

Business Builders.

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Morrison's Theatre has been moved to the Dr. Johnson building and is open every night.

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. Men wanted now for service in Cuba. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 15 West Trade St., Charlotte, N. C.; 26 1-2 South Main St., Asheville, N. C.; Bank Building, Hickory, N. C.; 417 1-2 Liberty St., Winston-Salem, N. C.; 126 1-2 North Main St Salisbury, N. C.; Glenn Building, Spartanburg, S. C.; Haynsworth and Conyer's Building Greenville, S. C.; or Kendall Building Columbia, S. C.

Two offices for rent over the Moretz building. Apply to C. T. Morrison.

SMOKE The Buck Cigar, the best.

Something worth seeing and hearing at Morrison's Theatre—every night this week.

WANTED—Card Room Hands, Spinners, Doffers, Wipers, Beamers and Weavers. Good wages, healthy location, stop Saturday at noon, pay for 6 days. Special inducements to people desiring to move to cotton mill. J. B. READLING, Highland Park Mfr. Co., Charlotte, N. C.

If you want to be entertained attend Morrison's Theatre. Hours from 6:30 to 11:30

Don't fail to attend to the Removal sale at The Morrison Bros. Co. They give 10 to 20 per cent discount this week on account of their removal sale.

Morrison Bros. Co., expect to move in their new building as soon as satisfactory arrangements can be made. Don't miss the Grab Sale.

Birthday Reception in Newton (Intended for last issue.)

On Monday afternoon last Miss Alice Summerow gave a reception to celebrate her 56th birthday. Invitations were sent out to numbers of friends out of as well as those in Newton. The Piedmont hotel was beautifully decorated in white and gold in honor of the occasion, the parlor, sitting-room and hall were gay with these colors gracefully arranged, the dining-room, with its flower-laden tables and the long perspective of garlands, streamers, bells, etc., in white and gold was beautiful. The long front verandah was also decorated, and in the evening, Japanese lanterns added their soft light to the effect. The beautiful presents of silver, china cut glass, linen, rugs, pictures, jewelry, etc., testified to the high regard and esteem felt for Miss Summerow by all who have witnessed her daily life.

Assisting in receiving and serving the guests were Mr. Beauregard Summerow and daughters, of Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Summerow of Hickory; Mrs. Love and Mrs. Connelley, of Wilmington; Misses Edith, Annie and Ruby Self. Mrs. Lee Summerow presided at the punchbowl, Mrs. Connelley had charge of the presents, and the Misses Self assisted by a number of pretty maidens and fairy-like little girls served the guests. The refreshments were delightful, the cake being such as they know how to make at the Piedmont House.

Mr. Beauregard Summerow won much praise for his ability as a decorative artist, all these matters being under his charge. The orchestra, led by Prof. Losh of Catawba College, added much to the pleasure of the evening. Miss Mildred Rowe is a fine accompanist.

Some 150 guests were present. "Miss Alice's" old friends hope her useful life may be spared to see "many happy returns of the day."

LOCAL

E. B. Jones spent Sunday with his family.

W. M. Bagby, Jr., spent Sunday in Morganton.

Earl Carpenter, of Hardin, was a Hickory visitor last week.

Mrs. S. F. Watson is spending a few days at Blowing Rock this week.

C. L. Green is spending a few days in Reidsville the guest of Mr. Jno. C. Morrison.

Morrison's theatre has been moved to the west corner building on Park Row.

Atty. A. A. Whitener spent a day or two in Lincolnton last week on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webb, of Mortimer, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dellinger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Martin have returned from an extended trip to Jamestown, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.

Carroll Bost spent Tuesday in Salisbury. He went to see the game of ball between the two crack teams of the South Atlantic League.

Proposed plans and surveys have been made to broaden Ellis street. This would improve matters wonderfully and should be done.

Mrs. T. W. Long, of Newton, and Mrs. Merrigan, of Memphis, Tenn., spent Monday in the city guests at the home of Mr. J. W. Blackwelder.

The Misses Mull and sister, Mrs. H. G. Alexander, of Drexel, came down Monday and spent the day shopping with Hickory merchants. The Democrat has a good list of readers at Drexel.

Mrs. Z. B. Buchanan has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. C. P. Moore, of Asheville. Rev. Moore will soon move his family West where he goes to engage in Evangelistic work.

A card from Mr. P. O. Carpenter stated that he and Mrs. Carpenter are at Thousand Island House, Alexandria Bay New York. They are visiting all the principle places in the noted state.

The many friends of Rev. Hobbs are sorry to hear that he is not improving any since he left Hickory for his home in Kentucky. He is now confined to his room and it is feared that he has tuberculosis.

Roy Abernethy, as alumni representative of Chapel Hill, attended the funeral of his friend, Romey Story, at Blowing Rock, Foy Robertson, of Chapel Hill, came up on No. 35 Saturday night and the two drove through the country for Blowing Rock.

Mrs. R. S. Cope, of Savannah, Ga., with two children and nurse is a guest of Mrs. Chadwick, arriving Tuesday at the recommendation of Mr. J. D. Elliott and Mr. Sherrill who have business associations with Mr. Cope.

The union meeting of the South Fork Baptist Association will be held in the Hickory Baptist church, beginning on Thursday evening of next week at 7:30 o'clock, with sermon by Rev. R. D. Carroll, pastor of the Baptist church of Newton. The services will be continued through Friday and Saturday and Sunday. The following is part of the program: Friday 9:30 a. m., devotional exercises; 10 a. m., periodicals will be discussed; 7:30 p. m., woman's work in the church; Saturday at 9:30 a. m., devotional exercises; 10 a. m., the layman's part in the evangelization of the world; 11 a. m., Christian education; 7:30 p. m., State missions; 9 p. m., the causes of poor attendance in the churches. All of these meetings are open to the public and all are cordially invited.

