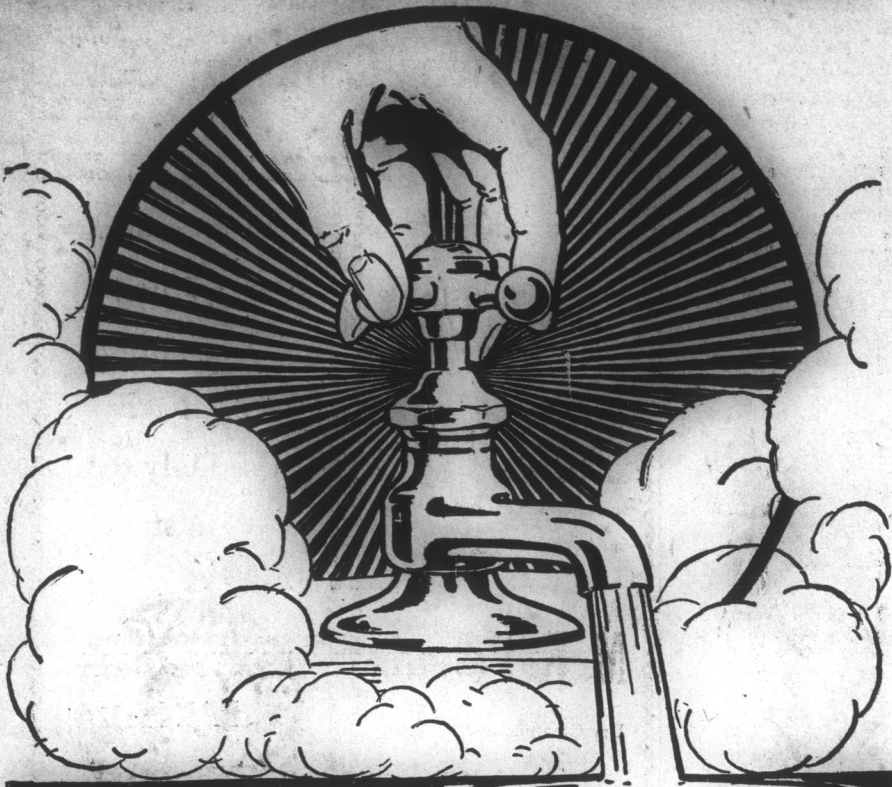


# GAS HOT WATER



Buy This Ever-ready Household Helper at the Special Sale; 95c Down—and 12 Months to Pay

A livable place is the Ruud equipped kitchen—clean, convenient, cool.

Ruud hot water is the housewife's best short-cut; it puts wings on housework. Bathroom and laundry do their part better, too, if Ruud is on the job.

Act Now— They're Being Snapped Up by Wise Buyers

The time is limited; so is our supply of the famous Ruud Double Coil Tank Heaters. The special price holds good only during the sale period. Get yours today.

Concord & Kannapolis Gas Co.



95 Cents Down Installs This Double-Copper Coil Gas Tank Heater Balance Payable 50c a Week

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

**St. Andrews Lutheran.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Chief service at 11 a. m. Light Brigade at 2:30 p. m. Luther League at 6:30 p. m. Visitors and strangers welcome at all services.

**Calvary Lutheran.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Light Brigade immediately after Sunday school. Luther League at 6:30 p. m. Vespers at 7:30. Visitors and strangers welcome at all services.

**Trinity Reformed.**  
The Sunday school and Men's Class meet at 9:45 o'clock. J. O. Moose is superintendent. Services at 11 a. m. Mother's Day. The Girls Missionary Guild will have charge of the service and give a suitable program. Short sermon by the pastor. Evening service at 7:30. These services are held in the East Corbin Street School building. This congregation welcomes you.

**Epworth Methodist.**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Worship and sermon by pastor at 11 a. m. Junior Epworth League 3 p. m. "Mother's Day" program rendered by Senior Epworth League 7:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Choir practice Friday 7:30 p. m. Regular monthly meeting of board of stewards Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Each member of the board is urged to be present.  
J. M. VARNER, Pastor.

**Central Methodist.**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. J. E. Davis superintendent. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:30. On Wednesday evening at 7:30, prayer meeting. All welcome to all services.  
Wm. A. JENKINS, Pastor.

**St. James Lutheran.**  
(Rev. Luther Thomas, Pastor)  
Sunday school 9:45. Mr. F. R. Shepherd, superintendent. Classes for everyone. Chief service 11 a. m. Mother's Day will be emphasized. Luther League at 6:30 p. m. Vespers 7:30. This church welcomes you.

