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PHONE 47 — UNION POINT

AN INCREASE OF BANKERS' TRUST

By Another Merger. Which Tightens J. P. Morgan's Money Hold.

New York, Feb. 22d.—The influence of J. P. Morgan & Co. over the financial institutions of New York was further extended by the conclusion of negotiations for the merger of the Bankers' Trust Co. and the Manhattan Trust Co. The combined institutions will form, with a single exception, the most powerful trust company in the United States. The exception, the Guaranty Trust Co. was acquired by Mr. Morgan at the close of 1909 by the purchase of stock holdings of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. and the Harriman estate. The terms of the deal were announced in the following official statement issued by the Manhattan Trust Co.

Negotiations, which were considered at the time of the sale of this company's property at the corner of Wall and Nassau streets to the Bankers' Trust Company two years ago, have now been renewed and successfully concluded, and will shortly result in a merger of this company into the Bankers' Trust Co. By the terms of the proposed merger plan the Bankers' Trust Company will increase its capital stock from $5,000,000 to $15,000. Of the new stock $4,000,000 will be sold to its present stockholders and $1,000,000 will be exchanged for $1,000,000 outstanding capital stock of this company. The two sets of officers in the new Bankers' Trust Company building will now be thrown into one, and in fact, the proximity of these offices has been the leading factor in bringing about the merger.

The Bankers' Trust Company has a present capital of $5,000,000, a surplus of $13 518,400; total deposits, $137,493,100, and cash, $14,891,300. The Manhattan has a capital of $1,000,000; surplus of $2,252,100; total deposits, $21,093,100; cash, $2,400,000. The total combined resources of the two companies will be $182,330,600. The total resources of the Guaranty Trust Company are $208,793,600, though its capital stock is only $5,000,000.

The Bankers' Trust Company was organized in 1903 through the efforts of Henry P. Davison, now a member of J. P. Morgan & Co. Three members of this firm are members of the Board of Directors, which includes twenty-seven bank officials, among them representatives of Chicago, Philadelphia and Kansas City banking concerns.

New vaudeville at The Athens tonight, James and Ellis, Comedy sketch artists.

Quiet Home Marriage.

Yesterday afternoon at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Fannie Williams, Mrs. Marion Williams Fell became the bride of Mr. Clyde Irving, of Kinston. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom drove to the union station where they boarded the train enroute to Kinston, where they will make their future home.

Prior to the wedding a reception was tendered to the bridal party by Mrs Williams; Among the out of town guests present were Messrs. J. A. Nichols, A. S. Taylor and Jas. Scott, of Kinston.

The many beautiful presents received by the bride attested the esteem in which she is held by her friends.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

A good residence No. 7 Graves St. near the corner of Union. Easy terms will be given if wanted.

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Notice To Mariners.

The following is taken from the current issue of Notice to Mariners, published weekly by the Lighthouse Board and Coast and Geodetic Survey:

North Carolina—Pamlico Sound, Cape Channel to Cape Hatteras lightouse, Muddy Slue Light-Change in characteristics to be made about March 8th, 1912. The color of this light will be changed from white to red, without other change.

Hatteras Inlet—Bar Buoy; PS, reported adrift February 6th.

Pamlico Sound—Pungo river light, structure reported carried away and light temporally discobtinued January 29th.

Adams Creek—Adams Creek entrance buoy 1, reported adrift February 6th.

Albermarle Sound—Reed lights reported extinguished February 1st.

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WAVE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

Strikes New Bern. Yesterday's Session of Police Court A Record Breaker. Offenders Warned.

Hist! Also hark! A wave of rigid enforcement of the city ordinance in particular and the law in general has struck New Bern and if you are not familiar with the requirements of both, you should read up on them at once and be sure that you are not arrested and haled before the Mayor as a violator of the law.

Shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon a long line of violators of the city ordinance could be seen wending their way toward the City Hall. When the court was called to order the room was filled with these same violators. Among the crimes charged against the offenders were; leaving obstructions on the sidewalks and streets, riding bicycles without bells and lights, vagrancy, and a few others. Owing to the fact that these laws have not been rigidly enforced in the past, the Mayor dismissed each of the cases with a warning to the offenders.

All the hack drivers were summoned to be on hand ane they were warned not to leave their horses standing alone, not to use their vehicles as drays and particularly against soliciting for immoral purpases.

Now that the public has been warned against these offenses, the next offence will mean a fine and cost. So, speaking figuratively, its up to the people to be good and see that they do not violate any of the city ordinances.

NOTICE.

