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HIGHPOINT, NORTH CAROLINA,

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 1, 1914.

FREE \$5 IN GOLD

Starting today we will give 1 coupon with each \$1 cash purchase, good for a chance at \$5 in gold to be given away on the 12th.

2nd. prize will be \$1 in merchandise.

We will give these prizes Dec. 12th, 19th and 24th.

We will also give 1 coupon with each dollar paid on account by the 12th.

We now have some great values in Suits, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats.

Come and see us and save money.

Leonard - Beavans Stamey Co.

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For all occasions. Artistic and original Funeral designs at short notice. You are assured of your flowers or designs being fresh when ordering from us. Visitors always welcome at Greensboro.

Palms, Blooming Pot Plants, Etc.

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Cabbage Plants for sale
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We have in our employ, three Registered Pharmacists. You will find from one to three of them on the "job" from early morn till late at night.

We consider our Prescription Department second to none. We have been trusted with more than a quarter million prescriptions—Let us have yours.

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(The Appreciative People.)
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Surveying, Drafting and Civil Engineering of all kinds

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No Change in War Conditions

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The East Prussian and southern Poland situation generally is quiet. The western front is unchanged.

Paris, Dec. 1.—The Germans are bombarding the French along Aisne; also north of Arras. Minor infantry attacks in Argonne.

Petrograd, Dec. 1.—An army messenger announces that the Germans in Poland are fighting desperately to escape annihilation.

Vicna, Dec. 1.—The Russians have been defeated in Hungary, losing 3,500 men.

BATTLE RAGES IN POLAND

London, Nov. 30.—Another day's battle between Russian and German allies in Poland has passed without news of a decisive result. The Berlin official statement tonight said that there was nothing of importance to report in Poland. The Russian government rests on its warning against optimism.

According to correspondents' dispatches, three semi-independent engagements are progressing between Thorn on the north and Cracow on the south, in which both sides have achieved local successes without a distinct victory for either. Some British military experts believe the German forces, commanded by Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, have been split into three units, one of which is almost enveloped, and that the Russians have driven a wedge between the German forces and its Austrian ally in the Cracow region. They believe the Germans have underestimated the Russian army's qualities.

Berlin reports the failure of the Russian attack on the fortifications east of Dankehen in East Prussia, while the Petrograd unofficial message describes an important Russian gain and asserts the capture of ten miles of trenches northeast of Lodz.

Holland advises report that railway traffic and newspaper posts in the Brussels region have been entirely suspended. It is presumed that this is for the purpose of suppressing the news of the movement of the German troops to the east.

The Dutch newspapers say the Germans have imposed an indemnity of seven million dollars monthly on Belgium or the duration of the war and seventy-five million as a war levy for the neutrality violators. Luxemburg reports that the Germans have paid a substantial sum for the damages resulting from their occupation of the Grand Duchy.

MONEY TO LOAN.
Money to lend in amounts from \$100.00 to \$10,000.00, on improved and unimproved city property and farm lands. Interest 6 per cent, straight, interest payable annually or semi-annually. Time, one to ten years. Applicants for loans will please give detailed description of property offered as security for loan. We want county representatives to receive applications for loans, appraise property, and serve as our exclusive representative in States of Florida, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Tennessee and Louisiana. Attorney for real estate man preferred. Give two references. Write or wire Southern Office, Southeastern Mortgage Loan Association, Fourth National Bank Building, Atlanta, Ga. 12-1-31

NEW ADS
S. C. Clark—Real estate. Read our half page ad.
Ring Drug Co.
High Point Floral Co.—Fresh cut flowers.
Leonard, Beavans Stamey Co.—Free, \$5 in gold.
Wanted to Rent—4 room house or 3 or 4 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Give price and location.
For Rent—Nicely furnished rooms; single or double; close in; modern conveniences. 118 Elm street. Phone 674.

The District School

The following is the cast for "Ye Old Tyme Deestrick Skule" the entertainment which is to be given at the School Auditorium Friday night:

