

## Business Builders.

Advertisements inserted under this head at 5 cents a line for each insertion.

See the new dress goods at J. A. Bowles.

WANTED—For U. S. Army able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 15 West Trade St., Charlotte, N. C.; 40 S. Main St., Asheville, N. C.; Bank Building, Hickory, N. C., or Glenn Building Spartanburg, S. C.

Land Posters for sale at our old price 5 cents per dozen. Democrat office.

RED clover and all other seeds for sale at The Hall Co.

New percales and fadras at J.A. Bowles.

GET your clothes from Martin & Clark.

Rubbers for old middle aged and young at J. A. Bowles.

BUY your boy a tough school suit from Martin & Clark.

Flannelettes for Kimonos and wrappers at J.A. Bowles.

WANTED—10 good woolly curs for a friend in the country. Nothing but fleec breeders accepted. Apply to Gus Hawn.

We don't want dogs nor flees, but want 1000 customers for Hawn's Cafe, the best 10 and 15 cents lunch counter to be found in the city.

Underwear for fall and winter at J.A. Bowles.

SEE our \$10 special value. Martin & Clark.

WANTED—Second hand bags. Will buy any kind, any quantity, anywhere. I pay freight. Write for prices. GEO. T. KING, Richmond, Va.

CALL for the latest styles, they are at Martin & Clark's.

A nice lot of pigs from six to eight weeks old, for sale. Bost & Newton.

SEE Martin & Clark for your clothes; the originators of styles and fashions.

We secured twenty head of Watauga beef cattle today. Bost & Newton.

SEE the Autumn novelties in clothing at Martin & Clark's.

The Edison Phonograph gives the best music by the greatest singers of the day. They never tire and you never tire of them. Come in and hear a few selections on the Edison. We carry a large assortment of records to select from. You will never regret purchasing an Edison Phonograph.

The Morrison Bros. Co. Hickory, N. C.

WANTED. A girl to do light house work and some cooking. address. X. Care of Democrat.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Nina Ramsay left Friday for Charlotte.

We are sorry to say that Miss Bessie Little is still quite ill.

If you have any property to sell, see S. D. Campbell & Co.

Miss Georgia Sigmon went to Morganton on a day's visit Friday.

The Democrat publishes twice as much live news matter as any other paper. The people tell us so.

A. L. Sane who has had a position with the Morrison Bros. Co., left Monday for Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. J. W. Coffey, of Lenoir, visited Mrs. A. J. Payne Saturday. She left the same day for Raleigh.

Farmers should note the remarks to them from the Hickory Banking & Trust Co. Look up their space.

If it was necessary to brand all the Republicans in Catawba county "Simon pure, a lot of them would not be branded.

Everybody that goes to Newton should visit the Newton Hosiery Mill store. They have bargains that you should investigate.

W. T. Payne, of Granite Falls, was here Saturday. Mr. Payne is our news correspondent from that hustling little city.

Mr. S. D. Campbell & Company have bought Mr. J. M. Lawrence's residence and will begin to improve the property at once.

Mrs. Emma Taylor, will arrive in Hickory this week after spending the Summer at Blowing Rock. She will occupy the Geo. Hutton house.

Miss Leila Richardson, of Lincolnton, spent the day with Mrs. Chadwick Thursday on her way home from her summer's sojourn in the mountains.

The "United Helpers" of the First Presbyterian Church will serve cakes and pastry, at McCombs Bros. store Saturday the 6th 10:00 A. M.

Miss Maud Alred, of Granite Falls, spent the time between trains with Miss Bessie Payne Saturday. She was on her way to Greensboro, where she will attend a wedding.

Dr. William B. Lawhead the celebrated optician is becoming a frequent visitor to our City to the delight of those who can't see good without the aid of a man who is thoroughly master of his trade.

Dr. Lawhead since coming here a few weeks ago has worked for a number of the most prominent people in Hickory and surrounding towns and has given the most entire satisfaction in the scientific treatment of the eye. He is spending a few days in Newton this week doing some special work and will return to Hickory in a few days, at which time all of his old friends, and others wishing glasses properly fitted can have the opportunity to consult him.

