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THESE BE THE FIRST TO GO

Morning.

-John M. Niven, Waxhaw 190-Dan Smith McCollum, Route 3, price Monroe 351—Vade Helms, Mineral Springs 377—Lee Calvin Broom, Waxhaw 426—Anthony Wayne Brooks Route

Monroe

3. Monroe -Joel Solomon Collins, Monroe 547-Henry Morgan, Route 2, Union-

53-Clarence A. Wingate, Waxhaw 690-Filas C. Efird, Rt. 2, Union-

-Stephen Lee Welsh, Monroe Alternates. 100—Sanford Louis Forbis, Mat-

thews 196-R. M. James, Route 2, Union-

ville tion they are single men.

Non-Commissioned Officers Appointed The Messenger and Intelligencer says that Col. A. L. Cox has appointed the following non-commissioned officers of Battery D, First N. C. Field

Artillery:
First Sergeant—H. W. Shepherd.
Mess Sergeant—A. B. Fairley.
Supply Sergeant—J. W. Helms.
Stable Sergeant—F. B. Huntley.
Sergeants—S. P. Griffith, C. W.
Yancey, Lloyd Price, J. A. Robinson,
Jr., B. C. Blalock, N. T. Bobbitt, E.
F. Liles.

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Corporals—M. E. Austin, F. P. Billingsley, J. G. Boylin J. H. Covington, A. B. Crowell, J. Q. Derrick, B. F. Eubanks, Wilbur Gaddy, C. N. Hart, R. L. Hayes, Carl Hendrix, J. H. Hutchinson, M. D. McLendon, T. L. Niven, J. H. Thompson, N. W. Williams, W. H. Williams.

Chief Mechanic-J. J. Hinson. Horse Shoers-O. B. Garris, R. R.

Mechanic-June S. Maner, Saddler-R. A. Rivers. Cooks-J. W. McCorkle, C. B. Por ter, L. L. Threadgill. Buglers-L. L. Hargrave, J. P.

Matheson. Recent Enlistments.

The following have enlisted recent-ly: E. F. Liles, son of Mr. E. P. Liles; Carl Robinson, son of Hon. L. There are now 145 men in the Bat- known.

Drafted Man Shot From Ambush. Elizabeth City, Sept. 6 .- What apidentity of the assassin.

at short range and, entering the un- them, and that we can only wait in diers exhorbitant prices. Few have fortunate victim's side, tore a great hole in the lower part of his body He was rushed to the hospital but it was evident that no medical or surgical skill would save his life. He died three hours later.

this county drafted into military ser- family. Asked if he knew who shot to, a physician after he was shot say for the crime has been suggested.

Death. flicted with a pistol. Mystery sur- into custody. The state's attorney re-The discovery of an empty pistol in spirators for the throne. the house lent color to the theory of suicide but the coroner's jury put little faith in this by finding a verdict in which the crime was charged to Correspondence of The Journal.

Hellams was a Confederate veteran Class of the Wingate High and was 68 years old.

were at the still getting up wood and Miss Ona Biggers, historian, Miss assisting their father, the officers say. Thelma Carroll, prophet; Jay Biv-The little fellows, who had never ens, poet. been to town, had never seen an automobile, a train or a negro, cried to promising and the indications come along with their father, and the that the year will be one of officers allowed them to come along. greatest.

Ford Has Big War Orders.

