

BOILING SPRINGS BATCH OF NEWS

(Special to The Star)

Boiling Springs, Jan. 3. Mrs. E. C. ... at a four course dinner Sunday. The dining and living rooms were decorated with sprays of holly and large clusters of oranges on the original branches. Those enjoying this gracious hospitality were Miss Clara Crabtree of Rutherfordton, Mr. C. H. Crabtree of New York City, Mr. Paul M. Harty of Lewis Del., and Dr. Lawrence Crabtree, veterinarian for Walker-Gordon Laboratory of Plainwood, N. J.

Mrs. L. C. Cooper of the Dover Mill is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Greene.

Miss Velma Goode of Moultrie, Ga., arrived at the home of her father Rev. J. M. Goode here Sunday. She will remain here a week and then will enter the University of N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee, of Cottonwood, Ala., spent several days of last week here with relatives. They attended the funeral services of their uncle Mr. T. G. Lee.

Mrs. Boyce Robinson has been confined to her bed for several days with diphtheria. The home is under quarantine.

Mr. Sam Hicks who has been critically ill with pneumonia is recovering.

The public school here opened with a full attendance Monday. The flu epidemic seems to be on the wane. Although there are several students who are still indisposed.

Mrs. M. H. Walker is at the bedside of her sister-in-law Mrs. Garland Doty of Sandy Plains who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Greene and family spent Sunday in Gastonia.

The Tongues and Needles club will meet with Mrs. Dean White Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis and family spent the Christmas holidays and New Year at Raleigh.

Little Miss Lois Hamrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hamrick is quite ill with tonsillitis and influenza.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Jenkins and family spent several days of the past week with Mrs. Jenkins' mother, Mrs. D. A. Watson at Wagram.

Mr. John Hamrick and Miss Elizabeth Hamrick who have been attending college at Wake Forest and Meredith respectively, are still confined to their home with influenza.

The following girls and boys returned to school this week: Misses Sarah Lee Hamrick, Evelyn Huggins, Ruth Hamrick, Aileen Biegstaff, Bertie Cash, Messrs. Henry and Allen Cash, D. J. Hamrick, Charles R. Hamrick, Charles J. Hamrick, Stanley Greene, Travis White, Dwyre Huggins and Graham Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Greene spent the holidays with Mrs. Greene's father, Rev. Crabtree of near Rutherfordton.

Miss Eloise Pruette of Charlotte visited her mother, Mrs. J. L. Pruette here last week.

Dr. J. W. Wood has been ill for a few days. He was taken to the hospital Wednesday for treatment.

Messrs. C. M. McMurry of Dallas, Texas and J. J. McMurry, of Asheville, spent several days of the past week here with their mother, Mrs. J. W. McMurry. They came to be at the bedside of their father who died Saturday morning.

The following little boys from Shelby spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ida McBrayer: George Flanton, Jr., Charles, W. G., and John McBrayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McClure spent several days of last week here with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Greene.

Mrs. T. G. Lee who has been very ill with influenza is slowly improving.

Miss Lucille Hamrick who is taking the teacher training course at Rutherfordton is observing in the public school here this week.

Mr. Eugene Eubank spent last week with his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Noah Jolley near Mooresboro.

The following little boys from this week to their schools: Misses Etelle Walker, Mabelle Biggerstaff, Mildred Goode, Ollie Moore, Kate Moore and Lucille Hamrick.

The Junior college opened here Tuesday with a fairly good attendance however. There are many students who have had influenza who will return to school next week.

Mr. Eray Jolley who is in the U. S. Navy and who has been in Brooklyn, N. Y., for the past few months spent the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Genee Jolley.

Dr. and Mrs. Boyd of Charlotte attended the funeral of Mr. T. G. Lee.

Misses Lois and Winfrey Hamrick have returned to Charlotte after a week's stay with their father, Mr. Ed Hamrick.

TOY MOTORCYCLE TAKEN FROM THROAT OF CHILD

Cincinnati, Jan. 2.—Surgeons performed a successful operation on Frank Roberts, 18-months-old baby of Mrs. W. Van, here late today to remove a toy motorcycle from the child's throat where it had been lodged for 18 days.

