

PENNY COLUMN

WARNING—HIGH CLASS CLEANING IS A COMPLICATED PROCESS. IT CAN BE DONE PROPERLY ONLY BY HIGHLY SKILLED PEOPLE WITH COSTLY MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT. BE CAREFUL IN THE SELECTION OF YOUR CLEANER. "SEND IT TO BOB." PHONE 787. 11-22-c.

Tires, Tubes and Tube Vulcanizing. Southern Motor Service Co. Phone 802. 11-31-c.

For Sale—Kindley Swimming Pool. Apply to R. F. Kindley, Mt. Pleasant. 11-31-p.

Madame Allen, Palmist. Advises You in all affairs of life, reading past present and future. Special reading on Saturday, one dollar. 22 W. Depot street, Dusenberry House. 8-81-p.

Ford Truck Bodies. We Have a Few one-ton stakebeds and one yard dump bodies. Cabs and small seats just finished. E. C. Turner, Concord. 8-51-p.

Extra Good Car Laundry and Greasing department. Southern Motor Service Co. 11-31-c.

We Repair Sewing Machines, Victrolas, organs, pianos, clocks, electric irons, etc., phone 410R. 8-11.

Will Sell by Peck or Anyway Florida oranges, grapefruit, and tangerines to retail trade. Car now on Southern Railway tracks at freight depot. Come while they last. See Pope. 7-41-p.

For Rent—New 5-room Bungalow. Water and light connections. Phone 80 or 82J. 7-201-p.

Several Houses For Sale on Easy Terms. One or both cottages on Franklin avenue between my residence and Beech street. One five-room cottage Franklin avenue near Georgia Avenue. J. L. Hartsell. 7-11-c.

Man, Woman Wanted. Salary \$75 weekly full time; \$1.50 an hour spare time selling guaranteed hosiery to wear. Cottons, heathers, silks. Guaranteed Mills, Norrisstown, Pa. 2-12-c.

Wanted—Sewing To Do. Mrs. Melvin and Mrs. Lineberger, at Mrs. Duffie's Hat Shop, Phone 107. 30-71-p.

CLOSED COVINGTON'S CORNER— MONDAY TO THURSDAY INCLUSIVE. GETTING READY FOR BIG SALE. COME BACK. 11-41-p.

If You Want Your Eggs Hatched. Buy artificial incubator leave at No. 22 White Street, Concord, N. C., every Monday before 12 M. C. L. Sims, Harrisburg, N. C. 11-34-p.

Willard Batteries, Also Battery, Starter and generator work. Southern Motor Service Co. 11-31-c.

For Sale Or Trade—Two 2 1/2-ton Indiana Trucks. W. C. Goodnight, Kannapolis, N. C., Phone 119L. 8-61-p.

Buy Your Rhode Island Red Eggs for setting at home and see what you are buying. V. H. Bost, 74 S. Covell, Concord, N. C. 11-11-p.

Do You Want a Home? If so, Why worry longer about a place to build it? See me for lots. Estimates on buildings gladly furnished, and all work guaranteed. D. A. McLaurin, phone 435, 230 N. Kerr Street. 7-201-c.

Accessories, Gasoline, Mobile Oils. Southern Motor Service Co. 11-31-c.

For Fresh Florida Oranges, Grapefruit and tangerines. See Pope at the Depot. 7-41-p.

For Sale—About 50 Acres of the Old Brown Farm—2800 feet facing on the new concrete State highway. Receipts from rentals last year were \$1200. Concord Bonded Warehouse & Realty Co., I. I. Davis, Jr. Sec. and Treas. 7-11-c.

Best Air and Water Service in Town. Green Front Building on Corbin street. Southern Motor Service Co. 11-31-c.

For Sale at a Real Bargain as a Whole or in lots—the McLemore property on corner of North Church and Loan streets. Close in. Splendid neighborhood. Jno. K. Patterson & Co., agents. 6-71-c.

Fresh Jersey Milk Cow For Sale. Jno. E. Misenheimer, R. 3, Concord. 9-31-p.

Five-Room House For Rent, With Water and lights. Mrs. Julia Welsh, N. Spring street. 9-21-p.

Piano Tuning, Repairs and Revoicing. See A. Viola, 44 Loan Street. 7-31-p.

For Rent—Store Room on West Depot street. Apply to Joe Gaskel. 9-11-c.

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

HARRISBURG STORE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE
Store of Monte Oglesby Burned Yesterday Afternoon—No Insurance on Building and Stock of Goods.

The store of Monte Oglesby, at Harrisburg, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock. The fire is believed to have started from a defective fuse.

The entire building and all goods in the building were destroyed by the fire, which had gained such headway when discovered that fire fighters were unable to control it. There was no insurance on the building and goods, it was reported here.