Ford Motor Company, according to The Fifteen Men of This County, Be-ing First Call, Will Leave Sunday manufacturing 200,000 airplane cylinders of steel for the United States The following men constitue the government to be delivered at the five per cent of this county's quota rate of 1,000 per day at cost price. and the first to go to the tining The company has just recently decamp. They are ordered to report at veloped a method for making the camp. They are ordered to report at the local office in Monroe at 2 o'clock Saturday and will take the train at six o'clock Sunday morning for Camp Jackson at Columbia:

2—Joseph Hampton Price, Route

1 Veloped a method for making the cylinders cheaply and the government is securing the benefit of this new method. Mr. Ford has left the matter of prices to be settled by the government after the cylinders are made, Monroe opened wide its arms to these movement of people. Every train is jammed. Seats? You are lucky to the government and Mr. Ford to fig-fellows, who will soon be in France, Jammed. Seats? You are lucky to 3—Charley Maness, Route 18, ure the cost and the government to many treated them royally during their trains bave been discontinued, and 21—W. B. Cole, Monroe
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74—Ernest Harry Broom, Route 4.

Will be very low. Mr. Ford states different people, were distributed that it costs very little more to prothat it costs very little more to prothat it costs very little more to prothat it costs very little more to pro-Dudley Honeycutt, duce steel now than it did before the town.

British government.

victims. Our affairs in Constantinople and Sofia are now in the hands of passed through Monroe within the pears to have been a deliberately the Dutch government and we have past ten days. Part of the California, planned murder occurred this after- made the most earnest possible pronoon about 4 o'clock, when Daniel tests through that government. But have gone to camp by way of Monroe, I. Jones, night fireman at the plant you know how difficult it is to get any and there are more to come. It is of the Elizabeth City Power company, action from Turkey. We have sugingured that each train will average
was fatally shot from ambush. No motive for the crime has been as of reparation be put into effect imme- ber to about 7000 that have spent motive for the crime has been as-signed nor is there any clue to the back to some place beyond the war. There has been no dispos The load was fired from a shotgun zone. But I fear it is too late to save the part of any one to charge the solpatience until peace comes."

Arrested a Lot of Grand "Jukes." A lot of grand dukes and their women fellow conspirators have been arrested in Russia charged with Jones was among the number from hatching a plot to restore the ruling

The chief conspirators were Mlle. him, he replied in the negative. Those Margaret Hitrovo of Tobolsk and who picked him up and rushed him Mme. Liubov Hitrovo of Yelaburg. members of a well known bureauthat he carried a gun. No motive cratic family, both of whom were arrested.

In the home of Grand Duke Paul Man and Wife Found in Bed, Shot to when he was arrested was found a mistress of the court, Mme. E. A. Greenville, S. C., Sept. 6. - H. Narychaine, confidante of the former Milam Hellams, a prominent farmer Dowager Empress Alexander Feodoof Laurens county, residing about 30 miles below this city and his wife were found dead in their home this morning according to a report reachman and her correspondence seized. ing here tonight. Death in each case According to the Birzheviya, a num-was the result of a bullet wound in ber of officers have been arrested and the head, thought to have been in- other grand dukes have been taken rounds the tragedy since officers fuses to divulge their names. It is could discover no cause for the assumed that one of the Grand Dukes crimes, nor clue to the perpetrators. arrested was the candidate of the con-

Senior Class Organized.

Wingate, Sept. 3 .- The Senior was organized this afternoon. Twenty enthusiastic members were pres-Say Little Children Worked at Still. ent and Miss Rosa Blakeney, the as-Morganton, Sept. 6 .- Joe Smith sistant principal, acted as chairman and Lige Rector, alleged moon-until a president could be elected. shiners, were brought here yesterday The following were elected as offiby Officers Boyer and Milholland, cers: R. H. Trull, president; Miss write. Some of the ladies have so who reported that they caught the many Trull, vice president; H. Hobart men operating a liquor still. Two lit-Morton, secretary; Claude Gaddy, tle children, aged four and six years; treasurer; Will E. Thompson, orator;

THOUSANDS OF STAMPS WERE SOLD TO THE SOLDIER BOYS

Yesterday Morning — Post Cards Distributed Free Among the "Sam-

mies."-Young Lady Got Kissed. There may be roughnecks in the

As they stood on Hayne street war and this plus his new manufact-uring methods will cause the low they presented a picturesque sight Carolina, and now the tobacco crop here and in other sections, and the With regard to exemptions, Mr. Ford said, "We will not ask exempsave the places for those who are drafted. If we are in business when the war is over, they will be."

