

C. F. KING DIES WHILE PARDON HANGS FIRE



CARDENIO F. KING,
From One of His Latest Photographs.

FINAL ATTACK IS SUDDEN FAMILY IS WITH HIM AT END.

CLOSE AT STATE FARM, BRIDGEWATER,

PICTURESQUE CAREER THAT LED TO CONVICT'S CELL

Bridgewater, July 21. — A spectacular career was ended under pathetic circumstances today when Cardenio F. King, once widely known as a financier and newspaper publisher of Boston, died a convict at the State Farm here in the very hour that his friends, aware of the approach of death, were making desperate efforts to obtain a pardon for him.

Only a legal technicality stood in the way of making King's last hours those of a free man. Word that King's condition was hopeless was sent to Gov. Foss at Boston this morning and soon afterwards Mrs. King and their sons, who were at the bedside of the dying man, received the welcome message that the Executive would intervene.

A few hours later a telephone call from the State House reported that the Governor had canvassed the members of his Council by telephone and that seven of the eight had consented to immediate clemency.

King, who knew of the efforts in his behalf, brightened perceptibly at the news. He was not told of the word that followed quickly. Atty. Gen. Swift having been consulted by the Governor, gave the opinion that a pardon could not be legally granted by telephone. Still later, a telegram brought the assurance that a pardon would be given at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when the Council was called to convene. Dr. Emerson of the State Farm hurried to the hospital with the news. When he had returned to his office King was dead.

His death was expected from 11 a. m. when Dr. E. B. Emerson, the medical director, was summoned to his bedside. Late last night there appeared to be an intestinal obstruction. Dr. Emerson says:

"It was a deplorable complication of hernia, of the character of the one which Mr. King was suffering with. It was a condition which was inoperable for

years back." Dr. Emerson, assisted by Dr. B. B. Kasson of the prison side, administered to the patient's comfort and immediately communicated with his wife, Mrs. Mollie King of 124 Winthrop st, Winthrop.

She arrived at 8 o'clock accompanied by her sons, Henry C., Ralph M. and Frank D. of Winthrop. Another son, C. F. Jr. of Springfield arrived early this afternoon just before his father's death. Friends of the family, Dr. and Mrs. G. Stedman of Bridgewater, were also present when the end came.

Before 7 a. m. Dr. Lincoln Davis and Dr. E. H. Risley of the Massachusetts General Hospital arrived, an after a consultation on the case declared it inadvisable to operate. They agreed with the diagnosis of this very unique and serious hernia case, made by the late Dr. Maurice H. Richardson, who stated the treatment Dr. Emerson had given was the best possible. King it is stated, was opposed to an operation, and his wife and sons were willing to leave the settlement of the matter to the physicians' judgement. When the family arrived they went immediately to the large corner room in the prison hospital where he was receiving treatment. Supt. Blackstone communicated as soon as possible with the State House, urging immediate action, that King might die as a pardoned or even as a paroled man.

During the day there was a flood of telephonic inquiries for King's condition. Friends of the former broker in many parts of the State phoned the State Farm, and one of the sons passed much of the day in the telephone booth answering these inquiries. Death came almost suddenly at 3:55.

Arrangements were made to have the body cared for by a local undertaker and it was taken to Boston on the 6:18 train. The family accompanied the body on the train. King was known as a patient sufferer and bore up nobly, despite his terrible physical affliction as well as the anguish of being confined.

The late Dr. Richardson predicted that just such a condition as came today might suddenly end his life. King realized it, too. In an interview last winter, King spoke of the chances of a sudden death under circumstances similar to those of today. King was convicted of obtaining \$22,000 under false pretences from persons who had entrusted him with funds for investment. He was sentenced to a

term of from 10 to 14 years in January, 1906 and began to serve his sentence in the State Prison at Charleston.

In September, 1911, he became seriously ill and was removed to the State Farm here.

A native of North Carolina, Cardenio Flavius King began his financial operations in Boston in 1904. Through extensive and unique advertising, he attracted many investors to his office and also did a big business by mail.

Later he opened even more lavish offices in New York, and early in 1907 he began publication of the Boston Daily Tribune. The New York offices proved unprofitable, and the paper was discontinued after it had been run for several months at a loss.

Early in 1903, King's customers began to complain that listed stocks for which they had sent him money had not been delivered. A little later it was announced that King had placed all his property and affairs in the hands of two trustees.

A meeting of creditors followed, King was declared a bankrupt, and an investigation by the trustee in bankruptcy showed liabilities of nearly \$300,000 and assets less than \$14,000.

A warrant for King's arrest was issued, but the financier had disappeared. He was traced to New York, London, Paris and finally to Colombo, Ceylon. He returned to Boston and surrendered himself at Police Headquarters June 12, 1908. His trial began Dec. 14, and on Dec 29 he was convicted in 57 of 31 courts charging larceny and embezzlement.

Two weeks after his conviction King was sentenced by Judge Schofield to hard labor in the State Prison. The sentence followed a most dramatic recital, in which King reviewed his life, his flight from Boston and his travels in Europe and Asia.

He declared that he was innocent of any wrong intent in any of his acts. Later he made repeated attempts to obtain a pardon.

Would Extend Pardon.

The members of the Executive Council were communicated with by telephone and telegraph yesterday by Gov. Foss for the purpose of granting an immediate pardon to Cardenio F. King. Six of the eight members, with Lieut. Gov. Walch, were reached and they were unanimous in extending clemency.

The two who could not be located were Councilors McGregor and Frothingham, but as Mr. McGregor on Feb. 18 last voted with Lieut. Gov. Walch and Councilors Ham and Goetting for a pardon, it was taken for granted that he was now favorable. Councilor Frothingham, although opposed to the previous petition, was understood to have been in favor yesterday.

After the papers had been prepared however, and Gov. Foss stood ready to affix his signature, expressed his opinion that the pardon secured by telephone was unconstitutional; that the constitution required the assets of individual members.

Executive Sec. Hamlin thereupon notified the councilors that a special meeting would be held at ten Monday morning for the purpose of formally pardoning King, but when the news of his death was received he immediately notified them that there would be no meeting today.

Sunday night Gov. Foss received word from Supt. Hollis M. Blackstone of the State Farm that the prisoner was very near death's door. Early yesterday at the Governor's earnest request, Drs. Edward Hammond Risley of the Massachusetts General Hospital went to the State Farm and with Dr. Emerson of the institution made an examination.

They found that owing to King's weight no operation was possible with any degree of safety, as he weighed about 270 pounds. Dr. Davis immediately returned to the State House and reported to Gov. Foss that it would be impossible to operate and that King could not last much longer, probably not 24 hours.

Awaits Brothers Coming.

The arrangements for the funeral of Cardenio F. King will probably not be completed until tomorrow afternoon or evening, when his brothers from Richmond, Va. and Danville, who have been notified of his death will arrive at the home of Mrs. King here.

The body was removed to Boston from the State Farm at Bridgewater this evening and will be taken to Winthrop tomorrow.

Picturesque Career.

The rise and fall of Cardenio F. King, the financial agent and broker, occurred during a comparatively short span of years. His activities in business life really ended Jan 13, 1909, when, after a trial on a larceny charge in the Superior Criminal Court in his city, he was convicted in 27 courts and sentenced to State Prison for a term of not more than 14 years nor less than 10 years, the first 24 hours being in solitary confinement.

Last year a determined attempt to secure a pardon for King was made. He was reported as being in very bad condition physically, and was removed from the prison to the State Hospital. The Governor's council, however refused to grant a pardon.

For a number of years up to February, 1907, King was widely known in financial circles and to the public generally as a financial agent and broker. He had large suites of offices in Boston and New York. He advertised extensively the stocks of various corporations and for a number of years did a large business.