**First Presbyterian.**  
(Jesse C. Rowan, Pastor)  
Sunday school 9:45. C. F. Ritchie, superintendent. F. C. Niblock, assistant superintendent. V. G. Caswell, teacher of Men's Bible Class; Mrs. J. F. Cannon teacher of Women's Class. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. At the 11 o'clock service the commencement sermon before the Laura Sunderland School will be preached by the pastor. A cordial welcome to all.

**First Methodist Protestant.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. N. M. Harrison, Jr.

**McGill Street Baptist.**  
(J. R. Pentuff, D. D., Pastor.)  
Bible school 9:30. L. E. Polk, superintendent. Pastor lectures to Men's class. Mother's Day recognized. Few minutes church treasurer's report and recommendations from the deacons. All members of the church should make it a special point to be present. Service at 11 o'clock. Subject "Our Mothers." Sermon at 7:30 p. m. Subject "Story of Ruth." B. Y. P. U. 6:45. A great day is expected. Everybody welcome.

**All Saints Episcopal.**  
(Rev. Charles E. Seovil, Rector)  
Services Sunday, May 10th, 1925.  
Fourth Sunday After Easter  
Church Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock and sermon by the Rev. William H. Wheeler, Supt. Thompson Orphanage, Charlotte. All are welcome to our services.

**Forest Hill Methodist.**  
Sunday school at 9:45. A. G. Odell superintendent. Stonewall J. Sherrill, assistant superintendent. Morning worship and sermon at 11. The revival services will close with the evening services, which will begin at 7:30. Epworth League meeting at 6:30. The meeting should mean much to our church because it has caused many to take a new grip on life. It has drawn them closer to the church and the work in the church. The good done with the young life of the church should have a lasting result. Come to church Sunday and let us expect to have a good day. We extend to you a welcome. Mrs. A. R. Edwards will be with us at both services continuing the singing at these services. Her work has been very efficient and thorough. She has helped the young people very much in singing.  
There will be no services tonight as most of the people are tired and need to rest for Sunday.  
PASTOR.

**Associate Reformed Presbyterian.**  
(M. R. Gibson, Pastor)  
Sabbath school at 10 a. m. J. E. McClintock, superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Special "Mothers Day" service at 11 a. m. Every member of the church expected to be present. The public is cordially invited to attend. Y. P. C. U. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Fathers and Their Children of the Bible."

**Mother's Day at Tent Meeting.**  
Don't forget Mother's Day Sunday, May 10th, on Young street at Rev. H. T. Blackwelder's tent services. Rev. R. A. Christenbury will preach at 11 o'clock. There will be a number of selections by a quartet. Don't miss these services. Dinner on the ground. Come.  
REV. H. T. BLACKWELDER.

**Kerr Street Methodist.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Mother's Day program at 11 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

**Second Presbyterian.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. C. A. Coley superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. Lewis.

**Will Display the South.**  
New York, May 9.—The Southern exposition, the first of its kind ever projected, will be opened here Monday and continued through the week. Three floors of the Grand Central Palace will be used for exhibits illustrating the natural resources and material development of the South. More than a dozen will be represented. Governors and other prominent Southerners are sponsors of the exposition. The Southern Society of New York has arranged exercises for the opening day.

## The New Ensemble Corsettes

### Line of Fashion is Built upon the Corset

#### THE NEW "ENSEMBLE" CORSET

Will Give Your Figure the Rounded Straight Lines that Style Requires—TODAY—

Be Fitted Today

# Ensemble

TRADE MARK

Tell Us Your Corset Troubles

Made By the Originators

"MODEL" STYLE



If you are interested in style It will surely be worth while To take a little walk down Union street In Fisher's window you will see What we advertise to be The very latest thing in corsetry. The Famous "MODEL" ENSEMBLE CORSELETTES



Ensemble \$2.95  
by Model \$3.95 a  
\$4.95 and on

Ensemble \$2.95  
by Model \$3.95 a  
\$4.95 and on

Other Special Numbers 95c, \$1.69, \$1.95

Corsetiere Attendant At All Hours

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT

## FISHER'S

### Southern Machinist Stricken at His Work.

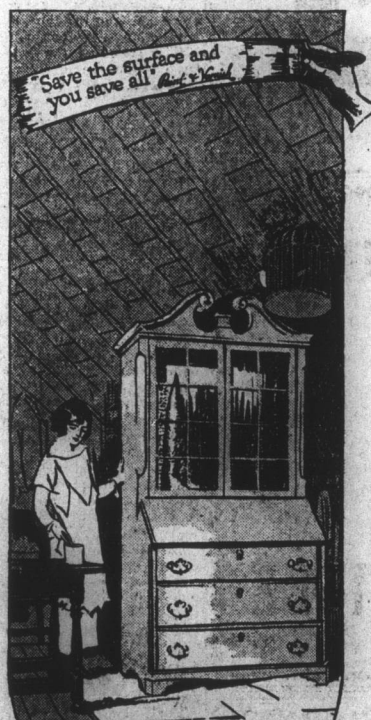
Salisbury, May 8.—Harry M. Uzzle of East Kerr street, this city, a machinist at the Southern shops, died this afternoon in a physician's office a few minutes after being stricken with acute

indigestion while at his work at Spencer. He was in his usual health when he went on duty two hours before his death.

