

**THE LOCAL MARKETS.**

**COTTON.**  
Best grade today..... 19.50  
Seed..... 30

**PRODUCE.**  
The figures given here are prices paid by merchants today. They may be different tomorrow or next day. Readers are advised to phone some responsible merchant on the day they expect to come to market and get figures for that day.

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| Hens.....           | 30 to 35 |
| Young Chickens..... | 20 to 25 |
| Roosters.....       | 25 to 30 |
| Ducks.....          | 20 to 35 |
| Geese.....          | 35 to 40 |
| Turkeys.....        | 15 to 19 |
| Eggs.....           | 15 to 20 |
| Butter.....         | 14 to 15 |
| Hams.....           | 20 to 25 |
| Beeswax.....        | 20 to 25 |
| Corn.....           | 90       |

**Special Notices.**

[Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of ONE CENT per word each insertion. Count the words in your ad, and send cash with copy. Each figure and initial counts a word. No ad taken for less than ten cents.]

New barrel old time New Orleans molasses.—H. S. Estridge & Co.

For Sale—New four room cottage in Monroe, large lot and barn, easy terms; also hotel furnishings. Estelle McCordle, Central Hotel.

For Sale—Buff Orpington eggs—full bred and first prize winners, \$1 per setting of 15.—W. E. Lockhart.

I have bought the W. T. Laney milling plant in Buford township and will carry on the business just as it has been, and will do my best to serve the community. Will gin on Saturday afternoons at present.—Russell W. Rogers.

For Rent—A good three-room house about one mile from town on Oil Mill road, in good condition.—E. R. Timmons, col.

Just received a fresh shipment of Champion flour.—H. S. Estridge & Co.

For Sale—A dark bay mare 8 years old. Cash or good paper.—J. G. Baucum, at Polk & Helms' store

Monroe Cook Book on sale at T. P. Dillon's, price 50c.

Try our Poultry Powders if you want something to make your hens lay. It is guaranteed or money refunded.—H. S. Estridge & Co.

Phone 311 or good quick plumbing. W. W. Hargett.

For Rent.—A 5-room house on Windsor street, near Presbyterian church.—J. E. Stack.

Please call at any time for hack work. Phone 268. Henry Lilly.

We have rented the planing machine at Shute's gin and will be ready to both dry and dress lumber on and after March first.—Parker & Bennett.

Wanted—Veal calves and dressed pork.—Walter's Market, phone 199.

Lost.—Bunch of keys. Reward if returned to Wriston Lee.

I have been sick and my expenses are heavy, therefore I need all that is owing me. I hope all who owe me will pay the same at once.—J. M. K'Lapp.

Wanted.—Several boarders.—Mrs. C. W. Griffin, over Express office.

For Sale—24 1-2 acres of land at Stouts, S. A. L. running through the center of the land. Possession given at once. Apply to B. M. Presson, Portsmouth, Va.

For Sale—Barred and white Plymouth Rock Eggs.—Henry Myers.

For Rent—5-room house in south Monroe.—J. Wesley Helms.

Have just opened a barrel of fresh dill pickles, also a barrel of sour pickles.—H. S. Estridge & Co.

Farm for rent near Monroe.—H. D. Stewart.

Want to buy green and dry hides—best market price.—Walter's Market, phone 199.

Good two-horse plow, side harrow, etc., for sale.—G. M. Beasley.

WE ARE the boys who pay you the most for your chickens and eggs and we need a big quantity of them right now, so bring them along and get the top for them.—W. R. Outen & Company.

We still sell the best grade of New Orleans and Porto Rico molasses.—H. S. Estridge & Co.

Phone No. 129 for first class beef, pork, sausage, fish, oysters, etc., at the lowest prices. M. A. Alexander.

Book of 300 duplicate receipts, neatly printed and bound, for sale at The Journal office for 50 cents.