At one time it was said King could write his check for \$500,000 in cold cash and his unencumbered realty holding represented as much more. There were two costly automobiles in his garage and a large retinue of servants at the family residence, 60 Powell st, Brookline. In his library were many rare and costly editions.

Suddenly came financial difficulties and King left Boston for four months, during which time he traveled more than 30,000 miles. He returned to this city to surrender to the police.

King was born upon a farm in Rockingham County, North Carolina, in 1867. His people were not rich, and there were nine children, two younger and six older than Cardenio. He was 7 years old when his father died, and the reduced circumstances of the family were reduced still further by rascally executor, who robbed the poor estate and fled. Cardenio lived with his grandfather until he was 12 years old, meantime attending a country school. Then he became a book agent and wandered over the State selling the "Life of Christ," "Shakspeare" and "The World's Wonders."

At the age of 15 he was employed by the Southern Methodist Publishing Company of Nashville to sell its publications. He continued in this employe until he was 17, when he became associated with a newspaper published at Charlotte, N. C. Later he became a general newspaper correspondent, representing a long string of papers in the South, East and West and then was connected for five years with the Atlanta Journal.

The next three years he spent on the staff of the St. Louis Republic, coming from there in 1897 to join a Boston evening newspaper. Two years later he became impatient at being on the pay rolls of other men and resolved to start a pay roll of his own. He thereupon formed the Grand Eastern Newspaper League, and advertising agency.

The prosecution of the work of this agency would take him over a large part of the country, especially the West, so on the threshold of the enterprise he secured a sumptuous private car, taking along from six to ten assistants. The project proved to be an unexampled success. In his private car, King and his staff covered 26,000 miles in nine months. He returned to Boston with money in his pocket, and sold car at a price which reduced his nine months traveling expenses to ab-

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We have been offered by the Bell people great relief from our present poor service if we will give them eighteen months in which to install an up-to-date system such as we should have had in operation in this county at least five years ago, but they do not tell you that during these eighteen months that they have for installing the new system that they propose to give you just the same poor service that they have been giving.

During the days that Mr. McAdoo owned our system and for a year or two after the Bell Telephone Co. took over our County system of phone we the people of Alamance County could point with pride to our most excellent telephone service. Now people did you know that the present equipments is at least 50 per cent better than it was in those days, but if you complain now of the very poor service that we are having, you will at once get the answer that the poor service is due to the present poor equipment.

People did you know that the only excuse for poorer service now, than we had in the days referred to above is due to the fact that the system has about twice as many phones now as then but why should this effect the service when they have enough extra help to make up for this.

We tell you people that there is no reason why the phone service of our county should be as poor as it is, and it would not be if you would be active and take your complaints to the Corporation Commission if they do not give you good service deduct for poor service from your invoice at the end of the month and have proof that deduction is reasonable on account of poor service and the people and the courts will sustain you in getting what is justly due you.

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out \$500.

In February, 1901, King wound up the affairs of the Great Eastern Newspaper League and looked for other field to conquer. It occurred to him that since he had made a success of advertising others he might make a success of advertising himself.

The opportunity presented itself fourthwith for it was while in this mood that the proprietors which afterward became the basis of the King-Crowther Corporation came to his attention.

In the autumn of 1901 he organized the corporation. The properties were supposed to consist of oil lands, 100 square miles in all, located in Southwestern Texas. Other properties in other sections of the country were claimed to have been added as the years went on, until in the early part of 1907 the advertisements about King-Crowther read like tales from the "Arabian Nights."

The stock sold like hot cakes. The price mounted by leaps and bounds until it reached \$100 a share and more. If King's claims could be believed. At all events, his office was filled with customers every day, and thousands upon thousands of dollars were taken in exchange for stock in the company.

Then came the reckoning. The people of Texas chased the corporation out of their State and the stock fell to \$2 a share. King reorganized the company and proceeded to sell more stock to his old customers. The customers had some more money and they gave it to King in exchange for more King-Crowther.

A report given publicly by men who examined his books stated that from June 1, 1905, to Feb 29, 1908, King had sold through his office \$2,798,787 in securities, on which his commissions had amounted to \$597,370, and that during

three years, his income had been more than \$200,000 a year.

For a number of years before called King, had issued a paper he called King's Financial Bulletin in which he gave his views of the financial and investment situation, expressed opinions of certain men and measures and advocated the purchase of such stocks as he was interested in. On Jan 1, 1907, he started the Boston Daily Tribune, announcing that it was to be devoted to financial matters principally.

The Tribune was discontinued on Oct 25, 1907, after having been in existence 297 days. It was stated afterward that the loss on the newspaper was one of the immediate causes of King's suspension of business on Feb 20, 1908, when he signed documents naming Henry D. Yeaton and Stephen A. Hopkins as trustees of his property.

King then went to New York for a short time, then sailed for Southampton, went to London where he remained a week, then proceeded to Paris. Later he came back to London and took another ship, which carried him to Naples, Port Said and finally to Colombo, Ceylon.

King returned to Boston on the morning of June 12, 1908, driving from the South Station to Police Headquarters surrendered himself under the indictment charging larceny which had been found against him during his absence. King was locked up in Charleston Jail for several hours that evening, but secured bondsmen for \$25,000 and was released.

Upon his return from Ceylon Mr. King gave to the newspapers a long statement in which he asserted that he never had knowingly done a wrong to any one and that the only reason he left the country was because he was

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"While I am governor," said Governor Craig, "all the energy of my being shall be directed toward requiring the railroads to do justice to my people. I will not lay the weight of my hand on the railroads or any other corporation unjustly any more than I would upon the farmer, the merchant or the boarding-house keeper but they must and shall be required to treat the people whom I represent with justice and give unto them equal rights to make an honest living which the people of other States have."

Following the speech of Governor Craig, R. O. Alexander introduced a resolution commending the governor for the stand which he has taken and pledging approval of what he has already done. The resolution asks the legislature to enact such laws as will maintain and enforce the sovereign powers of this commonwealth, compensating the people for the wrongs and discriminations which have been imposed upon them and forever preventing the justices from which North Carolinians have long suffered.

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A teacher asked her pupils to draw a picture of what they wished to be when they grew up. The pupils went to work, some drawing pictures of soldiers, sailors, policemen, fine ladies, etc.

They all handed in the result of their work, except one little girl, who sat quietly, her pad in front of her and her pencil in her hand.

"Well, Sarah, don't you know what you want to be when you grow up?" asked the teacher.

"Yes, I know," answered Sarah, with a worried look, "but I don't know how to draw it."

"What is it you want that you can't draw?"

"I want to be married."

Wanted His Share.

Eli Perkins used to relate this anecdote of President Lincoln: One day an old negro, clad in rags and carrying a burden on his head, ambled into the executive mansion and dropped his load on the floor. Stepping toward President Lincoln, he said: "Am you de president sah?"

"I am," said Mr. Lincoln.

"If dat am a fac' I se glad to meet yer. Yer see, I se away up dar in de back o' Vifinia and I se a poor man, sah. I hear de is some pervisions in de constitution for de culled man, and I m here to get some of 'em, sah."

Its Use.

A teacher in a lower grade was instructing her pupils in the use of a hyphen. Among the examples given by the children was the word "bird cage."

"That's right," encouragingly remarked the teacher. Now, Paul tell one why we put the hyphen in bird cage."

"It is for the bird to sit," was the starting rejoinder.

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He—I visited that fashionable palmist this afternoon and he told me I'd marry a blonde.

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He—Yes, in three months.

Miss Brunette—Well I can easily be blonde by that time, dear.

Poor People.

Two amateur burglars were reconnoitering a neighborhood. One pointed out a prosperous-looking house as a likely subject for their efforts.

