THE MONROE JOURNAL.

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Tuesday, April 14, 1903.

Dr. W. A. Monroe of Sanford spent Friday in Monroe.

Mrs. Irene Marsh of Marshville spent sometime in town last week.

Mrs. T. C. Coxe of Lilesville is visiting Mrs. R. B. Redwine.

Mrs. J. G. Covington is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. E. Barrier, at Knoxville, Tenn.

Miss Ivah Bagby of Marshville spent yesterday with Miss Bright Ogburn.

Rev. D. A. Snider went to Concord Saturday to spend a week in a meeting with Rev. Wm. Talbert.

Mr. Robt. Winchester of Charlotte, an old citizen of Monroe, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. E. C. Brooks left Friday for her old home in Kernersville to visit her parents.

Rev. H. M. Dixon of McColl's, S. C., is in Monroe. He came to see Mrs. John R. Simpson.

Mr. S. N. Liles of Jonesboro has been visiting his mother and other relatives in the county. Mr. Liles left Union county in 1881.

The Savings, Loan & Trust Company has put in its large new safe. It is a burglar and fire proof one and has a time lock.

Rev. D. A. Snider and Rev. G. O. Wilfoit will begin a protracted meeting at Monroe Second Baptist church on the 3rd Sunday at eleven o'clock.

The ladies of the Methodist church are preparing to give an entertainment on the night of the 24th for the benefit of the parsonage fund.

Rev. Geo. H. Atkinson and Mr. R. A. Morrow left this morning to attend the Mecklenburg Presbytery which meets in the 10th Avenue church in Charlotte.

Mr. T. Lee Bland of Greenville, N. C., agent for "Envita," the new fountain drink, was in town Friday. See his ad. of Envita in this paper.

Mr. Martin Privett reports having cut a pine tree last week on Mr. J. W. Hinson's land near town, from which he cut six stocks, 12 feet each, and two cords of wood.

Mr. C. H. Richardson attended the session of the grand lodge of the Royal Arcanum at Wilson last week. He reported a good session and about forty members present.

It's Squire M. C. Austin now. He qualified as a justice of the peace Thursday. He will administer the law with justice and good sense.

Mr. Randolph Redfearn lost his little buggy horse, which has been so serviceable to his family for so long, last Saturday. She was 18 years old, and Mr. Redfearn and his people feel as if they had almost had a death in the family.

Mr. L. L. Green and Miss Emma Marsh, daughter of Mr. J. D. Marsh, were married last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Marshville township. Rev. W. V. Honeycutt officiated.

"If there is that string of wagons in here next fall with cotton at ten cents, Union county people will be in luck," said Sheriff Horn, as he looked down the line of wagons from the square to the guano house one day last week.

The Baptist church here extended a unanimous call Sunday to Rev. Mr. Watson of Gastonia to become its pastor on the retirement of Dr. A. M. Croxton, about June first. It is not yet known that he will accept.

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet immediately after prayer meeting next Wednesday evening. All members are earnestly requested to be present, as business of importance is to be transacted.

Mrs. John R. Simpson, who has been very ill for some time, was thought to be some better this morning. Her brother, Dr. H. C. Walkup, who left this county 24 years ago for Florida, where he has won great reputation as a physician, is with her.

Some of the people in the neighborhood of Union church in Lanes Creek had a mad dog hunt one day last week. A strange dog came in and bit several dogs, and eight of them were killed in one sally. That is the way to treat them when there are any suspicions whatever that they have been written.

Mr. T. J. Williams of east Monroe township was married last Tuesday evening to Miss Emma Marsh at the home of the latter's father, Capt. A.T. Marsh, in Alexander county. Mr. Williams is a good citizen and well-to-do farmer, and has many friends and neighbors who wish him much happiness in his new relation.

We are requested to say that the election for the Mount Prospect Graded School is to determine whether a tax, to be not less than 15 cents on the $100 of property and 45 cents on poll, nor more than 50 cents on property and $1.50 on poll, shall be levied. Of course, there would be no larger levy than would be necessary to run the school.