Lee E. Foil, of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting Carroll Bost.

Clement Bumgarner visited friends in Statesville last week.

Foye Roberston, of Chapel Hill, spent a few hours in the city Saturday.

Miss Hermine Little left Tuesday for Greenville, where she will enter the Chicoro College.

Mrs. Raymond Robinson is spending this week at Connelly Springs.

Miss Emma Pitts, of Catawba, has accepted a position as teacher at Claremont College.

Joe Murphy left last week for Chapel Hill where he will enter the study of medicine.

Wilson Warlick spent Sunday and Monday with his brother, T. M. Warlick, of Davidson College.

Mr. A. M. McIntosh, of Ocala, Fla., is spending a few days in the city shaking hands with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon H. Cilley and children left last Saturday for Philadelphia after spending ten days or more with his parents.

Parish Reunion and Special Sermon.

Next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. at the Church of the Ascension the pastor hopes to have every member of his congregation present, young and old. Special music and a sermon of interest to visitors as well as members will mark the occasion.

In the afternoon Mr. Moody and some of his parishioners will drive to Granite Falls for a service at 3:30 p. m.

Negro Hits Lady With a Bicycle.

Monday afternoon a negro lad was riding a bicycle on the streets. In an effort to pass one woman he suddenly ran into a lady of Charlotte who was just leaving the hotel. The boy became frightened and ran leaving his wheel where it had fallen. Policeman Yoder, who can also do several stunts in the running business, soon overhauled him and took him before the mayor. The boy stated that it was an accident and pled for the mercy of the court. The sentence was that he should spend four days of his worthless time working on the streets of Hickory.

Hickory Defeats Lenoir College

In a brilliant exhibition of the national game Hickory defeated the Lenoir College nine by a score of four to two. Neither nine was able to connect with the bewildering curves of the opposing twirlers until the latter half of the game, Suttlemyre, Hickory's young though exceedingly promising pitcher, had the college lads at his mercy. Mouser, the slab artist of Lenoir College, also a Hickory boy, was in fine trim and with a fiendish grin he watched his opponents cut the atmosphere in their heroic efforts to connect with the sphere. The features of the game were the pitching of Suttlemyre and Mouser, also several brilliant plays made by the fielders, with a three base hit by "Bull" of the Lenoir College team and two three-baggers by Bost and Bumgarner of the Hickory nine.

I wish to give notice that the tax books for 1907 are now in my hands and I will now proceed to collect for this year taxes as our schools are needing the money. P. P. Jones, City Tax Collector.

Morrison's Theatre is open every night in the week. Scenes are changed three times during the week. Changes are made Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. No scene will be shown more than two nights in a week. Admission, 10 cents; children 5 cents.

Savings Bank

Department of the First National Bank, Hickory, N. C.

Opens for business Sept. 1st, 1907

In connection with our Bank, we will open a Savings Department to provide a safe and profitable place for the earnings of all persons in either small or large amounts

Deposits of \$1.00 and up will be received, and a pass book given with the amounts entered therein, upon which interest will be paid

COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY

We invite you to open an account in our Savings Department, promising that you will receive every courtesy and consideration

If you are interested in an account of this kind, or if you have children and would like to open an account for them, thereby encouraging them to save, suppose you come in and let us talk to you about it.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Hickory, N. C.

CAPITAL STOCK	\$200,000.00
SURPLUS	20,000.00
SHARE HOLDERS LIABILITY	200,000.00
TOTAL RESPONSIBILITY	\$420,000.00

Death Claims a Little Child.

William Granville, the nine months old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fox, died at their home on Claremont Heights Tuesday morning at four o'clock.

The little one had been sick for some time and was a great care to its loving parents, they doing and having done all that human skill could do to spare the life of the dear little one, but at last death claimed him. The burial services were held from the home Wednesday morning.

Sleep on in thy beauty
Though sweet angel child,
By sorrow unblighted
By sin undefiled,
Like the bird of the ark
Though hast flown to thy rest,
From this wild sea of strife;
But laden with golden wheat.

BOONE.

Judge G. W. Ward has just closed the fall term of Watauga court. There were no cases of special interest.

Mrs. Annie G. Randall has just closed a two months' school at Blowing Rock. Mr. E. F. Stringfellow paid all the expenses and gave the school free to all the children.

Romey Story died at the home of his father on the Blue Ridge last Saturday morning. Mr. Story was a fine young man, and has just finished a course at the University and intended to turn to take a special course. During the summer he has played base ball throughout the South. He returned a month ago sick and had never improved. He was captain of the football and base ball teams at the University this year.

The enrollment at the Appalachian Training School has reached 86.

Hon. M. H. Yount was a Blowing Rock visitor last Sunday.

Mrs. Rena White Gilbert is visiting friends in Rock Hill, S. C.

W. H. Collins spent Monday in Newton on business.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease. Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease.

While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physician, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

What To Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When you write mention this paper and don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y.

Ideal food for children.

DR. PRICE'S WHEAT FLAKE CEREAL FOOD

makes the children plump and strong and prevents sour stomach and constipation. The best food for growing children, invalids and the aged.

For sale by all Grocers

Mr. J. Hardie Turner, the accomplished organist of Grace church, Morganton, is in town for a few days and will preside at the organ of the Episcopal church on Sunday.

Start the year right says little house-maid dont polish the old ones buy new ones



mrs. homelover:-

these long winter nights to come your family and friends will often gather together to pass a pleasant evening.

you believe in getting new clothes for yourself for fall, and don't you think it is about time your homes were getting some new clothes?

maybe your home would like some of these things? a bedroom suit, two or three nice rockers for the sitting room, a beautiful rug for the floor

yours truly,

W. O. Player's Furniture Store