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We wish to call your attention to the fact that it is, and has been our custom to charge five cents per line for resolutions of respect, cards of thanks and obituary notices, after one death notice has been published. This will be strictly adhered to.

TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1924.

Wonder if Congress has the idea it is evening up with Woodrow Wilson by permitting Mrs. Wilson to use the mails free. Appears like twelfth hour flowers.

March trotted in like a lamb, but was not the honor of following February's first extra day in four years enough to calm the winds?

These gland specialists that still search for a way of instilling "pep" in old age through a monkey "fountain of youth" should try boll weevil glands. The insignificant little cotton pest has never learned how to die.

The success of the Cleveland county fair next fall will be determined by the support given it now by citizens of the county. The final drive for stock will be made this week.

PERK UP PESSIMIST.

To the pessimist who sees the dark side of everything and who apparently believes the cloud with the "silver lining" is draped in black, the recent report of the Federal Reserve Bank for the fifth district must be somewhat of a jar. "Business is just as good as it was in 1923, is the tone of the entire review. An added touch is the statement that the purchasing power of the fifth district is considerably greater than it was one year ago.

"Despite the lack of snap and enthusiasm evident a year ago, business in the district during January was equal in volume to that of the same month last year," says the review. Business one year ago seemed greater because the business world was recovering from the slump and depression which began in 1920 and lasted until the fall of 1922. The familiarity of one and one-half years prosperity has dulled the outlook, the prosperity remains. The present strength of business is based upon good agricultural yields as a whole; skilled and unskilled labor that have been fully employed at good wages; less extravagance among the people; increased insurance business; increased bank deposits over last year; higher priced tobacco and larger retail sales among the varied department stores. The textile industry as a whole is reported as marking time while the Carolinas are believed to be in better financial shape than they have been since 1920.

SOMETHING AT THAT.

"Daniels-or President" clubs continue to spring up all over North Carolina, from Currituck to Cherokee. The state is boasting a "favorite son" in a stronger style than in many elections, but with no hostility whatsoever to the Raleigh editor, this paper hardly believes the hopes of his supporters will ever be realized. However, there is something to be gained for the state in boosting him. There are other national offices. The democratic candidate for the presidency must have a running mate, and moreover if the next regime is other than the Grand Old Party there will be cabinet seats to fill, and Daniels has at least shown his ability along that line.

The Daniels boom is strong in the state and is developing strength in Washington and elsewhere, but there are other forces besides booms and boosts that must be met. The High Point Enterprise about coincides with our idea when they say: "We could like for the state's delegation in the convention cast their first vote for a 'favorite son,' and then, if the Daniels' prospects are negligible, be free to adjust itself to the situation as its own intelligence might direct." Of course the unexpected may happen and Daniels be nominated. Thinking as we do now it is not at all likely, but at the same time the convention could do worse as the Statesville Daily says:

"We don't think Mr. Daniels is presidential timber simply because we know him as one of our citizens who is not popular with a lot of his home folks for one reason or another. And yet if we are candid we will admit that he outranks the man for whom democrats voted and shouted four years ago.

"Mr. Daniels is not of course in the class of men like Wilson—there are very few men in that class—but we may be shouting, before the summer is ended, for one who does not surpass him either in ability or character."

From an early outlook, what is wrong with John W. Davis, of West Virginia, for President, with Jo. Daniels as his running mate?

Southern Places New Engines in Service

Sixty-six new locomotives, of which fifty are freight and sixteen passenger, have been placed in service with in the last year by the Southern railway. The order for this additional motive power, which will play a big part in the movement of the Southern's freight and passenger service in 1924, was placed in the spring of 1923. The locomotives were constructed at the Richmond plant of the American Locomotive company. A recent issue of the Southern Railway News Bulletin says:

"Ten of the new locomotives are duplicates of the present light Mikado type freight engines. Forty are the heavy Mikado type for freight service. The 16 passenger locomotives are of the heavy Pacific type.

"All of the new engines are equipped with the latest devices for economical operation and fuel conservation including feed water heaters, superheaters, brick arches and power reverse gears. The mechanical stokers of the Pacific differ from any other stoker in use on the Southern in that the coal is fed into the fire box by the mechanically operated shovels instead of steam jets.

"The heavy Mikados and heavy Pacifics are the largest and heaviest locomotives of these types ever operated on the lines of the Southern railway system. Extreme care has been exercised in the designs of both of these types to insure well proportioned and efficient machines. The engines are as nearly perfectly counterbalanced as possible, special attention having been paid to this feature. In all types the interchangeability of parts has been followed as far as practicable."

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—Collecting Taxes—Sheriff H. A. Logan spent Friday and Saturday in Kings Mountain collecting county taxes.

—Erecting Home—Among the new homes going up in Shelby is one being erected by Mr. Basil Goode on the Cleveland Springs road, adjoining the home of Attorney D. Z. Newton. Mr. Goode now lives on West Warren street.

—Opens Law Office—Mr. Horace Kennedy, who was licensed to practice law by the state bar on January 28, has opened a law office in the Miller block of the court square, over the office of the Shelby and Cleveland county Building and loan association. Mr. Kennedy has for some time been in the law office of Attorney D. Z. Newton.

—County Wide Singing—There will be a county wide singing at the court house next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. The Jones quartet as well as a number of other quartets, together with Professor Loudy and the Jones music school students will be on hand to furnish music. All singers and the public generally are cordially invited.