**WATT ASHCRAFT, Veterinarian**—Day calls 113, night calls 382. Monroe, N. C. Hospital on Hayne street, northeast of court house.

We are agents for famous Geiser Threshing Machines, Gasoline Engines, farm implements, etc. Henderson Roller Mills Co.

Just received fancy lot Mayflower and Elberta peach trees will sell cheap for quick purchaser. J. D. Futch.

Just received a lot of shade and orchard trees that will sell cheap. Call quick before sold. J. D. Futch.

Automobile supplies and repair parts for sale at Repair Department of the Piedmont Buggy Company.

We will buy your geese. Doster & Doster.

Best equipped shop in the Southern States for the complete overhauling and repairing of Automobiles and Buggies.—Piedmont Buggy Company, Repair Department.

Money to Loan on approved security in limited amounts. Gordon Insurance and Investment Co.

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

You can get sure enough home made kraut at Doster & Doster's.

Cole combination cotton planter, oat drill, grain cradle and other farm tools for sale.—G. M. Beasley.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
J. M. Perry to J. A. Perry, 35 acres on Meadow Branch, one dollar and other considerations.  
Lizzie Belk to Maggie and James I. Helms, 10 acres in Buford township, \$200.  
Z. P. Godwin to W. E. Smith, 64 1-2 acres on Negro Head creek, \$800.  
T. M. Green to Misses Blake and Floy Green, one acre in town of Marshville, \$1500.  
H. D. Eller and W. E. Elmore, 23 acres on Twelve Mile creek, \$580.  
James C. McCorkle to Fred W. Enson, 15 acres on Twelve Mile creek, \$625.  
E. L. May and others to J. M. Lowery, 1 1-2 acres near Wingate, \$112.50.  
John H. Godfrey to J. L. Rodman, 75 acres in Jackson township township, \$350.  
B. C. Crawford to Lucinda Crawford, 3 acres on G. C. & N. Railway, \$1 and other considerations.  
Henry M. Williams to R. L. Smith small lot in Goose Creek township, \$35.  
J. C. Rorie and others to Carrie Redfean, 44 acres of John B. Rorie lands in Lanes Creek, \$180.  
Carrie Redfean and others to Raymond E. Rorie, 49 acres in the above tract, \$195.  
Carrie Redfean and others to Rupert W. Rorie, 37 acres as above, \$195.  
Carrie Redfean and others to J. C. Rorie, 37 acres as above, \$185.  
Carrie Redfean and others to Neely Rorie, 42 acres as above, \$180.  
C. B. and J. C. Benton to R. A. Redfean, lot on Walnut street on Benton Hill, \$300.

**Memorial Service at Waxhaw.**  
Sunday night, in the Methodist church at Waxhaw, an excellent Willard memorial service was held by and under the direction of the ladies of the Waxhaw Woman's Christian Temperance Union. A large congregation was present, the several denominations uniting in the services. The choir of the several churches rendered excellent music. Mrs. J. L. Rodman, president of the Waxhaw Woman's Christian Union, presided. At roll call, each of the members of the excellent organization responded with one of their choice sayings of Frances E. Willard. Miss Pearl Rodman read an excellent biographical sketch of Miss Willard. Miss Laura McCain read a paper, "Frances E. Willard as I Knew Her." Mrs. O. E. Cunningham told of the object of the commemorative meeting. Mrs. Joe Grible read a paper, "The Map and the Flag."

The principal address was delivered by Rev. C. F. Sherrill, using the words, "Being Dead She Yet Speaketh" in an organization that has 32,000 chapters, nearly half a million members, with 45 departments of work, in 50 nations and provinces. For nineteen years Miss Willard was president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and for 15 years president of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union. She is the only woman who has a statue in Statuary Hall at Washington. The collection went to forward the mission work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the United States.