Henry Covington, an old darkey well known about town, died Friday at his home on Mr. Randolph Redfearn's premises. He had been a servant in Mr. Redfearn's family almost constantly since the war. Henry was an honest, faithful, humble man and had the respect of the white people. He was once worth some property, but lost it by going security for some members of his race.

Mr. J. E. Little, who has been suffering with rheumatism so long, has gone to Hot Springs.

Mr. W. D. Simpson came home from Baltimore Saturday to see his mother, Mrs. J. R. Simpson.

Mr. S. M. Howie of Sandy Ridge township has been appointed a notary public, and today qualified before the clerk of the court.

Mrs. T. B. Brown of McColl, S. C., is at her father's in Monroe, to see her brother, Mr. Bonner Stewart.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Emsily Wilson Griffin to Miss Etta Williamson, April 29th, at half-past seven, in the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Frank Richardson of Chesterfield county and Miss Pearl Griffin, daughter of Mr. N. W. Griffin of Monroe, were married at the bride's home here Sunday, Rev. M. A. Smith officiating.

The county Board of Education met in regular quarterly session yesterday, but owing to the very bad weather there was no attendance from the outside and the members had no special business to transact. An order was made to sell Pin Hook school house, in Vance township, it being one of the consolidated schools. The chairman of the board was authorized to execute a deed to the property on which the colored graded school is located to the town of Monroe, the object being to get the school within the town control so that the graded school trustees can run the colored school.

Between the Acts.

Friday evening in the opera house the graded school will give the play, "Between the Acts." Following is the cast of characters: Dick Comfort, Mr. Dillon; George Merregale, Prof. S. J. Everett; Alexander Meander (Dick's uncle), Mr. Cunningham; Harris (Comfort's new servant), Mr. Parker; Miss Clementina Meander (Dick's aunt), Miss Nash; Edith Comfort (Dick's wife), Miss Lane; Sally (Mr. Meander's maid), Miss Ogburn.

Tickets on sale at English Drug Co. Admission, 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents; children 10 cents; all the graded school 10 cents.

List Takers and Assessors.

The following list takers and assessors were appointed for the different townships, the first named in each case being the list taker:

Lanes Creek—B. F. Parker, A. E. Rushing, Sanford Smith.

Buford—J. C. Laney, T. C. Eubanks, B. F. Richardson.

Jackson—R. T. Sistare, W. P. Neely, W. J. McGuirt.

Sandy Ridge—G. W. Sutton, J. D. Hemby, W. H. Howie, Sr.

Vance—J. E. Broom, L. N. Presson, D. J. Hemby.

Goose Creek—W. G. Long, I. A. Clontz, A. W. McManus.

New Salem—Hiram T. Rancom, P. J. C. Efird, M. C. Austin.

Marshville—Fred W. Ashcraft, A. R. Edwards, J. D. Marsh.

Monroe—M. L. Flow, J. W. Bivens, J. M. Fairley.

Card From Mr. Stevens.

To the Editor of The Journal:

I desire to say, through your paper, that I desire to devote my entire time to the study and practice of law, and therefore will not be a candidate for mayor. The nature of the office requires me to give considerable time to its duties and I prefer, as I stated, to give my whole time to the law. I desire to say further, I feel very grateful for the honor which they have conferred on me.

R. L. Stevens.

For Mayor and Aldermen.

To the citizens of Monroe. We suggest the following tickets.

For Mayor: J. D. McRae.

For Alderman:

1st Ward, S. W. Parham,
2nd Ward, T. C. Collins,
3rd Ward, L. R. Helms,
4th Ward, G. S. Lee,
At Large, Davis Armfield.

There is no question as to the attitude of these gentlemen upon questions of morality. Their successful managements of their own affairs shows their capability to manage the city's affairs.

Voters.

For Mayor:

R. V. Houston.

For City Aldermen:

1st Ward, J. E. Stack,
2nd Ward, W. F. Morgan,
3rd Ward, J. C. Sikes,
4th Ward, J. R. English,
At large, Davis Armfield.