Mr. Uzzle was 46 years old and a native of Raleigh. He had been with the Southern here for a number of years.

Surviving is the wife, who was Miss Geneva Wright, daughter of George W. Wright and six children, the oldest son, George, is a student at Wake Forest.

There being no law against it, Ford made 7,594 cars in one day.



## Figure It Out Yourself

WHEN you figure out what it saves you and what it does, you'll wonder how any home can do without it. Pee Gee Re-Nu-Lac stains and varnishes with one application. Worn and marred surfaces regain their luster overnight. Wood and wicker work, furniture, lighting fixtures, bric-a-brac again brighten the home with all their original freshness. The finish is smooth, hard, and glossy. No experience is needed to apply Re-Nu-Lac. It dries overnight. By all means, have it handy in your home.



### Ritchie Hardware

Phone 177 S. Union St.



### "No Flies in Miami," But—

Monroe Enquirer.  
"There are no flies in Miami," is a statement I have heard of repeated. Senator John L. McLaurin, of South Carolina, writing to the Yorkville Enquirer from Florida bears out the statement. "But," says Senator McLaurin, "it is the paradise of sand fleas, ants, spiders and cockroaches."

It is ever thus. When the Lord made this old world, evidently He did not place all the good things in one place and all the bad in another. Florida may have its good points but it is not a Garden of Eden despite the alluring and flamboyant advertisement of the real estate agents which overrun the Land of Flowers even to a greater degree than do the sand fleas, ants, spiders and cockroaches.

While there may be a few flies in our own good county there are no flies on it. I was pleasantly reminded of this fact one afternoon this week when I went out to the home of E. Helms, a prosperous farmer in Goose Creek township to do a little fishing. Yes, I caught some fish—they were fine, very fine—not so large or very large. But I was more interested in Brother Helms' farm than in his fish pond or the big lake near his home on Richardson Creek. His sons were running their Fordson tractor, and everything in fine shape for planting. Farm work is not so arduous as it was only a few years ago. Mrs. Helms was feeding a nice flock of Ancona chickens. A fine garden affords plenty of vegetables. Fat and sleek milk cows give an abundance of milk

and butter. I am relating all I saw because the Helms' farm is typical of hundreds like it throughout Union county.

And while we do not have summer time in winter and do screen our homes against flies, we do not have sand fleas, ants, spiders and cockroaches to make life miserable—and for that same we should be thankful.

### What Selling for Cash Means.

Monroe Enquirer.  
Owners of gasoline filling stations of Monroe have determined to sell for cash and cash only. By so doing two cents a gallon reduction may be made. Let's see. That means a saving to the buyer of about seven cents on the dollar. It would now appear that a man asking for credit did not intend to ever pay.

The best possible things that could happen to Monroe and Union county would be that no credit was extended any one. We would within a short time become prosperous, because loafers, dead beats and shirkers generally would of necessity be compelled to go to work. I am told that for the past several years drug stores of Gastonia have been on a strictly cash basis. They are prosperous of course.

The A. & P. grocery store here in Monroe is under-selling other grocery stores of the town. Why? Simply because it sells for cash and cash only, and does not have an expensive automobile and delivery truck to carry out five and ten cent orders to customers who should have stopped at the store and carried their

purchases home with them. A store nowadays that extends promiscuous credit loses quite a lot—and it is an open secret that the good pay customers pay the store's losses.

I am aware that the foregoing is due to get under someone's skin. But what I have said is true and I dare any one to prove it otherwise.

Woolworth's Five and Ten Cent Store, if your home merchants don't watch out, will undersell them. It is said of this big chain store that it is a rule never to wrap up an article for a customer until he has handed over his money.

Let's hope the gasoline seller will stick, brothers, stick! For if they don't hang together there is danger of their hanging separately.

### Now Its Different.

He was to be married and he went to his tailor to be measured for the wedding garments. When the agony was over, the tailor coughed apologetically. "I am sorry, Mr. Blank, but I must ask you to pay cash for these suits."

"What? I've had an account with you for fourteen years, and I've always settled half-yearly!"

"I know, sir," apologized the tailor, "but up to now you've always had the handling of your own money!"

Bryan says he has made only about \$500,000 in Florida, which sounds like California propaganda.

New York sailor was awarded \$75,000 damages, so now he can spend a week or ten days ashore.