### WANT COLUMN

WANTED

WANTED: You to give me your subscription for Charlotte News. Get it by mail; it's cheapest. TALK with C. M. Nolen.

YOU CAN GET your January Designer by calling at H. Schneider's. 20c2

USEFUL gifts-flash lights, silverware, manicure sets, Thermos bottles, O-Cedar mops and many other articles suitable for Christmas gifts at Standard Hardware Co.

WE WILL have plenty of nice fat hens and turkeys for Christmas. Give us your order early. Poole's Grocery. Phones 107 and and 108. 20e2

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Seven-room bungalow on asphalt street; all modern conveniences. Gastonia Insurance & Realty Co.

CHASE AND SANBORN'S fine coffee never disappoints. Poole's Grocery. Phones 107 and 108.

FOR SALE: Two good mules, wagon and harness. Bargain to quick buyer. T. A. Henry.

FOR SALE: Few cars of brick. Price right and can make immediate shipment. Mo-Ho Brick Company. Phone

FOR SALE: First-class three-quarter Percheron filly celt, 7 months old, weight 600. Blue ribbon colt at Sunnyside fair. Full sister, weight, 1,300, 3 year-old, price \$100. C. L. White, Roule 1, Kings Mountain, N. C.

FOR SALE AT AUCTION: Tuesday, December 26th, two good mules, one two-horse wagon, one one-horse wagon, all my farming tools, consisting of one Roderick Lean riding cultivator, weeder, harrows, plows, etc. J. LEE HENDER-SON, Lowell, route one.

FANCY white asparagus tips, tiny sweet peas and fine sugar corn at l'oole's Grocery. Phones 107 and 108.

FOR SALE: Cheap for eash, good mule, weight 12 to 1300. G. W. Daley, Route 1.

FOR SALE: April hatched Silver Wyandotte Cockerels, \$3 each. Satisfac-tion guaranteed. C. K. Marshall, Jr.

A BARGAIN FOR YOU: Pressing club outfit, with Hoffman Steam Press. Talk quick. C. M. Nolen.

BUY YOUR Christmas toys early and avoid the rush. Standard Hardware

FOR SALE: Good fresh milch cow. J G. Shannon, Route 4.

FOR SALE: 1917 Ford touring car; also Reo "Four" touring car with lights and starter. W. H. Wray.

FOR SALE: 400 bushels of Turf oats for seed. \$1.50 per bushel. R. C. Ormand, Bessemer City, N. C.

FOR SALE: Tract of 4 and 1-2 acres just west of city, near Arlington and Mutual Mills. For price and terms see J. A. Plyler.

#### FOR RENT.

FOR SALE: Choice lot of Barred Ply mouth Rock cockerels. Thomas Sparrow, Route 3, Gastonia, N. C.

FRESH barrel of fancy mackerel at Poole's Grocery. Phones 107 and 108,

FOR RENT: One-balf of store room now occupied by Singer Sewing Machine Company at low rental. Have more than two years on lease. Apply to J. M. Holland.

FOR RENT: Good warm room over Ideal Roller Covering Co. Apply to John L.

FOR RENT: A good corn mill in center of Gastonia. For further informa-tion see Mrs. A. T. Rhyne, 807 E. Frank-25e6 lin Ave.

FOR RENT: The Mrs. L. A. Rankin house, five rooms, South Broad. Apply to R. C. Patrick.

WE have Pin Money Pickles. Poole's Grocery. Phones 107 and 108. 20e2

#### LOST.

LOST: On street Saturday fraternity pin, crescent shaped with star inside, et with pearls. Reward for return to Gazette office.

LOST OR STRAYED: One gray hog with tail cut off and weighing about 90 pounds. If found please notify Mr. John Lowery, Route No. 1. Box 120.

LOST: Saturday or Sunday, between Poley Stroup's and John Shives', man's pocketbook containing money and valuable papers. Reward for return to Lee P. Rankin, Lowell, N. C. 18c2

LOST: Tuesday, probably on streets, lady's black leather pocket book, containing about \$30 in currency. Reward for return to T. A. Setzer, 805 West Airline Ave.

Several hundred pounds of Stone's fine fruit cakes, all sizes. Poole's Grocery. Phones 107 and 108. 20 c 2

#### MISCELLANEGES

ORANGES: Selected Florida fruit, large box, \$4.35. M. T. Parham & Co.

FOR ICE AND COAL the year round call Gastonia Ice & Coal Co. Phone

HAVE YOUR piano tuned for Christmas. Call J. E. Davis at A. J. Kirby & Co.

COMPOUND LARD: 60 pound tubs at 24 cents a pound. M. T. Parham & 18 c 2

LET US GIN YOUR COTTON. We are now running both our gin stands, which gives us a capacity of 75 bales a day. We also have plenty of meal and hulls. Southern Cotton Gil Company, Gastonia, N. C. J. F. Bess, Manager. tf

SUITABLE GIFTS for grown-ups as well as for children at Standard Hard-



This country has a lot to be thankful for this Christmas: but thoughts of our boys away from home and of those who wont come back should make us all pretty serious; no one is going to feel like giving and doing useless and impractical things this Christmas.

### Give Only the Things That Are Useful

You'll find this store a good place to come for the things men want; for the things they buy for themselves.