Fifty Voters.

A Statement.

It having been circulated that some of the members of the board of aldermen privately sent telegrams to Mr. R. F. Beasley at Raleigh saying that, while they had signed as members of the board asking for the expansion bill, they privately did not desire it to pass. On being asked as to this report, Mr. Beasley stated emphatically that it was not true, and that there had been no such thing done and he would so make affidavit, if it were necessary or desired.

Fair play.

Irish Potatoes.

Eight or ten barrels of Irish potatoes, cheap. Any kind you want, for seed or eating purposes. Come to see me before you buy.

S. R. Doster.

A big package of "Force" at Bruner & Huey's for fifteen cents. Strength and vigor are in it.

Try some of those nice cucumber pickles at S. R. Doster's.

Death of Capt. L. A. W. Turner.

Capt. L. A. W. Turner, a well known citizen of Monroe, was found dead in bed last Thursday morning. The discovery of his death was made at about half past 5 o'clock, and the body was yet warm. At 4 o'clock he had been awake, and on receiving a drink of water from a member of the family, remarked that he felt as if he could go to sleep. He had been suffering some time with rheumatism, but no such termination of his life had at any time been feared.

On account of the absence of the deceased's son, Mr. Frank Turner, who lives in Texas, the funeral was not held until Sunday, Mr. Turner having arrived Saturday night. The body was embalmed by Mr. J. W. Laney of Mr. T. P. Dillon's undertaking department. The funeral was held at 11 o'clock Sunday, by Rev. M. A. Smith, and was attended by a large number of people.

Capt. Turner was born in Camden, S. C., 67 years ago. Coming to Monroe in 1858, he married Miss M. M. Houston, daughter of the late Hugh M. Houston, and lived here continuously except for the four years which he spent on the battlefields of Virginia. He was among the first volunteers, and nothing could be said in greater testimony of his qualities as a soldier than that he was elected captain of Company A, 48th North Carolina regiment. This was one of the fighting regiments of the Southern army, and in all its conflicts Capt. Turner bore a gallant part. His love for his comrades and their memory grew with each year of his life, and nothing gave him greater pleasure than to attend their reunions or to talk over the days of their struggle.

The deceased is survived by five children and a devoted wife.

Democratic Primary Called.

The Democratic executive committee met on April 13th, with the following members present: V. C. Redwine, J. E. Stack, R. A. Morrow, and J. D. McRae. The following business was transacted:

R. A. Morrow was elected chairman and J. D. McRae secretary.

A primary for the nomination of mayor and commissioners was called to be held Friday, April 17, from 1 to 8 o'clock.

A majority of all the votes cast will be necessary to nominate.

Such as are not nominated in this primary will run in a second one, to be held Monday, April 20, from 1 to 8 o'clock. In the second primary all names will be dropped except the two getting the highest vote for each office in the first primary.

All white Democrats who will support the nominees of the primary are invited to participate.

The voting place will be the court house, and the following poll holders were appointed: L. Z. Williamson, G. D. Broom, J. C. Fletcher and C. N. Simpson.

There will be one box to receive the votes for Mayor and one for Commissioner.

There will be a meeting at the polling place at four o'clock on Friday to elect a new executive committee.

R. A. Morrow, Ch'm.
J. D. McRae, Sec.

Card from Mr. Hilliard.

To the Democratic Voters of the city of Monroe, N. C.:

In view of the fact that our Executive Committee has called the city primaries to be held on Friday the 17th inst., just three days hence, and the further fact that I desire to be perfectly frank with you in regard to my position upon all questions that are involved in this election, without the opportunity to see you each personally, I take this method of publicly stating my platform more fully than it appeared in the last issue of this paper, by planks as follows:

1st. Thorough acquaintance on the part of the mayor with all the city's affairs and the application of the most approved business methods to the same with a view to making the city power plant self supporting without increasing rents for water or lights, and reducing the necessary running expenses of the city government to the smallest figure consistent with conservative progress and the strict enforcement of all laws and ordinances within the jurisdiction of the mayor.

