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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 our death notice has been published. This will be strictly adhered to.

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1926.

We sometimes wonder if the members of these atheist organizations proudly say: "My mother made me what I am?"

If the lots in all the sub-divisions were being built upon Shelby's 10,000 population would arrive somewhat earlier than 1930.

Jack Dempsey trains for the fights he never has. Wonder what Peggy Joyce does right before one of her divorces?

The latest booster item for Shelby is the announcement of a new water station purchased by the city—beg pardon: by the town.

One farming item Cleveland county cannot be proud of is that there was a decrease in dairy cows over the county during the past five years.

Things must be dull again in Washington. A state newspaper correspondent is again talking our 1928 gubernatorial race.

KILLING BEAUTY

What do you suppose a handsome woman would take to mar the beauty of her face?

Instead feminine beauty and charm is touched up and preserved by careful beauty shops and regular massages and protective plans.

And why do folks paint their homes and add a new lustre to the family car?

Beauty once it has been marred cannot be brought back.

Shelby has a beautiful spot in the court square, but instead of cultivating and preserving it has been allowed to slip. And a worthy rep is that being made to care for and add to the lure of the grassed plot in the heart of a business. It did not come any too soon.

The plot can be grassed anytime, shrubs and flowers planted, but what of the trees? The movement now on foot should see to their preservation.

Trees like that do not grow in a day, or a year. And once they are let decay and crumble they can never be brought back. Just like the beauty of a woman's face.

And those trees have been growing for the span of several lifetimes.

WAKING 'EM UP

Better keep your eyes on Kings Mountain.

Recent weeks of balmy Piedmont Carolina climate have seen Editor G. G. Page of The Herald infected with the real estate germ that usually brings on a fever. In energetic fashion Mr. Page is calling on his fellow townsmen to wake up and get busy in helping Kings Mountain to attract, which means grow.

During the course of a five page editorial Kings Mountain editor referred to Shelby several times in spurring his townsmen onward. The references follow:

Shelby is hollering herself hoarse and getting results. Shelby is having the greatest real estate activity in a decade because her claims have been put before the folks who are looking for a good buy.

Shelby interests have brought \$150,000 holdings on the new boulevard between Charlotte and Gastonia and litteral millions may be spent there within the next few years.

Within a few weeks a train load of Floridians will come to Shelby to look the country over.

And this same fever mentioned has practically revolutionized Shelby. At an auction sale here Thursday the realty agents were so thick that one walked up to another and wanted to go "halvers" on a lot. No, he didn't know the other fellow was in the game.

Yet Mr. Page has the right

idea. Things that sell must be advertised and Shelby has not had enough far-spread publicity.

REAL ESTATE BUYING

Many dollars are being removed from savings accounts in the Western Carolina section and placed in real estate. Money is being made, but every time someone gets possession of a dollar another someone loses possession. Such is a law that cannot be detoured. All of which may be all right. And may not.

As to the investing, it's according to how it is done. Financial and business experts have opined voluminously on the so-called "land booms." There are those who say it's all bosh; they tell you of the gold rush days and the dire ending; of oil stock swarms, then of World War prices and now it's a land rush to get the money. All of which is a cynical pessimism to an extent—not altogether.

Money invested right in real estate is planted best. Everyone knows that. It's just a simple truth, but in avoiding simple have-to-be's there is danger.

The man who uses common sense in buying, weighing carefully values as he does in buying shoes, clothing and other things, should be safe in real estate investments. However, the dabbler may find it expensive. One buy may go well through sheer luck, but eventually in wild-cat speculating dollars change masters—if dollars have masters.

Which gets everything back to an old ruling of life, that of common sense. Use common sense and judgement rather than visionary pictures and injected enthusiasm and real estate like all other turns of life is safe enough.

As for speculating—we'll, that's different.

But under sensible, sound thinking a real estate "boom" is not scheduled to damage any section, wherein values are rightly based.

GROVER NEWS OF PRESENT WEEK

Potatoes Kept Fine in Storage. Reception for High School Class At Mrs. Hamrick's Home.

(Special to The Star.)

Grover, Mar. 1.—Those that have kept sweet potatoes in the Grover potato house this year have been mighty well pleased with the result. The potatoes have kept perfectly and their quality is much better than those saved the old way.

Miss Bessie Turner left last Thursday to spend several days in Florida.

Grover high school closed their basketball season last week with four victories. The boys had a good game with Union high school last Wednesday afternoon, which resulted in the close score of 23 to 24 in favor of the Grover boys. The next afternoon, they won over Blacksburg 16 to 12 and the Grover girls counted the score of 18 to 2 against the sextette from Central high of Rutherfordton.

Mrs. B. P. Hambrick and Mrs. C. C. Wallace have been sick for several days. We hope they will soon be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Beam are rejoicing over the recent arrival of a girl in their home.

The stork has brought Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bookout another boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. White have been gone about two weeks on a visit and tour of Florida.

While Mr. D. J. Keeter was on one of his accustomed business trips to Bessemer City last Thursday, his son invited him to stay over for dinner. He had not thought about his birthday until he went into the dining room and found a well filled table and a cake decorated with 68 lighted candles.

