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# INTERESTING COLUMN OF **NEWS AND INTERVIEWS**

Mr. Iceman Is Best Mill Man in the South, Says Mr. Draper, Head New Consolidation Here

JUDGE LEMMOND SAYS HIS SHOW WORTH MORE THAN \$1

And to All Who Will Honestly Tell Him That They Didn't Get Their Money's Worth, He Will Refund Their Dollar—Now Abbeville Has Another Sensation, This Time a Miracle Recovery.

"Mr. Draper, the president of the new/mill consolidation, is certainly a great admirer of his associate, Mr. Charles Iceman." The speaker was Mr. N. C. English. "Meeting him the other day." he continued. "I casually mentioned the fact that I considered Mgr. Iceman the best mill man in the state. 'Yes,' he agreed, 'there is no questioning that. Personally, I think he is the best in the South. Do you remember when the directors of the his Malagrouph exten mill had him big Malborough cotton mill had him to pull them out of the hole? I hap-pened to be down there one day when he was going through the plant in an effort to speed up production. Stopping at a spindle, Mr. Iceman said to the foreman: 'I won't your production increased fifty per cent.' 'But sir,' expostulated the foreman. 'It cannot be done.' Looking hard at the man, Mr. Iceman said: 'There is the door. I know you can turn out fifty per cent more yarn and if you think you can't, take the door.' The foreman elected to stay, and I happen to know that he did increase produc-tion fifty per cent, like Mr. Iceman told him he could."

#### **Chickens on Sacred Ground**

"Please say something about peo-ple permitting their chickens to run at large in the cemetery," Mrs. W. E. Cason requested Saturday. There was a note of pathos in her voice. "I went to the cemetery this morn-ing," she said, "to place some flowers on the graves of loved ones and had to run some chickens away. On one the graves I noticed where they had dug a big hole scratching for food. Couldn't something be done to keep them out?"

The Judge's Money-Back Offer "Some of the boys are trying to

get me to make the admission fee to the old-time fiddler's convention on Armistice day 15 or twenty cents," Judge W. D. Lemmond complained the other day. "I am not going to do it," he continued. "The admission will be either \$1 and 75 cents, or 75 and 50 cents. The fiddlers and banjo pick that have promised to be here will give a performance fully worth that amount." Proceeds of the convention go towards paying the expenses of the celebration. "I'll tell you what I'll do," continued the Judge. "I am C. W. Hartford, Connected With Large Pottery Corporation, In Search of Raw Material, Pronounces Clay In This Section Finest In the South-May Start Big Plant Here

PENNSYLVANIA CONCERN

Fortunes may be mined out of Un-ion county soils. Thriving towns of several thousand inhabitants may spring up. Some farmers may awake to find their old barren hills, worn dian Trail. The Pennsylvania man has been making daily trips to various points in the county procuring samples of clay. These he sent to Pennsylvania

for analysis.

to find their old barren hills, worn out for farming purposes, are worth fabulous sums. Charlotte may again refer with pride to Bakers or In-dian Trail as her suburbs. The boll weevil may die of starvation. There isn't any telling what ma" happen. No, oil hasn't been discovered. A Pennsylvania prospector, Mr. C. W. Hartford, has simply discovered that the finest clay in the South. if not in the United States of America, is obtainable in Union county. He left here Sunday for Philadelphia, after making an extensive investiafter making an extensive investigation of our soils, to report his find-ings as such to his company, said to be one of the largest pottery concerns

ings as such to his company, said to be one of the largest pottery concerns in the world. There isn't but one thing to mar the picture. While our clay is un-questionably of a fine character, there is some doubt in the mind of Mr. Hartford as to whether or not Mr. Hartford as to whether or not the quantity is sufficient to justify the manufacture of pottery on a big scale. He plans to come back to this section to make further investiga-tions, and if he is satisfied that the supply of clay in certain favored sections is adequate to supply a plant for years to come, he will doubtless recommend the location of one or more big plants in Union county. Shale in this section, said Mr.

quaint him of the fact if there is a possibility of his company deciding to come to Union county.

