

THE ADVANCE

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Good evening. Are your New Year's resolutions still intact?

We can't sing, but here's to the success of the new Elizabeth City choral club.

Dozen shot in Baltimore in the New Year's celebration. That's nothing to the number who were half shot.

The trimmest oil tanker ever seen in these waters is the Tamarack, now docking regularly at the wharf of the Texas Company. Miles Clark must have known what he was about when he bought her.

Germany is a horrible example of the nation that endeavors to evade its debts. And the individual who refuses to face his obligations is headed the same ways as the nation that declines to balance its budget.

The Advance is always open for suggestions and especially will appreciate hints as to how to make such new features as the farm news page and the waterfront column more interesting.

See by the Edenton News that "A Citizen" of that town admits "there is room for a lot of improvements" around that town. But who ever expected to see such an admission coming out of Edenton?

Whether one favors the parallel parking law or not, it seems to The Advance, depends on whether the paved streets are to be considered primarily as thoroughfares or as parking areas.

"Al Smith wants beer and wine," reads a headline in our favorite Elizabeth City evening newspaper. But we suppose Al wants it understood that he is trying to modify the Volstead Act for the other fellow and not for himself.

Allman's Duffs, who do their stunts daily in The Advance, seem to us to be as good a comic strip as is to be had. If the Duffs are less ridiculous than Jiggs or Mutt and Jeff, they are much more human. And their doings lack the sameness of the older comics.

Doubtless would-be Republican opponents of young Theodore Roosevelt for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in New York think it hardly fair that one man should at once be the son of a popular President, have rightful claim to the title of colonel, and have the fortune for his friends to call him by the chummy-sounding name of Teddy. But such is life.

Folks who have an idea that Elizabeth City has stood still for the last ten years, just because the census gave the town but little gain in population, should take a look at the way banking resources have increased within that period. A 500 per cent gain in deposits in the last ten years by one of the city's banks, The Advance takes it, is a pretty fair index of the financial growth of the town.

NORFOLK COTTON (Reported by Winborne & Co.) January 3, 1924 Middling (closed yesterday) 34 1-8c Middling (opened today) 33 7-8c

EVERETT TRUE,

BY CONDO



Those wanting us to take part in European affairs think necessity the mother of intervention.

Never be too friendly with a bank cashier. No telling when he will ask you to go his bail.

The clauses in the new revenue bill which are designed to reduce taxes are regular Santa Clauses.

Loose rugs are very dangerous. In Tucson, Ariz., a robber tripped on one and almost got caught.

Caught a fake dentist in Brooklyn. The jail should be guarded heavily against possible mobs.

A Jersey cow walked into the Oklahoma City courthouse, probably attracted by the bull.

Dr. Thorek, of Chicago, has a new cure for bone trouble. It could be tried on political heads.

Only 26 men are running for president of Nicaragua, but then Nicaragua is a very small place.

Germany's ex-crown prince is learning aviation. It's time. He has been up in the air six years.

London women are wearing pants.

NORFOLK PRODUCE

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Chickens, Old Hens, Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Large Hogs, Small Hogs, Milk Calves, Yearlings, Sweet Potatoes, Eggs.

NOTICE: There will be a call meeting tonight of Eureka Lodge for the purpose of conferring the Second Degree. All master masons please attend. By order of M. M. Harris, W. M. Jan. 3.

Genuine Orange Blossom Wedding Rings. Exclusively Sold in Elizabeth City by Louis Selig.

Louis Selig Your Jeweler Since 1882

Holiday Goods at Bargain Now. You'll find a variety of needed articles here now at low prices, as we close out our holiday lines.

Apothecary Shop

Henry Ford gets 1500 letters a day asking for money, but that doesn't cost Henry anything.

Chicago pickpocket not caught. Says he robbed 12 a day. He was doing his daily dozen.

Even sinking is dangerous. A former college glee club member is in Chicago grand opera now.

Boston still blew up as cops entered. What a warm reception! And the drinks were on the house.

Prof. Ward, of Harvard, says leeches are overestimated. This is true of human ones, also.

DOG LOST - BROWN POINTER with white streak on nose and white tip on tail. Wore collar with lock. Finder return to J. C. Modlin, 204 Cypress street. Jan. 3, 4, 5 pd.