- Teacher, Hezekiah Pendergrass—W. P. Ragan.
Matilda Billings, 10 years old—Mrs. D. M. Pollock.
Faithful Snooks, 10 years old—Mrs. A. J. Owen.
Samantha Piper, 12 years old—Mrs. G. Kearns, (giggles.)
Jerusha Dickens, 11 years old—Mrs. Ford.
Clarinda Geyser, 13 years old—Mrs. Thurlow Kearns.
Ruth Ketchum, 14 years old—Mrs. Sisson.
Susan Crowfoot, 15 years old—Zillah Smith.
Sally Brown, 15 years old—Mrs. L. J. Ingram.
Sim Dipsey, 16 years old—Mr. Coapman, (bad boy of the school.)
Samuel Snookums, 15 years old—Ad Burns (hiss.)
Bobby O'Lea, 15 years old—Bob Morrow (stutters.)
Jeremiah Jenkins, 14 years old—Jascom Hoskins.
Stephen Tucker, 13 years old—Frank Ogburn.
Obadiah Buzzard, 10 years old—Mr. Garrett.
Billy Crowfoot, 10 years old—Mr. Ford.
David Snooks, 9 years old—Thurlow Kearns.
Luther Brown, 4 years old—Arthur Lyon, Sallie's little brother.
Mehitable Jones, 16 years old—Miss Vera Idol, always answers correctly. Sweet on the teacher.
Doreas Doolittle, 17 years old—Mrs. Oscar Kearns, writes a composition for "Friday speech day."
The Colonel—Fred Tate.
Monsier Baso Profunda—Mr. Angel.

Visitors.
Mrs. Dimpey, Sim's ma—Miss I. Irvin Paylor.
Her daughter, Mirandy, (quite flippy) Mrs. John Sicloff.
Mr. Snool.—Mrs. Harge.

String band, consisting of a Jew's harp, mouth organ, hand organ and accordion.
Friday night at 7.30. Hard times price, 25c, anywhere. First to come get first choice of the seats.

BANKRUPTCY.

H. Buckwald, dealer in ladies' ready to wear goods here went into bankruptcy today. Mr. Crowson, of the Home Bank, is receiver and E. D. Steele, attorney. The liabilities are about \$8,000 with assets approximately \$5,500. This firm has only been doing business in High Point a few months coming here from New York.

DIRECTOR ELECTED.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held yesterday of the Commercial National Bank, Dr. Dred Peacock was elected a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. J. J. Welch.

A POINTER.

It is the unexpected that often happens. There is something valuable in store for you. Look for our circular and when you get it don't throw it away; read every word of it. London's Reliable Store.

Plenty of goods, but no money. We will make it interesting for you to exchange with us if you have any to spare to your advantage. Will let you know pretty soon how and when we will start it. London's Reliable Store.

WOMAN'S CLUB.

Regular business meeting will be held at Lincoln Hall, Main Street School building, Wednesday, December 2nd. Executive board meets promptly at 2.30. Business of interest and importance will be presented. Mrs. H. A. White, president.

"In a desperate war it is the last ounce of gold that wins!" So said the British Chancellor, Lloyd George. Although not at war, this country is in the midst of war conditions and it is vitally important to you now to save every penny you can, and particularly in buying. Competition for the last few months was unusually severe, and in such a test it is the last fraction of value that wins. You will hear of us this week. London's Reliable Store.

Struck Oil?

Several days ago a Pullman car pulled up on the side-track here, all fitted out with glowing accounts of the golden west, the oil fields of Oklahoma and everything else that would add to the lure of that progressive section. It was soon ascertained that the mission of the car was to give our people an opportunity to buy government land at a public sale which was to take place in November. The men conducting this car were to act as agents of all purchasers, accepting retainers. It was really the most accommodating business transaction ever presented here and the strangers no doubt will have the everlasting gratitude of those who invested.

Mr. F. M. Fickett, one of the purchasers—or clients—attended the sale in person and the Enterprise will refer you to him for further information. All that we know is that the lots purchased by the High Point investors were lined up alongside of the penitentiary.

We noticed another item in an Oklahoma paper which gave the names of a dozen High Point people who were investing in Oklahoma property and contemplated building a cotton mill.

"We trust that our townsmen are satisfied with their investments and if they are it will be an exception because when a thing looks too good, you had better beware.

THE PROWLER.

He Comes to the Deestrick Skule
Well, I am here according to promise, said the Prowler this morning as he wobbled into the Enterprise office with a pumpkin under his arm and a string of red pepper around his neck.

"I came a day or two sooner than I expected, after learning that you High Point people were going to have the old time district school over again. That suits me better than anything I have heard since the beginning of the war. It is strange how things do come about, I was talking only a day or so ago with Cyrus Farlow about our old school days. I remember distinctly how me and Cyrus foun't to a finish because Sally Brown had let me chew her gum during recess longer than Cyrus had chewed it. It was a great fight but not near as big a one as we had with the teacher when school took in "Old Speck" (he was the teacher) used up about a dozen switches on both. It ended all right—Sally got her gum back and everything was quiet next day.

"My, those were great days, and I am glad that we are to have the scenes reproduced. It was a day when the big boy wore short pants and the girls the long ones. I could knock my daddy down before I put on long pants and the girls put up their hair before they were allowed to change their appearance around the ankles. I am not criticising 'em, long pants were a sight prettier than the one-legged ones that are worn by the women today, with a draw string at the bottom.