"Nope," said the other, "Tain't worth while crackin' that house. I looked through the winder and they're so durn poor that two ladies actually had to play at one piano."—New York Globe.

Did He Get it?

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"Oh, yes, you do," pleaded his mother. "Just a little story."

"Will you div' me a kiss?" The boy's eyes brightened.

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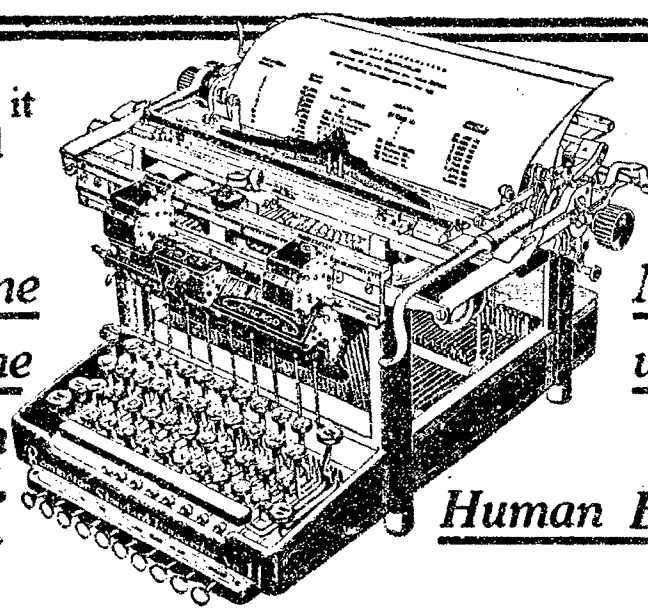
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ANNUAL MEETING OF PRESS AT ASHEVILLE ENDS WITH A DINNER

Asheville, N. C., The business sessions of the convention of the North Carolina Press association came to a close this morning with the election of officers, Clarence Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer, being chosen president, succeeding James H. Caine, of the Asheville Citizen. No meeting place for next year was decided on.

The other officers are: W. C. Hammer, Asheville Courier, first vice president; J. H. Cowan, Wilmington Dispatch, second vice president; D. L. St. Clair, Sanford Express, third vice president; J. B. Sherrill, Concord Times and Tribune, secretary treasurer; B. H. Depriest, Shelby Highlander, historian; W. Lawrie Hill, Our Fatherless Ones, poet; R. F. Bleasley, Monroe Journal, orator. The executive committee remains intact with the exception of one place James H. Caine, of the Asheville Citizen, succeeding R. M. Phillips, deceased.

The principal speaker at this morning's session was President W. W. Finley, of the Southern railway. Mr. Finley spoke from manuscript on "Relations of the Press and the Railways." His address was most interesting and he declared it is his belief that the press and the railroads, working in harmony and cooperation, can be among the most effective factors in community development. Among other speakers were W. C. Dowd, Charlotte News, on "The Newspaper, Its Mission"; Rev. J. O. Atkinson, D. D. Christian Sun, on "Accuracy in Newspapers"; O. G. Dunn, New Bern Sun, on "Subscription Contests and Premiums—Do They pay?" Clarence Poe, Progressive Farmer, on "What Are We Here For?" and D. J. Whichard, Greenville Reflector, on "The Newspaper's Part in Civic Developments."

The papers presented by each of these speakers proved most interesting, suggesting many important points to the editor for improvement of methods and for raising of standards in newspaper work. Two memories were read during the morning, one of Robert M. Phillips, by Wade H. Harris, Charlotte Observer and one of James Gaston Boylan, by W. C. Bivins, Albemarle Enterprise. The history of the association during the past year was presented by the historian, B. H. Depriest, of the Shelby Highlander.

This evening the visitors formed a party at the Majestic theatre following which there was a dinner at the Grove Park in which was one of the most brilliant affairs of the season. Tomorrow the newspaper men will be given a trip to Waynesville.

In the course of his annual address before the convention Jas. H. Caine of the Asheville Citizen, the retiring president, paid a beautiful tribute to the late Robert M. Phillips of the Greensboro News. Mr. Caine said:

"And yet there is a note of sorrow, as we recall with grief of spirit that death has laid a heavy hand upon our association in the last year. Of those noble spirits who have said their last farewell to us, lips more eloquent than mine will speak in well-deserved eulogy. But I cannot forebear the mention of that loyal and devoted soul, Robert M. Phillips, for he was my close, personal friend. For the first meeting in ten years I miss and we will all miss the warm hand-clasp of fraternal feeling, the light of friendly greeting that kindled in our brother's eye. Bob Phillips never said a mean thing nor ever did a dirty one and in his passing our association indeed lost a pearl of great price. He was a gentle, he was good; in his heart there was no guile. May he rest in peace."

Mr. Cardeno F. King brother of our townsman Jno. F. King died Monday afternoon at Boston Mass.

Minister to China.

Washington, July 16.—Another of the foreign posts which President Wilson has had so much trouble in filling was disposed of today when the president decided to appoint Prof. Paul Reinsch, of Wisconsin university to be minister to China.

Prof. Reinsch, a personal friend of the president called at the white house today in company with Secretary Bryan presumably to discuss currency. It was learned after his departure, however, that the post at Pekin was offered him and he will probably accept.

Professor Reinsch is professor of political economy at Wisconsin university and has writtenseveral works on that subject and also books dealing with world politics.

They Have Agreed.

New York, July 16.—The managers committee representing the eastern railroads and the union leaders who demanded an increase in the pay of conductors and trainmen have come to an understanding which in all probability will end all talk of a strike for several weeks to come.

After a conference between the railroad officials and the union leaders the following message was forwarded to President Wilson:

"The conductors and trainmen and the conference managers of the eastern roads are jointly desirous of the immediate services of the board of mediation and conciliation as called for in the Erdman act. We should be glad if the commissioner of mediation and conciliation would immediately advise us on his confirmation in order that we may get into communication with him."

No further statement was made by either side to the controversy and all seemed satisfied with the outcome.

Street Improved.

Credit should always be given where credit is due. In accordance with this, we give the automobile committee who met before the Board of Aldermen and petitioned that the street at Holt-Cates corner be fixed. The street has been much improved and can now be easily passed over by an automobile. We therefore give credit to this committee and trust they will urge other necessary improvements.

WORRY OF MILLIONAIRE

New York, July 24.—Anthony N. Brady who died in London, England Tuesday night left an estate estimated at \$25,000,000. He was a director in 60 corporations and controlled some of the largest public utilities in New York state. He was 72 years old. He sailed from New York a week ago apparently in good health, but broken spirited over the death of his daughter and other relatives in a recent train wreck in Connecticut. His body will be shipped to America Thursday.

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In Board.

The trade journals of New York carry the startling news from the records of the transportation lines between Europe and America that there is now in America in bonded warehouses over \$73,000,000.00 of foreign produced goods which are awaiting the enactment into law of the Simmon-Underwood tariff schedules. This is a hundred per cent more goods than have ever been in the bonded warehouses of America in the history of America. Many a person has already and will continue to ask what will be the effect of this on the American manufacturer. It means this, if the present tariff bill is passed that all of these goods and more will be admitted to the American market, and thrown into the channels of trade either over the free list or greatly reduced duty, and it means the withdrawal of the American manufacturer from one-fourth to one-half of his present output. In other words it means that if a tariff bill becomes a law and these goods are admitted to our market with the various manufacturers instead of operating on full time and some on extra time will be forced to curtail to an operation from three to five days a week. What effect this will have upon the business of our country is evident to every person that remembers in the late the effect of the Wilson-Gorman bill.

