

TO THE UNION COTTON MILLS DEPARTMENT STORE.

The largest and best fitted store in Union--pay it a visit.

We call special attention to the attractive things we have in Dress Goods, Serges, Whip-cords, Vene- netians, Plaids, and all kinds of Fancy Worsteds.

Our Fall Millinery is now on display and we extend a cordial invitation to the public to call and see it.

We have just received another shipment of that 4 cents Sheeting. The greatest value ever offered.

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THE LEADING FASHION MAGAZINE

THE DESIGNER

LATEST STYLES ILLUSTRATED MONTHLY

Local Schedule for Passenger Trains.

TRAINS FROM COLUMBIA.	
Arrive 10:20 a. m.	Depart 10:20 a. m.
" 1:40 p. m.	" 2:00 p. m.
TRAINS FROM SPARTANBURG.	
Arrive 12:45 p. m.	Depart 1:05 p. m.
" 7:10 p. m.	" 7:30 p. m.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL MENTION.

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST ABOUT TOWN.

J. T. Sexton has some fine apples just received.

Crockinole boards complete for \$1.75 at Allan Nicholson's.

Shine Palmer, the blacksmith, died at his home in Union Sunday.

The hats say the prettiest hats in town are to be found at McLure's.

If you are in search of bargains just follow the procession they are going to McLure's.

Ah there? Where did you get that splendid overcoat? Why of course at McLure's.

\$19.50 for the Demorest 10 years guaranteed Sewing Machine.

A. H. Foster & Co.

We had to set out most of our local news this week to make room for new advertisements.

See Mr. Robt. Miller's new livery stable ad. in this issue. He can please you in a turnout.

To try to run a business without advertising is like trying to run a locomotive without steam.

Miss Bessie Blair, who has been on an extended visit to friends at Woodward, has returned home.

Watch J. Q. Wray's advertising space he will have something special to say to you next week.

See the big ad. for the "Wonder Store," Music and Sewing Machine House in next week's issue.

Chas. B. Smith calls especial attention to his "Goodwear" shoes. Try a pair of them. He says they are all right.

Chas. R. Smith has been piling in clothing for the last thirty days. He is loaded for "bear"-backs. Call and inspect his stock.

Allan Nicholson received this week over one hundred boxes of nice stationery to retail at 10 cents a box. Try one and you will try more.

C. C. Becraft, optician, will be in Jonesville Monday October 23. All wishing glasses should call that day as I will not be there any longer than one day.

Telegraphic news from London will be found on the second page--It's hot stuff. Read it.

Mrs. Mamie Blair left Union Monday for Knoxville, Tenn., to accept a position as milliner with a large firm in that city.

C. C. Becraft, optician, will be at McLure's gallery October 21, 25, 26, 27, 28. Have your eyes examined and tested free.

If you need glasses for your eyes see Becraft at McLure's gallery, October 24 to 28. This will be my last visit to Union.

Purcell says he is determined to quit the clothing business, and from now on he will sell all clothing at actual New York cost.

Here is a simple remedy for a cold--take as much quinine as will lie on the point of a pocket knife three times a day and eat plenty of raw onions.

When you want the proper thing in headwear at proper prices visit our millinery department.

A. H. Foster & Co.

Mr. J. W. Todd, the Grand Dictator of the Knights of Honor, visited Union on Tuesday and met with Union Lodge K. of H. Tuesday night.

Mr. A. P. Abrams has bought the house and lot formerly occupied by Mr. D. L. McLaughlin and another good citizen is added to our growing population.

There is a new station on the Southern railroad near Union it is Payn's siding--the siding recently built near Rice's mill. It is used frequently as a passing point for the passenger trains when the down train is late.

We regret to chronicle the departure of Miss Kathleen Moore to her home in Rock Hill this week, very much to the regret of her many friends in social life and particularly so to some of our retired society friends.

Purcell has one of the prettiest show windows we have seen in town, the different colored cloths arranged from bottom to top of the window, set off with a pretty rosette in the center is quite an attraction.

In looking over the list of patents, received from E. C. Seggers, our Washington correspondent we notice that W. G. McGee, of Anderson, S. C., has patented a new style umbrella, wonder if it is one that a fellow won't lose?

Are you going to the State Fair at Columbia this year? The Dewey excitement has about subsided. The yacht races are flaking and it is to be hoped the championship will be decided so as to allow us a little time to think of and get ready for our big State Fair. It is going to be a big thing this year unless all signs fail.

There will be a regular communication of Union Lodge, No. 75 A. F. M., at their hall this Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Work in M. M. Degree will be conferred. By order of T. C. DUNCAN, W. M. F. W. MOORE, Secy.