J. L. Patrick spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. Arthur Wagner was in town over Sunday.

Dr. Gwaltney went to Connel Springs Monday.

Mr. B. F. Klutz, of Raleigh, visited in town Sunday.

Mr. J. V. Sharp, of Granite Falls, was in the city Monday.

Mr. Alfred Moretz went to Asheville on business Monday.

Mr. J. A. Arndt, of Newton, visited Mrs. P. C. Hall last week.

J. H. Willis will open up a bakery in the store adjoining Setzer and Russell's.

Mrs. Worth Elliott, who is in Monroe for a while, spent Sunday in Hickory.

Wilson Warlick, of the firm of W. S. Martin & Co., spent Sunday in Newton.

Mrs. L. E. Rosborough who has been in Arden for the summer, returned last week.

J. D. Elliott left Friday for Knoxville, where he was called to see his father, who is very ill.

Mr. D. R. Mauney, a former student of Lenoir College, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Lloyd Marshall left for Johnson City, Tenn., Monday. He expects to spend some time there.

Mrs. W. S. Martin spent Sunday in Newton with relatives and friends. She returned Sunday night.

Messrs. Robert E. Rhyne and Moodley Wallace, of Davidson College, spent Sunday with friends in Hickory.

Miss Alma Corponing, who has been here several weeks, returned to her home in Mooresboro, E. Tenn., Tuesday.

Miss Eloise Pittman, of Atlanta, Ga., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Childs, returned to Atlanta last Saturday.

Just when the appendicitis fad is surpassing the wildest hopes of the surgeons, a Pennsylvania man invents a seedless apple.

Mr. Lecil Parker will go to Asheville the latter part of this week to take a position with Hackney & Moale, job printers.

The Eronian and Chrestonian Literary Societies, of Lenoir College, will give an open debate Monday night. Everybody is cordially invited.

The Rummage sale for the benefit of the Episcopal church last week was a decided success. Over forty-two dollars were cleared.

We hear that Bridge whist is roaring here. There is a party given almost every evening. Well, its true that whist of any kind is very exciting and entertaining.

Mrs. W. L. Allen, of Greensboro, and Miss Rosalie Smith, of Goldsboro, were the guests of Mrs. A. A. Shuford, Jr., from Friday, the 27th, to Wednesday, the 3rd. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Shuford had five tables of Bridge Whist in their honor.

G.A. Carpenter of Charlotte was in the City Tuesday.

Mr. J.W. Lane of Lincolnton spent Tuesday in the City.

Mr. L.M. Earnhardt of Salisbury spent Sunday in the City.

J.S. Farmer of Raleigh was in the City this week on business.

W.S. and John Martin will return from Baltimore Friday night.

Billie Anderson, and Miss Emma Elliott of Catowba Springs were in town last week.

Miss Fannie Kale, of Lenoir who has been visiting in the City for some time returned Tuesday.

T.J. Leonard, Esq. has moved from Brookford and will now make his home in West Hickory.

Mrs. W.B. Council and family have returned from the mountains where they have been during the Summer months.

Miss Mamie Murdock, of Durham has been visiting her cousin Mrs. Carrie Gamble she will return home this week.

Dr. Munroe of Columbus Ga., left for his home Tues. after a few days visit with his father Dr. C. A. Munroe.

Luther Barker of King's Mountain former student of Lenoir College, was in town Wednesday with old friends and school mates.

The Registration Books will be open for registration Thursday, 4th. The Registrars will be at the voting precincts on Saturday see that your name is on the books.

Mr. Homer Ferguson, the brother of Mrs. Alex Shuford, is the architect who constructed the ship North Carolina, which is to be launched Oct. 3rd at Newport News.

Mr. Harry Little went to Catawba Monday, where he payed his last respects to his grandfather, Mr. M. Rufty, who died Sunday. Mr. Rufty was eighty or more years of age.

The fall communion services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Preparatory services will be held on Friday and Saturday evening at 7:30. All are invited.

Farmers tell us the lowest growth of the cotton bolls are badly damaging in the field. Some of it is rotten and cannot be gathered. Peas are also rotting.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will render some excellent music Sunday night. There will also be some recitations at this service. Services will begin at 7:30 P. M.

