

The Great All-round Store

We have the completest all-round store in Union county. Everything in a general store we have.

§§ We have a full line of staple dry goods.

§§ Our stock of shoes cannot be beaten. We make a specialty of this.

§§ We sell bagging and ties, cotton seed meal and hulls.

§§ We buy cotton seed and seed cotton, and pay the best prices for all kinds of country produce, chickens and eggs.

§§ Try us for anything bought and sold.

T. C. LEE & CO.

Do you know

that the best pleased people in North Carolina are those who hold policies in the Philadelphia Life Insurance Company?

Ask us about them.

GORDON INSURANCE CO.

All Kinds of Insurance.

Farmers & Merchants' Bank Bldg.

MONROE, N. C.

The Bank of Union

Capital - - - \$50,000.00.
Surplus - - - \$60,000.00.

The FACTS and FIGURES show that we are still climbing and even the casual observer can see that we are much stronger as we go into each new year. We are not bragging, be it understood, but merely calling attention of prospective depositors to our strong position in the banking field.

SAFETY IS THE PRIME CONSIDERATION

In depositing hard earned dollars, or any other good money. THE BANK OF UNION offers this inducement now, and all the time. This is a GUARANTY not to be overlooked by any depositor. Along with this is to be found SERVICE, and every reasonable ACCOMMODATION. People know this by EXPERIENCE and to them we appeal for verification. In short, wend your way to the bank in sympathy with your needs and able to satisfy every reasonable demand. By this reckoning you become a customer and a friend of

The Bank of Union



THE HOMELIKE TOUCH

that is so much sought for is imparted by OUR FURNITURE. It is apparent at a glance that this furniture is made to be used as well as admired. It is furniture that will wear a lifetime and become an integral part of the home. It is furniture that proves its worthiness with each succeeding year.

T. P. DILLON.

RHEUMATISM PAINS STOPPED.

The first application of Sloan's Liniment goes right to the painful part—it penetrates without rubbing—it stops the rheumatic pains around the joints and gives relief and comfort. Don't suffer! Get a bottle today! It is a family medicine for all pains, hurts, bruises, cuts, sore throat, neuralgia and chest pains. Prevents infection. Mr. Chas. H. Wentworth, California, writes:—"It did wonders for my Rheumatism, pain is gone as soon as I apply it. I recommend it to my friends as the best Liniment I ever used." Guaranteed. 25c at your Druggist.

DIZZY? BILIOUS? CONSTIPATED?

Dr. King's New Life Pills will cure you, cause a healthy flow of Bile and rid your Stomach and Bowels of waste and fermenting body poisons. They are a Tonic to your Stomach and Liver and tone the general system. First dose will cure you of that depressed, dizzy, bilious and constipated condition. 25c. all Druggists.



Einstein Bros.

WHOLESALE

Dry Goods

and

Notions

Wilmington, N. C.

We make it a point to sell the best goods obtainable at the lowest prices possible and for this reason we have built up a big business backed by a good reputation.

We would like to have your name on our books, Mr. Merchant, knowing that we can please you. Mr. W. W. Horn, Monroe, N. C., is our representative up your way and a postal card will bring him and our line double quick.

Suppose you write him today that you saw this advertisement and would like to see the line. We are sure you would never regret it.

Yours truly,

EINSTEIN BROS.

"Cured"

Mrs. Jay McGee, of Stephenville, Texas, writes: "For nine (9) years, I suffered with womanly trouble. I had terrible headaches, and pains in my back, etc. It seemed as if I would die, I suffered so. At last, I decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and it helped me right away. The full treatment not only helped me, but it cured me."

TAKE
Cardui
The Woman's Tonic

Cardui helps women in time of greatest need, because it contains ingredients which act specifically, yet gently, on the weakened womanly organs. So, if you feel discouraged, blue, out-of-sorts, unable to do your household work, on account of your condition, stop worrying and give Cardui a trial. It has helped thousands of women,—why not you? Try Cardui. E-71

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Stops cough and headache, and works off cold. 25c.

BOY SHOT BEFORE MOTHER'S EYES.

How the Germans Carry Out their Threats Against Citizens Caught With Arms in their Hands.

London, Sept. 2.—One of the most vivid accounts of an episode of the war comes from the Lokal Anzeiger of August 24. It is a letter from Paul Oskar Hoecker, a Berlin playwright, now serving as captain of the reserve. His play "A Nation in Arms" is being given at the Berlin opera houses.

He describes a mission on which he was dispatched to search for arms in Belgian villages from which shots had been fired by civilians on the Germans. His instructions were that those in whose possession arms were found after they had declared they had none were to be shot.

At Jungbush, he says he found at one house an old man, a woman and a girl of 15.

"Then a terrible thing happened. A sergeant and a private dragged a young fellow out of the house. They had found him hiding among the straw in the loft. He had in his hand a Belgian rifle loaded with five cartridges. From the opening in the roof he may have aimed at many an honest German. The youth had to put his hands up. Stammering and deadly pale he stands there.

"Who is this youth?" I ask the old man. As if struck by lightning they all three fell on their knees wailing. The woman groaned, "he is my son. For God's sake you are not going to kill him?" and the little girl sobbed as if her heart would break. The prisoner tried to escape, but was put up against the wall by the men.

