

## Special Notices.

75 boxes all sizes R. R. Mills snuff that must be sold. Bruner & Huey.

We are still selling Fino Coffee. Nothing makes a more pleasant drink. Bass & Co.

Car of Charlotte Elba Meal just received. J. B. Nash & Son.

A nice line of Iron Beds, at Dillon's.

See Williams-Long Co. at once if you need a good mule cheap.

Don't fail to get 20 pounds nice clean new crop rice for one dollar at Bruner & Huey's.

I have purchased an Electric Sweeper and am prepared to clean your carpets, walls and curtains in the best manner. R. E. Gardner.

Highest prices paid for Chickens and Eggs, at Doster & Dosters.

Now is the time to exchange your seed for meal—2200 pounds meal for 2000 seed. Monroe Oil Mill.

If you buy your groceries here you get the freshest and best and pay no more for them than you often pay for the other kind. Vann Funderburk.

Eggs for hatching, from high scoring Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns. Fifteen for \$1.00. W. C. Stack, Monroe, N. C.

For Sale—Fifty-one acres land 1/2 mile of Stallingsville; 25 acres in cultivation, 15 in original forest. No buildings, but timber enough to build. Call and see it or write. It will go at a bargain. J. H. Harkey, (Stallingsville) Matthews, No. 26.

Tempo Tea is the best. A present with each package. Bass & Co.

Corn—Some damaged corn, will sell at 50 cents per bushel as long as it lasts. J. B. Nash & Son.

Buy a good Mattress from Dillon. They help you to get a good night's rest.

Fresh lot Kingan's Reliable hams and breakfast bacon, also a lot of fine country hams, all sizes. Bruner & Huey.

For Rent—The old home place of the late T. C. Eubanks. Will lease for three years if desired. Eubanks Bros.

Home-made Kraut just opened. It is fine. Doster & Doster.

Austin & Levy's market is the place to buy your Meats. The best the market affords always on hand. Phone 91.

Try some of our fine down eastern Yam Potatoes. Doster & Doster.

Big lot, 130 feet, over 200 back, between T. J. Gordon's residence and town limits, for sale cheap for cash. Monroe Manufacturing Company.

For Sale—Several thoroughbred Angora goats. J. T. Yarbrough, Monroe, R. F. D. 5.

Trained Nurse located in Monroe. Phone 299.

For Sale—T. J. Caudle 4-room house on one-half acre lot, in southern part of town. Frank Armfield, Manager.

Swap your Seed for Meal. We will give 100 pounds of Elba Meal for 100 pounds Seed. J. B. Nash & Son.

A beautiful line of Druggets and Rugs, at Dillon's.

6 cans sardines for 25c.  
5 cans potted meats for 25c.  
3 cans sausage for 25c.  
4 cans 10c size French sardines for 25c.  
12 cans Vienna sausage for 90c.  
3 cans tomatoes for 25c.  
20 pounds Argo starch for 10c.  
20 pounds new crop rice for \$1.00.  
Roast and corned beef 15c a can. Bruner & Huey.

For Sale—Good 6-room house on Morgan avenue, lot 95 by 226; good barn and garden. Davis Armfield.

Money to Loan—On real estate or good security. Walter K. Mubone, 2 and 3 Loan & Trust Building, Monroe, N. C.

Big supply new crop cotton seed meal and hulls ready for quick delivery. We send them in a hurry. Phone us when you want them. T. C. Lee & Co.

WATT ASHCRAFT, Veterinary—Day calls 113, night calls 382. Monroe, N. C. Hospital on Hayne street, north-east of court house.

Dr. E. S. Green's dental office is over Krauss' jewelry store opposite Belk Bros. Office phone 182.

Swap your Cotton Seed for Meal and Hulls. We have got plenty of each. J. B. Nash & Son.

