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Judging by the looks of some husbands, it would seem that their wives married them merely to keep out of the spinster class.

Many a young man falls in love with a girl who doesn't exist, soon finding that it is a case of mistaken identity.

Notice to Taxpayers

After March 1st another penalty of 1 per cent will be added to all City Taxes still unpaid. Call and take up your receipt at once if you wish to save this additional penalty.

John W. Ballew
City Manager.

Society

Mrs. A. T. Hannon of Montgomery, Ala., left Saturday for Monroe after spending ten days as the charming guest of Mrs. E. L. Shuford.

Miss Sellers Entertains
Miss Virginia Sellers was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Entre Nous Club. Miss Louise Jones was a guest. After an hour spent pleasantly in sewing the hostess served delicious two course refreshments. Miss Constance Bost will have the next meeting.

Miss Seagle Hostess
The Hickory Music Club was delightfully entertained last evening by Miss Essie Seagle. There was a large attendance of the members. Musical current events were answered at roll call. The hostess read a short paper on each of the three composers for the evening, Bond, Salter and King. The following program was given:

"Shadows," by Carrie Jacobs
"Lind" was sung by Miss Margaret McComb.
"Chimney Swallows," by Bond, played by Mrs. J. H. Hatcher.
"The Cry Of Rachel," by Salter, sung by Mrs. Karl Patterson.
"Impromptu," by Julie R. ne King was played by Mrs. G. W. Hall.
"Sunset in the Great Desert," by Bond, played by Mrs. W. B. Menzies.
"His Buttons are Marked U. S.," by Bond, was sung by Mrs. Karl Patterson.

Mrs. G. N. Hutton, the secretary, read a letter from Umberto Sorrentino, saying how sorry he was that he was unable to come here and give his concert.

On account of the broken English he speaks, the construction of his sentences caused much merriment. He also enclosed a photograph of himself. He has a remarkably fine face which is quite a drawing card. An open meeting of the club was also discussed. A salad course with ice tea and candy was served before adjournment to meet next with Mrs. George Bailey.

VARIETY OF ITEMS GATHERED IN NEWTON

Newton, Feb. 29.—The Bost school house was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon an hour after school had been dismissed for the week, the fire supposedly catching from the flue. New desks to the value of \$120 were burned. The building was an old one, and a new one will be built during the summer. The loss of the desks and the sudden termination of the term are greatest damage caused. One of the best schools in the county was being conducted by Jerry Mundy and Miss Bertha Cline. The Bost school about 18 years ago lost its building by fire.

Next Tuesday Conover graded school district will vote on \$10,000 of school bonds. The registration closed Saturday and wound up with a warm flourish. Citizens here yesterday said that the issue had stirred much interest and the fight was hot. The act calling for the election fixes no tax, the school tax voted depended upon to maintain the school and pay the bond interest. This is 30 and 90 cents; and of course cannot be increased without a vote of the people of the district.

Fred Lowrance was awarded the contract for the new Schrum building Friday afternoon when L. A. Carpenter, guardian for the estate, received and opened bids, the price being approximately \$8,600. Several bids were placed among them being one from David Cecil of Lexington, who has done contract work here before. The old building on the site is to be removed shortly. J. F. Smyre who occupies part of it, will move into the rear of the Abernethy and Thompson store. R. W. Cline, who has a pool room in the place, was still wondering where he would move to yesterday. Business places for rent are not to be had in town at this time.

DR. CLARK BACK FROM DAVIDSON MEETING

The Rev. J. M. Clark has returned from Davidson College, where he held an eight days' meeting which was well attended and the results very encouraging. Eleven additions were made to the church and 13 persons made profession. About 250 reconsecrations resulted also and 20 families were added to the family altar league of the Southern Presbyterian church. The college boys attended the meeting in large numbers and took a fine interest in it, the attendance being large at each service. Dr. Clark is an alumnus of Davidson, graduating 30 years ago, and it was a double pleasure for him to be there.

There is some good in everybody. You are no exception to this rule.

The law provides more ways of escaping punishment than in inflicting it.

It is not difficult to retain your friends if you are expert in accepting favors.

NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of City Manager by the City Council of the City of Hickory until March 6th, 1917, at 7:30 p. m., for the erection and completion of an Electric Power line, approximately 12,000 feet, consisting of No. 6 triple grade weather proof wire and three 15 K. W. transformers from 2200 to 220 volts, two single throw triple pole switches, six single pole lightning arrestors, one starting compensator, one ammeter. Details of above construction can be obtained by applying at the office of City Manager.

City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Certified check for \$100.00 must accompany each bid until satisfactory bond is given for completion of the work.

JOHN W. BALLEW,
City Manager

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, **DRIVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC**, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 5c.

Local and Personal

Mr. S. A. Whitener of Kidsville, Lincoln county, was in the city Monday.

The weather is about right for planting, but in most places the ground is too wet.

