

LITTLE STARS

Cotton, per pound 20c
Cotton seed per bush 55 1-2c

Birth—Born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Palmer at the Shelby hospital, a bouncing boy, Mrs. Palmer before marriage was Miss Ferris Patterson.

Truck Burns—A Ford truck of the D. A. Beam Motor company caught fire about 6:30 Thursday evening and was considerably damaged. The city fire truck turned out for the blaze.

Sale Called Off—The auction sale of the R. F. Leonard property north of Shelby by the Shelby Real Estate company has been postponed until a later date because of the snow and sleet. A date for the sale of these residential lots will be announced later.

Correction—In the last issue of The Star it was stated that there was a conviction of several young men in court for trespassing and hunting, and in reporting the nature of the conviction an error was made, the conviction being only for hunting without written permission although certain oral permission was obtained.

Play Jan. 22—"Second Story Peggy", the high school play, given sometime ago will be repeated Friday evening January 22, it is announced by the senior class of Shelby high. It was first announced that the play would be repeated Friday, January 15, but as it conflicted with the big gymnasium number the play was postponed a week.

Officers Elected—At a meeting of the Cleveland County Medical society held Monday night at the Shelby hospital, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. W. F. Mitchell, president; Dr. U. W. Harbison vice president, and Dr. Sam Schenck, secretary-treasurer. The district medical society comprising nine counties and with a membership of nearly 300 doctors will be held in Shelby next fall.

Do You Remember Him?—John Bidgood, colored, sends The Star a handsome calendar from the American Bank and Trust Co. at Tampa, Fla. saying that he was born in Shelby but has been away for 25 years. John is working at this Florida bank now, probably as janitor, but he wants to be remembered to his white and colored friends back in Shelby. When John lived here he could ride the wildest Texas pony that was ever broken to a saddle.

The many friends of Mr. Frank Hamrick will be glad to know that he has sufficiently recovered from his operation for appendicitis at the Shelby Hospital that he has returned to his home on N. Lafayette street.

FAMILY DINNER PARTY.

Cherryville Eagle. On the last Sunday of the year Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen had as dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Poston and children of Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Dycus and family, and Mr. and Mrs. William Dycus and family, of Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Allen and Mrs. W. T. Allen.

40-FOOT ROAD CONTRACT TO BE LET FEBRUARY 3

Raleigh.—The state's first 40-foot highway, the Charlotte Gastonia boulevard, has been put in the group of construction projects to be let to contractors February 3, the state highway commission announces. The award of contract for the boulevard had been first reported for early this month, but the commissioners said there was some mistake about the date, and February 3 has been tentatively fixed. Several other projects will be let at the same time. The "boulevard" will be 40 feet wide for the entire 15 miles between Charlotte and Gastonia, density of traffic between these two cities is shown by the highway census to be the greatest in the state.

MOVIES NOW MAKING OWN COB WEBS AND DRIPPING ICICLES

New York.—Motion pictures, like necessity have become the mothers of invention. There was a time, and not so long ago, when if a picture called for cobwebs and icicles it was necessary to find a diligent spider and wait for freezing weather. But no more.

While "Dancing Mothers" was being filmed here, Clara Bow saw four men tapping pieces of wood together and passing them slowly past corner beams and other protruding thing of a set.

"What are you doing?" she asked. "Draping cobwebs," came the reply and thinking it all a joke she walked away.

But after two hours work, cobwebs were draped profusely over the set. A mixture of glue glycerine and powdered chalk between two boards provided the webs, as the boards were rubbed together and then separated suddenly.

Buckets of paraffin wax and heat will manufacturer icicles and skating rinks. With ladle, the "prop" men drip the melted paraffin about the set and as it cools the icicles appear. A little whitening is added when the paraffin is poured on the floor to form skating rinks.

Much of the snow seen in movies is flaked wheat, which could be eaten if properly prepared.

PERSONALS

Folks you know on the go

Judge E. Y. Webb leaves Friday for a brief stay in Washington, D. C. Mrs. John Black spent the week end in Lincolnton with relatives.

Mrs. Play Hamrick spent Thursday in Charlotte on business. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wray of Gastonia spent Thursday night here the guests of Mr. John Wray.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery McMurry, Miss Amos Willis and Mrs. Willis McMurry spent Thursday in Charlotte. Miss Mary Elizabeth Black is spending some time with her uncle Dr. Crowell in Lincolnton.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Quinn have returned from a week's honeymoon trip to Mrs. Quinn's mother in Raleigh.