Miss Margaret A. Klein will give her course of five readings, "From Chaucer to Tennyson" at Clifford Seminary on October 18th, 20th, 23rd, 25th and 27th, at 8:30 p. m. Tickets on sale at the Union Drug Store and at Allan Nicholson's Book Store.

The Southern has supplied Union with a long felt need by putting a shifting engine at this point. Railroad men have long considered Union one of the toughest places to get a train away from on the road. Trains have frequently been kept here shifting for six eight hours.

Work is progressing rapidly on the eastern end of the Lockhart railroad. The contractors have established three camps two or three miles apart and are working between them. They have six or eight miles grading going on. They want to finish by about the first of November.

Have you noticed the pretty parlor window at Bailey's furniture store? It is a daisy and has quite a homelike appearance. But that isn't half the sight you can see. If you have a leisure hour drop in and have Mr. R. L. McNally to show you over this mammoth establishment. It will take about that time to take in the whole thing.

Rev. W. A. Massabeau has returned from Springfield, Orangeburg County, where he was suddenly called to the bedside of his dying mother, Mrs. J. E. Massabeau, on the 28th. He arrived too late, as his mother was dead when he reached her home. She was suddenly stricken with paralysis of the brain and lived only a short while. We extend our sympathy to Mr. Massabeau in his bereavement.

We are indebted to Mr. James Young, of Sardis, for a nice mess of beans and tomatoes, while Mr. J. H. Randolph, of Santuc, left on our table some of as fine specimens of turnips as we ever saw, one of them measuring 18 1/2 inches in circumference and weighed 3 1/2 pounds. With such productive lands it is foolish to stick to cotton when an acre would fatten a whole drove of hogs.

Mr. Peterson, the photographer, was prevented by sickness and bad weather from visiting Union last Saturday but he will be in his gallery on Friday and Saturday both of this week. This will be his last visit to Union and all who want some good photographs should not miss this last opportunity. He is not only a master in the profession but will make pictures at half his usual price. Gallery in the Foster building.

Prize, Seed Wheat.

We have received from Tennessee a large shipment of fine seed wheat and until this lot is disposed of we make the following proposition. We will give one bushel of this wheat and four hundred pounds standard wheat fertilizer for twenty-five bushels of cotton seed with the request that each bushel be sown on an acre of ground and the 400 pounds of fertilizer applied to the same.

J. L. McWhirter & Co., 41-1t Jonesville, S. C.

James Reed Injured.

Mr. James Reed, struck his leg against a cake of ice in such a manner as to bruise it severely. It became very much swollen and pained him so badly that he could not walk without the aid of crutches. He was treated by physicians, also used several kinds of liniment and two and a half gallons of whisky in bathing it, but nothing gave any relief until he began using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This brought almost a complete cure in a week's time and he believes that had he not used this remedy his leg would have had to be amputated. Mr. Reed is one of the leading merchants of Clay Court House, W. Va. Pain Balm is unequalled for sprains, bruises and rheumatism. For sale by Dr. F. C. Duke.

Another Wheat Prize.

J. L. McWhirter & Co., of Jonesville, make the following offer to the farmers of Jonesville Township. For the best yield of wheat from one acre of land in Jonesville Township: Ten dollars in gold. Gathering and threshing to be done in the presence of a disinterested party.

J. L. McWhirter & Co., 41-1t Jonesville, S. C.

The "Plow Boy Preacher," Rev. J. Kirkman, Belle Rive, Ill., says "After suffering from Bronchial or lung trouble for ten years, I was cured by One Minute Cough Cure. It is all that is claimed for it and more." It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. F. C. Duke.

The Monroe doctrine used to be a foremost article of faith with every American citizen, but it is never mentioned now by the friends of this administration.

President King, Farmer's Bank, Brooklyn, Mich., has used DeWitt's Little Early Risers in his family for years. Says they are the best. These famous little pills cure constipation, biliousness and all liver and bowel troubles. F. C. Duke.

If every Ohio Republican who failed to land an office votes the Democratic ticket, the election in that State will be somewhat lopsided.

It did me more good than anything I ever used. My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after using it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S. B. Keener, Holington, Kans., of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. F. C. Duke.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Remaining in the Post Office at Union, S. C., for the week ending October, 13th, 1899.

Mrs J A Campbell.
Peter Cara.
S W Dawkins.
Miss Coleman Dickett.
Mr Eldie McKentosh.
T E Morr's Esq.
Mr James Osborn.
Mr W P Shoop.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say if advertised, and will be required to pay one cent for their delivery.

