pin Seal" boorded goat in all new shades. Priced ---- 98c, $1.48, $2.98, $5.95

SECOND FLOOR SPECIALS IN BLANKETS

Cotton Blankets in Grey and Tan in doubles and singles. Priced ---- 98c, $1.48 to $2.98

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All Wool Elkin Blankets in all the best colors, double size. Price ---- $5.95, $6.95, $9.95

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Royal Electric Curling Irons, a regular $2.00 value. Saturday only, 1 for ---- $1.00

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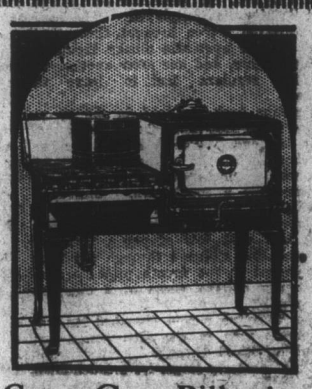

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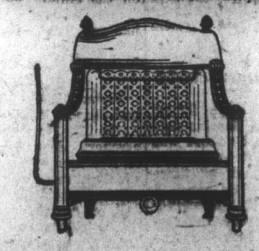

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