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Soon after the distribution of the thousands of dollars to the state, The enwider, who were on duty at the postoffice, began to realize that this far beyond the vicinity of the camps. E. DeCartier, envoy extraordinary, tory of the Monroe postoffice has there been such a demand for one into the camps from everywhere, and

been granted and a number of tractors will be soon forwarded to portions of Belgium outside of the lines where the people will be educated to use them to replace the farm animals of which there is now a great short-of which the provide which the size of which the green stamps. ors to Belgium. The request has spending one cent, while others years. The high wages have inspired All the above named with two or three exceptions volunteered to go in three exceptions volunteered to go in manufacturing 6,000 tractors for not depleted, contrary to rumor. The manufacturing 6,000 tractors for not depleted, contrary to rumor. The got double time, or \$11 for the day's England on direct orders from the postoffice had a big bunch on hand, got double time, or \$11 for the day's and there are plenty more left.

Serbian Girls Deported.

Ten thousand Serbian girls from ten to fourteen years old have been kidnapped and deported from Serbia to the harems of Constantinople, to Bulgaria and Asia Minor says advices on hand then gary and the almost total less that the many and the says and th Bulgaria and Asia Minor, says advices on hand than any other place with the

New York Cafe, and John Tsonis and Liles; Carl Robinson, son of Holl. L.
D. Robinson; Lindon Southerland,
Magnolia; Adolphus Cole, Haw River; Charles T. Phipps, Raleigh; Roy
P. Mullis, Unionville; Samuel W.
Dixon, Bolivia; Joseph E. Peele,
Clarksville.

"These girls are too young to be of laboring purposes, being out food and drink. Hundreds of bottles of soft drink were sold, while an east sum was left with John for sandwiches. Merchants up town also control and other crops. One man for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the use of young women for outdoor work is practically unformed by the trains are in fine humor. They drinks, and out of the latter enterby the trains are in fine humor. They drinks, and out of the trains are in fine humor. They drinks, and out of the trains are in fine humor. They bottles of soft drink were sold, while a neat sum was left with John for common all over the country. In casually described the operation of the canton ments.

Clarksville.

The Red Cross will co-operate in many cities are in fine humor. They drinks, and out of the trains are in fine humor. They bottles of soft drinks, and out of the trains are in fine humor. They drinks, and out of the trains are in fine humor. They bottles of soft drinks, and out of the trains are in fine humor.

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The common all over the "These girls are too young to be of his helpers had their hands full dish-

Fifteen or twenty troop trains have New York, and New Jersey troops

There has been no disposition on any mercenary thoughts when the soldiers arrive, but it is interesting to note just how much a train load of men can spend in a few minutes for Tsonis stated to The Journal that he of the west, where a year ago farm sold 1,560 soft drinks Wednesday. \$78. day with the little Greek as compared There with the preceding day, as the soldiers spent only \$60 in all with him. cheapest thing there is.

Nearly all the troop trains passing over the Seaboard will make long stops here. This is the only watering place between Atlanta and Richmond. ger, to refill the tanks. The troop Camp Greene.

Many young ladies meet the trains, distributing post cards. The soldiers from their behavior, appreciate the country, before leaving for France.

As one of the troop trains was pulling out, it is said, an impetuous, handsome youth jumped from the car see how his action was taken, jumped back on the moving train, and was soon out of sight.

Many of the lads leave the names and addresses with the Monroe young around. ladies with the request that they requests to write that they would have to employ a secretary to keep up their correspondence if they gers sought something to interest Miss attempted to exchange letters with all them, a squad of soldiers appeared. of the boys.

J. Griffin, at Unionville.

TRAVEL NOTES

some Officer Who Posed Before The Girls.