Democrats Will Carry the County by Sold ers of Three Wars to Celebrate the Small Mapority of Two Thousand, Is Estimate

VOTERS ARE MANIFESTING LITTLE INTEREST IN ELECTION

Hammer Is Leading Love By a Big Henry Crow's Parade To Show His-Margin for Congress-Fate of the Amendment In Doubt, But It is Believed Rural Vote Will Kill Effort

voting places crowded. Fifty-six had voted at North Monroe a little before noon. Usually the vote at this pre cinct by this hour ranges from 150 says that he didn't enjoy himself to the extent of a dollar." Monroe, compared to a usual vote of around 230. It is now estimated to 200. Fifty-four had voted at South that the democratic majority in this county will not exceed 2,000. There is no contest of any importance except for Congress and on the constitutional amendment that would increase the salary of legislators from \$1 to \$10 per day. W. B. Love reads, "are not passed. Five months ago Mrs. C. B. Wosmoansky of Ab-beville, suddenly and without the democratic incumbent. is seek ng to oust W. C. Hammer, the Hammer, naturally, is leading Mr. Love by a wide margin. The vote on the amendment is close at the Mon-roe precincts, but it is thought that the heavy rural vote will swamp the pay. Inclement weather and lack of local interest in "off-year" elections is assigned as the reason for the small vote.

INTERESTED IN UNION CO. Mrs. R. A. Morrow Won the \$10 Prize for Best General Collection Of Chrysanthemums, All Colors

METHODIST BAZAAR AND FLOWER SHOW SUCCESS 80 BUSHELS POTATOES OFF

Her Generous Offer

Waxhaw, Route 1, Nov. 6 .- Almost

The bazaar and flower show held by the ladies of the Methodist church closed Saturday evening with each department reporting a huge success. The fancy work department in charge of Mrs. Pajtie Lee Stack and Mesdames Sam Howie and E. C. Win-chester was a monitable method. GORDON WAS GLAD WOLFE WAS OUT OF SOME BOOKS Novus Homo Had An Amusing Expe-rience Saturday Listening to the Comment of Folks As They Bought Books For Their Kids—Miss Rod-man Gets Thanks of Farmers For Her Generous Office chester was a profitable venture, as was the cake and candy booth which Miss Mary Crow and Mesdames Bertie Gaddy and R. L. Payne managed. There were two meals a day served for the two days the bazaar was held, with Mrs. Atha Stevens in charge and the following young la-While Mr. Hartford did not state

the number of men his company would employ if it located here, or the extent of its operations, he did say that upon the location of a plant dies assisting her in serving: Misses Mary Griffith, Mabel Shannon, Re-becca Stack and Lill Stack. The flower show, however, was the center of interest and enthusiasm. in Pennsylvania at a site some dis-tance from an inhabited town, a vil-lage of three thousand souls quickly

One entire room of the basement at the church was a mass of chrysan-themums in every shade and variety. The colors and shades were un-

usually beautiful from the delicate pink and orchid shades to the deep, richer tones of the immense bronze ones. The following acted as judges: Mrs. Raymond Griffin and Messrs. J. H. Beckley and Code Morgan, and warded the prizes as follows: 1. Best crysanthemum, any color:

Miss Mary Griffith. Prize, \$3 pair of silk hose given by English Brothpermitted to examine clay. Mr. Hartford is a man of about 60 years of age, well-dressed, polished ers.

2. Best collection of yellow: 1st Mrs. J. L. Winchester, \$7 hand-made in manners and a good conversation-alist. He has traveled over most of the world "looking for clay," as he Before leaving he promised to keep in touch with Mr. Lemmond and ac-

years of age, well-dressed, polished in manners and a good conversation alist. He has traveled over most of the world "looking for c'ay," as he put it.
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DARING AIRPLANE FLIGHTS TO BE A BIG ATTRACTION MARY Crow's Parade To Show History of America, and Faithfully Reproduce Exploits of the World War-Many Scenes to Stir Memories of the Days of 1917 and 1918.
With the streets of Monroe alreade
2. Best collection of yellow: 1st, Mrs. J. L. Winchester, \$7 hand-made blouse by Lee & Lee Company; 2nd, Mrs. T. C. Lee, set Jonteel toilet articles by Union Drug Company; 3rd, Mrs. Hancoth, \$3 box candy by Funderburk-Gamble Drug Company; 3rd, Mrs. Hancoth, \$3 box candy by Funderburk-Gamble Drug Company; 3rd, Mrs. Hancoth, \$3 box candy by Funderburk-Gamble Drug Company; 3rd, Mrs. Stansey Helms, \$1.50 care is of the Days of 1917 and 1918.
With the streets of Monroe alreade **Regrets** Departure of Dr. McCain

Regrets Departure of Dr. McCain The people of the community re-gret very much the decision of Dr: McCain to leave us and locate in High Point. However, we understand Dr. Ezzell of Lancaster and Dr. Gouin, who has spent the past sea-son on his farm in upper Sandy Ridge, will be with us to look after the afflicted. Mr. Jas. H. Carter renorts a yield of more than eighty bushels of sweet

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\$5 by Shute & Wilson, \$2 by Heath Morrow Company, \$2 by Monroe Ice | The writer was very much amused &Fuel Company, \$1 by Love's Auto Storage Company; 2nd, Mrs. Bob Doster, \$5.75 electric iron by Mon-Company. Mr. Wolfe is the book dis-Geo. customers wants.