2. The rigid enforcement of our liquor laws as they now stand until the people shall declare by their votes after the 1st day of July, 1903, whether they want prohibition, bar rooms or a dispensary and then to carry out their wishes with equal vigor.

Iredell Hilliard.

For Aldermen.

We suggest the following ticket for Alderman of the city of Monroe in the coming primary Friday from one to eight o'clock:

1st Ward, A. L. Monroe,
2nd Ward, W. F. Morgan,
3rd Ward, J. C. Sikes,
4th Ward, J. M. Blair,
At Large, Davis Armfield.

Many Citizens.

Economy Ticket for Mayor and Aldermen of Monroe.

For Mayor, A. M. Crowell.

For Aldermen:

1st Ward, C. N. Simpson,
2nd Ward, T. C. Collins,
3rd Ward, L. R. Helms,
4th Ward, Geo. S. Lee,
At Large, Henry A. Shute.

Economy.

Not a Candidate.

To my friends who have suggested my name for alderman for 2nd ward, I will state that I am not a candidate for the office; but most heartily thank my friends for suggesting my name for the place.

Respectfully,
A. W. Biggers.

Second crop Virginia Irish Potatoes, for eating or planting, 80 cents per bushel.—Crow Bros.

INSTALLATION SERVICE.

The New Pastor of the Presbyterian Church Formally Installed. Doctor Smith's Very Interesting Talk.

The new pastor of the Monroe Presbyterian church, Rev. Geo. H. Atkinson, was formally installed as the church's pastor in a very interesting and solemn ceremony last Thursday night. Nice printed programs were distributed throughout the congregation, which was large. The new church presented a pretty appearance. Dr. J. R. Howerton of Charlotte preached the sermon; Dr. S. M. Smith of Columbia delivered the charge to the pastor, and Rev. J. A. Dorritee of Charlotte made an address to the congregation regarding its duty to the pastor. The choir rendered beautiful and most appropriate music. The two most interesting and valuable parts of the service were the addresses by Dr. Howerton and Dr. Smith. We quote Dr. Howerton in part only. He preached from Jeremiah 3:15: "And I will give you pastors according to Mine heart, which shall feed you with knowledge and understanding." The sermon was a splendid presentation of the scriptural relation of pastor and people. "Jesus Christ," said Dr. Howerton, "is the source and foundation of the pastoral relation and I shall briefly point your pastor to Him and call the attention of the congregation to their duty. Christ is the one universal pastor, to whom all devotion is due, the one ever present. He said: 'I am the good Shepherd and know My sheep.' Every pastor, or under shepherd, is such only by appointment and as he is given authority by the Great Shepherd.

"'I will give you pastors according to My heart,' and His word is their food and when an under shepherd turns away from the food, no matter how elegant his diction or eloquent his periods or popular his manner, he is not feeding the flock. The under shepherd has not only to preach the gospel to the faithful, but he must heal that which is broken, look up those who have been lost in the darkness and to protect his people from the dangers that threaten, no matter if it be to the extent of sacrificing his own life, as has been necessary in times past. He must comfort them when they are passing through the shadows, but no words except those of the Great Shepherd can heal.

"Sometimes the pastor is changed or goes to God, but Jesus Christ never changes his pastoral relation. The Good Shepherd loves His sheep as a people, as a flock, by name, and watches over them. The eternal love of Christ is the source of all love between pastor and people. This love is something new and strange to anything we have felt before. This love must come of close union with God and constant prayer. It pains the pastor when one goes astray. The office of pastor is the gift of God, and the pastor is here by the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and the Chief Shepherd has put him here. This fact keeps the pastor from mere professionalism and the congregation from mere formality.

"Love him as a servant of his Master; he stands here to win you closer to his own Lord and Master, and should he usurp the place of his Master, and the people begin to worship his gifts and popularity, these become a danger and a hindrance."