**Recorder's Court.**  
Zeb Secrest, selling whiskey; six months on roads. Appeals to Superior Court.  
Grover Head, breaking and entering and larceny; bound over to Superior court.  
Nelson Barrino, colored, assault and battery; \$2.50 and costs.  
Charity Barrino, colored, assault and battery; not guilty.  
Tom Davis, colored, violating ordinance 76; nol. pros. with leave.  
A. Blacker, assault and battery; \$5 and costs.  
T. P. Redwine, assault and battery; costs.  
A. C. Smith, giving worthless checks, two cases; nol. pros. and prosecutor taxed with costs.  
Guy Crowell, assault and battery; costs.  
Clarence Pate, assault and battery; not guilty.  
Joe Massey, colored, violating ordinance 76; costs.

**Superior Court for Civil Cases.**  
Judge Whidbee began a two weeks' term of court for the trial of civil causes yesterday. Up till the present the most important case tried was that of Mr. J. E. Morris against the Monroe Manufacturing Co. This was a suit for damage to the extent of \$3000 for the loss of two fingers by the plaintiff on a machine while working in the establishment in August 1908. Plaintiff secured verdict for \$300.  
H. M. Brooks secured verdict against L. J. Simpson for \$9.75 and interest from March 31, 1911.  
W. C. VanGilder vs. W. H. Bullen, land suit, plaintiff recovered.  
C. M. Bryant against Southern Express Company, suit for \$21 salary claimed. Verdict for plaintiff.

Don't forget "Vanity Fair," the wonderful three-reel Vitagraph feature at Dixie No. 2 Friday afternoon and night.  
Fine honey, put up in racks, natural and sweet.—H. S. Estridge & Co.  
For Rent—Small house near business part of town.—Miss Mary Stewart.  
Just received—a fresh shipment of self-rising buckwheat.—H. S. Estridge & Co.  
For Sale—Two medium sized mules.—W. H. Phifer.  
Lost—Child's laprobe—Phone information to Mrs. Kirby Helms, Chapel Hill Central.  
Good young mule for sale.—G. M. Beasley, Journal office.  
For Sale—Two medium priced mules.—Collins & Biggers Co.  
Have bought 1400 dozen eggs this month, but we need 1500 dozen more right away. "Bring them in."—W. R. Outen Co.  
For rent to responsible person, a good piano.—Mrs. J. C. Fletcher.  
If you don't want any article you now have sell it by telling about it in this column. Everybody reads it.