"I had to picture to my self by force the German patrols riding through the night with the bullets of treacherous Frances tires whistling round their helmets and think of the tall figures and bright eyes of our fellows in order to master my nerve in face of this sorrow and fulfillment of my orders.

"He has to be shot. Three men: Ready!"

"The three men commanded, who were fathers of families, two from Berlin and one a farmer, did not turn a hair. This is just business. The volley rang out. The trembling body collapsed to the ground and did not move again. The boy's eyes are closed. His face had not changed its expression. Death by our rifle is painless.

"We ought to burn the old man's house over his head," said one of my men.

"Quick, march, I ordered.

"The three peasants are still kneeling on the ground; the corpse lies up against the wall."

COMBINED SHOWS ARE COMING.

The Wheeler Bros. Circus & Famous Stampede Wild West.

All the contracts necessary for the innumerable details of the exhibition of a large circus institution have been made for the early appearance in this city of the Wheeler Bros. Circus & The Famous Stampede Wild West. This is one of the world's largest amusement enterprises, and because of its peculiar combination it is probably the most interesting.

It is advertised by the management that it is without a peer in point of performance, and it would seem as if this boast is justified in a combination which includes two such shows. The Wheeler Bros. has for years been conceded a place in the front rank of circuses, and in many points it has been given first place. It could not be excelled for its horses, the quality and completeness of its equipment or the attention given to the numerous details which are essential for the production of a performance of unusual merit. Although the Wheeler Bros. have always refrained from featuring some five-second act as a thriller, used purely for advertising purposes, their patrons have always found many surprises in store, and now they have come forward with the boss thriller of them all—a Mexican Bull Fight, a thrilling reproduction by the Mendaza troupe of genuine Mexican bull fighters.

When the combination of the Wheeler Bros. Circus and Famous Stampede Wild West was accomplished, the amusement world was not surprised, as the combination had been predicted. The deal was a fortunate one for amusement patrons, inasmuch as they are now able to see the two shows for the prices formerly charged by one. To enable the performances of the two exhibitions to be given simultaneously and without cutting out a single act of either, has been a great herculean task, but it has been accomplished, and the result will be seen when the Wheeler Bros. Circus & Famous Stampede Wild West Shows appear in Monroe on October 2nd.—Adv.

Demand For Farm Products Growing Faster Than Supply.

In this country the great increase in population is in the cities, while the food-producing class is increasing comparatively slowly. The reports on agricultural products exported from the United States, says the Popular Science Monthly, illuminate the food problem in an instructive way. If we compare the reports in 1912 with those of 1900 we find that the amount of cheese shipped abroad declined 85 per cent in that period, beef products declined 45 per cent, pork products declined 39 per cent, corn declined 80 per cent and wheat declined 57 per cent.

What do these figures tell? Simply that we have needed the food at home to supply our increasing millions and hence had less to sell in the markets of the world. Can we continue to feed our people by reducing the exports in foodstuffs? Obviously not, and in many instances they have been reduced already near the vanishing point. We have even actually begun to import meat and corn. It is significant also that free government land suitable for agricultural purposes is no longer available; hence we cannot look for relief by bringing under the plow large tracts of virgin soil.

HORSES MULES BUGGIES SURRIES HARNESS



It Is Good These Days to Be in America.

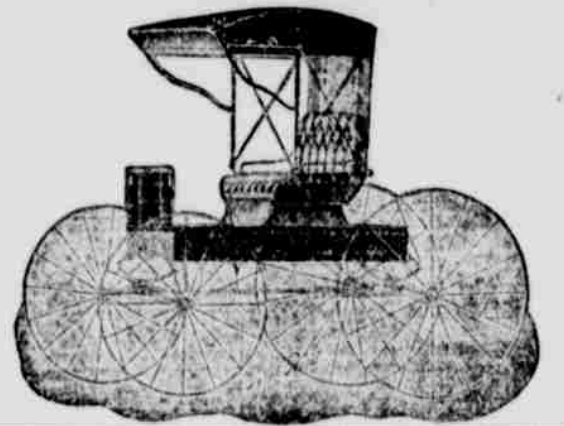
It is time for us to show our patriotism and our progressive earnestness. We regret deeply that the war must be—yet, we are in no wise to blame and are happily far removed from the field of battle.

Our duty to ourselves and our moral obligation to the rest of the world compel us Americans to be up and doing; to maintain a cheerful and hopeful spirit, to operate our industries and business enterprises, to pay our bills promptly and to conduct our affairs generally on conservative but enthusiastic lines.

The Sikes Co.

Sept. 15, 1914.

MONROE, N. C.



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Don't Hold Cotton!

WITHOUT INSURING IT!

Everybody will hold some, and the fire danger is always present. Make it SAFE and then set back and wait for the price to rise. Insure with us and get the lowest rate obtainable and in the best companies.

Insurance Department

Savings, Loan & Trust Co.

N. C. English, Manager.

In Full Charge of Repairing.

I wish to say to the public and especially my patrons that I have full charge of the repair department at the Henderson Garage and am now prepared to give my personal attention to all work which comes in.

When the season opens I will be ready as usual to repair and put your guns in good shape.

BROOKS MYERS