Dr. Smith's address was a gem. By courtesy of Miss Margie Williamson, who took it in shorthand, The Journal is able to give it in full. Dr. Smith said:

"It is with peculiar pleasure, my young brother, that I have accepted your invitation to be with you this evening. There are very special reasons that make it a peculiar pleasure. I could not avoid the thought, as I was coming this morning, of the time about eight years ago in the month of August, when I was in the city of New York, a telegram came to me at 11 o'clock at night urging me to come as fast as I could to the city of Columbia in order to be in time to conduct your funeral. I think this is something very peculiar and I believe it to be providential. It must have been, and I have no doubt but that it was a divine act of providence that you have been spared for this congregation.

"It is a very peculiar pleasure for me to see you here after so long a period of preparation, for you have had what I would call extraordinary preparation for this work, and I feel that there is something more of an omen in connection with your installation than falls to the lot of most ministers. Certainly, I have no doubt but that the most of your friends will be expecting a great deal of you in this, your first pastorate after such long and careful preparation.

"Dr. Howerton has spoken to you along the line that is most material, and he has anticipated what I would be expected to say to you, but there are some homely truths that are very needful, and lessons that I hope you will not learn, at least from experience. I will mention some of those things, beginning with the least important.

"I noticed this morning on the train, right opposite me, a gentleman whose countenance impressed me very much, and I was struck with how vacant it was; I could not tell at first what was the matter. But I noticed that he had his mouth open, and I thought to myself there is a lesson. It is a great disadvantage for a man to have his mouth too much open. A man who keeps his mouth open is almost sure to get his foot into it. I think it was Mr. Spurgeon who said, 'It is a very good thing to have a deaf ear and a blind eye.'

"Among the little things that are important, I would emphasize punctuality. Always be punctual to your appointments. Always be on the hour. Be punctual with your engagements and with your people, for punctuality on your part will encourage punctuality on their part.

"Every young man is apt to be very active, and some wise man has said that the devil endeavors to get on his back and ride him to death. I would not doubt but that you will need a little caution in that particular. Be careful, for excess, even in activity, in overdoing some things. Some ideals of a pastorate bring out the pastor as doing everything. Now, I need not tell you, for you are aware that I have said in your hearing, that it is not best for the pastor to do everything. I would not go so far as to say that he should not do anything, but he should not do anything that could be as well done by some member of the congregation. The more you can get your congregation to do, the better for them. Do not make the mistake of being the first one in everything, but anything that is plainly your duty, do it gladly, personally, individually and promptly.

"I remember years ago, when I was a boy, my father used to visit Lexington, Va., every summer and take me with him. As you are aware, the Virginia Military Institute is situated there. It was the chief attraction there for me, and on my return home I organized a military company of small boys, and they very naturally elected me captain of the company. Now, it happened that a friend of my father had given me a very sonorous-sounding drum, to which I was so much attached that it was a great struggle to decide whether to command the company or beat the drum, and I finally compromised by doing both. I want to say to you, my young brother, be content to command your company and do not insist on beating the drum.

"Another thing, my young brother, remember that while you are bishop you are not the only one, for I believe we have five and you are sixth, and I now enjoin upon you to stand as far as you can behind your session. Put your session to the front and in all things throw all the responsibility on them that you possibly can. Always abide by the decision of your ruling elders, putting them between you and your congregation; but if in a matter of conscience you should differ from them, the time has come for you to separate from your church.

"The Presbyterian church, as you have heard this evening, combines the pulpit and the pastor. They are a unit and you cannot dispense with either. Do not be tempted to be a good pastor and neglect your pulpit. You must visit your people and they will attend your preaching, but not unless you have something worthy of their hearing. Sometimes there are other attractions to fill a house, but unless you are faithful in your pulpit work you cannot hold your congregation. Your success depends upon the way you study. When I say study, I mean study. Think over what you are going to say, if you keep on studying a subject the words will grow, and if you go down deep enough you will get something fresh and clear as when boring an artesian well. The great trouble with most ministers is that they do not bore their subjects enough. Bore your subject, or you have got to bore your congregation, and it is a great deal better to bore your subject.