If the proposed tariff bill schedule is not a blessing to the foreigner and a curse to the producer at home the foreign manufacturer would make his goods flow into our channels or American trade rather than store them abroad and wait until the tariff bill shall come when the American producer shall raise his hands and cry for mercy at the feet of the foreign manufacturer. This is not an overdrawn picture neither is it the cry of a calamity howler, but simply the reiteration of a well established truth that time has proved and that democracy cannot efface.

Woodrow—Woodrow

What in the world have you done? It must be that you have some Cleveland blood in your veins, and that you are not a Southern born Democrat or especially of the Josephus Daniels type, or you would not have appointed Adam E. Patterson, a negro lawyer of Muscogee, Oklahoma, for register of the Treasury at a salary of \$5,000.00 a year. Although this job has been held by a republican negro for a number of years having been so during Mr. Cleveland's administrations. Woodrow you certainly must have forgotten the blue-white and red shirt campaigns Fernisold Simmons, Willie Kitchin and Lee S. Overman have made throughout the state of North Carolina in which they declared that democracy has never

contaminated its hands with the grip of a colored man or his appointment to office, although many a negro has served in an official capacity under democrat rule. The news from Washington is that it is not likely that Patterson will be confirmed. He may not be, but if the President's wishes are not granted in this case it will be the first time that his request has been denied by the Senate. We think the appointment was a mistake not because Patterson is not qualified but such acts bring discord, and dissatisfaction and all such things should be removed as far as possible when they effect race relation.

We believe it is a mistake, but not so great as the tariff bill that Mr. Wilson is using all of his power to force upon the American people against their wishes, and over their protest; but never again do we want to hear from the mouth of democracy the statement by either small or great that they have not, and that they do not cater to the negro vote. This is complete evidence that can not be denied or controverted by any one. The mark of Ham is upon Woodrow you cannot remove it. Be careful where you sling your brickbats in coming campaigns. This is timely advice and we ask that it be heeded.

Mulhall.

Martin M. Mulhall the former chief of the National manufacturers association and a blue handed democrat who served his association truly and faithfully during many past administrations in leading the lobby at Washington, to effect laws that are favorable to the manufacturers of America. It is certainly strange that Mulhall should all at once become so honest with the desire to destroy his own position and the work of his own hands in exposing this lobbyist plan.

We believe that the opinion of a majority of the wise and careful readers of America that Mr. Mulhall is a traitor to his trust and in many cases a public liar for political gain. We have no patience with any man who is a party or an accessory to a crime, then to turn states evidence, so to speak, for financial gain, political preferment, or for life itself.

In the first two cases we think Mr. Mulhall should be placed and we believe that time itself with an overwhelming statement of evidence will confirm our forecast.

A Rural Supervisor of Schools for Alamance Secured.

Miss Edna Rinehart of Lincoln County has been appointed and accepted the Rural Supervisorship of schools for this county. Miss Rinehart is a honor graduate of the State Normal and Industrial College being a member of the class of 1905. She has taken a special training in primary methods and in industrial Science and art. She has fully proven herself as a literary and industrial teacher. She comes highly recommended both by college and by those for whom she has taught. She will work under the directions and in connection with the County Superintendent of school. This will mean closer supervision and the introduction of Industrial Education in our Rural Schools. Miss Rinehart begins active work September the first.

Executors Notice.

Having qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Spencer Thomas, deceased, late of Alamance County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said Spencer Thomas, deceased, to expose them to the undersigned at his office in Burlington, N. C. on or before the 10th day of April, 1914, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payments.
 S. B. THOMAS,
 EXECUTOR OF SPENCER THOMAS,
 DEC'D.

Dr. Jno. W. McPherson Commits Suicide.

Dr. John McPherson a well known and prominent physician and citizen of this county who resided at Haw River shocked his many friends and relatives by committing suicide at the home of his father near Liberty Monday morning. The rash act was done with a pocket knife with which he cut the jugular vein of his throat causing instant death. His father was near by at the time but could not prevent the rash act. The cause of the suicide is attributed to the separation of McPherson and his wife some six weeks ago from which he appeared to have been in great mental anxiety, having made the statement to friends that the trouble was more than he could bear. The brothers and sister of Dr. McPherson met at the home of their father Sunday for a family reunion and when separating Sunday evening Dr. McPherson decided to spend a few days with his father with a view of restoration.

Dr. McPherson leaves one sister Miss Bessie McPherson who assists her brother, Chas. in his office at this place and five brothers, Drs. Chas. and Dace McPherson of Burlington and Durham, Mr. Ed. McPherson of Haw River and Messrs. T. H. McPherson of R. F. D. No. 4 and Marvin McPherson who works in the office of Aurora Cotton Mill.

Dr. John McPherson was considered one of our most prominent citizens being a member of a family held in high esteem in Alamance County.

The funeral was conducted at the home Tuesday at twelve o'clock by Rev. P. H. Fleming burial service being conducted at Pleasant Hill cemetery. Among those who attended the burial from this place were: Drs. Moser, Spoon, Hornaday, Walker, Morrow, Crawford, Isley and Messrs. John Cook, Jake Murray and Misses Dora Teague and Beulah Foster.

The wife of Dr. McPherson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lea who formerly lived in Pleasant Grove Township this county and was one of the best families of the county. Recently her parents have moved to Greensboro where they now reside.

Monroe Holt Arrested Saturday for Blockading.

Monroe Holt well known in Alamance county was arrested Saturday at his home between Burlington and Belmont charged with blockading, a distillery having been found near his house. Mr. Holt was bound under a bond of \$300.00 for his appearance at trial Monday morning at the Mayor's Hall of this place to appear before Esq. W. A. Hall. When the time arrived for trial Mr. Holt did not show up and the bond was forfeited. He appeared later and was re-arrested and placed under a new bond of \$800.00 and time of trial fixed Saturday morning at nine o'clock at the Mayor's Hall. Mr. Holt did not appear to be trying to escape Monday but was not on the job. About eight hundred gallons of beer and three or four gallons of the fiery fluid were captured. Had the capture not been made quite so soon the appetites of a number of the thirsty might have been quenched.

Dangerous Automobile Wreck.

One of the worst automobile wrecks recorded in history occurred Tuesday about a quarter of a mile west of Elon College while the cars which had gone to meet Governor Locke Craig who was scheduled to speak here yesterday morning were returning. Mr. Albert Kernodle driving the Ramble Car of Esq. E. J. Hall made an effort to pass Mr. Steve Moore who was then in the lead and in the effort struck the fender of the Car of Mr. Moore and in an attempt to pull away from the other car failed to come back into the road at the place first cited and ran the car into a large pine tree knocking the bark off the tree and turning the car over a bank about five feet high. Those who were in the car was O. F. Crowson, J. W. Cates, W. H. Carroll and chauffeur Mr. Albert Kernodle. Mr. Kernodle was very painfully hurt jamming the steering wheel in his stomach. Serious doubt was entered at first of his recovery but he is much improved. Mr. Cates received three broken ribs and a very ugly gash on the hip. Mr. Carroll was only slightly hurt and Mr. Crowson the lucky one of the crowd was not scarred. The car is a total wreck, every spoke in one of the wheels being broken out and the other wheels badly mashed. The engine is practically worthless.

The pine tree stands as a monument to the occasion with its cover knocked off and its life blood gently flowing.

Park Avenue A Street Worth Having.

