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## Strand Theatre

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Extra Added Attraction  
 One Act of Polite Vaudeville  
**GORDON & BERRY**

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 Singing, Dancing and Fun

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**"The North Wind's Malace"**  
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SATURDAY

Complete Change of Vaudeville Program

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MONDAY

Paramount Artercraft Presents

**ETHEL CLAYTON**

—in—

**"The City Sparrow"**

**THE STRAND**

Coming Thursday

**Vierra's Hawaiins**

### LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

#### Latest Happenings In and Around Monroe.

Rev. G. B. Thompson of Washaw will preach at Silar church next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

The Center Grove school, with Mr. J. Boyd Griffin of Unionville in charge, will open Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Griffin, of Unionville, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends on the birth of a daughter, Frances Hendley Griffin. Both mother and child are doing well.

To secure his election to Congress from this district, Mr. W. C. Hammer, of Asheboro, spent \$2515, a sum greater than that spent by any of the other successful aspirants for Congress in this state. His opponent, Mr. William H. Cox, of Laurinburg, reported an expenditure of \$525.

The Monroe high school football team, after defeating Greensboro by the score of 2 to 0, thereby winning the western championship, left today for Chapel Hill, where they play the high school there for the state championship. The victory of the local team over Greensboro has created the wildest enthusiasm, and many Monroe people will go to Chapel Hill to "root" for the home team in its final battle.

Those who attend the First Baptist church Sunday are promised a comfortable building. If necessary, the furnace will be run through Saturday night. Rev. John A. Wray will have for his theme at the morning hour the subject announced last Sunday: "A marvelous truth—gripping the attention and calling for serious thought and earnest action." He will speak at night on: "A common plea, but of great significance, when viewed in the proper light." There will be special music by the choir.

Union county lost another veteran of the world war Wednesday night when Mr. John V. Medlin, after a long illness, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. T. F. Medlin, who lives six miles south of Monroe. Funeral services were conducted this morning at Macedonia church. Deceased was about 26 years of age, and unmarried. He is survived by his mother, and the following brothers and sisters: Messrs. Troy Medlin, Fleet Medlin, Albert Medlin, Lee Medlin, Fuller Medlin, Roy Medlin, George Medlin, Mrs. Joshua Whitley, Mrs. S. A. Simpson, Miss Julia Medlin and Miss Minnie Medlin. Deceased was a young man of excellent character, and was a member of the Baptist church.

Those republican senators who blocked the passage of the Peace Treaty are held responsible by Sheriff John Griffith for the misery that has been heaped upon the South by the unheard of deceptions in the price of cotton. "Had the Peace Treaty been signed two years ago," the Sheriff said yesterday, "the mills in France, Germany and the rest of continental Europe would be humming, and the Union county farmers would be reaping a rich harvest from the sale of their cotton. As it is now, the German mark is worth comparative little, nor has our former enemy country any credit. As I said, all of this would have been prevented had the United States entered the League of Nations."

The Columbia State, in giving an account of the death of Dr. William F. Laney, of Lancaster, who was a brother of Messrs. O. C. Curlee and J. B. Williams, of Monroe, said: "Dr. Laney was born September 18, 1869, at Dudley in Chesterfield county. He finished the prescribed course at Richmond Medical college in the spring of 1897 and immediately began the practice of his profession at his old home. There he remained until January 1904, when he came to Lancaster, where he had resided ever since. His knowledge of medicine and his sympathetic nature endeared him to his patients, and at the time of his death he had a large and lucrative practice. Dr. Laney was also a man of good business judgment and success. He was president of the Lancaster Pharmacy, a director of the First National bank and chairman of the waterworks commission. He was a member of the W. O. W., J. O. U. A. M., and a Mason. He occupied an influential place in the social, fraternal and business life of the city, and his death is a distinct loss."

#### Its One Drawback.

A Scotman came South to have a look at London. He spent a few days in London and sped back to Scotland again.

On the first night of his return to his little village up in the wilds all his friends gathered around him to hear his opinion of the town whose streets were "paved in gold."

He told the tale as only a Scot can—short and candid, without too much padding; then a friend interrupted him.

"Hoo long wur ye in Lunnon a' the gither, Jock?"

"About a week," replied the traveled man.

"What did ye think o' the town?"

"Hoots, men, it wur aul richt in its way! Lunnon's a fine wee town itself, but it is such a long wa' fra anywhere!"—London Answers.