"I want you to take care of your health. You are familiar with the old proverb, SANA MENS IN SANO CORPORE. You cannot be too careful, and your success depends very largely on your good health. Do not do your work Saturday afternoon and Saturday night. Most ministers seem to think that Monday is their holiday, but I think it better to take Saturday instead. Go for a long walk into the country and spend a good part of Saturday with nature and with God. Then go back home, eat a hearty supper and go to bed at a seasonable hour Saturday night. If you go to your pulpit after a sleepless night with your eyes swollen and half awake and do not go to sleep, the probability is that the congregation will. Make it a point to go to your pulpit in the morning as fresh as possible. Get up Sunday morning at your usual hour, or if anything a little earlier as you have gone to bed earlier, eat breakfast and spend the interval between then and time for service entirely alone, thinking of what you are going to say, and when you enter your pulpit your face will shine, though you may not know it.

"You have a convenient and commodious manse here, and you lack but one qualification of being a bishop, and I do not think you will lack that very long. An unmarried preacher is perhaps more interesting, but a married one is more useful."

Good Irish Potatoes.

We have some nice second crop Virginia Irish Potatoes, good for eating or planting, and will sell them for 80 cents a bushel.

Crow Bros.

For Mayor and Aldermen.

We suggest the following ticket for mayor and aldermen in the coming election:

For Mayor—N. S. Ogburn.

For Aldermen:

1st Ward—J. E. Stack.
2nd Ward—T. C. Collins.
3rd Ward—L. R. Helms.
4th Ward—G. S. Lee.
At Large—Davis Armfield.

Many Voters.

Get Your Moneys Worth.

We are selling a dollar bottle of Latrobe's Sarsaparilla—ninety doses—for 75 cents. Now we honestly believe that this sarsaparilla contains twice as much good medicine to the bottle as any other sarsaparilla on the market. We know that no concern can put in a sarsaparilla one half the quantity of as expensive drugs as we put in Latrobe's, allow 3 different profits before you pay the last one, spend 25 to 50 per cent of cost of preparation in expensive advertising and retail same at 90 cents to $1.00. Good medicine, like most other good things, is expensive, and to convince you that our article is not cheap medicine we tell you what's in it. If you don't know anymore then then than you did before ask a doctor what he thinks of a combination of liberal quantities of Iron and Potassium Iodides, an excellent mild laxative and a vegetable liver regulator combined in one medicine. Did we ever misrepresent a medicine to you? If after trying it you think we misrepresent this one, ask for your money back. If you need a spring medicine Latrobe's is it.

English Drug Co.

Go to Flow's store for kraut at 10 cents a gallon.

Special Notices.

Advertisements will be inserted in this column at the price of one cent a word, cash in advance.

THE People's Mutual Life Insurance Company is now ready for business. Write to or call on R. W. Lemmond.

FOR SALE—Franklin Chief colt—4 years old. J. D. Futch.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage on Church street. Desirable location. Apply to C. F. Lowe.

TO the one bringing this ad. we will give one Blums Almanac for 1903, worth 10 cents. First come first served. The W. J. Rudge Co.

WANTED—A few dozen bronze turkey eggs. Will pay a good price. H. L. Price, Price's Mill, N. C.

DR. W. H. WAKEFIELD, of Charlotte, N. C., will be in Monroe, at The Gloucester, on Thursday, April 23rd, for one day only. His practice is limited to the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

CARRY everything you have in old iron to J. D. Parker.

REMEMBER you can get the best fresh meat at J. D. Parker's market. Phone No. 91.

ON account of the reunion at New Orleans May 19th to 22nd, the S. A. L. will sell round trip tickets for $15.30.

GO to the Star Cafe for a nice lunch or a nice meal at any time of day.

R. R. Watkins, Manager.

SEE S. R. Doster before you buy your garden seed and seed potatoes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COTTON WEIGHER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for cotton weigher at Monroe.