FOR SALE—My house and lot on east Windsor street, in McCauley Heights; good neighborhood; 8 large rooms, bath room and closets; lot 112x180 feet; good well pure water in back porch; good wood and wash house in yard; good barn and stalls; large garden, well improved and can raise plenty vegetables; nice shade trees in yard. Also my stock of goods at oil mill consisting of heavy and fancy groceries, dry goods, notions, shoes, hats, etc., and one horse, one-horse wagon, delivery wagon, surry, etc. Bargain for quick buyer. Jesse W. Hill.

Your Eyes—don't neglect them. Dr. H. Smith can be found at his office in Monroe, N. C., from this date until some time in March. Dr. Smith will make a scientific examination of yours and fit you with glasses of the latest and most up-to-date style. Will you not come and get those glasses you have been talking about so long? That headache you have been suffering with can be cured forever if you will have the proper glasses fitted. Don't neglect your children's eyes. They never make taught scholars if their eyes pain them when studying. Examination free. Office, Fitzgerald building, next door to Dr. Houston's dental office, Monroe, N. C.

For Rent—Brick store room adjoining new Journal building on Jefferson street. One of the best stands in town. McRae Mercantile Company.

For Sale—A lot of good meadow hay, and some good clean wheat straw; both baled. H. L. Price, Monroe, N. C., R. F. D. No. 5.

Wanted—All of the Cross Ties you will bring us. Will pay 35 cents for first class, 15 cents for second class. J. B. Nash & Son.

For Sale—Four good work mules. Williams-Long Co.

Moved—The Singer Sewing Machine office has moved next door to the Baptist church. J. W. Cook.

Big bargain in green coffee at Bruner & Huey's.

A barrel good Saur Kraut just opened. M. Waller.

If you need a pair of overalls buy the Coast Brand from Williams & Gathings.

We have the complete line of groceries that we have ever had. Everything you want may be found here and it is in the proper condition. Vann Funderburk.

More Meal than Seed—Will give you 2200 pounds nice bolted meal for 2000 pounds seed. Monroe Oil Mill.

Fifty cents Jar of best preserves for 25 cents while they last. Come quick. Bass & Co.

A call to 63 will give you the things you want in the grocery line right away. Try it. Vann Funderburk.

Best hand packed Tomatoes, 10 cents a can. Bass & Co.

Seed Cotton wanted. Will pay highest price. J. B. Nash & Son.

25 boxes nice large prunes, best prunes grown, at Bruner & Huey's.

Just received a shipment of Champion Flour. Williams & Gathings.

We will give 2200 pounds nice bolted cotton seed meal for 2000 pounds of seed. Monroe Oil Mill.

You can get guaranteed cotton seed meal—bolted—at \$1.50 per sack at the Monroe Oil Mill.

Twenty thousand home raised Cabbage Plants, winter hardened, for sale. J. A. Austin.

For Sale—Two lots, joining railroad right-of-way, northern part of city. G. B. Caldwell.

For Rent—Five-room house at 86 per month. J. W. Richardson.

Nice bolted cotton seed meal at \$1.50 per sack. Monroe Oil Mill.

Sweet potatoes at Williams & Gathings.

Want to buy 1,000 pounds of Country Hams. Highest price paid. Doster & Doster.

Phone 63 for your table needs. It is our business to supply them. We please you. Vann Funderburk.

For Rent—Five-room cottage, modern conveniences. Walter Henderson.

Single Comb Brown Leghorn Eggs for setting; \$1.00 for 15. Davis Armfield.

Phone Austin & Levy for nice stalled Beef, Pork, Sausage, Fish and Oysters. Phone 91.

Cabbage Plants, wholesale or retail, now ready. Union Plant Co., Marshville, N. C.

For Sale—Two good lots on Benton Hill. G. B. Caldwell.

The original Tabasco and Eagle Tabasco Powder. Bass & Co.

Plenty of Cotton Seed Hulls. Come and get while they are plentiful. J. B. Nash & Son.

Vann Camp's and Peerless Evaporated Milk, three cans for 25 cents. Maclaren's Imperial Cheese, 15-cent size for a short time at 19 cents. Three 3-pound cans Big Hominy, for 25 cents. Five-pound carton Domino Sugar, to close out, at 40 cents. Velvee Syrup, 5 cents a can. Summer's Early June Peas, 10 cents a can. Franco-American Potted Beef, three cans for 25 cents. Chipped Beef, three cans for 25 cents. Bruner & Huey.