Shelby Sad And Proud, Same Time

Paper Says Town Has Two Attitudes About Gardner's Leaving.

Rocky Mt. Telegram. Citizens of Shelby, under the leadership of the Kiwanis club joined Saturday night in giving a home town farewell to the next governor.

Shelby naturally has just pride in its citizen who has been to the position of North Carolina's chief executive. Through Mr. Gardner's steady advancement his home town friends and associates have stuck by him. His county honored him with his first political position. In his reverses to his fellow townsmen have slapped him on the back and given him that word of encouragement which sent him back into the fight with renewed vigor and determination.

When Mr. Gardner was defeated for governor by Cameron Morrison the blow was just about as hard for every resident of Shelby as it was for the defeated candidate himself. As soon as the community shock was over, however, his fellow townsmen were the first to give words of encouragement and to send him back into the race for an eventual victory. The Shelby spirit, the Shelby cooperation have been most valuable assets in the public career of the man who will next occupy the governor's chair in North Carolina.

With such a background and with such a community feeling, it is easy to understand what a genuine and sincere farewell party Mr. Gardner's fellow citizens tendered Saturday night and to realize how straight from the heart came the tributes which were paid him for Shelby by Clyde Hoey and Odus Mull, his fellow townsmen and his fellow workers for the cause of democracy.

Pride may have been the predominant factor in the hearts of Shelby citizens who gathered to pay their fellow citizen and friend farewell before his departure for the governor's mansion, but it is safe to say that pride was hard pushed for first place by a feeling of regret, of sorrow and of an emptiness that is to come as Shelby said good-bye.

Mr. Gardner, with all his rush, has been an indefatigable worker in community projects. As first-president of the Shelby Kiwanis club, as teacher of one of the largest Men's Bible classes in the state, as chairman of the county farm board and as leader in all civic and community endeavor, the next governor has served his town and his county well. Even though he may make frequent visits to Shelby while he is governor, his leadership, his advice and his work will be greatly missed.

Governor Gardner may fill a great place in Raleigh, but he leaves a correspondingly large void in Shelby and its network of community affairs. A man who is big enough to become governor necessarily means a great deal to his home town and his home county. So there must be regret in Shelby, a regret tempered, it is true, by the realization that a much greater sphere of service awaits him who has already served well.

Thus Shelby Saturday night voted its pride in its first citizen to occupy the governor's chair. Pride may have predominated on the surface at the farewell party, but in the mixed emotions of the heart regret necessarily had a large place. Max Gardner's home town sends him to Raleigh with a smile and salve of applause, but back of the surface manifestation there's an inexpressible realization that his home town is going to miss him terribly.

But It Won't.

(From The Augusta Chronicle.) Another New Year resolve that ought to go over strong should be a universal resolve by motorists to be more careful in driving and in observing the law of the road, so as to cut down motor vehicle accidents during the coming year.

COMMISSIONERS SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the court made in special proceedings entitled E. C. Smith et al. vs. Bessie Fisher et al. dated December 31, 1928, the undersigned commissioner will offer for sale at public auction for cash at the court house door in Shelby, N. C. on Thursday, January 31, 1929 at 12 o'clock, noon, the following described real estate:

A tract of land situated in No. 3 township, Cleveland county and bounded as follows:

Being that tract of land conveyed from Christopher Felmont and wife, Margaret Felmont to James T. Smith by deed dated March 3, 1931, and recorded in book MMDI at page 61 in register's office, Cleveland county beginning on a black oak, R. M. Elliott's corner, and runs thence N. 70 E. 112 poles to a ... and ... tree; thence S. 32 E. 44 poles to a stake on school land; thence S. 59 1/2 W. 10 poles to a stake; thence E. 32 E. 10 poles to a stake; thence S. 89 1/2 W. 2-3 poles to a stake; thence N. 63 W. 72 poles to a stake and point ...; thence N. 81 W. 21 poles to a ... containing 22 1/2 acres more or less.