J. C. HUNTER, P. M.

LAND SALE.

We, the executors of the last will and testament of Levi Sparks, dec'd, will sell at the late residence of said deceased on Thursday the 2nd day of November, 204 acres of land one half mile from Cross Keys. Terms: One third cash, balance in one and two equal installments with interest from date--purchaser to pay for papers and give a mortgage of premises to secure purchase money.

J. N. SPARKS,
W. M. SPARKS.

41-3t

Homestead Exemption.

Mrs. Cattie Gallman having filed her petition with me to have a homestead exemption in the personal property of her late husband, Jos. G. Gallman, deceased, set off for herself and her children, Lucas Gallman, Aurelia Gallman and Beulah Gallman, the said petition will come up for a hearing before me on the 20th of November 1899.

C. H. PEAKE, Master.

1000 Tons.

Of fresh, sound cotton seed wanted at once. Highest cash price paid. Bring your seed to C. W. Whitlock at Morris' livery stable. When in need of cotton seed hulls or meal call on him.

W. S. McLURE.

Notice.

We pay factory prices for cotton and will give you good grading.

J. J. LITTLEJOHN & Co., Jonesville, S. C. 38-4t.

LOOKOUT FOR US.

By the 10th of this month we will have more floor space covered with goods in our line than any other house in the State. We have been adding to and remodeling until now we occupy

OVER TEN THOUSAND SQUARE FEET

of floor space and by the 10th we expect to have every foot of it covered with the choicest line of

UP-TO-DATE GOODS.

Ever exhibited in Union and will be second to none in any city seven times its size. Our knowledge of goods and facilities for buying places us in the front ranks, and our experience with the trade has taught us that the people of this county have appreciated and upheld our efforts to place within their reach at reasonable prices, goods that would do credit to the stocks in our largest cities. We are working to make this one of the toniest markets in the South.

BAILEY FURNITURE & LUMBER CO.

Fresh Oat Meal,

Cream Cheese, and Macaroni at

H. F. SCAIFE'S.

FOR SALE.

We will sell one or more horses at a price below their real worth. We will swap a one-horse wagon for feed.

39-1t MILLER BROTHERS.

100 Bushels Seed Wheat.

We will sell at our home at a reasonable price TAPAHANNOCK RED SPRING and the UNKNOWN -- SEED -- WHEAT. Call and get either variety.

S. G. GAULT & BROS. phs 40 4t.

Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that Walter J. Betsill, Guardian of the Estate of Lilla M. Betsill, minor, has applied to Jason M. Greer, Judge of Probate, in and for the county of Union, for a final discharge as such.

It is Ordered, That the 7th day of November, A. D. 1899, be fixed for hearing of Petition, and a final settlement of said Estate.

JASON M. GREER, Probate Judge Union Co., S. C. 40-4t

I HANDLE

A complete line of Heavy and Fancy Groceries, Fine Confectioneries, Fruits, Vegetables, etc. Come to see me I can save you money.

C. C. GREGORY,

The Popular Grocer at SANTUC. 40-3mo

Examination of Teachers.

Office of County Superintendent of Education.

The examination of teachers for teachers' certificates of qualification will be held at Union, S. C., on Friday, October 13th, 1899, at County Superintendent of Education's office for whites and Court House for colored applicants. Please understand that all persons who expect to get certificates before the February examination must apply as no special examinations will be made under any circumstances. These are the instructions from the State Board of Education and will be strictly enforced.

Those white teachers who did not attend the summer school and have not been excused by the State Board at its last meeting will have no other opportunity to be excused and their certificates, if they expire before another summer school, will not be renewed. Hence many of these had better stand this October examination.

D. B. FANT, Co. Supt. E. I., Union, S. C. 39-3t.

Dont Miss This Opportunity!

All old goods going at HALF PRICE to make room for new stock, which is daily arriving. Come and inspect our stock, we won't be undersold.

NEXT DOOR ABOVE DISPENSARY.

J. H. SPEARS.

\$100

In silver to be given away by

THE PURCELL CASH CO., UNION, S. C.

\$5.00 in silver each week.

HOW TO GET A KEY.

With every Dollar's worth of goods bought at our store, we will give one key free, and on every Saturday all persons holding Keys will be permitted to unlock the box on exhibition in our store, which contains Five Silver Dollars. There is but one given out each week that will unlock the box. You may get the right key.

WHETHER YOU GET THE RIGHT KEY OR NOT, WE WILL SELL YOU GOODS LOWER THAN ANYBODY.

Richard Matthews drew the money last week.

The Purcell Cash Company.