We were all shocked Saturday afternoon by the sudden death of Mr. A. G. Beheler. It is thought that his heart gave way while he was walking in a bath between his home and town. He was traveling alone, but some children passing that way some 30 or 40 minutes later found him lying on the ground and life was almost extinct then. Mr. Beheler was born and reared near Smyrna, S. C., but has been living at Grover for about six years. The deceased is survived by his father, four brothers, three sisters and nine children. His remains will be laid to rest in the cemetery at Canaan church sometime Tuesday.

Holly Grove school will give a play at Grover school house next Friday evening. This has been given at Holly Grove and Earl and the people were well pleased with it.

The home of Mrs. L. C. Hamrick was the scene of much happiness and fun Saturday evening, February 27, when she delightfully entertained a number of young people of Grover in honor of the senior class of Grover high school and her week end guests Misses Irene Hamrick and Lucille Callahan of Rutherfordton. Games were played and contests were much enjoyed after which delightful refreshments were served by Misses Margaret Hamrick and Lucy Turner.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Hamrick were, Misses Lucile Callahan, and Irene Hamrick, of Rutherfordton, Ruby Ellis of Spindale, Ruth Yelvington, Sadelle Harry, Mary Hester Ellis, Ruby Ellis, Evelyn Mullinax, Wilma Gettys, Ruth Crisp, Lucy Turner and Margaret Hamrick; Messrs. Hal Bell, Jack Pinkleton, James Rollins, Jackie Hambrick, Buford Hambrick, P. E. Head and Marvin Hamrick.

Surprised at Max

(Rutherfordton News)

Max Gardner talked to the Charlotte Observer about the future of Western Carolina in part as follows: "Asheville is the Carolina Miami, Hendersonville the St. Petersburg, Chimney Rock the Coral Gables and Shelby the Jacksonville."

Rutherfordton should have been in this list sure. We are not familiar enough with Florida to say what town Rutherfordton is similar, but we do know that she is the Eastern gateway to Lake Lure and The Land of the Sky and has an important part in the big Western Carolina boom. Well, we will forgive Max this time if he will promise to do better hereafter.

There are about 100,000 blind in America, only a few of whom will render snap decisions at second this summer.

That Russian who killed a doctor who failed to cure him probably figured that a lawyer's bill would be less than the doctor's.

But why bar automobiles from a college? Surely there should be some place where people can learn to drive.

The fellow who is looking for a place to light seldom ever makes a good landing.

State of North Carolina Department of State. CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION. To all to whom these presents may Come—Greeting:

Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Shelby Ice and Fuel Company, a corporation of this state, whose principal office is situated in the city of Shelby, county of Cleveland State of North Carolina (E. A. Hamrick being the agent there in and in charge thereof), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution; Now, therefore, I, W. N. Everett, secretary of state of the state of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 8th day of February 1926, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 9th day of February, A. D. 1926. W. N. EVERETT, Secretary of State.

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We have all the new spring styles, in most of the new colorings, and at most any price you want to pay, from \$19.50 to \$45.00.

It's a good stunt, when the going is rough, to get out the old suit and have it dolled up when Easter comes around. But that's old stuff this year. You won't get by.

The spring cuts are rather conservative But VERY NEW. And colorings are very much of a departure from last year. There are new effects in stripes and checks, and in color combinations.

Come in and look over the display, and you will find the suit you want.

BLANTON AND WRIGHT CLOTHING CO.

NOTE: Just in, a new lot of high school boys' suits, sizes 16 to 18—going at the special figure of \$17.50.

JUST RECEIVED!

BIG SHIPMENT NEWEST SHADES CORTICELLI SILKS. THESE SILKS ARE RECOGNIZED AS THE HIGHEST GRADES SILKS MADE. WE ARE ANXIOUS FOR YOU TO SEE THE NEW SEASON'S SHADES WE ARE SHOWING. ALSO WE WANT YOU TO SEE THE QUALITY AND THE LOW PRICE AT WHICH WE ARE SELLING THESE GOODS.

We have also received big shipment new Wash Goods, English Prints, Printed Pongees, Broadcloths, Linens, Etc. Visit our Store and see this display of New Spring Materials.

- SPECIAL New Fast Colored Indian Spindale Ginghams. Newest patterns. Big assortment to select from. 19c Yard. English Prints, 50 pieces. Special 45c. Newest Patterns. Pretty Designs. New Curtain Goods. New Draperies. New Printed Crepe de Chine. New Printed Silk and Cotton Crepes. New Charmeuse & Satens. New Rayon Brocke (Rayon Silk). New Pebble Sheen (Rayon Silk). New Chiffo-O-Ray (Rayon Silk). ALSO NEW SHOES—Big shipment just received. Every style to be found in our Shoe stock. All the new ones are here.

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- CODFISH, Boneless Brick, 1 lb. Each 12 1/2c. MACKEREL, Fancy Big and Fat, Each 11c. CODFISH, Ready to Fry, Can 14c. SALMON, Argo Fancy Red, Can 37c. SARDINES, Domestic, In Oil, Can 5c. SARDINES, Imported, In Olive Oil, 1-4 Can 17c. TUNA FISH, 1-2 Can 27c.