### \$500 Prohibitory Tax.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen, of West Hickory, Tuesday night, a prohibitory tax of \$500 was enforced against the sale of chemical cider that is being sold. This is a step in the right direction and should be enforced throughout our State and there would be less intoxicated people.

The Morrison Bros. Company, Hickory, N. C.

This business, which was established in the year 1898, by Mr. C. T. Morrison in the sample rooms of the Charter House has been a success from the very first. Soon after opening up the business Mr. Morrison had to have more room and moved in the building now used by the Western Union Telegraph Co. He conducted his business there for a short time, but finding that he was too crowded he again moved this time into the large store building on Main St., which he still occupies.

On January 17, 1905, the business was incorporated under the name of The Morrison Bros. Co. with branch stores at Mooresville and at Cherryville and employed about twenty-five people to transact their ever increasing business.

Beside selling Pianos, Organs and other Musical Instruments they have a large and well assorted line of Watches, Diamonds, fine Jewelry, Cut Glass, China, Bric-abrac, etc. In fact everything usually kept in a first-class Jewelry store.

They have salesmen in North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee, and have the reputation of selling more pianos, organs than any other firm in the state. They make a specialty of the justly celebrated Starr Piano, manufactured by the Starr Mfg. Co., of Richmond, Ind., which is an old well established and thoroughly reliable Company.

The Starr Mfg. Co. has the distinction of operating the largest factory in the world devoted exclusively to the manufacture of high grade pianos. Being established on a basis of genuine merit, the demand for the Starr pianos has constantly increased which demonstrates their great worth and popularity. This piano is not an experiment but has established reputation of more than a third of a century of increasing success.

The Morrison Bro. Co. sell the well known Farrand Orangs which for style, durability, and general merit can not be surpassed. If you are contemplating buying either a piano or an organ you can not do better than see these gentlemen.

Their prices are the lowest at which good goods can be sold.

Now is a good time to buy that Talking Machine you have been wanting. A Victor Talking Machine will give you more enjoyment for the amount of money you spend, than anything else you can buy. Secur a Victor on our easy payment plan.

The Morrison Bros. Co. Hickory, N. C.

Hon. Chas. B. Aycock

will speak at the following times and places:

Newton, October 9th.

Lenoir, October 10th.

Hickory, Oct. 10th, at night.

Morganton, October 11th.

# FARMERS

Open an account with us and grow with a growing Bank. The prosperous and influential men of all communities are the men who carry bank accounts. The smallest depositor here receives the same courtesy and consideration as the largest.

If there is anything you do not understand about the banking business come in and let us explain it to you.

## The Hickory Banking & Trust Co

# SPOT CASH STORE

We have proven to the people, not by word only, but by actual test that we are saving our customers at least 10 per cent on all purchases since adopting our cash payment plan.

Men's \$5 Gunmetal and Pat. Shoes, both button and bal, we sell for 3.25. Our 3.50 Shoes, we sell for 2.89 and the regular 2.50 stock for 1.98. It simply goes to show that it pays to buy from a spot cash dealer. We positively will in every case sell the same goods for less money, or better goods for the same money. For instance we sell Teasel Down Flannels, (which is the best mode) for 10c while others either will not handle them at all or charge you more. It is only natural however as some body must pay their losses, and if you don't want to do it, better buy from Hickory's only

### Spot Cash House.

Hickory Mercantile Co. McCOY MORETZ, Mgr.

# New Fall Millinery

Hats for everybody. Ribbons, Plumes, etc. In this department we have made special effort for the fall seasons. Have a line unsurpassed anywhere. Can please the most critical buyer, both as to price and style. Be sure to see us for anything in the millinery.

This department will be in charge of Mrs. A. P. Whitener assisted by Miss Annie Cloyd, of Lenoir, and other much experienced salesladies. Our dress making department will be in charge of Miss Mary Underwood, of Baltimore. All work will be done in the latest style and fashion guaranteed.

## MRS. A. P. WHITENER

HICKORY, N. C.