THOMAS J. PRICE.

FOR COTTON WEIGHER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for cotton weigher at Monroe.

J. E. DOSTER.

FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for mayor of Monroe, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

R. V. HOUSTON.

FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for mayor of Monroe, subject to the Democratic primary, if one is held.

J. M. FAIRLEY.

FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor of the City of Monroe. This March 20th, 1903. IREDELL HILLIARD.

FOR MAYOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor of Monroe, subject to the Democratic primary. A. M. CROWELL.

FOR COTTON WEIGHER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of cotton weigher of the town of Monroe.

L. C. BUCKEL.

FOR COTTON WEIGHER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of cotton weigher at Monroe.

J. A. CROWELL.

City Tax Sales.

By virtue of the City Tax Lists in my hands for collection and the order thereon directing the collection of taxes due the City of Monroe, I will sell at public auction, at the court house door in Monroe, on

Monday, the 4th day of May,

1903, for the purpose of collecting the taxes due on the property by the persons named below, the following lands or town lots belonging to the persons named for the taxes opposite their names, viz:

NAMES.	LANDS.	TAXES DUE
Hodges, J. D., 1901 and 1902	6 acres near G. sch't	$10.20
Crowell, M. L.	1 lot near water wks.	2.08
Houston, Semple	1 lot at water works	8.41
Lemmond, W. T.	1 lot Winsboro street	3.26
Mauney, D. A.	1 lot Fairley avenue	28.82

If taxes are not paid before day of sale with costs the lots will be sold for cash as stated above.

W. L. HOWIE,
Chief of Police and City Tax Collector.

April 2, 1903.

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THE LEADING

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, HAT AND SHOE STORE IN MONROE.

Headquarters for Gents' Clothing.

Spring and Summer line now ready. Also youths' and boys' new cuts and weaves. Neckwear, all the colors of the rainbow.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes!

For men, women and children. See all lines HERE before you buy ANYWHERE.

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W. S. BLAKENEY, President. A. M. STACK, Vice-President. J. RAYMOND SHUTE, Cashier.

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Safe, But Progressive and Liberal.

A modern banking house with every facility for the prompt and careful handling of all business.

Get one of our Pretty Steel Banks,

carry it home, deposit your savings and get interest on them.

Painting as it Should be.

The paint we sell is the right kind. It has good body and will cover your walls effectively. Plenty of good colors, and all the paints are mixed so they won't run, peel, crack or blister. Just as nearly perfect as paints can be made. You get it at a reasonable price.

Make your improvements by using Heath & Miligan Paints.

C. N. Simpson, Jr.

Successor to C. E. HOUSTON.

FOR SPRING WEAR!

A new lot just received of:

Sash Pins, Brooches, Hat Pins, } at 25 cts.

Waist Sets, Necklaces, Lockets, Cuff Buttons, etc. A big lot of Watches, Chains, Rings, Etc., just, in at the very lowest prices.

W. E. LINEBACK,

Jeweler, Monroe, N. C.

Drink Euvita,

The new fountain drink that is just the thing. It makes you feel good, because it banishes all your troubles, and makes you glad you are living. Euvita is non-alcoholic and non-stimulating. It is one of the greatest digestion aiders on earth. You can eat what you want and as much as you want and never be troubled with indigestion if you drink Euvita. It is not a drug, but a pure wholesome beverage, and equally as delightful in summer as in winter. He who drinks Euvita drinks health. Don't fail to give it a trial. Five cents, at C. N. Simpson, Jr.'s Soda Fountain.

The Franklin Typewriter.

The best Typewriter on the market. You can pay more but you cannot get a better one. Its work is always in full view of the operator; it is simple in construction; and has stood the test for many years, proving its durability. The alignment is always perfect, and the price is $75.00 to all. For sale by the Monroe Hardware Co., or any of the offices of CUTTER-TOWER CO., Boston, Mass.

Southern Branch 216 Jenifer Building, Washington, D. C.