A model Street and perhaps the only model street in our town is Park Avenue. We say a model street because this street is used more for travel than any street in town used by the man who rides in a buggy, wagon and certain every automobile user has his heart filled with joy when he hears the name of Park Avenue. Why? Because this street has stood the test and is not found wanting. It has been so constructed that the wear and tear of every day usage does not cause the routes and cut out places to appear. We do not ask our readers to believe what we say about Park Avenue but sit up and take notice for themselves. Visit the street and be the judge if we are not correct. That the sand clay method is the best method to use on street building has been plainly demonstrated by this one street. In our next issue we propose to have more to say about Park Avenue and are merely calling your attention to the street this week. Before we issue again many of our readers and citizens of Burlington will have passed over this street and taken notice. We give you one weeks vacation in which to do this.

Skull Crushed by Horse.

Mr. Tom Strader was found in the horse lot Wednesday evening about 6:15 with his skull badly crushed as the result of having been kicked by a horse. No one witnessed the occurrence as Mr. Strader had carried corn to feed the horse and had also taken the hammer to repair a wire fence, and it is supposed while repairing the fence the horse came to eat the corn and kicked Mr. Strader. In an unconscious condition Mr. Strader was carried to St. Leo's Hospital where an operation was performed and Mr. Strader's life hung in a balance appears to be improving. It is thought at present by careful work that he will revive.

Delightful Picnic Outing Thursday Night.

In honor of Miss Pauline Bridges of Raleigh who is the guest of Miss Fannie Mebane, Miss Mebane invited quite a number of her friends who went to the Graham County Club Thursday night and enjoyed an evening of unusual events. The picnicers enjoyed the evening boating and feasting on melons and other good products. Those

present were: Misses Julia and Lizzie Fogleman, Fannie Mebane, Auline Bridges of Raleigh, Allie and Willie Patterson, Mary Walton, Messrs. Joe Fogleman, Joe Thompson, Jno. Lloyd, Eugene May, Bob Sharpe Mr. Riddle of Elon College; Jno. Wood, Horace Patterson and Frank Anderson.

Instantly Killed by Discharge of Revolver.

Salisbury, N. C., July 23—While packing away laundry in a truck in which a revolver was kept, Mrs. Beulah Aldrige wife of an employee of the Southern Railway at Spencer, was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of the weapon.

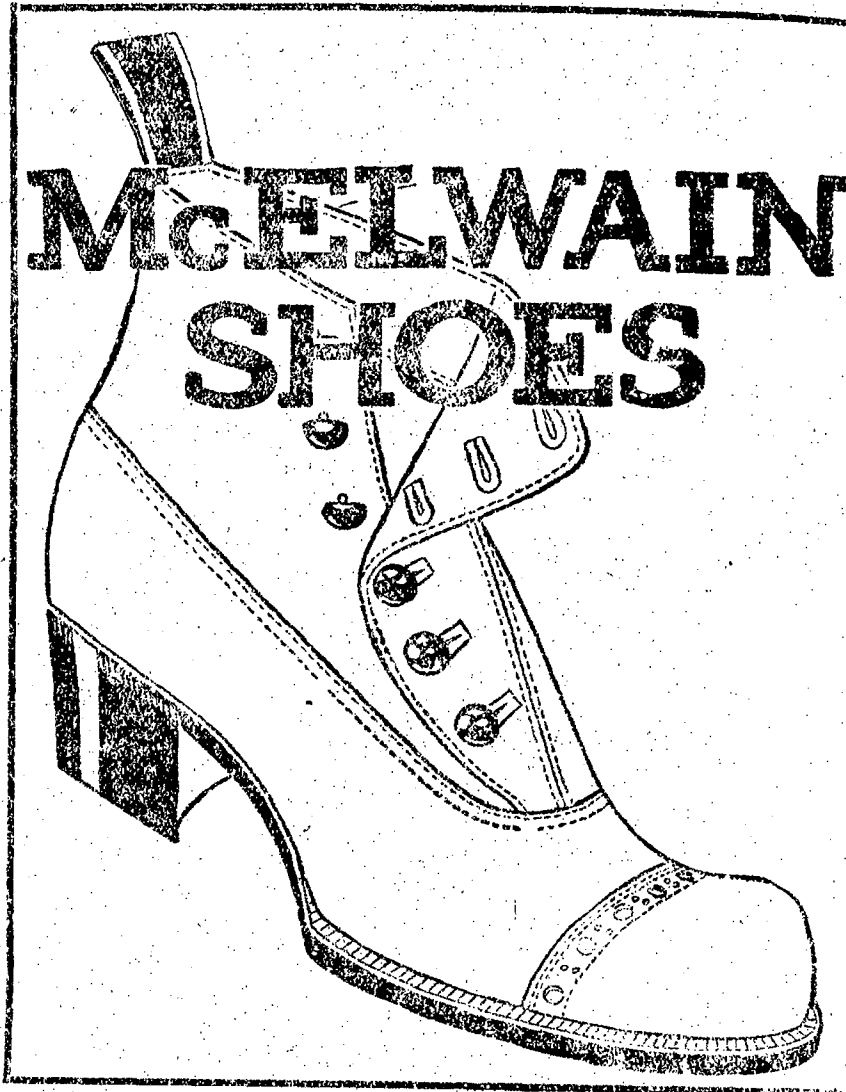
Automobile Association to Picnic.

At the last meeting of The Alamance Automobile Association it was decided to have a picnic sometime during the month of August or September at which time the automobile owners of Alamance County who are now members will participate. It will be something unusual in the way of picnics in Alamance County and a line up of all the automobiles in the county would be something like fifty to seventy-five cars.

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W. W. Brown, Ch'm.
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. C. H. Cates spent Tuesday at Chapel Hill the guest of friends.

Crowder is a very popular fish at Belmont this week. The popularity was caused by the drawing of the pond which was necessary to repair the dam. Monday over 400 pounds of fish were caught, eighteen carp weighing from 6 to 17-1/2 pounds.

For Rent—Two New Tobacco Farms. Everling farms' et. Within three miles of Burlington. Phone 2702 or see W. M. Walters.

Money in small amounts to loan on Chattles & Real Estate. Call at Room No. 6 First National Bank Building.

Lightning struck the Baptist Church Tuesday night shattering the steeple. Otherwise the church was not damaged.

Rev. D. McIver and family have been away on their vacation will return this week. Rev. McIver will preach Sunday at the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Freeman are spending the week at Saxapahaw the guest of relatives.

The protracted meeting at the Church which is always held in August will be postponed this year to the fifth Sunday, caused by repairs which are being made on the church.

Mrs. Bertie Blanchard of Danville, Va. who has been the guest of relatives in the country near here was in town Tuesday returning to Danville.

The "Gem" the new moving picture show on Front st. owned by Mr. White who moved here from High Point opened Saturday night. The "Gem" is conveniently located in the Hay Building next to the Candy Kitchen.

Mr. Jim Moser known as "Daddy" Moser of R. F. D. No. 1 has been doing work on the farm at Belmont was seriously hurt one day the past week by the fall of a tree. Since the accident he has been paralyzed and his condition at present is critical. His cousin Dr. Moser is his physician.

Dr. J. H. Brooks has recently sold the E. Long place near McGraw's to Ex-Sheriff Kernodie. This is considered one of the best farms in the county. We understand the purchase price was \$6000.00.

The new brick building being located next to the Mayor's Hall to be used by Mr. Mack Squires who will locate the Burlington Beverage Co., there is being pushed to a finish.

Misses Mary Carr Hall and Gertrude Ellis returned Friday from Yanceyville where they have been the guest of friends for the past several days. Misses Emma Mitchell and Helen Hatcher will join them later. Miss Mary Carr entertained last night in honor of the visiting guests. An account of which will appear in our next issue.

WANTED—A young lady for office work, prefer one with knowledge of Typewriting and bookkeeping, must be accurate and painstaking with her work hours are long, but work is not hard, want some one who will take the same interest in the business as if it belonged to them, to such a person we will be liberal as to salary. Apply in your own handwriting and do not seek aid in preparing your application, Address

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handsome offering was from Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston. An other was from Dean Winthrop Lodge Kniths of Phytas a son of Mr. King was a member. Still another was sent by the Winthrop Athletics an organization with whom the same son was identified.

