

**MAJOR BULWINKLE IN
GATAWBA COUNTY THIS WEEK**

**Democratic Candidate is
Putting in Heavy Week of
Campaign Work — Returns
From Cleveland and Burke
Counties — In Catawba and
Mecklenburg This Week.**

Major A. L. Bulwinkle, Democratic nominee for Congress from the Ninth district, left this morning for Catawba county where he will spend the next three days in an active canvass of that county. He will spend the latter part of the week in Mecklenburg county.

Major Bulwinkle has just returned from Burke and Cleveland counties, where he spent last week in a speaking tour of those counties and other sections in the western part of the district. Concerning his Cleveland county speaking, the Cleveland Star says:

"Major A. L. Bulwinkle, of Gaston county, Democratic nominee for Congress from this district, filled three speaking appointments in the county this week, coming down from the counties in the western part of the district where he had large crowds and found considerable interest in the coming election. The major, who served with the 30th division overseas, spoke Tuesday night in the court house, being introduced by the assistant Democratic chairman, Mr. John P. Mull, who praised him for his noble sacrifice and undaunted courage during the world war and reminded the people that when the soldiers went away the people back home promised that nothing would be too good for them on their return from the blood-stained fields of battle.

Major Bulwinkle was particularly pleasing in his welcome to the ladies to the privilege and duty of voting and gave them a hearty invitation to support the entire Democratic ticket in the November election. He said it was unbecoming for the Republicans to charge the Democrats with machine rule when it is an undisputed fact that Marion Butler nominated John Parker on the Republican ticket for governor, that in the face of the Republican sentiment for Johnson in North Carolina the Republican delegates at Chicago failed to cast their votes for him in the convention, that a half dozen men had Harding nominated for President, that it was made up if Morehead and Newell should shake hands at the congressional convention at Spruce

Pine, Newell would be the Republican nominee for congress.

Major Bulwinkle devoted most of his talk to a lucid explanation of the league of nations, the one big issue in this campaign. He touched on revaluation and plead for the support of the entire Democratic ticket, with no particular requests for himself. He is very hopeful of an overwhelming majority in the November election.

AT THE THEATRES

**DOROTHY DALTON IN
DRAMATIC PICTURE
"GUILTY OF LOVE"**

Her Latest Vehicle, Coming Here, Was Adapted from Hopwood Stage Play.

Dorothy Dalton, in an intensely human drama of domestic life, "Guilty of Love," will be the attraction at the Gaston Theater today. The picture was adapted from a successful play by Avery Hopwood.

Miss Dalton has the role of Thelma Miller, a New England girl, who, left penniless by the death of her father, goes to New York and secures a position as governess in the home of the rich Mrs. Watkins. The latter's brother, Norris Townsend, falls in love with Thelma and his father, trying to keep them apart, sends Norris abroad. Upon his return, Thelma is about to become a mother. She compels him to marry her, at the point of a revolver, then leaves him. Years afterwards, Norris comes upon her as a school teacher in a little New England town and a dramatic event finally effects a reconciliation between them.

Edward Langford is Miss Dalton's leading man in "Guilty of Love," and the supporting cast also includes Charles Lane and Augusta Anderson. Harley Knoles directed the picture, which is a Paramount Arterraft.

The Ideal Theater presents today Gladys Walton in "Pink Tights," a circus picture that will please; also showing "The Third Eye."

Balloons made in Holland for meteorological purposes of rubber treated by a chemical process rise to greater heights than those usually employed.

Its inventor has patented a portable receptacle in which leaves and other rubbish can be burned as it is wheeled about.

**FORMER GASTON COUNTY
LEGISLATOR DEAD**

W. A. Grier, Prominent Mecklenburg Farmer, Was Influential in His Community — Was Ruling Elder at Pisgah For Forty Years.

Charlotte Observer, 11th.
W. A. Grier, former member of the state legislature and a highly esteemed Mecklenburg county citizen, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at his home in Steele Creek township, following an illness of several months. Apoplexy of the heart was attributed as the immediate cause of his death.

Mr. Grier was 70 years of age, having been born at the old Grier homestead on November 27, 1850. He was the son of the late Thomas Fringle and Gazilda Strong Grier. On November 8, 1877, he was married to Miss Isabel Crawford, of Gaston county. He resided in Gaston until 1892 and was prominent in church affairs and county work there. He represented Gaston county in the legislature and was a member of the committee that made a special fight against the liquor traffic in that county in 1890.

In 1892 Mr. Grier returned to Mecklenburg county, and had since been active in the work for the improvement of conditions in his community. He was a successful farmer and had large farming interests. Mr. Grier was influential in politics and was a member of the lower house of the legislature from this county in 1907, 1909, 1911 and 1913. Men who served with him in the legislature say that his service at Raleigh was that of being up to his convictions in all matters of public interest. While in the legislature Mr. Grier was instrumental in having passed the Sunday laws now in effect in this county.

The funeral will be held at the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. R. W. Culbertson, pastor of Central Steele Creek Presbyterian church. The interment will be in Steele Creek cemetery.

For more than 40 years Mr. Grier was a ruling elder in Pisgah A. R. P. church in Gaston county and the Central Steele Creek church near his home. He was for several years a member of the board of trustees of Erskine college, Due West, S. C., and each of his sons attended that institution.

Mr. Grier is survived by his widow and

the following sons: Rev. John W. Grier, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Huntersville; James P., T. Frank and R. Ralph Grier, of this county, and William C. Grier, of North Wilkesboro. He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. W. S. Lesslie, of Lesslie, S. C., and Miss Emma Grier, of Steele Creek, and a brother, Rev. Dr. John M. Grier, of Concord.

**PROBLEM OF UNMARRIED
MOTHER IS CONSIDERED**

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—The problem of the unmarried mother was considered today at the opening session of the convention of the American Child Hygiene Association. Dr. Foster S. Kellogg, of Boston, in an address advocated state support.

"This problem," he asserted, "is larger than is generally thought, and needs improved organization among social workers."

Herbert Hoover will address the convention tonight on nutritional requirements of children.

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Capital Stock	\$425,000.00
Bills Payable	10,000.00
Accounts Payable	7,201.60
Accrued Liabilities, not due	10,015.44
Liability for Employees' Benefit Fund	1,700.00
Reserve for Accrued Depreciation	75,824.00
Undivided Profits for 1920	6,962.69
Corporate Surplus Unappropriated	46,045.51
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