Terms of sale: Cash. Date of sale: January 31, 1929. PEYTON McSWAIN, Commissioner.

Ward's MID WINTER SALE

of Beddings-Linens-Wash Fabrics

Your big opportunity to save! Right now while prices are down to bedrock lay in your supply of these big savings. Many housekeepers find the answer to their needs for several months to come in these splendid assortments and quality items. This sale includes Lingerie and Underwear materials, Dress Fabrics, Table Linens, Muslins and Bedding to which is added our famous brands of dependable Heating, Pillow Tubing, Blankets and Bedspreads.



Splendid Lingerie Materials—

Daily durable materials that launder beautifully. Fashion's favorites for lingerie. A few of the splendid values are:

- 36 in. Charmeuse, All Colors, Yd. 69c.
- 36 in. Satene, All Colors, Yd. 19c.
- 36 in. Plisse Crepe, 7 Colors, Yd. 19c.
- 36 in. White Broadcloth, Yd. 29c.
- 36 in. Colored Broadcloth, Yd. 29c.
- 36 in. Tinted Lawn, Yd. 15c.
- 36 in. Underwear Checks, Yd. 15c.
- 36 in. Cotton Voile, Yd. 23c.



Excellent Materials For Baby Garments—

Ward's sale offers wonderful bargains in materials for baby clothes. Soft absorbent diaper cloth, warm flannels, fine cottons. Some of the values are ...

- 27 in. Birds-eye Diaper Cloth, 10 yd. \$1.15
- 26 in. White Shaker Flannel, 10 yd. \$1.50
- 26 in. Tinted Flannel, Pink-Blue, v. 1.50
- 36 in. White Longcloth, yd. 15c
- 36 in. White Nainsock, yd. 25c

Garment Bags

Cedarized Paper Garment Bag, 20c
Cedarized Paper Blanket Bag, 27x27, 27c
Robby Cotton Garment Bag, \$1.20



prices greatly reduced

Mid-Winter Sale EXTRA-BARGAIN days—store wide reductions—fresh, complete stocks—every item guaranteed! With millions of cash in hand, we offered manufacturers bigger orders than they ever before had handled—we demanded the world's lowest prices....

And now the SAVINGS are passed direct to you from this great Mid-Winter Sale. Compare every price and compare the quality. Save, SAVE, SAVE, on everything—every day—during this Mid-Winter Sale.

Departments in Our Store Participating in This Sale:

- Radios and Accessories—Bedding, Linens, Towels, White Goods—Riverside Tires and Tubes—Men's and Boys' Clothing—Brooders, Incubators, Fencing—Women's Ready-to-Wear, Lingerie, Accessories—Stoves, Housefurnishings, Electrical Appliances—Gyrators, Furniture—Farm Implements, Harness, Gas Engines, Nursery Stock—Toilet Goods and Sundries.

REMARKABLE VALUES IN WIDE SHEETING

- 81 in. Unbleached, Cream Color Sheetting
- 81 in. Bleached Pure White Sheetting

For double beds; our famous Triumph economy quality! Fills every practical need. Will give continuous wear—a real money saver! Very special, the y **35c**

Excellent long wearing Triumph quality bleached to snowy whiteness. All of our wide sheetings are hand torn, insuring straighter hems. Very special the yard **43c**



CLEVER PRINTS and COLORED DRESS FABRICS

Gay cotton materials, dainty and practical, make charming tub frocks. And how inexpensively if you buy at Ward's bargain prices! There are a variety of gay patterns and rainbow hues for you to choose from—all under priced.

- 36 in. Tubfast Prints, All colors, yd. 29c
- 36 in. Co'orfast Cotton Gloria, All colors, yd. 35c
- 32 in. Apron Checks, All Colors, yd. 15c
- 32 in. Rayon Decorated Gingham, 29c yd.
- 32 in. Dress Gingham, All Colors, 25c yd.
- 36 in. Printed Percale, Many Patterns, 15c yd.
- 36 in. Tru-Crest Suiting, All Colors, 35c yd.
- 36 in. White Tru-Crest Suiting, 25c yd.
- 35 in. Rayon Alpaca, All Colors, 5c yd.