Our name in any article is a sign of quality; it means that whoever gets your gift will have respect for your taste.

> Shop Early and Get First Choice

Kirby-Warren Co.

The Home of Good Clothes

SUGAR! SUGAR: Wholesale and retail. M. T. Parham & Co.

B. PATTILLO, Contractor and Builder. Estimates furnished on any kind of building. Hardwood doors a specialty. P. O. Box 145. Phone 520. Gastonia, N. C. Wiff

EXTRA fancy cranberries, malogna

grapes, celery and lettuce. Poole's Grocery. Phones 107 and 108, SAME high class line of toys and dolls

that you've always bought at the Standard Hardware Co.

#### INFLUENZA SITUATION

IS GREATLY IMPROVED. Dr. C. J. McCombs, city physician, hands The Gazette the following very encouraging report on the influenza situa-

"There has been a great improvement in the influenza situation during the last week. It may be a temporary checking up or it may be permanent. Let us hope that it is the latter.

"During the week ending December 10 there were 60 new cases developed and there were only 42 new cases during the last week ending last night, and a number of these rather light. For the last three days there have been only seven cases reported, showing that a very large per cent of these 42 cases were reported the first few days of the week.

"It looks at present as if there will be no danger of having to postpone the opening of the schools after the holidays.

## Gastonian

TODAY CONSTANCE TALMADGE

> and TOM MOORE

"THE LESSON"

THURSDAY

"PRIVATE PEAT" See ad elsewhere in this paper.

FRIDAY

LILA LEE

"SUCH A LITTLE PIRATE"

(A Paramount Picture)

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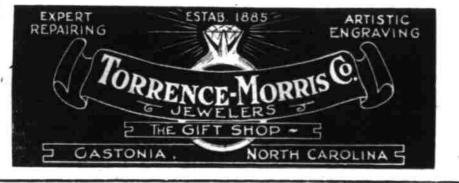


### An Extensive Array of Christmas Gifts

Christmas Only Six Days Off

Large corps of courteous clerks.

A combination which should appeal to the perplexed shoppers.



## Christmas

Just a few days to do your Christmas shopping. The earlier you do your shopping the better you will be pleased. Everything is new, and the stock much larger to select from than it will be later.

You will make no mistake in sending your friends gifts from this ,

Give us a look before you buy. We can save you money because we sell for cash.

WINGET JEWELRY CO.

# Matthews-Belk Co.

Our stocks are very complete in every department and more new goods arriving every day. We really haven't time to write an advertisement, so we suggest just a few of the good things we have here.

#### LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS

Our stock of Ladies Handkerchiefs is very large and complete. Ladies' regular 10c Handkerchiefs for ..... Ludies' Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs at ...... 18c and 25c 

#### LADIES' NECKWEAR

We have on display a good assortment of Ladies Neckwear. Prices 50c, 75c, 98c to \$1.25

#### LADIES' KID GLOVES

Centemeri Kid Gloves for Ladies. Prices ...... \$2.50 and \$2.98 Other standard makes of Ladies Kid Gloves. Prices \$1.98 and \$2.50

#### LADIES' HOSIERY

Our stock of Ladies' Hosiery was never more complete in both Silk Ladies' regular \$1.25 value Silk Hose, colors black, white, grey, brown, 

#### RIBBONS

We have a large and complete stock of all kind of Ribbons. All

#### MEN'S NECKWEAR

#### MEN'S SHIRTS

Men's Shirts make nice Xmas, presents and we have a splendid assortment. Prices ..... 98c, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98 to \$5.95

#### MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

Men's white hemstitched Handdkerchiefs at ...... 10 and 15c Men's initial Handkerelnefs at..... 25c

DOLLS You should see the pretty line of Bolls we have. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 98c to ..... \$1.98

#### BATH ROBES

We have a full line of Bath Robes for both men and women. Also

# Matthews-Belk Co.

Retail Stores

You Can Get All The

Candies you want. The war is over and the sugar situation has been relieved. There was a large quantity of sugar stored in another part of the world and while the war was going on we couldn't get it because all our ships were busy carrying men and munitions to Europe where our boys astonished the world by their wonderful fighting. You were glad to do without candy and sugar then in order to help win the great fight. Now that it is over, however, your thoughts at this season turn to candy. And, of course, when you think of candy you think of Nunnally's as the highest expression of the candy-makers art. Anticipating your candy needs we have secured an ample supply of Nunnally's in all sizes and kinds, so we might be able to suit every taste and every

#### FOR 1919---PEACE, PROSPERITY AND NUNNALLY'S CANDIES

May they all be yours. Nineteen and eighteen has been a year of tri-als and tribulations as well as of great hopes and expectations. Among the great trials of the year has been that of the shortage of sugar and candy. This has now been overcome and you can have all of the Nunnally's you desire.

Fresh shipments received almost daily. Give us your order now so you may run no risk of being disappointed. KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE

How Harold Peat Spent "Two Years in Hell and Back With a Smile"

PHONE 84

"Private Peat"

Realistically Shown in Paramount-Arteraft Special Photoplay

To Be Shown at

## Gastonian Theatre THURSDAY

Admission 10 and 20 Cents