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AUCTION SALE

Of valuable Real Estate on Wednesday, Aug 22th at 2 p.m. We will offer at public auction the following valuable real estate known as the J. H. Brunson property 1 lot containing house 75x153 feet 1 vacant lot east of home lot 75x133 feet, 1 vacant lot adjoining it 73x253 feet and another lot east of this the same size, also 1 vacant lot lying south of these 80x150 feet, four of these lots face Link street and 1 facing Mrs. Sloops property, these lots will be sold separately and then as whole terms one third cash the balance in six and twelve months at legal interest, this property is two squares south Post office. Sale will take place on the steps of the First National Bank. This July 17th, 1906.

W. F. BRUNS,
H. E. BRUNS,
G. F. BRUNS,
MRS. E. G. PEELER.

Pony hurts little girl.

Little Miss Kate McComb was very painfully hurt Tuesday evening when a little pony ran away with her on his back.

The little girl was sitting on the pony at the gate when it became frightened by a dog, and ran. Katie had no control of her horse when it threw her off, painfully injuring her about the eyes and dislocating her shoulder.

Dr. Whitesides tells us he does not think there is any permanent injury sustained, and she is now getting on very nicely.

Col. Thornton has received a letter from his surveyor who made the survey of the power and plant on the Catawba River writes that everything is satisfactory and exceeds his statement of the value of the power etc when he was in Penn.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Thos. M. Hufham, Esq., spent two days in Asheville this week on legal business.

J. T. Miller and Robt. Rosborough, of Morganton, spent Sunday in Hickory.

Miss Virginia Stover, of Greensboro, spent a few hours in Hickory Monday.

The masons are laying brick fast on the two building now being put up by Setzer and Russell.

Miss Mary Wilcox, of Ashe county, and Miss Lillie Jones, of Happy Valley, are visiting Mrs. W. A. Hall.

W. H. McManaway, of Charlotte, is here visiting his cousin, Mrs. M. A. Mingis, on Brookford Ave.

Mr. Chas. Hildebran and Miss Dollie Teague, of Brookford, were married by J. T. Leonard, Esq., last Saturday.

Claremont College opens the next session September 18th, Prof. D. W. Read, president. See ad in this issue.

All services will be held in the new Presbyterian church after next Sunday. Seats and windows are being put in this week.

It is our observation that a five horse power automobile will develop fifty horse power in a twenty-five year old horse if the two meet in the road.

Mr. Frank F. Smith, who has been on The Democrat force for some time, left Tuesday for Lenoir, where he will run a job printing office of his own.

Editor Hugh Long, of the Gastonia News, was in the city a few hours Tuesday. The Democrat was very much pleased to have him call on us while here.

Presiding Elder, Rev. J. H. Weaver will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening. Conference will be held Monday a. m., at 10 o'clock in the church.

Mr. A. B. Little has returned to Norfolk after spending two weeks vacation in Hickory. His brother, Leopold Little, went with him. He has also accepted a position in that city.

Rev. J. L. Murphy will occupy his pulpit next Sunday night after a rest of a few weeks. Sunday morning he will preach the sermon in the ordination services of Mr. Milton Whitener at Conover.

Mrs. J. F. Watson, who has been living at Hickory for some time, was taken ill there last week. She was brought to Statesville Saturday and taken to Billingsley hospital for treatment—Statesville Landmark.

The Rev. J. H. Wilson, D. D., recently Lutheran pastor in Salisbury, will preach in Holy Trinity Lutheran church of this place next Sunday, 29th inst. The public generally are cordially invited to attend this special service.

Rev. C. W. Traywick left Tuesday morning for Beuna Vista where he joins his family. Mr. Traywick is now on his vacation and will be absent from us for a month. Mrs. Traywick and children have been there for two weeks.

Mr. M. A. L. Yoder brought some of the largest and nicest peaches to town Tuesday that has been on the market. There was only one thing lacking and that was the quantity. Mr. Yoder says they are very scarce, and he only has a few more for his own use.

Rev. J. L. Murphy went to Stanley Creek Wednesday where he performed the marriage ceremony of Rev. Milton Whitener and Miss Viola Peterson who were married at the home of the bride at 4 o'clock the same evening. Rev. Mr. Whitener is well known in Hickory, having assisted Rev. Murphy in his work here during all of last summer.

Ed N. Hahn, of Chester, spent Sunday in Hickory.

Miss Jessie Newland, of Lenoir is the guest of Misses Munroe.

Mrs. W. A. Kerr and Mrs. T. E. Odem have gone to Mocksville for a visit.

Mr. A. Hutton left Tuesday to spend a few weeks at his old home in Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blackwelder are spending a few days in Asheville this week.

Miss Lizzie Leach is spending a few weeks in Winston and Mocksville with friends.

Judge Council and family expect to go to the mountains about August 1st for the summer.

W. L. Brookshire after serving his two year term out in the penitentiary, has come back.

Mrs. G. C. Bonniwell, of Braidentown, Fla., is here visiting friends for a few weeks.