Misses Ruth Gillam, Margaret Delinger and Lorene Nelson motored to Shelby Saturday.—Cherryville Eagle. Miss Ette Curtis of Bolling Springs, spent the holidays here with relatives.—Cherryville Eagle.

Miss Burrus and Miss Mattie Burrus are the delightful guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burrus in Belvedere heights.

Mrs. E. A. Houser and son, Mr. Dwight Houser, of Shelby, were Cherryville visitors Saturday.—Cherryville.

Dr. R. M. Morrison and Mr. Fiber Poston leave next Sunday on a motor trip to Florida to be gone a week or ten days.

Mr. George Moore has returned from a business trip to Winston-Salem where he visited the home office of the Security Life Insurance Co.

Mrs. Reuben McBrayer leaves Saturday for Winston-Salem. She will visit there for a fortnight and join her parents for a visit to New York.

Former Senator Sam C. Lattimore has returned from Atlanta, where he attended a cotton conference, being appointed an official delegate by Governor McLean.

Mrs. S. E. Hoey and son, Mr. Frank Hoey, left Friday morning for Statesville where they were called by the death of Mrs. Hoey's brother, Mr. C. Vance Henkel.

Mr. E. H. Agle, of Greensboro spent the week end in Cherryville. Another week end visitor in Cherryville was Mr. Charles Warner of Boston, Mass., and Shelby.—Cherryville Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Elliott, Miss Nida Elliott and Mr. Bill Elliott, of Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Maud Whitworth, and family, of Waco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen last Sunday.—Cherryville Eagle.

Mrs. Julia Abernethy, Miss Loy Stroup and Mr. D. P. Delinger accompanied Miss Blanche Dellinger as far as Shelby on her return trip to Spindale last Sunday afternoon. Miss Stroup remained in Shelby Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. George B. Elam.—Cherryville Eagle.

ELLENBORO MILL WILL SOON BE READY FOR WORK

The new building of the Ellenboro Mfg. Co., is practically completed with the exception of some flooring and will be ready for work in a short while. New machinery is arriving this week and will be installed as fast as possible. The company has its product sold at present to justify a day and night run for the first nine months, thereby insuring a successful beginning.

Presbyterian Church

At the Presbyterian Church Sunday the services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. N. McDiarmid. The subject of his sermon at 11 a. m. will be "Forward," a subject in keeping with the present trend of the church. At the morning worship the choir will sing "Onward, Christian Soldiers" by Herbert Lacey. At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will continue a series of sermons on "The Kingdom of Heaven." Special music will also be rendered at this service. The workers Council of the Sunday School will meet at 9:30 a. m. for prayer and discussion. All departments of the school will begin their work promptly at 9:45 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor meets at 4 p. m. The Senior Endeavorers will hold their meeting at 6:30 p. m. Splendid interest was manifested in all services last Sunday. Nothing less is hoped for on the coming Sabbath. The public is invited to all services at this church.

THE FARMERS PART IN RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

Discussing the part farmers must play in bringing electricity to the rural districts, Owen D. Young recently said:

"The farmers should insist upon study of electrification by their agricultural schools and colleges, by their farm organizations, and require a constant and unending publicity of the results of each studies through their farm journals.

"They should welcome study by power companies and manufacturing companies, and should cooperate with them to work out practical plans to get effective results. In each community, they should endeavor to develop a universal sentiment in favor of a power supply and general agreement to take service distributed among the largest possible numbers of customers.

"The one point I want to make to the farmer is that manufacturing companies may produce devices, electric power companies, may bring electricity to his door, but the question remains with the farmer whether he will put it to work. It is he who must say whether or not electricity is to be used in agriculture."

THEATRES

Webb's present Saturday Al Hoxie in "The Texas Terror" He packs two guns, is a border cyclone. He is the law west of the Pecos. Boy you will thrill at this Western picture. And then there will be "Better Movies" an Our Gang comedy. You will laugh at this one. Also don't forget "The Fables". A big Saturday show.

Monday Webb's have Laura La Plante in "The Teaser" with Pat O'Malley. They took her fiancé from her, so she smashed hearts right and left, ruthlessly, carelessly—until a certain man's wife got her in a corner. Can a girl run with the hare and hunt with the hounds? Every girl will find this delightful story highly instructive in the arts of flirtation.