**Trustee's Sale of Land.**  
By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Walter Griffin and wife, Julia Griffin, dated 22nd day of January, 1909, and registered on page 98, Book AL, in the office of the register of deeds of Union county, North Carolina, I, the undersigned, as trustee, will, on Monday, March 13th, 1911, at 12 o'clock noon, at the court house door in Monroe, North Carolina, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land: All that tract of land lying and being in Lanes Creek township, Union county, North Carolina, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the Marshville public road, leading from Marshville to S. E. Belk's mill, Mattie Thomas' corner, and runs with said road as follows: 1st, N. 37 E. 54 chains to a stake; 2nd, N. 29 E. 54 chains to a stake; Victor Bacon, Mattie Thomas and R. H. Brooks' corner; thence a division line N. 18 E. 22.25 chains to a stake, W. C. Horn and R. H. Brooks' corner; thence S. 57 W. 19.40 chains to a stake in the Monroe and Hornsboro public road, W. C. Horn's corner; thence S. 34 E. along with centre of said road 25 1/2 chains to the beginning, containing 36 1/2 acres more or less, being of the tract of land conveyed by M. K. Lee and wife to said W. B. Walden, by deed dated 24th October, 1907, registered in the office of register of deeds of said county in Record of Deeds No. 41, page 296. Said land will be sold to satisfy the provisions of said deed of trust.  
W. S. BLAKENEY, Trustee.  
This January 28, 1911.

**H. B. ADAMS, Jr.**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.  
Practice in the State and Federal Courts.  
Office 11 and 12 in the Law Building.  
PHONE 26.

**Local and Personal.**  
Mr. H. D. Eller of Rock Hill, S. C., was in town Monday.

Mr. W. G. McBride, who has been living in Concord several years, has moved to Marshville.

Miss Nelie Rivers of Charleston and Miss Maggie McLean of Maxton are visiting Mrs. John F. McLean.

Mr. J. M. Lowery, who has been in Arkansas the past three years, has moved to Wingate.

There will be an old time singing at Nashville school house, in Marshville township, Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Miss Ora Williams of Charlotte spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Williams.

Prof. D. L. Sharpe of Charlotte is teaching instrumental music in Sandy Ridge community and has a good school.

Mr. Charlie Funderburk and Miss Dora Tyser of north Monroe were married Saturday by Esq. A. C. Johnson.

Hon. R. V. Houston, representative from this county, has introduced a bill in the legislature to pay special veniement.

Misses Ona Long and Hallie Benton will go to Charlotte tonight to hear the noted singer, Alexander Heinemann.

The record of vital statistics for Monroe shows that eleven deaths occurred during the month of January—7 white and 4 colored.

Mr. David Futch, who has been traveling in Arkansas for a clothing house, spent some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Futch, last week.

Mr. S. B. Stephenson, who lately sold his property at Mineral Springs, has gone to Washburn, Ark., to make his home. His son and daughter live there.

The ground hog certainly saw his shadow Thursday, for it was a fair day, and the skunk has certainly turned in a start for his six weeks of bad weather.

A basket ball team from Charlotte played a game with a team from the Monroe graded school here Friday night. The score was 30 to 12 in favor of Monroe.

Capt. W. T. Reese, who has been with the Seaboard here a long time, has accepted a position with the Southern railway at Charlotte. His family will remain in Monroe for the present.

The Trinity local Farmers' Union will meet next Saturday at 2 o'clock. It is desired that all members be present, as the buying of fertilizers for this season and other important matters will be discussed.

All interested in Union county having a poultry show the coming fall, are requested to meet in the rooms of the Progressive Monroe League on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Iredell Hilliard, lately of Monroe, but who has been living several years at Georgetown, S. C., holding a responsible position with a big lumber company, is doing editorial work for the "Georgetown Daily Item."