**Local and Personal.**  
Mr. J. Boyd Cople spent last week in Wake Forest and Raleigh.  
Mr. Rufus Armfield is in Kansas City buying stock.  
Mrs. G. B. Caldwell is visiting her parents at Columbia, S. C.  
W. R. Outen & Co. bought 700 dozen eggs last Saturday, besides what other dealers bought.  
Mrs. Clyde Moore and Miss Henry Howie left yesterday to visit in Abbeville and Pickens.  
At Dixie No. 2 tonight: "The Adventures of Billy," and "Little Red Riding Hood." Let the children see this picture.  
At Dixie No. 1 tonight: "The Battle, Biograph's greatest picture; also "The Troubles of a Butler," a comedy worth seeing.  
The date for the Valentine party at the Presbyterian manse has been changed to this, Tuesday night. A silver offering will be taken for the manse improvement fund.  
Professors J. T. Yeargen, J. E. Crutchfield and R. N. Nisbet attended the meeting of Superintendents and Principals at Salisbury last week.  
Mr. C. W. Griffin and family have moved from Wingate to Monroe and Mrs. Griffin has opened a boarding house in the rooms over the Express office at the depot.  
Dr. R. T. Vann will deliver the address at the Wingate commencement this year, and ex-Governor Aycock that at Waxhaw. There is some good speaking ahead at each place.  
Dr. Chapman Heath, who visited his nephew, Capt. W. C. Heath, and other relatives in this section for ten days, returned to his home at Richmond, Ky., Friday.  
Monroe has been paying 10.50 for cotton some time, but the Charlotte market never gets higher than ten cents. It is time to watch the Charlotte market grow some.  
There will be a declamation contest at Wesley Chapel High school on Friday evening, Feb. 23rd, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.  
Mr. Plummer Helms of Iceomlee died Sunday of hemorrhage caused from typhoid fever. He was about twenty years old and made his home with his uncle, Mr. John Allen Helms.  
Extra good picture at the Pastime tonight: "How Texas Got Left," a western love story, full of interest, and "A Bear Hunt Romance," a Pathe western drama, sure to please you.  
The regular monthly meeting of the Farmer's Union will be held next Saturday at 11 o'clock in the court house. If court is in session the meeting will be held in the opera house.  
Mrs. L. E. Marsh of Marshville has made a fine record with poultry. Since the first of December, 1911, she has sold \$18.50 worth of eggs, besides supplying the needs of the family.  
Mrs. R. V. Houston fell from a chair on which she was standing to turn on a light last Thursday and broke the bones in her ankle just above the joint. It was a very severe and painful wound.  
Mr. Henry Ashcraft, who has been living in Winston for many years, and engaged in the drug business, has moved to a farm near Marshville. He has been broken down in health and hopes to be benefited by staying on the farm.  
Uncle Leonard Faison, a respectable colored man of good character, died here Saturday. He was buried on Sunday and the funeral, being participated in by the various orders of the colored people, was quite an event on Sunday.  
Mr. C. E. Lineberry, financial secretary of the Baptist State Convention, spoke Sunday and Sunday night in the First Baptist church in behalf of the endowment fund of Meredith College. He has succeeded in raising about \$800 in cash and pledges.  
Mr. Huey Pusser of New Salem left last night with his daughter, Mrs. Kemper Modin, for the State hospital at Morganton for treatment for the latter, who has been in bad mental condition for two years as a result of bad health. They were accompanied by Mr. W. H. Pusser.  
Mrs. I. C. Clontz of Goose Creek township returned last week from Charlotte, where she underwent a successful operation in a hospital there. Mrs. Clontz has been a sufferer for a long time. Last summer she spent some time in a hospital and underwent a similar operation at the time. She is now very much improved in health.

**Peppered With Shot.**  
How would you like to be filled full of bird shot while you were going along home on the big road, abhorring of nobody. That is what happened Saturday to Gus Alcobrooks, colored, when near his home three miles above town. Although the shot settled in the back of the head and shoulders of Gus, he says he turned quick enough to see Ernest Thompson, a young darky, run from a clump of trees with a gun in hand, and the latter has been arrested and charged with the deed, and will be tried next Friday. Gus says the boy was mad with him for having reported some of his misbehavior to his father.

**Stood Firm While His Foot Was Mashed Off.**  
Claude Click of Asheville, a brakeman on the eastbound freight train, with his foot accidentally locked in a switch frog and realizing escape impossible, fell to the side and braced himself to prevent his body being drawn beneath the train, and calmly watched the train pass over his foot, crushing it to a pulp. Several people saw the accident, but could offer no assistance. He was taken to a hospital at once. Fortunately, a few days ago, he took out an accident policy for \$1,000.

**Wingate Beat Charlotte.**  
The debate by boys from the Piedmont Industrial Institute of Charlotte and the Wingate school last Friday night, in the handsome new building at Wingate, resulted in a victory for the Wingate boys, who represented the affirmative of this question: "Resolved, That the Sherman Anti-Trust Law Should be Amended so as to Make the 'Reasonable Restraint' Construction Impossible." The young men showed careful study of the question and the debate was very interesting. The Wingate representatives were B. L. Biggers and C. W. Baucom, the visitors, J. E. Brown and W. R. Smith. The judges were Rev. D. M. Austin, J. W. Bivens and R. F. Beasley.