But I must quit. Let's all go to the District School. Arthur Lyon is going to look just like I used to look!"

HOOR CHANGED.

The woman suffrage meeting will be held at the Elks' Auditorium Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock instead of 3 o'clock, as first announced.

SOMETHING ELECTRICAL.

The most practicable and best gift of all. A Christmas gift for mother, father, sister or sweetheart. A pleasure to show you. Comstock Electric Co., 131 S. Main street.

NOTICE.

We close our year's business December 1st and would thank our customers to settle bills for November business on presentation.

Enterprise Printing Co.

FOR TRAVELING MEN.

The Chamber of Commerce of Greensboro will give an informal dinner December 6th to the traveling men making Guilford county headquarters. The idea is unique and a big time is expected.

NOTICE ODD FELLOWS.

All Odd Fellows are urged to attend the meeting tonight. Business of importance demand our attention.

Elks Memorial Service

Graded School Auditorium Sunday afternoon, December 6, 1914, 2.30 o'clock.

Program.
Quartet — Selected — Walter Chandler, J. Gurney Briggs, O. E. Mendenhall, Frank Ogburn.
Lodge ceremonies.
Opening Ode—Air, "Auld Lang Syne."
Great Ruler of the universe,
All seeing and benign,
Look down upon and bless our work
And be all glory Thine;
Oh, hear our prayers for the honored dead.
While bearing in our mind
The memories graven on each heart
For "Auld Lang Syne."

Prayer—Rev. C. P. Coble.
Eulogies—J. P. Redding, Dr. Dred Peacock; Herbert, Austin, T. J. Gold; Ray Newby, Robert Brockett; Dr. J. R. Reitzel, J. J. Farriss
Solo—"And God Shall Wipe Away All Tears"—Sullivan—Miss Ella A. Lambeth.

Annual Address—Hon. T. W. Bickett.
Solo—"A Spirit Flower"—Campbell-Tipton — J. Gurney Briggs.
Closing ceremonies.
Closing Ode.
Benediction—Rev. A. W. Claxton, D. D.

Officers of High Point Lodge
R. A. Wheeler, Exalted Ruler.
C. L. Gray—Esteemed Leading Knight.
Jas. Clements—Esteemed Loyal Knight.
J. S. Lynch—Esteemed Lecturing Knight.
J. W. Chandler—Esquire
S. H. Hoover—Chaplain.
A. Lyon—Secretary.
E. W. Freeze—Treasurer
J. J. Griffith—Inner Guard.
J. W. Walker—Tyler.
Trustees—C. M. Hauser, Geo. A. Matton, W. G. Bradshaw.
Memorial Committee, 1914—W. G. Bradshaw, C. D. Smith, J. J. Farriss.
Ushers—O. E. Wilson, C. D. Smith, Ernest Wall, V. A. J. Idol, Robert H. Sechrest, G. W. Clark.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Misses Mary Worth, of Wilmington; Cary Wilson, of Mooresville; Gertrude Caraway, of New Bern and Louise Whitney, members of the senior class at the Normal College, spent the week end with Miss Mary Wilson at Archdale.

The use of the bowling alley has been given to a private party Wednesday night. Consequently it will not be open to the public after 6 o'clock on that day.

For the convenience of the public the Commercial National Bank can furnish revenue stamps.

Sam Coffin, who is now making his home in Illinois, is here to spend the holidays among his friends. Sam has decided to engage in business with his brother, having headquarters at Danville, Ill.

Mr. Schaub says the Southern Railway Co. has a limited number of revenue stamps for customers.

All boys' and girls' \$2.50 and \$3.50 rain coats for \$1.98. H. A. Moffitt Dry Goods Store.

The cannon cracker that exploded near the Graded School today was a "waker." If that was a sample of what we are to have Christmas Dennis Hall need make no apologies for his blasting.

Watch the Enterprise every day and do your Christmas shopping by it. You will get what you want and save money.

Mr. R. P. Deal, of Randleman, was here today.
People going to Asheboro in automobiles had better wait for dry weather. The road is new at the covered bridge and it is hard pulling and no way to get around.
The Pointer Club is not having very good weather but they take it good naturedly.
Remember, you can buy everything "ready to wear" at London's store, and buy them right. Look for something special this week. London's Reliable Store.
The district school entertainment at the Auditorium Friday night will draw a large crowd. Go early and get a good seat.
We are making big preparations for something bigger than ever before. Wait and profit there by. London's Reliable Store.

Social

Triplet of Parties.