Besides Mrs. King and her five sons there were two brothers of Mr. King at the services. They were James M. King of Danville, Va. and Robert R. King of Richmond, Va. a third remaining at Burlington, N. C. to arrange for the burial services there Friday.

Dr. Bronson who is the superintendent of Boston district of the Methodist Episcopal Church read the scriptures as did Rev. Charles F. Otto pastor of the M. E. Church.

King Should Have Been Pardoned
C. F. King should have been pardoned. To die in prison was a cruelty which public opinion and humanity will not condone. Massachusetts does not wish to prosecute any one. The Globe, in common with other newspapers in the Commonwealth spoke in favor of his pardon months ago, when the late Dr. Maurice H. Richardson reported that Mr. King was not far from death and that further restraint might hasten that event.

Every human instinct, as well as all feelings of sympathy with the afflicted, prompted the general desire that King should be given his freedom by the governor and Council before it was given him by Death.

C. F. King To Be Buried In South

Brothers Start for Burlington, N. C., with Body, After Service in Winthrop.

The body of Cardmo F. King, the financier and promoter, who died in the hospital at the State farm at Bridgewater, on Monday, a few hours before the governor's council would have met in special session to grant him a pardon, was taken from Boston on the midnight train for New York, en route to his birthplace at Burlington, N. C., where it will be buried beside the grave of his mother.

Scores of friends attended the funeral services which were held yesterday afternoon at the family home, 114 Winthrop street, Winthrop. Floral tokens filled two rooms, Dean Winthrop lodge, K. of P., of which Claud King one of the sons of the dead promoter, is a member; employees of the Journal building, where Mr. King had offices; four stenographers formerly in his employ, Mayor Fitzgerald, Sheriff Quinn and the Winthrop Athletic Club, all sent tributes.

The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Dillon Bronson of Brookline superintendent of the Boston district of the Methodist Episcopal church assisted by the Rev. Charles F. Otto, pastor of the Winthrop M. E. Church, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," Nearer My God to Thee and "Sometime We Understand" were sung by the Lafayette quartet.

The active pall bearers were Mr. King's four sons, Frank, Ralph, H. Cadaniss and Claud, and two brothers James M. King of Danville, Va., and Robert R. King of Richmond, Va. E. C. Osgood an old friend of Mr. King selected the honorary pallbearers just before the funeral. They were Sheriff John Quinn, Robert L. Baker, Dr. Henry D. Stedman, Irving P. Dodge, Geo. J. Raymond, J. J. Isbell and C. C. Ehrman.

James M. King of Danville and Robert R. King of Richmond, Va., are accompanying the body south. Jno. G. King a third brother remained at Burlington to make arrangements for the burial and the attending services.

Friends at Funeral of C. F. King

Will Be Buried Beside His Mother in North Carolina

The funeral services for Cardmo F. King the former promoter and financier who died an unpardoned man at the Bridge-water State Farm last Monday were held yesterday at the home at 114 Winthrop street

Business Column

R. Coodman has cut prices on his stock of goods.

The Great Clearance sale of J. A. Isley & bro. is in full blast.

For Sale—Ice cream cones at Straders.

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For fruit jars special price see Pettigrew and King Grocery Co.

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Winthrop.

Many Flowers

The floral offerings filled the down stairs rooms of the house conspicuous among which was a spray from "Bessie, Ida, Elsie, and Laura" the four stenographers who were in charge of Mr. King's immense correspondence during the day when the financier's business was at its zenith.

A large spray of lilies from Mayor Fitzgerald and a similar spray from Sheriff John Quinn were also treasured by the family.

The officiating clergyman the Rev. Dillon Bronson, D. D. of Brookline in eulogizing Mr. King said: "I know that he would never intentionally do wrong to any man."

At the close he brought tears to the eyes of all when he said "Now we will leave him in God's hands. Eternal justice makes no mistakes."

The body lay in a gray plush open casket in the parlor of the Kings home. A massive bank of flowers all but covered it.

Mr. King Writes His Wife On Birthday.

Hospital, July 15, 1913.
My Dear Darling:
Here follows right off the reel my sentiments of this anniversary of your birth:

There may be somewhere in the world a better wife and mother, but if there is I never heard of her.

There may be somewhere in the world a woman more worthy of the love and devotion of her husband and children, but if there is I never heard of her.

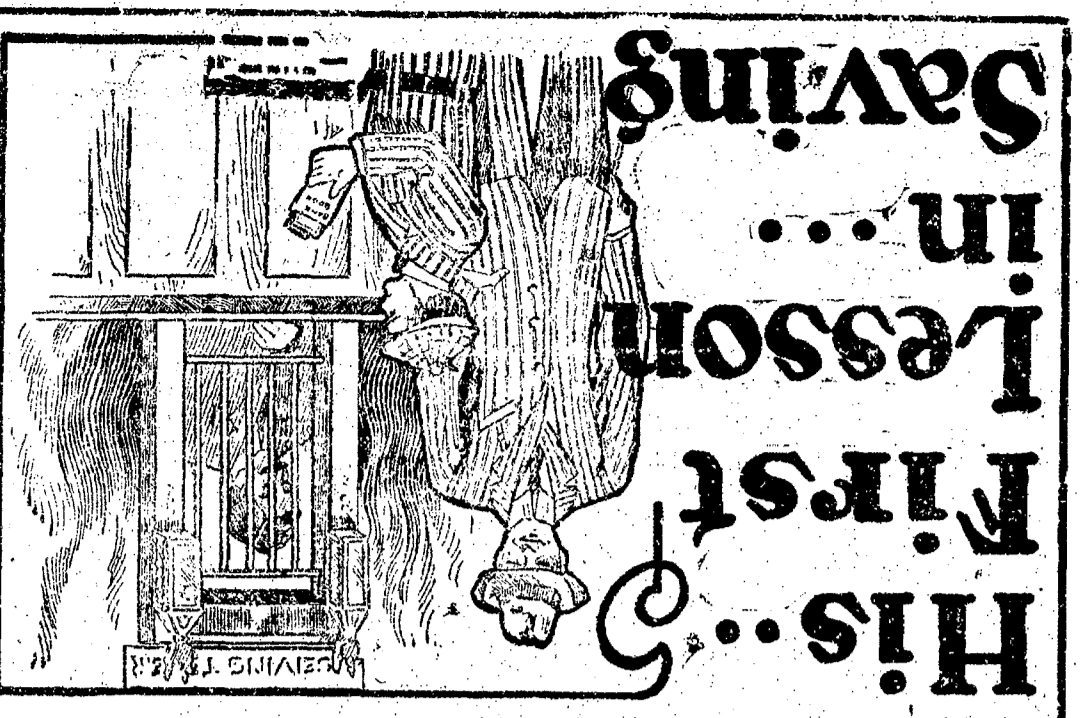
Bless your dear, brave, sweet soul! The older you grow the more dependent I am upon you—the more you become a necessary part of my life. Today you're nearer and dearer to me than ever before, and because I know you better than any other person in the world, I love you better than any body else can love you, better than I can love any other person, unless my love for you ripens and mellows with the passing and in that way becomes deeper and stronger than it now is.

Because in my days of sorrow you've been loyal and true, just as in the seasons of joy, and because of the great love I bear for you I register today a new vow to try hard to live and bring into your dear life some of the sunshine and joy of other days.

I live for you—for you I live! On this birthday, as on all those gone by and all yet to come, you are to me the one in ten thousand and altogether lovely!