This is the Big Yield Reported by Mr. James H. Carter of the Reho-both Community Woney Is To Be Used For the Pur-chase of X-ray Machine and El-evator For the Building

BELIEVE NOT A MAN WILL CRITICIZE APPROPRIATION

Of the \$5,000, the County Gives \$3,-500 and the City \$1,500—Supplies a Much Needed Want and Will Be the Means of Saving Much Money to the People of This Section.

The Ellen Fitzgerald hospital is to Waxhaw, Route 1, Nov. 6.—Almost suddenly, the young wife of Mr. Frank King was taken from him by the grim monster, death, on Mon-day night, Oct. 30th. These young people were just

day night, Oct. 30th. These young people were just starting out in life, having been mar-ried only a little more than a year, when this enemy invaded the home and cast gloom and almost unbear-able sadness and dispair thereon. We learn that the immediate cause of her death was ptomaine poisoning, and in spite of the skill of both Doc-We learn that the immediate cause of the bosh of the death was ptomaine poisoning, and in spite of the skill of both Doc-tors Gouin and Ezzell, together with the careful attention of many friends and Alderman W. J. Trull and P. H. the careful attention of many friends and relatives, the insidious agent persisted in progressing to the lim-it and blotting out the life of its vic-with the request for \$3,500.

it and blotting out the life of its vic-tim. The young husband and rela-tives have the heartfelt sympathy of this community in this sad hour of their hereavent. With the request for \$3,500. Necessity for both the elevator and the X-ray mach ne was explained in detail by members of the delegation. their bereavement. We learn that the family of Mr. J. It was shown that scores and scores of cases from this county had to be We learn that the family of Mr. J. R. Jackson is having a severe seige of sickness. Mrs. Jackson, as report-ed last week, is some better, but the husband has been attacked and made bedfast and one son is very low with pneumonia. It is hoped these good people will have a speedy recovery, and ere long be in their usual state of health. discomfort.

The commissioners very generous-

ly granted the donation. "I do not believe, as Mayor Vann told the commissioners," said Mr. R. A. Morrow, after the delegation had left the court house, "that a single man will criticise this appropriation. It is for a humane purpose.

#### FORMER MONROE BOY IS RUNNING FOR SOLICITOR

potatoes from one of an acre. People are beginning to get busy with small grain sowing and the weather is ideal for the work. A large acreage will be planted, and if the season is favorable, we expect a treat crop. Connect and a party of the Greensboro Distance Edward C. Jerome, a native of Monroe, who was partially educated in the local public school, is the re-publican candidate for solicitor over in the Greensboro and Lexington ju-in the Greensboro and Lexington juto Increase Salary of Legislators. A visit to the Monroe precincts. With the streets of Monroe already the fact that Union county would in all probability cast its lightest vote today in years. At no time were the voting places crowded. Fifty-six nad way in case he finds anyone needing of Guilford is invited to the claim of Edward C. Jerome, the candidate from Guilford for solicitor. It is submitted that no man of his year at our bar stands higher in charac-Company. Mr. Wolfe is the book dis- ter, in ability and in fine training. penser here, and he is very obliging The office of solicitor is not political, and accomodating, always express-ing regret if unable to supply the fore, regardless of party you can vote for the man in this contest. editing and compiling in conjunction with his father, one of the distinguished lawyers of the state, the latest edition of Jerome's Criminal Digest, Mr. Jerome has rendered a distinct service to the profession and the state. In the ate World War Mr. Jerome volunteered in April, 1917, and from the training camps he went to France in an artillery regservation that it is sometimes diffi- iment, serving until the end of the war.

# LIGHTEST VOTE IN YEARS MONROE IS PREPARING IS INDICATED IN UNION

put

DARING AIRPLANE FLIGHTS

sprang up around it. Mr. R. W. Lemmond became ac-quainted with Mr. Hartford about

so confident that the convention will worth the admission price of a dollar that I'll guarantee to refund the price to every man who comes to after the eleventh and honestly

#### Regains Her Voice As If by Miracle

A Seaboard baggagemaster, on whom the writer relies for news along the line between Monroe and Atlanta, is showing an Abbeville, S. C., dispatch that tells about a modern mir-acle. "The days of miracles," it it least warning lost her voice, medical advice was sought from local doctors and then specialists from a distance were consulted. Nothing seemed to do any good, and for five months communication with pencil and pad effort to give the legislators more was the best that could be done.