Friday, the 20th, Miss Lucille Walters, who has been visiting Miss Grace Patrick, returned to her home at Roanoke, Va.

Parker and Son have bought out the West India Cigar and Fruit Stand near the depot. This was run by Olin Marshall.

Dr. and Mrs. Stephenson, of Huntersville, spent a few days last week with their brother-in-law, Mr. E. A. Cooper, who is very ill.

A young man by the name of Robt. Powell got the ends of three fingers cut off in a planing machine at Hickory shops Monday.

C. T. Morrison is spending several days in New York and Philadelphia. He is there buying the fall stock for The Morrison Bros. Co.

Miss Mamie Dixon arrived home Wednesday after a few weeks visit on the sea shore. Her friend, Miss Florence Pearsall came with her.

They will scrap even at Brookford. J. T. Leonard, Esq., tells us he had three cases before him Saturday. The fines were from 2 to 3 dollars and cost.

Messrs. J. C. Morrison, J. F. Misenheimer, J. L. Moose, Steve Groober and C. L. Green, all of the Morrison Bros. Co., spent Sunday at Connelly Springs.

Mr. P. M. Dellinger was in the city Friday. Mr. Dellinger has been given a two weeks vacation, and he and family will spend the time at Waldward Springs, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Aiken have reached Asheville and expect to come to Hickory to visit his mother and brother before returning to their Western home.

Mr. W. H. Matthews, district deputy for Woodmen of the World, is here in the interest of that splendid order he represents. Everybody should be a Woodman.

That was a jolly good crowd on an excursion from Newton to Mortimer Wednesday. It was made up of all the Sunday-schools of the place. The crowd seemed to be under the special care of Messrs. Ed Schrum, Jno. Yount, Milt McCorkle and Sheriff Boyd.

If you lose anything you are apt to find it if you advertise in the Democrat. Mr. W. A. Hall lost a mileage book of the C. & N. W. Ry. here July 4th, when there were thousands of people in the city. He put an ad in the Democrat and his book was sent to him from Granite Falls a few days ago.

Thursday, the 19th, Mrs. E. L. Shuford entertained two parties of six-handed euchre at 9 a. m., and at night in honor of Mr. Neil Clark and Mrs. Lieut. T. Mott. Mrs. Marvin Sherrill gained the prize. All cut for the consolation prize which Mrs. Walter Martin won.

At Academy of Music.

Mr. J. Leon Williams, the laugh artist and fun maker, will give a recital here assisted by the Southern Symphony Band, Monday, July 30th. Come out, have a laugh and hear good music. Benefit Southern Symphony Band. Reserved seats 35c. Admission 25c, children 15c.

With Miss Shuford.

In honor of the H. G. L. Club, Miss Mary Shuford entertained about 30 young people at her home on Morganton street last Friday night from 8:30 to eleven o'clock. The affair was a delightful and elaborate lawn party. The decorations consisted of a beautiful and extensive array of Japanese lanterns which made a dim but beautiful illumination on verandas and lawns where the jolly party enjoyed the hours of the evening. Refreshments of cream and cake were served, and the young people bade the charming hostess a reluctant farewell.

The picnic season is now upon us with the usual accompaniments—fleas, mosquitoes; grass chiggers and gnats. But there is bushes of fun in a day's outing, anyhow.

Your home paper comes to you as an old friend and neighbor, telling you all the home news while the large city daily enters your house as a stranger. A local newspaper is absolutely necessary for local news.

The Public Invited.

A special meeting of the Woodmen of the World is called to meet in the National Union hall Friday night. Mr. W. R. Matthews, of Charlotte, "Special District Deputy" will be present and explain the object of the Woodcraft. The public is especially invited. J. H. WILLIS, Clerk.

EIGHT CAR LOADS OF

VEHICLES

Must be sold in 30 days. Sale going on now at Hickory, N. C.

This lot consists of different kinds as follows: Babcock Puggies and curries with rubber and steel tire. We have eight different kinds, Ticon Jones, Enger, Jewell, Rend, Rock Hill Old Hickory, Anchor and several other makes.

Three kinds of Wagons,

Studsaker, J. I. Nissen and Thornhill.

Any one in need of Harness or anything we have, come and see us.



We can save you money. Don't miss this opportunity.

You will have more stuff to select from than ever before. We can suit anybody. Come and see us. Terms: Cash, Note or Mortgage.

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HICKORY, N. C.

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My house has been loaded with temptations that was irresistible and the people who have missed this sale have missed a treat seldom offered in a place the size of Hickory. But REMEMBER that we will soon be ready to put on our new fall dress, and must make room by cleaning up all summer stock. We will make special prices on all light weight goods or wears for the

NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

Come right on expecting to find great bargains, you will not be disappointed.

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Organs, Organs!

Car Load of Farrand Organs Just Arrived.

We will give special prices for the next ten days, as we are compelled to make more room. Write us or call at our store, and we will show you the nicest line of Organs and Pianos ever shown in Western North Carolina.

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