(From the Wilmington Star.) A trip through the State developes

as they wrote messages on the cards, here and in other sections, and the record-breaking wheat crop in the Soon after the distribution of the pledmont have brought hundreds of Soon after the distribution of the cards, Herndon Hasty and John Fulcountry is at war. Never in the his- far beyond the vicinity of the camps. King of Belgium to this country, has cent stamps. The boys appeared at incidentally men who haven't been requested Henry Ford to send traction to Belgium. The request has the window in droves some only the request has been such a demand for one incidentally men who haven't been known to strike a lick of work in the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been known to strike a lick of work in the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been known to strike a lick of work in the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been known to strike a lick of work in the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been known to strike a lick of work in the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been known to strike a lick of work in the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been the window in droves some only the request have incidentally men who haven't been the request have been them to labor again. At Charlotte lina 'possum. How is it that sly work. These hundreds of men going The New Jersey troops had been home each week-end, carry with them

moaning the almost total loss of their

his place. A man on the train who ers. he raised 900 barrels of potatoes and averaged \$10 a barrel. Tobacco men spoke of 25 cents for "sand lugs" and 50 cents for the quality leaves of the they say farmers bid \$500 a car for the few to be had.

From one end of the state to the other prosperity is in full swing. trivial things like soft drinks. John Even in the devastated flood district ers lost all of their crops and much which at 5 cents a bottle amounts to of their real estate, they have quit Thursday was not such a big talking about the losses of 1916. is work for everybody, and everybody has money. Money is the

Everybody traveling talks about the war. It springs up in every smoking compartment and is threshed out and it takes thirty minutes, or lon- over and over and over. The man who doesn't believe that the governmovement is now at its height, but ment bas a right to send men to there will probably be a lull for a few foreign fields gets little show in a days until the troops entrain for crowd. He is overwhelmed promptly. tawba and another in Lincoln counshaking hands with the soldiers, and ties, looked ugly from a distace, but at close quarters nobody considered the affair as worth talking about. attention of the young ladies, who Governor Bickett spent the week-end are really doing a patriotic act by en- in that section "preaching" at Lenoir are really doing a patriotic act by en-deavoring to make their stay in this and Hickory, Newton and Lincoln-been given by President Wilson in a part in this pleasure. ton. He knows where to place a to do the most good. At two of his of the American Federation of Labor latest magazine, put it in the post appointments he actually "filled the and chairman of the alliance. pulpit," and took the parable of the Good Samaritan for his text. His arstep, ran to where a Monroe girl was raignment of the "thleves" among against Germany and insist "that a too. It will be sent to some camp standing, and planted a kiss square whom civilization has fallen is nation whose citizens have been foul- for the soldiers. School upon her lips. Without looking to terriffic, and he declares that the Am- ly murdered under their own flag. erican conscience would have been whose neighbors have been invited tertainment to be given next Monday seared for all time if this country to join in making conquest of its night at the Bru-Nel Theatre for the hadn't joined the allies to save civi-territory, and whose patience in benefit of Red Cross. Everybody go lization and freedom the world pressing the claims of justice and and help the Red Cross.

At Selma the other day, a Southern C. L. connection, and while passenthe McKissick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. handsome young officer took all the disloyalty behind a screen of compliment to himself and if he had clous and evasive phraser."

been a peacock, the air would have SOMEBODY MUST LOSE TRAINS ocen full of gorgeous feathers. An Whole State, As Well As Eastern elderly man with his back to the car Seaboard Will Do Its Best But Rail-Section Full of Money-The Hand- was speaking with him, but it was plain that he heard not a word. He adjusted his wrist watch, and readjusted it, in plain view. He manipulated his chaming swaggerstick. He smiled vacantly at what the man was saying and peeped under his hat brim for the hearing before the corporaat the girls. He wouldn't let on that tion commission in the matter of the he knew they were in the world. request of the Seaboard Air Line that Finally he removed his hat, delicated it be allowed to take off the Raleighly to wipe perspiration from his fore- Charlotte shoo-fly service and change head but really to display his magni- materially the Henderson-Oxford serficent head. He had as fine a head neent head. He had as fine a head vice. The hearing began at 3 o'clock as ever you saw on a man; his hair was the least bit curly and of a glorious color. Every hair was in place. Seaboard Air Line, presented the rea-He knew it was a splendid possession the necessity of contributing the comand he stood in the boiling sun bareand he stood in the boiling sun bare-headed so long I feared he would mands for troop movement and spehave a sunstroke. And the girls—"they are him alive" — with their eyes, and when the train pulled out, they twisted their heads until I fear-