"Arrangements were being made for Mrs. Wosmoansky to leave Saturday for Spartanburg, to have the extended care of a specialist in the treatment of what seemed to be the trouble. "Saturday morning a daughter,

Miss Pauline Wosmoansky, awoke having dreamed in the night that her mother's voice had returned to She told this dream at the her. breakfast table, and kept commenting on how real it all seemed, and how she had cautioned her younger sister in the dream to be careful for fear something might be done to cause the voice to leave again,

"After the family left home for their various duties, Mrs. Wosmoansky was crossing her room when she felt a sensation as if something were leaving her throat. She found that her voice had returned, and was able to reach the telephone and communicate with her family. Afterwards she was overcome with great weakness, as if she had passed through some strong ordeal.

"There is great rejoicing in that home today. Mrs. Wosmoansky is the wife of C. B. Wosmoansky of the Southern Cotton Oil company, and the mother of two young daughters, Misses Pauline and Frances Wos-

moansky. "Mrs. Wosmoansky's father was very gifted man, and came to Amer-ica in 1871. He could transcribe the Lord's Prayer on the face of a dime He was born in Moravia, in Poland and educated at Neutitschern, in Austria, for the Catholic priesthood. In the war between Austria and Per-sia he was a first lieutenant and his father was a major in the Austrian army.

One feeding demonstration resulted in Columbus county shipping four carloads of hogs cooperatively this

#### SPANISH-AMERICANS VETS ARE TO MARCH IN PARADE

G. B. Caldwell and Capt. John D. Calder Are Rounding Up Those Who Helped Lick Spain

Spanish - American war veterans will march in the big Armistice Day will march in the olg Armistice Day parade here Saturday. There are but few in this county who helped lick Spain, but they have promised to make quite a big showing. Mr. G. B. Caldwell, himself a veteran, is in charge of this particular nart of the parade. Those who will march with him include Messrs. A. F. Twitty, John Calder, Fletcher Conder and Jim Alexander. Major Hugh Hinde is both a Spanish-American and World War veteran, but following a custom imposed upon him from the beginning, he will lead the parade, this time on a big white horse. If there are other Spanish-American war veterans in the county other than those named, they are requested to get in communication at once with either France. Mr. Caldwell or Capt. J. D. Calder.

#### Neither Here Nor There

Two French Canadians were traveling down a Quebec river in a houseboat. One of them knew the river and

the other did not. They anchored for the night on a bar. During the night the river rose

An entirely strange section of scenery idea of warfare. was passing. "Baptiste! Baptiste! he yelled. "Get

ate, the Spanish-American and the World War assemble here to celebrate the day that marked the close of hostilities with Germany.

Preparations are being made for he entertainment of ten thousand Reports from over the counpeople. indicate that there will be fully

that many people here. The official program, as announced last n'ght following a meeting of the Melvin Deese post of the Américan Legion.

Parade. 2. Address by J. W. Bailey. candidate for Governor in 1924.

Free dinner for soldiers, Con-

federate, Spanish - American and World Maw veterans in the Baptist Brotherhod hut.

4. Airplane flights,

5. Football game, Monroe High vs. King's Mountain High. 6. Judge W. O. Lemmond's

oldtime fiddler's convention. The Icemorlee band will furnish

music for the occasion. The parade will be the most spec acular affair ever seen in Monroe Mr. Henry Crow, the chairman of the

parade committee, announces. He does not exclude Fourth of July or circus parades either. Beginning with the coming of the Mayflower, the history of America will be depicted with floats entered by various Monroe business houses and organizations. The Kaiser will be shown In all of his glorv back in 1914. Another float will show the proud. but humble wood-chopper of Doorn. Various war exploits will be faith-fully depicted. Secretary of War Baker will be shown drawing the float draft number the commission first draft number, the exemption board, Messrs. R. B. Redwine and Dr. S. A. Stevens, will be shown examinng drafted men for service, while a

"No Man's Land," shell holes,

and along towards daylight the craft their way to the front lines from the ous parts of the plant, the weevils went adrift. Three hours later the base ports. Millights in the afternoon trough at the bottom. At the end of the poked his head out of the door. Will give the spectators another grim the row, the weevils are shaken out

The 11th is going to be Monroe's that the weevils, when touched by the

roe Hardware Co.; 3rd, Mrs. Forterfield, \$5 rug by Smith-Lee Co.

MONROE HIGH ALL SET FOR GAME WITH SHELBY

> Hundreds of Fans to Accompany the Team to Davidson for First Game of Elimination Series

Accompanied by several hundred rabid fans, the Monroe high school squad departs Friday for Davidson to meet Shelby high in the first game

of the elimination series. With an even break in the luck, the local high's believe they will hand the ivick Gurleyites a decisive licking.