Friday, tonight Beams present, at the Princess—W. C. Fields and Carol Dempster in "That Royle Girl". A great story. The finest Griffith has had in years. Melodramatic, heart-throbbing, flashy, funny, pathetic, gripping. Meet that Royle Girl, a jazz daughter of the Chicago loop.

Saturday Beams present at the Princess Zane Grey's greatest story "The Vanishing American". The final epic romance of the American Indian. Zane Grey and his production staff have been working for months on the details of this big picture. Like all Zane Grey stories it will be taken on the actual locations of the story. The prices for this wonderful production will be 25 and 35 cents.

MRS THURLO BAILEY AT DOVER MILL ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Thurlo Bailey, the efficient music teacher of Dover mill section, delightfully entertained her music class Monday evening. The guests arrived at 8 o'clock and promptly began playing games. A short musical program, consisting of piano solos and duets was rendered by the class.

Mrs. Samuel Greene of Mooresboro gave some vocal solos that everyone enjoyed. Musical contests and games were interesting features of the evening. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Samuel Green and Miss Ruth Padgett served a delicious salad course.

SHOEMAKER FINDS RELIEF IN HERB JUICE.

Says Among The Hundreds Of Remedies Tried, It Is The Only Medicine That Ever Relieved His Condition.

"I would not take a million dollars and go back to the condition I was in before I took HERB JUICE. This great medicine has made a different man out of me," said Mr. J. W. Dayberry, well known Shelby citizen connected with the Landis Shoe Shop, in a recent statement to the HERB JUICE man.



J. W. DAYBERRY

"Before I commenced using HERB JUICE," continued Mr. Dayberry. "My nerves were so bad that my hands trembled and I could hardly write my name or hold a newspaper steady so as to read it, and I had suffered for years with stomach, liver and kidney troubles; everything I ate would sour in my stomach and form gas, the pains from which I would suffer terribly. For years I never could get a full night's rest, and I was always constipated; liver was sluggish and I had bilious attacks and dizzy spells. I had to keep up at night because of my kidneys and, in fact was just about a wreck in physical health. I began to improve at once when I started on HERB JUICE and now after taking your great medicine for several months I feel better in every way; in fact, feel like a sixteen year old boy. I do not have any more gas in my stomach nor do I have those terrible pains. My liver and kidneys act fine, the bilious attacks and dizzy spells are gone and my nerves improved so much that my hands do not tremble and I can now sleep soundly every night. I've gained so much in strength lately that I feel and look like a different person, and as I said before your HERB JUICE has restored me to good health after I had been told numbers of times that there was no cure for me, and I make this statement to show my gratitude for what it has done for me. Yes, I gladly endorse HERB JUICE, and will always speak a good word for it wherever I go."

Mr. Welch of the HERB JUICE Laboratories has established headquarters at the Kiviere Drug Co., and will gladly tell you without any cost just what benefit you can obtain from the great remedy.

THE WEBB THEATRE TODAY-FRIDAY THE TALKER

Anna Q. Nilsson and Lewis Stone.

SATURDAY

"OUR GANG" Comedy Saturday. Al Hoxie "THE TEXAS TERROR" Al Hoxie is considered by Moviedom as the best portrayer of Western Parts on the screen today.

MONDAY

Laura La Plante in "THE TEASER" The love of a girl for a cigar salesman. Comedy, Excitement, Scandal, Laughter.

Princess Theatre advertisement for 'The Royal Girl' and 'The Vanishing American'.

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Clearance Sale Of Men's Overcoats Made of the new Blue Cheviot knit fabrics, and other standard Overcoat Materials. Sizes 34 to 42, formerly sold at \$27.50, \$35.00 and \$39.50. All to go at a special CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$19.50

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Shelby

CONDENSED STATEMENT, DEC. 31ST, 1925. RESOURCES FOUR MILLION, SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various bank assets and liabilities with their respective values.

The items above constitute the bank's RESOURCES, making Total Resources \$4,605,224.71

All the above items make up the banks liabilities, making TOTAL LIABILITIES \$4,605,224.71

People often say they can not understand the usual published bank statement, so we have made the above explanations of each item, so that any one can read and understand the statement. We are naturally pleased with this statement, as it is one of the largest we have ever published and we want our friends and customers to read it and be pleased also. We thank every one who has helped to make possible this excellent showing of your bank.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Shelby

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