> brave"hundreds of thousands of dollars in the winning of the war necessitated an effort to discover something far such a thing. He believed that we them the unsolved mystery veiling demands and that train curtailment American marsupial has sufficient involved in the curtailments asked, horse sense to let persimmons hang he said, but simply necessities of the on the tree till they are ripe and fit to eat, while man hardly waits for hour of need for waging the war. anything to come to maturity? This is one difference between a man and tional guard moved at once by the 'possum. Of course, if no one can discover why the 'possum waits till this is only the beginning of the fruit gets ripe, he or she might dis-cover why man is bent on eating his fruit before the tree gets done with pledged to the government to put

John Barleycorn Dies Tomorrow. ruary, 1916, but the number was very limited until a few weeks ago. Now limited until a few weeks ago. Now it has been systematized under Bulgaria nontrollers, and it is impossible to predict how far it will go.

"Eight thousand girls have been sent to Constantinople, and more to Bulgaria and Asia Minor. Prisoners and more to Bulgaria and Asia Minor. Prisoners and more to Bulgaria and Asia Minor. Prisoners are more to be manufacture and the gai

The privates made a rush to the a village as it does in a city—almost. feet of this law and have arranged shoo-fly service. to equip their plants for the produc-Eastern Carolina corn and cotton tion of other commodities, mainly "It is very difficult for us to do spent \$500 here during their short anything to help these unfortunate stay. acre from a crop planted between the tions were closed by the advent of every way possible with the War Decotton rows, and figures that count- prohibition, they were invariably con- partment, both in caring for the coming just an average cotton yield, he verted into purposes of the kind in- fort of troops at mobilization points will clear this year \$300 an acre on dicated - and with profit to the own- and at stations where the troop trains

hands will be put responsibility for nish it. their enforcement.

prices fair both to the producer and consumer will be the aim of the government, Dr. Garfield declares. Pro- been handed in at as many different ducers' prices already fixed will be times and places that we fear some revised where they force efficiently one has not been credited with his operated mines to produce at a loss. amount and this will help to get mat-Operators seeking revision of the ters straight. scale are asked to send in cost of production statistics covering a period to their Red Cross fund for supplies,

A plan of apportionment of coal West End Unit. will be worked out, Dr. Garfield announces, by which domestic consumers wil obtain everywhere a fair share of the supply at prices which will dozen. reflect those fixed for operators and Misses Mabel Belk and Louise Morwholesalers by the President.

President After the Disloyal.

Hearty approval of the conference

humanity has been met with the train waited ever so long on the A. mind and has no comprehensible rea- nounced September 1st. The gift is son for defending itself."

are doing their manful work to hold worth of automobiles, ambulances, Two pretty young ladies immediately back reaction in its most brutal and parts, etc. as the Red Cross may desraised the window and began look- aggressive form." the President ignate.-Mrs. W. A. Lane, Chm. Red Mrs. Lillian McKissick and chil- gan preening themselves. The pridren of Hartsville are visiting Mrs. vates were rather awkward, but the those dangerous elements who bide spe-

roads Are Pledged to the Government to Put Their Equipment at Service of War Demands

Raleigh, Sept. 6.—Big delegations from Sanford, Hamlet, Cary, Raleigh and Oxford were here this afternoon rious color. Every hair was in place. sons for the request, explaining that cial freight service, really necessitates the curtailment of the train service asked.