#### Monroe Market.

Cotton	15.35
Cotton seed, per bu.	30r
Eggs	55
Hens	50 to 60
Young chickens	40 to 50
Sweet potatoes	\$1.00

### SOCIAL

Mrs. Vernon Lockhart was hostess to the John Foster chapter of D. A. R.'s yesterday afternoon. A most interesting report of the State D. A. R. meeting in Tarboro was given by the delegates, Mrs. A. L. Monroe and Miss Mabel Belk. Splendid papers were read by Miss Anna Blair on "Pilgrims Treasures Discovered" and Mrs. J. D. Futch on "Puritans in New England." The names of Mrs. Mike Hudson, Misses Henry Belk and Juanita Alexander were proposed for enrollment. Misses Evelyn Lockhart, Jean and Mary Lee served sliced chicken, beaten biscuits, fruit salad, cheese straws and coffee to those present.

Mrs. W. J. Heath delightfully entertained the Bridge club Wednesday morning. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mesdames Frank Rose and Hargrove Bowles. Guests other than the club members were Mrs. J. D. Warren, Mrs. W. S. Baskerville, Mrs. Ernest Heath, Mrs. Fred Huntley, Mrs. George Heath, Mrs. J. M. Fairley and Mrs. N. M. Redfern.

During the absence of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Payne in New Orleans, the Payne home on Windsor street will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wolfe.

Mrs. E. C. Winchester was hostess to the Chautauqua Circle Wednesday afternoon at which time a most interesting program was rendered. The study of Italy was continued, Mrs. W. C. Sanders giving an entertaining account of her stay in Florence and Venice. The great poets of Italy was the topic of a discussion by various club members. Mrs. Winchester served hot rolls, fried oysters, pickles, celery, coffee and sandwiches. The special guests were Mesdames A. M. Stack, W. C. Crowell, Roscoe Phifer. Mrs. J. H. Weaver was welcomed as a new member.

Mrs. W. S. Baskerville and children are spending some time with relatives in Lincoln. Rosemary Baskerville has a mild case of diphtheria.

Misses Josephine Bass of Branchville, S. C., and Lois Wood of Oxford are the guests of Mrs. C. N. Simpson, Jr.

## Silk Hosiery Specials



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#### EXTRA SPECIAL

One Lot, White Only, Fibre Silk, Boot Length at 45c

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According to Mr. A. M. Stack, who was in Sumpter, S. C., last week, most of the counties in our neighbor state are in a worse condition, financially than is Union county. In Lee county, he said, the financial stringency is so acute that the lawyers have agreed to hold no court except in case of emergency in order to prevent the collection of debts. Mr. Stack also said that Attorney Jennings, who is appearing in the McCull land litigation, told him that he would lose \$100,000 this year on his farming operations.

Mr. R. B. Redwine, a member of the last General Assembly from this county, has been appointed a member of a committee to draft a workman's compensation act, and he will go to Raleigh, Tuesday, December 14th, to attend the first session of the committee. Under the workman's compensation act, which is a law in most of the states in the Union, employers are required to take out insurance with which to compensate their employees in case of an accident. It is a good law, and will doubtless be passed at the next session of the legislature.



## Landslide in Meat

We have Three Carloads of Western North Carolina Steers of Best Type and Extra Fat which must be slaughtered and sold in the next Thirty Days in order to make room for more. To do this we will sell at the prices below for the next thirty days, beginning December 1st:

ROUND STEAK	25c lb	STEW	15c lb
PORTER HOUSE STEAK	25c lb	MIXED SAUSAGE	30c lb
CHUCK or HIGH RIBS	20c lb	ALL PORK SAUSAGE	30c lb

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At this price we will sell STRICTLY FOR CASH. Orders charged at old price. So have the cash ready when the boy comes with your meats if you want it at this cut price.

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| Safety Razors           | Community Silver           |
| Straight Razors         | Candy Jars                 |
| Razor Straps            | Chafing Dishes             |
| Razor Blades            | Percolators                |
| Flash Lights            | Fireless Cookers           |
| Pocket Knives           | Electric Irons             |
| Tennis Rackets          | Fire Screens               |
| Foot Balls              | Aluminum Ware              |
| Base Balls              | Scissors                   |
| Basket Balls            | Sewing Sets of Scissors    |
| Roller Skates           | Manicure Sets              |
| Wagons                  | Caseroles                  |
| Wheelbarrows            | Baking Dishes              |
| Velocipedes             | Electric Hot plates        |
| Bicycles                | Sandwich Baskets           |
| Big Bang Cannons        | Cole's Hot Blast Heaters   |
| Shears                  | Auto and Carriage Heaters  |
| Thermos Bottles         | Majestic Ranges            |
| Air Rifles              | Copper Clad Ranges         |
| Shot Guns               | Auto Lap Robes             |



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