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NOTICE.

By order of the Mayor and Board of Alderman of the City of Hickory, notice is hereby given that an annual election for Mayor, three Aldermen, and three School Trustees, will be held at the City Hall in said city, on Monday, the 6th day of May, 1912, and that J. H. Hatcher, A. P. Whisnaut, and L. S. Sherrill have been appointed as in-

spectors or judges of said election.

It was further ordered by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen that another e lection should be held on said date to determine whether or not an additional tax of ten cents on the hundred dollars of taxable property, and thirty cents on the pole, should be levied,—Which said tax, if so voted, should be used for Graded School purposes, and to be apportioned and used as directed by the Trustees of said Graded School.

All electors who favor the increase or the leveying of said tax; will vote a printed ballot "for the School tax," and those opposed to same, will vote printed ballot "against the school tax." It was further ordered by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen that a new registration be had, which said new registration should apply to both of the elections above named, and all electors desiring to vote in said elec tions will be required to register,— The registration books will be kept op en from the 3rd day of April, 1912. and remain open up to and including the4tl day of May, 1912, which said registration books will be kept open by W. L. Glin ard, the Secretary and Treasurer of the

J. A. Lentz, Mayor of the City of Hickory.
W. L. Clinard, Sec. and Treas.
A. A. Whitener, City Attorney.

City of Hickory, and by law, the regis

Municipal Primary Called.

By authority vested in the Executive Committee, we call a Primary to select candidates to be voted for on Monday,

May 6th.

Mayor for one year
Three Aldermen for two years
Three Scoool Trustees for two years. Primary to be held on Saturday, April 20th at the City Hall, from twelve noon to 7:30, Every voter is invited to take part in selecting these Officers.

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COUNTY NEWS

bad frost, the fruit stands a good *************

Chance. This is so far the case.

Thirteen hundred voters in Gatawba county have not yet paid their poll tax. All who do not provide the paid their poll tax. All who do lately.

Mr. Howard A. Banks spent Sunday in Asheville with his mother, who has not been well lately. not pay by May 1st. will not be able to vote this fall. - Newton

Summerow, has had a marvel- sonville. ous escape from death from poisoning, having secured medicine from a room in the Piedmont hotel, and even swallowed raw alcohol. Her mouth and throat were fearfully burned, but she is now considered past danger. -Newton News.

Endorses Mr. Shuford's Views.

preached another interesting and profitable sermon Sunday on pro-

on will be administered.

from the children's home at Win-power. ston-Salem will be here and give an entertainment Prof. H. A. Hays will be with them.

men's convention at Hickory are some good licks for the treasurer-

want to say right here, too, as Offertory-Good Night. have said heretofore in the Newton papers, that I think it is high time that Democrats should quit fighting each other, as it may work great harm to the party.! Just at this time there are stake and there is a great opportunity in these in the near future for us, both in the county, state and nation, if we will only take advantage of it and work in harmony together.

G. O. DRUM.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring, Just rub the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment and it will soon disappear. For sale by all dealers.

Southern Railway low Rates. The Southern Railway offers ex-

tremely low round trip rates to Macon, Ga., on account of Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans, May 7th-8th and 9th, 1912.

tickets to Macon, Ga., on May 5-6-7 of final limit until June 5th by per sonally depositing ticket with special agent at Macon not later than May 15th and upon payment of 50 cents per ticket at time of depositing. Stop overs will be permitted at Atlanta and cf South Carolina said: "I have used ticket, either going or returning trip, or both, depositing ticket with agent at points of stop over. Arrangements have been made to sell side trip tickets from Macon to large numbers within a radius of five hundred miles at greatly reduced rates. The following will round hrip rates apply from stations named:

Statesville \$7.30 Hickory 7.50 Morganton 7.80 Mocresville 7.00 Cornelius 7.30 Newton 7.30 Shelby 6,30 Rutherfordton -6.00 Forest City

Reduced round trip rates on same basis from all other stations on Southern Railway. Arrangements are now being made for the operation of two special trains to take care of the movement from North Carolina, one starting at Raleign and one at Charlotte. N. C., leaving Charlotte about 7:30 p. m., Monday, May 6th, arriving at Macon early Tuesday morning, May 7th. These trains will consist of first class coaches and Pullman Sleeping cars, exact schedule to be announced latter. Passengers from branch line points can use regular trains to junction points, connecting at such junction points with the special trains.