Mrs. B. S. Cummings, who entertains with such charm was hostess during the past week at a triplet of parties, the first being Thursday afternoon when she was hostess to the Entre Nous Club at a progressive rook party, there being eight tables of players. The cozy home was adorned with many flowers, red roses in the library, yellow chrysanthemums in the living room and pink chrysanthemums in the dining room.

Mrs. Tom Gold won the club prize, and Mrs. Ottis Mendenhall the visitors' prize. An elegant salad course was served.

Second Party.

The second link in the chain of parties given by Mrs. Cummings was Friday evening, when the members of the Evening Auction Club were the guests. Mrs. D. M. Pollock was the highest scorer in the game of auction and Mrs. O. E. Mendenhall came out ahead of the other gentlemen scorers. Refreshments were served.

Completed.

The delightful chain of parties given by Mrs. Cummings was completed Saturday afternoon when the hostess entertained 15 teachers of the city schools in honor of her sister, Miss Mary Elizabeth Walker. The diversion for these bright young instructors was sewing, which was enjoyed for an hour or more. A full salad course with hot rolls and coffee was served, the white and yellow color scheme of chrysanthemums being aided by the white and yellow bon bon.

Miss Charles Hostess

There were five tables of players at the rook party given Tuesday afternoon by Miss Connie Charles when the W. O. T. Club members were the honorees. Bright fall flowers and big coil fires made the library and living rooms very attractive. The exchange of the crisp new books added an interest to the afternoon enjoyed by the members and several visitors. Mrs. W. C. Jones made the highest score and was presented with a crepe de chine bodice, hand-made in combination with val lace and ribbon. To Mrs. B. S. Cummings, who made the visitors' high score was presented a sterling and crystal boudoir cream stand. A delicious salad course was served, the name cards being hand-painted hearts. The hostess was assisted by Miss Helen Brockett.

Tea Cups Club.

The regular monthly meeting of Over the Tea Cups Club was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. H. Walker. Ferns and potted plants gave a suitable touch to the spacious home, where the game of auction was enjoyed for several hours, the four tables being placed in parlor ad dining room. Mrs. Bruce Hankins, the only out of town visitor present, and Mesdames H. A. Mills and Carter Dalton, the new club members, were presented with collar bouquets. A hot lunch with fried chicken and the usual accessories was beautifully served. Mrs. Gordon Burnett and Miss Connie Charles were the only town visitors present.

For Mrs. Cottam.

The same afternoon the Philomathean Club entertained at the residence of Mrs. S. L. Davis, the occasion being a good-bye party for Mrs. R. C. Cottam, and that the affair was small in number—only 16 of Mrs. Cottam's closest friends being asked—is a surety it was most congenial. The program was made up of readings and musical number, the feature being a most interesting lecture by Mr. Thornwell Haynes on China. The social hour was one of pleasure—pleasure going hand in hand with regret over the fact that Mrs. Cottam, who has made many friends during her residence here, would soon leave for Salisbury, where she goes to join Mr. Cottam and reside. Refreshments were served.

First Party.

Mrs. H. Irwin Coffield gave her first party, or rather club meeting, Wednesday afternoon, when she entertained the Delta Tau Club, of which she is the charming president. There were none but members present, and the dear little home was so pretty and attractive with the lovely bridling gifts all in a place, and everything arranged so cosy just for two, that it put all kind of no.

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Right Now

We have the largest line of Forbush shoes we ever had. All of the latest style toes and leathers. The best style, the best quality and the best fitting shoe made for a \$5.00 bill.

MATTOCKS

We Announce

Some Very Important Cloak News Today

Fifty Misses' and ladies' warm winter Cloaks came by express this morning. Size from 6 yrs. to 42 bust. Prices range from \$3.75 to \$10. each, values much more.

Come for your winter cloak at

Wood's

WILL CARRY FRESH MEATS, FISH AND OYSTERS.

This to notify our customers that on and after the first of November we will handle a small, but complete line of Fresh Meats, Fish and Oysters, and game in season. We do this for the benefit of our customers so they can get all of their groceries and fresh meats at the same time, and save time by delivering both at once. We solicit your business in this line and guarantee to please you in every way possible.

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SAVE On Your COAL

We sell a good grade of soft Coal at \$5.50 a ton—others ask \$6.50. Delivered at your house. Call HORNEY'S TRANSFER

WOOD

For good oak or pine wood, split or unsplit call

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NEW ARRIVAL OF MID-WINTER MILLINERY

Our midwinter line of Millinery was never more complete. All of our trimmed hats at one-half price. New line of large velvet shapes at one-third off. New line holiday neck-wear. Latest novelties.

Miss Venetia Smith