Forever and forever,
Your devoted
Claud.

You are expected to be at The Piedmont Park, August 16th, for the Masonic Picnic and Barbecue. All profit is for the Orphans at Oxford. There will be baseball, speeches, singing, band music and other displays of ability and talent. See program next week.

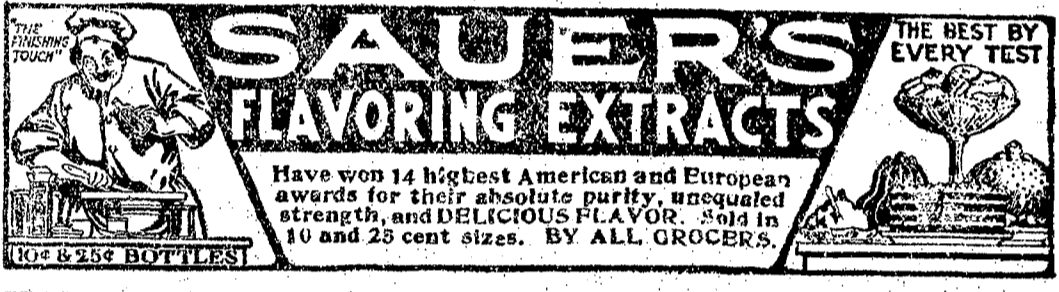


That boy of yours is just at the age now when you should impress upon his mind the extreme necessity of saving. If you inculcate the saving habit upon him now, the lesson will have its effect throughout his future life, and he will thank you for it when he grows older.

Bring him to THIS BANK with you—start him off with a small deposit—interest him in banking methods, and what they mean. It will be an education in itself.

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We propose to give absolute Satisfaction from start to finish. No misrepresentations or exaggerated statements will be tolerated by this store. We are not advertising a Hurrah Sensation, but are offering up-to-date merchandise at ridiculous low prices for 10 days, beginning Friday, August 1st.

Below We Quote a Few of the Many Bargains to Be Had During this Sale:

Prices on Men's Suits

\$25 00 Suits \$16 00
20 00 Suits 13 00
18 00 Suits 12 00
16 50 Suits 9 75
\$10 00 and \$12 50 Suits \$7 00

Boys' Suits

\$8 50 Suits \$5 25
7 50 Suits 4 65
6 00 Suits 4 25
4 00 Suits 3 75
3 00 Suits 2 25

Special Prices on Oxfords

\$4 00 Oxfords \$3 35
3 50 Oxfords 2 95
2 50 Oxfords 1 90

Ladies' Oxfords

\$3 50 Oxfords \$2 55
3 00 Oxfords 2 35
2 50 Oxfords 1 90
2 00 Oxfords 1 25
1 50 Oxfords 1 10

Handkerchiefs

10c Handkerchiefs 6c

Ladies' Hose

10c hose 7c 25c hose 17c
15c hose 10c 50c hose 38c

Big lot Ladies' Black Voil Skirts, former prices \$4 50 to \$6, to be closed out at \$1 90.

Big lot Embroidery and Flouncing to go at half price.

Big lot ladies slippers to be closed out at 95c. All ladies' white oxfords to be closed out at \$1 05.

Misses' and Children's slippers to be closed out at great reductions.

100 Men's Suits to be sold at half price, former price from \$10 to \$20. Now from \$5 to \$10.

Our entire line of Men's and Boys' slippers, Ladies and Misses' at cut prices.

Umbrellas

50c and 75c Umbrellas 40c
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10c Percals 7 1/2c
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One lot 10c lawn 5c
5c lawn 4c

Wool Dress Goods

25c quality at 19c
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\$1 & 1 25 quality at 80c

Dress Linen

15c linen 12 1/2c 22 1/2c linen 15c
25 & 30c " 20c " 50c " 35c

Men's Shirts

Big lot of Men's shirts \$1 and \$1 25 quality 75c. All 50c shirts 38c.

Men's and Boys' Ties

50c ties 38c 25c ties 17c

Collars, Collars

15c Collars 10c 10c Collars 7c

Hose

10c Hose 7c 25c Hose 17c
15c Hose 10c 50c Hose 38c

Big Lot Felt Hats

\$2 00 and \$2 50 to go at 85c.

Straw Hats at Half Price

Pants

\$1 50 Pants at \$0 90
2 00 Pants at 1 20
2 75 Pants at 1 75

3 50 and 3 75 Pants 2 65
4 00 and 4 50 Pants 3 35
5 00 and 6 00 Pants 4 15

Men's Belts

25c Belts 20c 50c Belts 38c

Men's Suspenders

25c Suspenders 20c
50c Suspenders 38c

Caps

25c Caps at 20c
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Men's Underwear

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CONDITIONS TO ELON COLLEGE FACULTY.

Twenty-two Professors for Next Year. One Hundred Lights, Two Additional Dormitories Added and to be Filled.

Dr. E. E. Randolph, Charlotte, N. C., for the past three years professor of French in Erskine College. Due West, S. C., is elected to the professorship of Modern Languages. Dr. Randolph taught one year in Elon before going to Erskine and was a general favorite. He was also assistant in these branches at Erskine, where he took his doctor's degree. His return to Elon will be greeted with universal applause.

Prof. Elmer L. Daughtry, Greensboro, Va., who has specialized in the language side of English, to be assistant professor of English. Prof. Daughtry is himself famous during his graduate days by his investigations into the causes of the cost of living and for his work in this investigation was awarded the Morrow Theses Medal, the most distinguished honor conferred by the Marter.

A. L. Hook, A. B., Winston, Va., becomes assistant in Physics and Chemistry. In Greensboro, Mr. Hook took his degree during his college days.

Dr. J. J. Kellum, L. I. Kellum, N. C., becomes assistant in Latin, in which department he did superior work during his college days. He has had considerable experience as a teacher.

Miss Bessie Urquart, Hessall, Ontario is elected to the professorship of Physical Culture to be Dean of Women.

Miss Lois Baird Davidson, Greensboro, N. C., graduate of the New England Conservatory, is added to the music faculty for next year. Miss Ethel Clements, Morrisville, N. C., special student of Louis Schalk, is also added to the music faculty for next year, to teach voice. Miss Davidson is to teach piano. H. E. Jorgenson, Pontiac, Michigan, graduate of the Business Department of the University of Michigan, becomes head of the Commercial Department for next year.

Dr. Walter P. Lawrence, head of the English Department, has been promoted to be Dean of Men for next year. Dr. Lawrence is eminently qualified for this responsible position by experience, by training, and by his well-known sympathy with the ideals of young men.

Dr. J. U. Newman, head of the Greek Department, remains in the post of honor which he has so long filled with such marked success, as Dean of the College.

The total number of the teaching force for next year will be twenty-two, an increase of six over last year. The enrollment last year was 358. Additional dormitory space for 182 has been added for the next session by the addition of the Publishing House, the Alumni Building, and the West Hall, known as the New West Dormitory, and it appears from reliable information from the College office, that every available space will be taken.

Altamahaw Items.

There was preaching at Shiloh Sunday by the pastor Rev. W. J. Hackney.

We have been having plenty of rain for the last few days. Mr. Fred Faucette and family Mrs. Mary Forsyth and little Margaret Pope of Durham spent last week with Mr. J. W. Faucette.

Mr. Andy Brincefield died Friday afternoon and was buried Saturday at Camp Springs. He leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

Mr. Chester Smith and wife and baby of Monroe, N. C., and Mr. Bennie Joyce and family of Stonehall, N. C., are spending a few days at Mr. J. R. Smiths.

Miss Francis Brincefield is right sick at this writing. Hope she will soon recover.

There is to be Childrens day at Stads school house Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lula Jordan went to the hospital at Greensboro last Thursday afternoon to undergo an operation. At last report she was right sick.