—A Record Size Egg—Dover M. Mull breeder of fine chickens at Double Shoals has a 11 months old single comb brown Leghorn pullet which has produced a record egg so far as size is concerned. The egg weighs 3 2-3 ounces, measures 8 1-2 inches around the long way and 6 inches around the middle. The egg has been sent to The Star office and is a record in size.

It might be worse. Patriots frisk the treasury at times, but none leases it.

—Eugene (Ore.) Guard. The ultra-conservatives in England are beginning to fear their worst hopes won't be realized.—Martins Ferry Times.

Unless there is a clear working majority congress can't pass much of anything except the buck.—Oklahoma City Times.

Oil and politics do not mix, either. Pittsburgh Gazette Times. No use pouring whitewash on troubled oil.—Brooklyn Eagle.

"There is no politics in honesty," says an editor. And sometimes we are tempted to think there isn't any too much honesty in politics.—Tacoma Ledger.

A European critic says our buildings have no inspiring windows. How about the one where the paying-teller stays?—Akron Beacon-Journal.

California mountains are moving, and this seems to bear out the contention that real estate moves more readily when it is high.—Rochester Times-Union.

A dollar is worth its face value in every corner of the world except at home.—Long Island City Star.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of W. L. Dameron, deceased on January 22nd, 1924, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present same to me duly verified on or before February 8th, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to come forward and make immediate settlement.

This February 4, 1924.
ADDIE L. DAMERON, Administratrix of W. L. Dameron, decd.
Ryburn & Hoey, Attys.

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—RESIDENCES—

House and lot North LaFayette street, lot 100x200 ten rooms, \$10,000.00.

House and lot on Lee Street, lot 106x185 feet. Easy terms.

House and lot South LaFayette street, lot 100x200 feet, \$3,500.00.

House and lot on DeKalb street, \$4,000.00.

House on North LaFayette, \$7,500.00.

House Grover street, 8 rooms, \$6,500.00.

House West Marion Street, \$7,500.00.

House North Morgan street, \$3,500.00.

House West Warren street, \$3,500.00.

House West Marion street, \$5,500.00.

House and lot close in, \$1,700.00.

House West Marion, \$4,000.00.

House and lot Suttle street, \$2,500.00.

—FARMS—

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136 acres No. 2 Township, \$90.00 per acre.

187 acres No. 7 Township, \$75.00 per acre.

299 acres No. 4 Township, \$25.00 per acre.

100 acres near Cleveland Springs, \$125.00 per acre.

—VACANT LOTS—

Lot East Marion street, Cleveland Springs road, \$900.00.

100x200, West Marion, \$1,500.00.

200x458, North LaFayette, \$3,500.00.

73x250, North Washington, \$1,850.00.

100x200 Cleveland Springs road adjoining D. Z. Newton, \$2,250.00.

100x200, Suttle street, \$600.00.

125x150, South Washington, \$4,500.00.

150x146 near Seaboard depot, \$3,750.00.

100x165, Grover street, \$1,000.00.

78x160 Grover street, \$750.00.

50x160, Grover street, \$450.00.

We have other property for sale not included in this list.

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NATIVE OF CLEVELAND PRACTICING IN GASTONIA

Cherryville Eagle.
Messrs. S. C. Hendricks and Cleveland P. Gardner of Gastonia were business visitors in Cherryville Saturday evening. Mr. Gardner has been practicing law in Oklahoma for some time. He is a native of Cleveland county and has now located in Gastonia for the practice of his profession.

Box Supper at Casar.

There will be a box supper at Casar Methodist church on Friday night March 7. The proceeds go to the benefit of Casar school.

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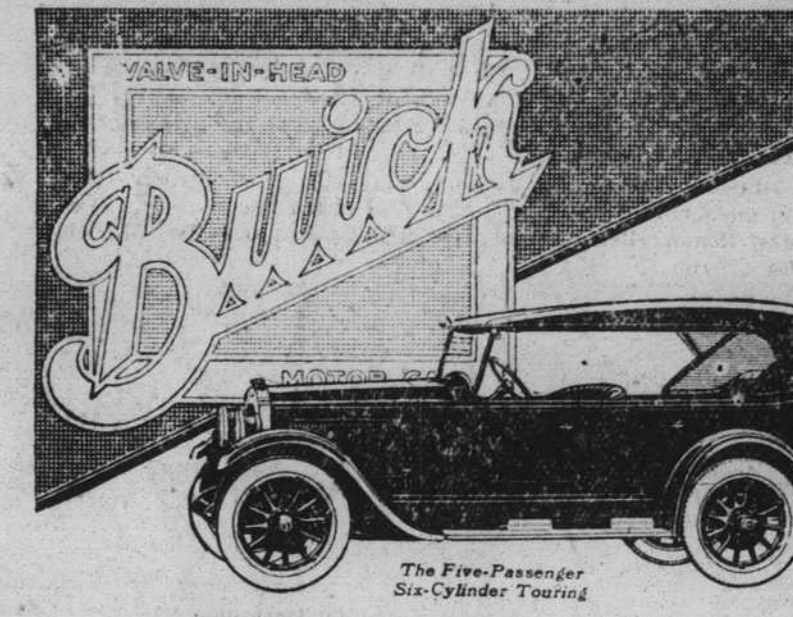
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Mr. Vanderlip describes himself as a "retired business man," and doubtless he wishes now that he'd been a little more retired than he was—Boston Transcript.
Why a bonus for soldiers? Think of the poor fellows who served the government for a dollar a year during the war and didn't make more than a million.—Toledo Blade.



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