The store was located near the tracks of the Southern Railway and a number of crosses were burned during the fire. A number of car shanties were saved only after a number of speculators at the fire had pushed them down the tracks from the fire.

Mr. Oglesby's car was near the burning building and it was badly scorched before being moved. Friends pushed the car down an incline, after tearing off the rear curtain, which was about to blaze.

It is believed the presence of mind of Mr. Peter Heglar probably prevented a more serious situation. Mr. Heglar called the messenger agent here and advised him of the fire, also advising him that it would be dangerous for trains to pass the Harrisburg station while the fire was raging. He was advised that a long freight train had just been given the signal to move through the town, so he rushed to the Harrisburg station, broke a glass to gain entrance to the building, and using a novel method for moving the train to flag the train before it reached the scene of the fire. There were about 100 cars on the train, it was reported, and some of the cars were loaded with hay, lumber and gasoline.

TO MAKE STUBBORN FIGHT ON WARD'S CONFIRMATION

Situation at Concord and Monroe is interesting to Politicians in This State.

H. E. B. Bryant in Charlotte Observer, Washington, Feb. 10.—A stubborn fight will be made to defeat the confirmation of the nomination of W. B. Ward for postmaster at Concord. Protests are being filed, and charges are contemplated. These contests did not amount to much last Congress, but the margin is closer now and the Senate will not swallow everything.

In the meantime a very promising campaign for G. Ed. Kestler for postmaster at Concord is on. Senator Overman has received a petition for him and it is signed by Democrats and Republicans.

The confirmation of Mr. Dwyer, the Democrat, for postmaster at Monroe is a unique bit of history. No Republican got on the eligible list.

Endorsement Given G. Ed. Kestler for Postmaster.

Washington Correspondent News and Observer, Washington, Feb. 9.—Senator Overman has received from officials of Concord and Cabarrus county strong endorsements for postmaster for George E. Kestler, editor of the Concord Observer and the Kannapolis Star, and a United States commissioner, that he is a trained business man, and is eminently qualified for the position, that he has been county treasurer, chairman of the county board of commissioners and tax appraiser for the county. In addition he is given high commendation by W. A. Felt, tax appraiser and chairman of the Democratic executive committee of the county, who says that while Mr. Kestler has always been a Republican, yet "he has been an honorable opponent and never

drifted from the fold." It holds that the Civil Service Commission should have had the true facts when it did not place him as the highest on the list of eligibles, that the case should be reopened and Mr. Kestler given the place due him.

Trinity Returned Holds Bible Story Contest.

A very large audience attended the Bible story contest and listened with added interest at some of the wonderful Biblical stories, retold by the boys and girls of the Sunday school. It was indeed a wonderful sight to witness these young people standing up before an audience many of them for the first time in their lives.

The judges after deliberating some time awarded to little Miss Mician Earnhardt the blue Ribbon and Margaret Mabry the red as second prize. In the other class the competition was very keen and it was a toss as to who would be declared the winner for the blue ribbon. Miss Lois Holshouse was declared winner of the second prize and Mary Lee Peck won the third prize. These ribbons are very handsome and the winners are entitled to enter the final contest for the silver cups to be awarded at the grand contest at the Y. M. C. A. during the first week in March.

At the Theatres.

Leo Maloney is being shown at the Pastime today in a big western feature. "His Hanson Barlett," a comedy, is also on the program.

"It Winter Comes," the screen version of the famous book, is being offered today at the Piedmont. An all-star cast is offered.

The Star today is offering "Backbone," a six-act feature, and also a Mack Senet comedy.

With nine National League pennants to his credit John McGraw of the New York Giants leads all managers in both major leagues in the number of league championships won.

CHARLOTTE HIGH THROWS THE CONCORD HIGH

Both Clubs Started Off Bad, but Finally Got Heated Up and Played Hard.

The Charlotte High School basketball team last night walked away with Concord, despite the fact that only one regular is now a member of the team and the scrubs are now the first string men.

The score was 34 to 10. Pussery, as center for the Highs, was the star of the game at tossing, while the floor work, guarding and passing of Captain Morris is what really saved the game for the locals. Morris also dropped in eight points to help matters along.

For Concord Earley was the star, shooting some rather difficult goals and rinning up 10 markers for the visitors. The game started off terribly, neither side being able to score for some six or seven minutes. Finally, Concord got a basket and after a while Charlotte managed to get one, after each side had missed a number of cringles right under the baskets.

The first half ended 12 to 10 for the locals, when by a great spurt they came from behind at the end of the half, almost, and finished the baskets in rapid succession.

In the second half of the locals badly outplayed the Concord boys and piled up a heavy lead which they held to the end.

Concord (10) Charlotte (34)
Earley (10) Jarrett (6) Selden (14) Surrin (5) Richardson (2) Substitutions: Concord, Lineberger (2) for Jarrett; Cline for Harris, Charlotte; Gallagher (4) for McCord; Bradford for Selden. Referee: Carmichael.