Sheriff Griffith left this morning for Raleigh to carry the negroes Mayhew, Funderburk and Richardson, convicted for the murder of Carter Parks, to the penitentiary. Charles Plyler, who was convicted for the same crime and sentenced to be electrocuted January 20th and was respited until February 17th, will be electrocuted on that date unless Governor Kitchin interferes.

The county commissioners met yesterday in their regular monthly meeting. In the forenoon some unimportant matters were disposed of. Immediately after noon the petitions for and against the new township to be formed from parts of Marshville, Monroe and New Salem townships were heard. A large crowd was present and both sides strongly contested. Mr. R. B. Redwine appeared for the petitioners for the new township and Mr. W. B. Love and Mr. Ney McNeely against it. The case consumed the entire afternoon. The commissioners decided today not to grant the new township.

Jolly John Larkins, who enjoys the distinction of being the funniest of the funny, is the comedian with "A Trip to Africa," which appears at the opera house next Thursday night. This very funny negro comedian, who is known the land over, will use his latest and original ditties during his engagement with "A Trip to Africa", where he enacts the role of "Ras Jenkins" and "King Rastus". His rendition of these characters is said to be extremely funny, and seems to keep his audience in uproarious laughter during his occupancy upon the stage. Larkins is a whole show in himself, and never fails to convince that they will truly get double value for their money while he is entertaining.

**A DROVE OF BULLS.**  
One of the Eccentric Sir Boyle Roche's Quaint Letters.

The following was written by the eccentric Sir Boyle Roche, a member of the last Irish parliament. The letter was addressed to a friend in London, and it is old enough to be new to nine out of ten readers:

"My Dear Sir—Having now a little peace and quietness, I sit down to inform you of the dreadful bustle and confusion we are all in from those bloodthirsty rebels, most of whom are, thank God, killed and dispersed. We are in a pretty mess; can get nothing to eat nor any wine to drink, except whisky, and when we sit down to dinner we are obliged to keep both hands armed. While I write this I hold a sword in each hand and a pistol in the other.

"I concluded from the beginning that this would be the end of it, and I see I was right, for it is not half over yet. At present there are such goings on that everything is at a standstill. I should have answered your letter a fortnight ago, but I did not receive it until this morning. Indeed, scarce a mail arrives without being robbed. The bag had been left behind for fear of accident, and by good luck there was nobody in it but two outside passengers, who had nothing for the thieves to take. Last Tuesday notice was given that a gang of rebels was advancing here, under the French standard, but they had no colors nor any drums except bagpipes.

"Immediately every man in the place, including men, women and children, ran out to meet them. We soon found our force much too little. We were too near to think of retreating. Death was in every face, but at it we went and began to be alive again. Fortunately the rebels had no guns, but pistols and pikes, and as we had plenty of muskets and ammunition we put them all to the sword. Not a soul escaped, except some that were drowned in the adjacent bogs, and in a very short time nothing was heard but silence. Their uniforms were all different colors, but mostly green. After the action we went to rummage a sort of camp which they had left behind them. All we found were a few pikes without heads, a parcel of empty bottles of water and a bundle of French commissions filled with Irish names. Troops are stationed all around the country, which exactly squares with my ideas. I have only time to add that I am in a great hurry.

"P. S.—If you do not receive this, of course, it must have miscarried; therefore I beg you will write and let me know."

One of the last acts of this strange individual was to introduce a bill into the British parliament entitled "A bill to provide that every quart bottle shall hold a quart!"—London Mail.

**Travel Was Slow.**  
An excursion train started one Saturday for the scene of an important football game. This train, as is sometimes the case with excursions, went very slowly and had numerous stoppages. After a time the excursionists reached a station called March and were brought to a stand there. While they were waiting an official was strutting up and down the platform calling out:  
"March! March!"  
A passenger who was a bit of a wag put his head out and said to the official:  
"What is it, old chap?"  
"March," said the official.  
"Ah, well, it may be March now, but it was January when we started."—Chicago Record-Herald.