Weatherly's High grade Candies in the Aridor Candy Caddy

DOUGHTON REPORTS REVENUE COLLECTIONS

Raleigh, Jan. 3.—Total revenue collections for the year 1923 of \$5,760,267.93, or approximately \$250,000 less than the budget commis-

son's estimate of \$6,000,000 for the year, were reported yesterday by the State commissioner of revenue, R. A. Doughton.

Mr. Doughton expressed the opinion that when several outstanding items had been collected the total collections would exceed the budget commissioner's estimate.

After-Christmas Reductions on SUITS and DRESSES

M. Leigh Sheep Co WOMAN'S WEAR

500% IN TEN YEARS

Deposits December 31, 1913..... \$ 595,960.04

Deposits December 31, 1923..... \$2,902,290.18

A financial institution's greatest asset is the good will and co-operation of its customers and friends. To them a large measure of credit for our gratifying growth is due. We acknowledge this debt with sincere appreciation and, with our best wishes for their prosperity during the New Year, pledge our best efforts to promote their success.

THE FIRST & CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Two Kinds Of Interest - Personal and Four Per Cent

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DAILY ADVANCE CLASSIFIED RATES

This size type (8 point), one cent a word each insertion; minimum 25 cents, one time; 75 cents week.

Standing ads, five cents a word per week. Twenty cents per month—in advance.

White space and paragraphed ads, 50 cents an inch.

Copy must be in the office by 5 p. m. day before insertion.

For Sale

DRY WOOD FOR SALE - HARD and pine, \$2.00 a load. See Eddie Stanley, 11 Glade street, or phone 802-W. Jan 2-8pd.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—EIGHT room house on South Road, street with water and light. See Mr. L. W. Jackson or phone 495-W. dec. 28, 29, 30, 31, Jan. 1, 2, 3-np

FOR SALE - PINE AND HARDWOOD. Seven dollars per cord delivered. Stove lengths. George J. Kerr. Phone 791-W. Jan. 1-5-np

FOR SALE, CHEAP—AUTOMATIC gas heater and four-burner oil cook stove. Apply A. R. Moore, Wineke Apts., after 6 o'clock p. m.

FOR SALE—ONE HORSE, CHEAP offer to quick buyer. Apply R. S. Harris at Jennette Bros. dec. 31-Jan. 7-pd

good pay and pleasant work—learn to operate a Linotype or Intertype; learn it right, by attending the school established by the Southern Newspaper Publishers Association, of which this paper is a member. Address for full information Macon Printing School, Macon, Georgia.

WE HAVE PLACES FOR TWO MEN of clean, dependable character to represent us in Perquimans and Chowan counties. Our careful training enables a man to earn from \$30.00 to \$50.00 a week from the very start, with a splendid opportunity for advancement. Write for information to Box 52, Elizabeth City. Jan. 3-ff-np

HOUSE FOR RENT CORNER Shepherd street and Southern Avenue. Possession at once. Apply M. M. Hurdie, 511 Raleigh street. Jan 2 np

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE on East Fearing street. Apply to Mrs. Nanaq E. Cohoon, 200 South Road street. 27-Jan3np

FOR RENT—HOUSE ON CEDAR street, two doors from Road street. Water and lights. Apply A. L. Ay-

HELP WANTED - IF YOU WANT to get into good trade in a few months, on a paying basis—usually

lost, 2 West Main street. Jan. 3np.

FOR RENT—7 ROOM DWELLING, 214 West Church street. Possession January 1st. W. A. Worth, Hinton building. Dec. 8, ff-np

Opportunities

EDGAR'S 1:30 BUS LEAVING E. City evenings puts you in Norfolk 3:45 on opening new road. Jan. 3-9-pd

FEW APPLES LEFT TO SELL by peck or bushel at 40c or 50c a peck. Buy our U. S. No. 1 Mich. potatoes. Price is low. Aydielt & Owens, Phone 456. Jan 1, 2, 3-np

JUST RECEIVED - AN EXQUISITE lot of changeable taffeta hats priced \$4.98 each. Miss S. A. Perry, Main street, near Southern Hotel. Jan 2-8np

Business Guide

AUTOMOBILE Filling Stations Filling Station De Luxe, Poindexter and Fearing. Cars washed, greased polished.