For detailed information in connection with rates, reservations, schedules, etc., apply to any agent, or. R H. DEBUTTS,

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The Enterprise says that Mr. Grover, Cleveland Little succeeds Mr. L. H. Phillips, resigned, as cashier of the Shuford National Bank.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL. +

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilfong returned to the city last Saturday, after an absence of ten days Little Lalie Summerrow, 3- visiting friends and relatives in ear-old daughter of Mrs. Lee Columbia, Savannah and Jack-

Mr. C. W. Ellington, proprietor of the City Bakery, has put in one of the prettiest soda fountains ever seen in this section and will serve his customers with cold drinks this summer.

The California Fruit Co. has put in a beautiful soda fountain, recently shipped from Chicago. Their tables are due to arrive this week and they will have one Newton, April 15. -Our popular of the prettiest ice cream parlors in the State.

The revival services at the West Hickory Methodist church are growing in interest. Rev. On next Sunday the commun- O. P. Routh is being assisted by Rev. Geo. Fink of Whitnel. Mr. Wednesday's class of Orphans Fink is an evangelist of great

The Democrat has received a handsome invitation to the com-The delegatess to the Lay mencement of the N. C. Medical College May 5. Among this Mr. A. J. Barwick, G. H. Philips year's graduates are Glenn Long, of Conover, and Brady Milas Raymer, of Eufola,

Rev. J. D. Harte pastor of, the first Baptist church preached the I want to endorse those fine annual sermon to the Hickory views laid down in last week's Commandery Knights Templar Democrat by my friend and fel No. 17, Sunday Apr. 7 at 11 a. low-Democrat, Mr. E. L. Shuford m. A special musical program as a good foundation on which to was rendered as follows: Prelude build the Catawba County Demo- -- l'annhauser March. Anthemcratic platform. I believe that come see the place where the every Democrat and Republicar, Lord lay. Miss Kathryn Gwalttoo, for that matter, could readily ney, soloist. Solo—Awake Trium. stand on such a platform. And phant Morn, Mrs. J. D. Harte.

Almost A Miracle

One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B, Holsclaw, Clarendon, Tex., was party. Just at this time there are great, as well as grand, issues at had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for coughs, and colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50c and \$100. Trial bottle free at C. M. Shuford, Moser & Lutz, Grimes Drug Co.

A Former Hickory Boy Given Florida Honors.

John F. Setzer representative to the State Council of the Junior On account of this occasion the Order of American Mechanics, re-Southern Railway will sell round trip turned this morning, by way of Tampa, from Plant City. Mr. and 8th 1912, with final return limit Setzer was elected Warden of the May 15th with privilege of extension State Council and placed on the finance committee .-- St. Petesburg. (Fla.) Evening Indepen-

A Good Doctor

several other points within limit of Dr. King's Remedies a great deal in my practice and find that they give perfect satisfaction on both myself and patients. I heartily reccommend them. W. R. Clyburd, M. D." And they still grow in favor because

they cure. Guaranteed by all medicine dealers.

The cotton has been rolling in and the fertilizer rolling out this week. Wednesday Mr. William Whisnant, one of the county's biggest farmers, came in with 22 bales of the staple, and other lots almost as large have been sold here. The farmers have been taking advantage of every minute of fair weather to hustle up their delayed work. Newton

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are re-sponsible for much sickness and suffering, therefore, if kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results are most likely to follow. Your other organs may need at-tention, but your kidneys most, because they do most and should have attention

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A team of nine men goes to Gastonia on the 22nd to represent the local military company the rifle shooting. Keever has been detailed as assistant range officer. Mr. Seapoch at practice this week

Mrs.Strachan, and little daughter, or Salisbury, visited Mrs. K. C. Menzies last week.

We are requested to say that Guy Kennedy didn't go the warehouse and get the cap that huit him by explosion, as intimated in our last issue, but that it was brought to him by another boy.



made 47 and Mr. Newton 45 out

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