Mr. J. R. Smith is going to have an ice cream eating tonight Monday.

Mrs. Georgia Anna Kernodle is seriously sick not expected to live.

Social Life At Elon.

Elon College, July 24.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Huffman was the scene of a most delightful occasion last evening when their daughter, Miss Vivian, entertained in honor of a number of her friends in town. The party was a formal gathering of invited guests, they being chiefly the friends of the hostess who reside in town. Upon the arrival of the guests, they were welcomed by the hostess, assisted by her mother, and were given seats on the wide atmospherically refreshed veranda, which was illuminated by numerous lamps.

For an hour or more the guests enjoyed a delightful pastime on the porch, rook being the feature game. From the porch they were invited into the parlor where some time was spent in participation various indoor games suitable for such an occasion was in progress.

From the parlor the guests were invited to occupy seats on the porch, where a refreshment course, consisting of tea, cake, salted peanuts and mints, was served.

The departing hour 11 o'clock, came all too soon, for it was right in the midst of an evening of pleasant diversion under one of the most hospitable roofs in Elon. Miss Huffman received from all of her guests expressions of an exceedingly pleasant time.

If Your Hair Is Red Read And Learn Why.

Columbia, Mo., July 19.—Are red haired girls more popular than their sisters? If, not then think of the number of red headed spinisters you have known. You will have to think a long time before you can think of a single Titian-haired wall flower. If theory is true, Missouri will become famous not for common-place things like mules and "houn dawgs," but for red headed girls.

This year at the University of Missouri there are more red headed co-eds than ever before. And, although they did not monopolize masculine attentions, they had to keep date calendars at finger ends to avoid misunderstandings.

The brilliance of women with red hair, it is said here, has been proved by history—Queen Elizabeth, Marie Antoinette Cleopatra, Helen of Troy.

Prof. C. B. Davenport, who has carried on extensive research work in eugenics, says: "A curious antipathy is that of red haired persons of opposite sex for each other. Among thousands of matings I have found only two cases where both husband and wife are red headed, and I am assured by red haired persons that the antipathy exists. If, as it is sometimes alleged, red hair is frequently associated with a condition of nervous irritability, this is an eugenic antipathy."

Red hair is a queer thing, the authorities here say. It will turn up generation after generation, then skip a generation or two. It is a known fact that at times the child of two black-haired parents develops a full crop of red hair.

Scientists here try to explain why hair is red. They say it is from a super-abundance of iron in the blood. The color of the hair is due to a pigment called melanin, which is secreted in the roots of hairs. Absence of this coloring matter makes white hair. Melanin is formed by oxidation. A variety of organic compounds may undergo oxidation into melanin pigments ranging in intensity from yellow to black; the greater the oxidation the darker the product. And iron, when oxidized, inside of the body as well as out of it, produces red.

This explains the freckles which so often either mar or put an extra touch of daintiness to a red haired woman's beauty.

Red hair is said to give an index to character. A black haired woman once said:

"When a red-haired woman has dark blue or violet eyes and dark eyelashes she is good to have for a friend and bad to have for an enemy. When she has light blue eyes and pale lashes she is 'catty.'" All red-haired women are jealous."

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He never says: "Stop it, I cannot afford it, I'm getting more magazines now than I read," But always says, "Send it; our people all like it— The fact is we think it a help and a need."

How welcome his check when it reaches our sanctum, How it makes our pulse throb, how it makes our heart dance! We outwardly thank him, we inwardly bless him— The steady subscriber who pays in advance.—Edenburg Sentinel.

Choked To Death By High Collar.

Pittsburg, July 19.—Harry D. Wingert, a graduate of Western Reserve university, was choked to death here last night by the collar he was wearing.

Out of college only a short time, Wingert returned to this city from a western trip and called at the office of a friend to consult him about the purchase of an automobile. Not finding his friend in his office, Wingert went into a private room and sat down to wait.

While there the young man evidently was overcome by the heat and fell in a faint. He wore an extremely high and stiff collar, which strangled him to death. An autopsy showed that he had died of strangulation.

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After reading this generous and encouraging report from Mr. Ellis those who have been the misfortune to suffer, as he did, will naturally long to get similar relief. But to get the same good as Mr. Ellis had, you should get the remedy. There are of course, other kidney pills but there are no kidney pills the same as Doan's. That is why Burlington people demand the genuine.

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Secretary of the Navy Joseph Daniels has lofty ideas of artistically beautiful things and is especially fond of Oriental and Persian rugs, but he also is loyal to Democratic simplicity.

When the Secretary went to his office Tuesday he found the place crowded with rugs of every description. Officers and clerks on duty there had been joking among themselves as to "when the auction was going to take place." The Secretary was informed that there was a balance left of an appropriation for furnishing his department and that the rugs are there for him to make a selection for his office. Mr. Daniels finally selected one large rug as being to his liking. A clerk had told him that the purchase must be made before he left the office, as it was the last day of the fiscal year and that the allowance would lapse if not used.

"I thought those rugs might be bought for something like the figures we poor folks down in North Carolina pay," said the Secretary yesterday. I picked out my rug all right. But they told me the price was \$2,000 and wanted me to sign a warrant for it. But \$2,000! My ideas of Democratic simplicity could not get up to that figure and I told the boys to take the whole blamed outfit away and that I didn't want any rugs at all. These here are good enough for me."

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Jos. A. Isley & Bro. Co.

Have you been attending our great summer sale. If not you don't know what you have misses. The offerings have been great. The goods are new and desirable. We are going to quote you a few prices on some goods that you may have some idea of the large savings this summer sale affords.

One lot of ladies oxfords and shoes ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$3.00 this sale your choice 98c. One lot mens and boys oxfords and shoes new and desirable ranging in price from \$2.50 to \$5.00. Special for this sale \$1.93. One lot of misses and childrens shoes and oxfords your choice 79c. One lot of mens and boys shoes and oxfords special for this sale \$1.25. 20 yards chambray, gingham, lawn, percal, zephyr, special for this sale 7 1-2c. values from 10c to 20c. 3000 yds. wide sheeting sea island quality special at 5c. per yd. 4000 yds. sheeting 1 yd. wide special for this sale 6 1-2c and 7c. 600 ladies vests worth 10c. special 5c. 10c ladies hose black and tan slight imperfections special 5c. Mens hose black and tan 10c quality special 5c. 10c bleaching special 8c. \$1.25 and \$2.00 ladies waists \$1.00. 25c and 50c. ladies long black gloves special 19c. \$1.00 and \$1.25 ladies long black silk gloves double tips special 75c. 15c. and 20c. ladies gauze hose black and tan special 10c. 15c. 20c and 25c ladies collars special your choice 10c. 25c. cans of talcum powder only 10c. 10c. cans of talcum powder only 5c. 25c. cans of finest talcum powder 19c. All millinery on sale regardless of price or cost 25c., 30., and 35c. ribbon special 15c. 15c. and 20c. ribbon special 10c. \$1.00 and \$1.25 suit cases this sale 78c. Are you going away or do you expect to have an outing. Get your trunk or suit case here, large stock good styles and low prices. 50c. and 60c. good work shirts special 39c. \$1.00 and \$1.25 mens overalls special for this sale 89c. See our grocery department. It has been remodeled, rearranged and improved. We are now prepared to supply your wants in all kinds of eatables. We know we can serve you and will do our best to please you. When you want groceries ring up No. 1. or come to the store. Glass ware and crockery, enamel ware and tin ware. Tremendous stock at a great saving. Jelly glasses 25c. per doz. glass tumblers 2c. each. worth 5c. House furnishing and furniture department second floor. We have an immense stock.

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