Mr. Stanley believes that the patriotism of the people of North Caro-lina would constrain them in the face of necessity to go back to the service of mixed trains and box cars Artic explorers keep on spending if the requirements of the country in is really in its inception. The saving

their entire equipment at its disposal and operate as one great continental system with interchangeable service At 12 o'clock Saturday night 'all of equipment as necessity requires

"Eight thousand girls have been sent to Constantinople, and two thousand more to Bulgaria and Asia Mimore to Bulgaria and turkey. While hundreds of single cards sey, while hundreds of single cards sey, while hundreds of single cards to New Jersey. Connected the proposed that a probable stuff. There is absolutely no loop the slipping in of any kind of food-stratific in our girlhood has grown to be a byword in Bulgaria and Turkey. The girls are kidnapped and taken a way secretly, particulary from the smaller villages, until at present deduced of the young female population.

A banker in a piedmont town whose the during August \$400,000, the couldn't to New Jersey. Connected the writer that during August strictest sort. It leaves no chance for the slipping in of any kind of food-stuff and the strictest sort. It leaves no chance for the proposed charges in the Proposed Charges in the Proposed Charges in the Proposed Charges in the proposed that a probable stuff. There is absolutely no loop the stiff. There is absolutely no loop and went to points in New Jersey. Connected the proposed charges in the strictest sort. It leaves no chance for the slipping in of any kind of food-stuff and the stricted sort. The color of the slipping in of any kind of food-stated that a probable solution of any substitute material for the distillation of stricted sort. It leaves no chance for the slipping in of any kind of food-stated that a probable solution of any substitute material for the distillation of stricted sort. It leaves no chance for the slipping in of any kind of food-stated that a probable solution of the Raleigh-Charlotte service with the proposed changes in the proposed charges is the proposed charges is the stricted sort. It leaves no materials or the by-products there-of," are barred. If there is anything Seaboard an additional engine and deduced of the young female population.

"I do not think that the Turks are the actual instigators of this gross violation of the rules of civilized war-olation to the regular guests of the actual instigators of the rules of civilized war-olation in addition to the regular guests of the actual instigators of this gross violation of the rules of civilized war-olation in addition to the regular guests of the present Charlotte-Rutherfordton of the rules of civilized war-olation indicates is no small item.

Red Cross Notes.

are scheduled to stop, and in supplementing the service of the railroads Retail Prices of Coal Being Fixed, by having reserves of food ready for Early fixing of retail coal prices use in case of any accident or delay has been promised by Dr. H. A. Gar-field, the coal administrator, in a Market Mrs. A. L. demand for Ford automobiles is so keen and the supply so limited that established for communities with the workers, if any service is necessary aid of local committees into whose they will be ready and able to fur-

All members who have paid their Maximum production of coal at dues and have not received buttons The West End Unit have added \$12

> making it \$34.50. Hurrah for the Another enthusiastic Red Cross

worker has finished her one dozen shirts and has started on the second

row and Mrs. F. B. Ashcraft, all the comfort bags are ready for our soldier boys and we are sure their home town is not going to disappoint them of the American Alliance for Labor but he ready with a hearty welcome and Democracy to be held at Minne- and a vigorous and enthusiastic sendapolis today, and the task it will un- off. We hope the Chamber of Comdertake of suppressing disloyalty has merce and all our citizens will have

Place a one cent stamp on your office without being wrapped or any The letter denounces those who address, if you would like to have seek to ignore America's grieveance one of our soldier boys to read it

Don't forget the home talent en-

The gift of \$500,000 from the Ford most shameful policy of truculence Motor Company of Detroit, Mich., to and treachery, does not know its own the American Red Cross was anin the form of a credit on the Ford "While our soldiers and sailors factories for half a million dollars

> Miss Bright McCorkle has returned from a visit to relatives near Marshville.