To fire insurance companies agents and tenants in my stores:

If you are willing to rent my stores without carrying fire insurance do so, otherwise move out at the end of your present month.

If you are carrying any such insurance on goods in my stores, please cancel it at once.

(Signed) ISAAC H. SMITH.

DIED.

Yesterday afternoon at her home on Short Cedar street, Mrs. Bettie Johnson, wife of Mr. J. C. Johnson. The deceased has been in failing health for some time and her death was not unexpected. She was survived by her husband and one son. The hour of the funeral will be announced later.

Pure, Beautiful Water.

The Pepsi-Cola Company have installed a condensing plant of modern construction. It is made by the Sanitary Water Still Company of Jamaica, N. Y and the distilled water is superior to any ever obtained in this city as will be explained.

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POLICE CAPTURE BOX OF WHISKEY

At Home of Mack Hudson, Near Cedar Grove Cemetery. Owner Leaves For Parts Unkown

Police officers Doughty, Bryan and McDaniel yesterday confiscated a box containing a large number of half pint bottles of whiskey they found at the home of Mack Hudson, colored, near Cedar Grover cemetery. The officers have had suspicions for some time that Hudson was selling whiskey and they finally determined to search his home. This they did with the above result.

Search was made for Hudson but he had evidently got wind of the raid on his stock of goods and had left for parts unknown. The whiskey was carried to the city hall and placed in the official depository along with several hundred half pints and pints which have been confiscated in the past. The police are on the lookout for the owner of the whiskey and it is believed by the city officials that [illegible]

LEADS OTHERS IN GOOD ROADS

Mileage Does North Carolina, "Old Hickory" Gavel. R. and H. Bill.

Washington, D. C. Feb. 22.—North Carolina will be interested in hearing that R. Samuel Hill, who is spending some time in England, is quoted as saying that North Carolina leads all of the other states of the union in mileage of good roads, having 1,600 miles of permanent stone roads. Mr. Hill is the vice-president of the American Road Builders association, and he is in England making a thorough study of the roads in England, which he declares are, without exception, the finest in the world. Mr. Hill will spend some time in England, and while there will thoroughly familiarize himself with the system which is employed by the English people for the construction of their roads, which stand up under heavy use unusually well, and which are more plentiful than in any other country on the globe.

The gavel to be used by the Southern Commercial Congress in Nashville, April 8 to 10, is being prepared by The Ladies Hermitage Association. It will be made of hickory from a tree planted by "Old Hickory," Andrew Jackson, when he erected the tomb to his wife, in Nashville. The Nashville meeting of the Congress comes just one hundred years after the outbreak of the war of 1812, in which "Old Hickory" took such avalint part, and just fifty years after the battle of Shiloh, in Tennessee. During each of the years 1911 to 1915, special gavels will be used by the Southern Commercial Congress, as its meetings are intended to emphasize the contrast between conditions of today and conditions of earlier days.

According to Logan Waller Page, Director of the office of Public Roads, there are 2,199,645 miles of public roads in the United States. It would take a man 65 years to cover this vast mileage riding 90 miles a day in a high-powered automobile. From these figures it would seem that the public highways have obtained a pretty firm grip on the country.

From thoroughly reliable sources it is learned that the River and Harbor appropriation bill to be reported to the House late this week, or early next, will carry in the neighborhood of twenty five millions. While the bill will not be satisfactory to some sections of the country, because of failure to appropriate for all projects, having the endorsement of the corps of Engineers, it will generally be accepted as a meritorious measure in view of the economy which the Committee on Rivers and Harbors has consistently had in view. It is expected that the Senate will add at least four or five millions to the bill so that by the time it reaches the President for his signature it will carry approximately thirty millions, but will contain provisions for several projects mentioned in his message to Congress and for which there is urgent need.

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A School For Officers Next.

Arrangements are being peefected by Adjutant General Leinster for the officers' camp of instruction to be conducted in Raleigh during the week of May 12th to 18th.

This is the first time that an instruction camp for officers has ever been held in North Carolina and it will be a very important gathering for this city. There will be a hundred or more officers of infantry and medical corps in attendants, from the various military organizations in the State, also six regular army officers detailed by the war department to conduct the officers' school. Instruction will be given by divisions, about twenty members to the class, and will consist of both lectures and practical field maneuvers. There will be demonstrations of tactical walks which consist of a series of expeditions afoot over several square miles of territory for securing data that would enable officers to conduct an engagement most advantageously. Practical illustrations of map making will also be given.

While the instruction camp is being conducted, the officers who attend and participate will be quartered in tents on some location to be decided upon later.—Raleigh Times.

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