COLORED SHEETS
81x90 unhemmed—all new pastel shades; fast colors **\$1.59**
Each

32 in. Flower Art Ticking—leather proof; Woven stripe straw Ticking—30 in. width; **30c**
Special, bolt **45c**

BEDDING, BLANKETS AND SPREADS

With such values as these offered every housewife will want to dress up her beds in fleecy blankets, soft mattresses, colorful bedspreads.

- Double Part-Wool Plaid Blanket, 70x80, \$8.29.
- Double Cotton Plaid Blanket, 70x80, \$1.95.
- Esmond Crib Blanket, 36x50 in. \$1.98.
- Rayon Jacquard Bedspread, 5 Colors, 81x105, \$3.98.
- Crinkled S'riped Bedspread, 5 Colors, 81x105 in. \$1.98.
- Colored Jacquard Stripe Beds read, \$2.78.
- All Felted Cotton Mattresses, Full Size, \$5.95.
- Extra Weight Mattress, 3 Sizes, \$2.95.
- Stitched Cotton Batts, Full Size, 90c.

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Sheeting — Muslins — Pillow Tubing—

Every housewife will be thoroughly satisfied with Ward's excellent values in Bed Linens! They assure many washings and splendid durability.

- 36 in. Unbleached Muslin, 50
- 40 in. Unbleached Muslin, 50
- 36 in. Standard Quality Bleached Muslin, yd. 15c
- 36 in. Fine Unstarched Bleached Muslin, yd. 15c
- 72 in. Unbleached Sheetting; for Twin or Three-Quarter Beds; no Filler; yd. 29c
- 72 in. Bleached Pure White Sheetting, yd. 15c
- 81 in. Bleached Pure White Sheetting, yd. 43c



Turkish Towels And Toweling—

Buy an ample supply of Ward's fine Towels and Turkish Toweling, famed for their superior quality and excellent values! Offered at tremendous savings during this sale.

- Turkish Towels—lots of 6 only—fast color—pink blue borders—soft thick quality **6 for \$1.15**
- Turkish Towels—lots of 6—fast color—checks on white—soft thick quality **6 for 50c**
- Turkish Towels—large—thick; double weave terrycloth—20x40 hemmed—colored borders **50c**
- Turkish Towels—white only—20x40 hemmed—lots of 6 only—fine heavy quality **6 for \$1.15**
- Turkish Towels—very special—colored plaids—15x36 inches—clear fast colors **each 50c**
- Turkish Towels—extra large—white only—22x44 **25c**
- Turkish Towels—very special—colored checks—fast colors; double weave **50c**
- 18 in. Bleached Turkish Toweling—double thread weave **yd. 15c**
- 16 in. Unbleached Crash Toweling—one-third linen—very strong weave—fast color borders—special 10 yards **90c**



TABLE LINENS, DAMASKS, LUNCHEON CLOTHS—

The discriminating housewife and hostess will find dozens of splendid bargains in this selection of table linens. Imported and domestic values are equally attractive.

- Even Cloth and Napkins—real Irish Damask in rose, chrysanthemum and apple blossom patterns; 68x87 1-2 **\$2.78**; 68-83 1-2, 53-69; 68-123 1-2 **\$1.99**
- Napkins to match—21-20 1-2—hemmed, 6 for **\$1.88**
- Pure Linen Tablecloth—two-color border; hemmed and laundered ready for use—44-44, 69c; 54x54, \$1.75; 6'x6' at **\$1.99**
- Linen Finish Luncheon Cloth—neatly hemmed; colored borders **50c**
- Hemstitched Linen sets—cloth 54x54 and 6 napkins to match silver bleached or with colored borders; set **\$7.78**
- 53 in. Parcel Cotton Damask—contrasting border, yd. 5c
- Cotton Damask—reproduced white—fringe edge use; wash well, 58 in. 30c yd.; 64 in. 49c yd.; 72 in. 53c yd.
- All-linen Crash Toweling—unbleached—soft finish—Irish crash—fast color borders—special, yd **15c**

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

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