**Very Much Appreciated.**  
Maxton Scottish-Chief.  
We greatly appreciate words of commendation of the Christmas Scotch Chief received this week from a faithful subscriber, D. A. Vampell of Aberdeen, an old colored gentleman who always pays for his paper and never fails to speak a good word for it. He writes that he had been wanting to tell us how much he appreciated the Christmas Chief, but could not spare the money to pay the subscription price for 1911 and 1912 until now and he enclosed a postal money order for \$2.50 which puts him to the good until January 4, 1913. We have some esteemed white subscribers whose pleasant words of commendation have not seemed as sincere as those of this humble colored gentleman.

**Meeting of Junior Order.**  
Thursday night, February 22nd, there will be a public speaking in the court house, given by the Junior Order United American Mechanics. The public will attend this meeting and it is expected to be an interesting one. Among those who will make short addresses are J. J. Parker and Rev. M. T. Steele of Wake Forest College. The meeting will be called to order at 7:30 o'clock. The Juniors have a large membership in Union county and have done much good.

**Mr. Cannon Gets Information.**  
Uncle Joe Cannon, "High Protection Joe," wanted to know when the Democratic metal bill was before the House, why such articles as sewing machines had been placed on the free list. Chairman Underwood, of the Democratic Ways and Means committee, courteously supplied the ex-speaker with the information.  
"We have placed these articles on the free list for the benefit of the American people," said Mr. Underwood. "The uncontroverted testimony shows that sewing machines are being sold to the rich and poor alike in this country for from \$23 to \$45 a machine, and are yet being laid down, freight paid, in the Orient for \$8.75."  
"We are not ashamed to go to the American people and say that when an article is manufactured in this country so cheaply that it can compete in the markets of the world, we are willing to place it on the free list for the benefit of our own people."  
The metal bill, which makes reductions on all metal goods averaging 35 per cent, and places on the free list iron ore, nails, sewing machines, cash registers, and many other articles now being sold by American manufacturers cheaper to foreigners than home consumers, passed the House by a vote of 210 to 109.

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For cheap shoes than we ask you for good ones. Below we quote a few prices:

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| \$3.50 Ladies' Tan Button Russia Calf.....   | \$3.00.            |
| \$4.00 Ladies' Velvet Button.....            | \$3.50.            |
| \$3.50 and \$4.00 Ladies' Patent Button..... | \$3.00.            |
| \$3.50 and \$4.00 Tan Blucher Shoes.....     | \$2.50 and \$2.75. |
| \$2.50 and \$3.00 Tan Blucher Shoes.....     | \$1.75 and \$2.00. |
| \$3.50 Black Vici Blucher Shoes.....         | \$2.50 and \$2.75. |

**Misses & Children's Shoes**

One lot Misses' Patent Leather Shoes..... \$1.25.

One lot Children's Shoes, 6 to 8, at 25 to 33 1-3 per cent. Reduction.

**Dady Duke Shoes for Boys**

The best wearing Shoe for the price..... \$2.00 and \$2.50

**High Grade Men's Shoes.**

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| \$3.00 and \$4.00 Patent Blucher Shoes..... | \$3.00.            |
| \$3.00 and \$3.25 Patent Blucher Shoes..... | \$2.00 and \$2.50. |

**Ladies' Wash and Wool Skirts.**

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| White Pique Skirts.....               | \$2.00.                    |
| Tan Linen Skirts.....                 | \$2.00.                    |
| Tan and Gray Wool Suiting Skirts..... | \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.50. |

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We will be glad to help you select a few "emergency aids," tell you how to use them, and the cost is so small compared to their importance, it's hardly worth mentioning. Sooner or later the time is sure to come when you will be thankful you took our advice.

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**Union Drug Co.**  
Phone 221. A. M. Secrest, Manager.

**Shavers, You Want This.**

The Journal has secured a few of this crack-a-jack safety razor to give away to its subscribers who pay up back dues, if any, and one year in advance. Send along and get one. First come, first served. Three blades go with each outfit, and they will shave as good as a high price safety. Supply limited. Postage paid if you order by mail.

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