Coach Black, assisted by Marvin Ritch, of Charlotte, one of the best football ceaches in the state, is rapil

ly developing the squad into a for-

midable fighting machine. The probable line-up for the game is: McRae, left end; Curlee, left tackle; Beasley, left guard; H. Williams, center; Baskervills, right guard; Wiggs, right tackle; R. Wil-liams, right end; Coble, guarter back; W. Fairley, left half back; M. Fairley, right half back; and Laney full back.

### BOLL WEEVIL "TRAP" IS ONE OF LATEST INVENTIO

Contraption Is Said to Eliminate the Pests Almost Entirely From the **Fields That 'Are Infested** 

Much interest has been aroused in draped chair will pay a tribute to the this county by the announcement of deceased member of this board, B. the invention of a unique weevil des-Clegg Ashcraft. Drafted men, march-ing to the train accommanied by their Ketchmo Boll Weevil Trap and is a wives and sweethearts, will revive triangular shaped structure, about its meeting place when holding sesmemories of the days of '17 and '18. two feet high, with the apex of the A monster replica of a transport, ful- triangle at the bottom. The sides are

"No Man's Land," shell holes, not come together at the bottom, but bloody and dirty soldiers, all, will be shown. That guardian angel of the soldier, "The Rose of No Man's row, so that the plant comes inside Land," is certain to raise the pulse of every red - blooded man. "Forty hommes and eight chevaux" will re-call to the hundreds of soldiers the many minsearble rides they took on the soldiers the sold

Mr. Gordon Was Glad However, when Mr. A. R. Gordon

came in with a considerable lengthy book list, Mr. Wolfe expressed doubt as to his ability to fill same in these words:

"Mr. Gordon, I'm afraid I haven't all those." To which Mr. Gordon re-plied, "I hope you haven't." The writer surmised on this obcult just how to please a customer. Cenerally he wants you to have in tock whatever he calls for, and then

again he is better pleased if you aven't it. This book question is a sock-dolager and there is considerable dissat-

isfaction both as to the number books required and also as to the

price charged for same. One fellow remarked Saturday, "when children had to walk and carry these multitude of books, even on short distance, to the truck-line, they would grow 'one-sided' and be a gencration of deformed humanity.

only practical that it's very unpatri-otic, and an evidence of a low order vice this bringing the total of new and an evidence of a low order of citizenship that will condone spec-ulation on the books from which the kids are to receive their initial training in the schools provided for their 300 to its present enrollment of 753, free tuition by the tax-money of the The present church and Sunday citizenship.

#### **Miss Rodman Gets Thanks**

At the monthly meeting of the bunty farmers' union on Nov. 4th, county farmers' union on Nov. 4th, Miss Pearl Rodman proffered the free use of the moving picture theater, which belongs to her, to the body for sions in Waxhaw and also the use of ly a hundred feet long, will show the boya leaving their native shores for France.

advancement of agriculture. These proposals were made to the body by the writer and Mr. Broom, the county agent, was much impressed with the idea and suggest-in the passing of Miss Lee, who

and the opportunity, which is a rare one, should be embraced with thanks. The body forthwith gave Miss Rod- ory and commend to all to follow her man a vote of thanks and expect to make use of the building at least one christian character. t my laring the present year. An

uncement will be made in due time.

#### **REV. EDWIN FULLENWIDER** CLOSES SUCCESSFUL YEAR

At The Close of Two Years Work At Salisbury He Reports the Acqui-sition of 373 Members

A dispatch from Salisbury has this say of a Monroe boy: "Rev. Edto say of a Monroe boy: "Rev. Ed-win Fulenwider today closed his second year as pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, this city, and at the morning service a brief report of some of the activities of the two years was It seems to folks who are plain and made. Thirty-one accessions to the adult members received in the two years to 375. The Sunday school has grown from a membership of about school building has been outgrown and the congregation has recently purchased a place near the center of the city at a price of \$35,000 where they propose to soon build a commodious new church home."

#### Resolutions of Respect

Whereas, God in his love and merthe screen and fixtures at any time cy has taken unto himself Miss Mag-

Therefore we, the members of the Social Workers club of Mineral Springs want to publicly express our sorrow and grief in the loss of our

First, that we have sustained a loss in the passing of Miss Lee, whose that the offer should be accepted gentle manners and kind face was always welcomed among us:

example of faithfulness to duty and

Third, that we extend to those who loved her, our heartfelt sympathy. Be it further resolved that a copy

Mrs. F. C. Doster.

any thing in that line to king to the