Literary Society of Mt. Giload School. The W. W. Literary Society of Giload School gave the following program February 8th, 1924:

Minutes read and roll called.
Scripture reading and prayer.
Song: "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground."

Recitation: "Mama's Little Market Woman"—Nell Blackwelder.
Recitation: "Things We Will Not Do"—Ruby Dry.

Declamation: "A Mean Man"—Hazel Patterson.
Cross Questions and Crooked Answers—Ruby Dry and Harvey Barringer.

Recitation: "Writing to Grandmother"—Agnes Misenheimer.
Recitation: "He Laughed"—Rush Suther.

Recitation: "Today"—Mavis Shinn.
Cross Questions and Crooked Answers—Hilbert Suther and Sarah Blackwelder.

Recitation: "Tis a Warning We Should Heed"—Robert Suther.
Song: "America."

Declamation: "Robins in the Garden"—Robert Barringer.
Recitation: "Planting the Trees"—James Dry and Alaine Misenheimer.

Reading: "What a Spark Can Do"—Miss Smith.
Recitation: "The Glorious Fourth"—Agnes Misenheimer.

Dialogue: "Dr. Brown"—Robert Suther and Mavis Shinn.
Jokes—Junior Misenheimer.

Reading: "What Is a Tightwad"—Caldwell Penning.
Reading: "I Am Your Horn"—Hazel Patterson.

Recitation: "The Fireman"—Sarah Blackwelder.
Reading: "Safety League"—Velma Dry.

Reading—Miss Smith.
Reading: "Professor Happy Gives Health Rules"—Paul Collett.
Critics' Report—Junior Misenheimer.
Song: "My Old Kentucky Home."

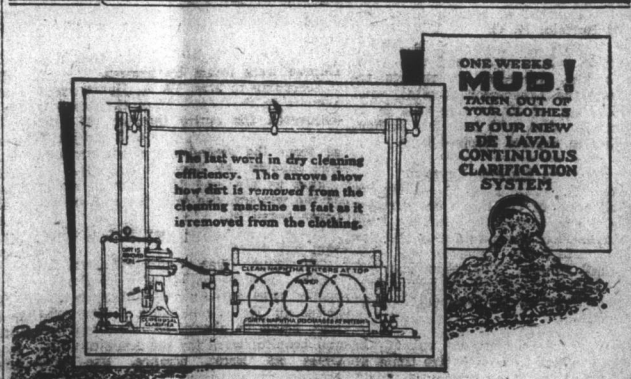
THE OLD HOME TOWN BY STANLEY



NEW SPRING ARRIVALS

Silver gray suede, instep strap with center strap from vamp. Medium Spanish covered heel, very light welt sole with cushion insole. Triangle cut outs all around. Very attractive at special price \$5.95 (Same in low heel).

PARKER'S SHOE STORE
Between Parks-Belk and McLellan 5 and 10c Store



It Seems Impossible that clothing should hold so much dirt—

Yet every day we remove pounds and pounds of it from clothing sent us to be dry cleaned. Note the emphasis on that word "remove." With our new system of cleaning, a high-speed centrifugal clarifier actually removes dirt from the cleaning machine as fast as the cleaning fluid washes it from the garments. We can show you the dirt taken out of our customer's clothing any time you call. This new system not only enables us to remove the last trace of dirt from your clothes, but makes it impossible for dirt or germs from one garment to get in to another. This makes the dry cleaning process not only more effective, but far more sanitary. This is just one of many exceptional features of our dry cleaning service. Let us demonstrate the quality of our work, the promptness of our service and the economy of regular dry cleaning.

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Rear Concord Steam Laundry
Phone 787
BOB'S DRY CLEANING CO.
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Big Event In Cotton Goods

An Outstanding Sale of Gingham Bought on the basis of 20 to 25 cent cotton will be put on sale Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock and running through the following week. Watch windows.



SECOND FLOOR SPECIALS

TABLE NO. 1

Big Table of Gingham and Sheeting, Value 10c to 15c. Will be put on sale at, per yard Limit: 10 yards to customer. 2nd floor only **5c**

TABLE NO. 2—SECOND FLOOR

Big Value, worth 19c to 25c. Special Sale per yard 10 yds. to customer. Buy while the prices are slashed. **10c**



FIRST FLOOR SPECIALS IN REAR—BIG TABLES OF EXTRA VALUES FOR THIS SALE—BIG TABLE

Gibson Remnants and Bloomfield, 10 to 20 yard pieces. These are values up to 29c. Sale price Special, per yard **15c**

Big Lot Highland Park Touraine Full Pieces and Domino Gingham, 10 to 20 yards. 19c value sale price **12½c**

Gibson Manufacturing Company Concord Zephyrs, 25c value. Sale Price per yard **19c**

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