**The Coinage of Money.**  
It is generally understood among those who have especially studied the subject that the coinage of money began in Asia Minor. The Lydians are credited with being the inventors. The oldest known coins are the electrum coins, stamped on one side with a lion's head or the figure of a king with bow and quiver. These were replaced by King Croesus with a coinage of gold and silver. To Croesus were probably due the oldest gold coins of Ephesus. The system introduced by some unknown Lydian king was adopted by the Greeks and so passed on down the ages.—New York American.

**Tweedy Told.**  
The Rev. Thomas Jordan has a son at college and recently was somewhat anxious about the boy's exams. So he told him to be sure to telegraph the result. When the results were declared the lad sent his father the following message: "Hymn 392, fifth verse, last two lines."  
The anxious father hastily looked up the hymn and found these words: "Sorrow vanquished, labor ended, Jordan passed."

Special good values in Dress Goods

EXTRA GOOD NEWS

**WASH DRESS GOODS**

One lot Red Rock Zephyrs, 12 1/2c values, at 10c.  
Amaskez and other standard brands, all colors, 10c.  
Big assortment in Bates Gingham, plaids, stripes and solid colors.

**Thrifty Mothers**

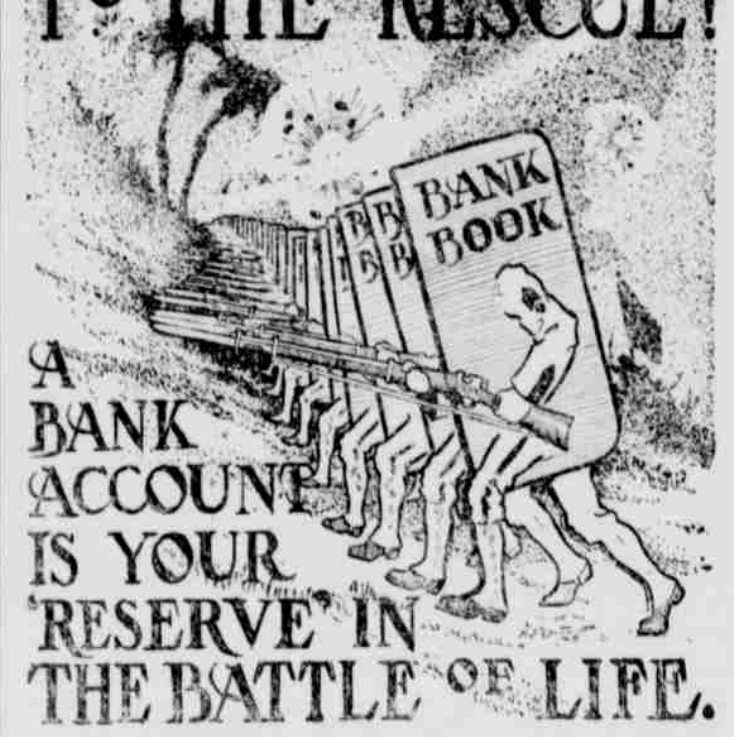
desiring to economize can find the best Shirting Percals, 84 count, here. Neat, new styles for making shirts and shirtwaists at 12 1/2c.

**Big Lot New Laces**

Allovers and Darned Net Laces with bands to match. Prices 5c to \$2.50 the yard.  
Call on us for anything in our line. We will make it to your interest.

**Lee & Lee Co.**

**TO THE RESCUE!**



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W. L. Douglas, the great Boston shoe manufacturer and former Governor of Massachusetts, first saved and Banked \$600 he got for making and mending shoes. This was his start in business. Today he is worth many millions.

We pay liberal interest on time certificates of deposit consistent with safety—4 per cent.

Make our Bank your Bank.  
Under Government supervision.  
Remember \$5.00 will start an account with us.

**The First National Bank of Monroe**

R. A. MORROW, President. J. R. ENGLISH, Vice-President.  
ROSCOE PHIFER, Cashier.  
W. C. CROWELL, Assistant Cashier. W. H. PHIFER, Teller.

No. 1. Void After Feb. 13.

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If voted in *The Carolina Democrat's Great Piano Contest* before the date hereon.