The Rev. Rush Pagett will conduct the prayer meeting at the First Baptist church, Wednesday night. The public is cordially invited.

The Rev. J. B. Pruitt's sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning is receiving many compliments as being the real, genuine article, without mixture or white wash.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shell spent Sunday in Newton, visiting Rev. and Mrs. Fulmer, whose little daughter is quite ill with pneumonia. They report it better.

The Rev. J. C. Koeplin, formerly of Detroit, who is temporarily located at Claremont, is in the city. Mr. Koeplin is a member of the Ohio Lutheran synod and it is hoped he will make this section his home permanently.

The Rev. C. A. Rhyne of Drexel was in the city Monday on his way to Gastonia. He says his churches gave him the heaviest pounding the other day he ever had. It felt good, and he thinks he can live bountifully for three months.

DEATH OF MRS. SHERWOOD
The body of Mrs. A. C. Sherwood, aged about 28 years, who died Monday in a Hendersonville sanatorium, passed through Hickory today on No. 22, being carried to Durham for burial.
Mrs. Sherwood is well remembered in Hickory as Miss Lillie Ury, and was the foster daughter of the late John Fisher. About three years ago she was happily married to Rev. A. C. Sherwood, a Baptist minister, who lives at Durham. She had been ill with tuberculosis since last October, and a few months ago entered the sanatorium for treatment in the hope of regaining her health. Her death caused sorrow to her many friends here.

INGENIOUS LETTER BOXES

"One sees mail boxes in operation in Hungary, both in cities and small towns, that are the last word in efficiency, and they are certainly good to look at as to the design," says F. R. Schlesinger. "It was fourteen years ago that I saw them, and they had then been in operation for many years, and I have yet to see anything better in any part of the world."

"The letter boxes are such that one does not have to lift any part of them in order to drop the letter. There is a wide slot, both sides, protected by brass flaps working on hinges, so that the letter drops down without any possibility of becoming stuck near the top in the lift, as in our boxes. Furthermore, the letter carrier does not touch any letter when he takes the mail out. He has a bag with a locked steel oblong automatic top, the key to which is the postoffice.
"This top of the bag is slid into a slot at the bottom of the mail box, which opens automatically and can only be opened by the insertion of this specially prepared bag. By virtue of this the entire bottom of the mail box rolls back and the contents drop straight down into the bag. Upon removal of the bag by sliding it outward the bottom of the box slides back into place and locks automatically, as well as the bag with its automatic top."—New York World.

NOTICE

Sale of Real Estate
Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Catawba county, made in a special proceedings therein instituted, wherein Mrs. Emma C. Hamrick and another are plaintiffs, and Mabel Hamrick and others defendants, the undersigned commissioner will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the First National Bank, Hickory, N. C., on Saturday, March 31, 1917 at 1:30 o'clock p. m., the following real estate; being a part of what is known as the Lutheran Seminary property and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the West side of a 20 ft. alley where said alley intersects with Eighth avenue and thence S. 89 W. 149 ft. to a stake, thence N. 89 E. 149 ft. to a stake, thence N. 69 E. 149 ft. to a stake on the West margin of said 20 ft. alley, thence N. with said margin of said alley 46 poles to the beginning.

This the 26th day of February 1917.

M. H. YOUNT,
Commissioner

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS SALE OF LAND

North Carolina, Catawba county.

Geo. W. Fox, administrator of J. M. Fox, deceased

vs
W. G. Fox, R. A. Moretz, D. M. Moretz, E. L. Brown, E. W. Brown, J. C. Fox, Ed. Robinson and A. T. Fox, heirs at law of J. M. Fox, (deceased.)

Under and by virtue of an order from the Superior court of Catawba county in a special proceeding in the above entitled cause, I, D. L. Russell the undersigned commissioner, will on Saturday the 10th day of March 1917, in front of the First National Bank of the City of Hickory, N. C., at 2 o'clock p. m. resell the following real estate, to the highest bidder for cash, (the same having been sold at prior sale and the bid having been raised ten per cent.)

First: Lots numbers 54, 55, 56, 57, next to Townsend property according to plot of same by Yoder, registered in book of plots No. 1, page 26, Register of Deeds office Catawba county, said lands lying and being in the Northern boundaries of the city of Hickory. Also a certain lot S. E. of the city of Hickory, known as lot No. 19, of White Oak Park, being part of the land known as the Stallings place, surveyed by Yoder for Campbell and Buchanan.
D. L. RUSSELL,
Commissioner

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On the Corner
Phones 17 and 317

WEST HICKORY NEWS

West Hickory, Feb. 27.—The material for the new knitting mill is being delivered on the grounds near the graded school. Work on the building will begin in a short while.

Mr. Will Shook moved here from Morganton last week and is running a restaurant in the new store building of Mr. S. Z. Parker.

The Ivey Mill is now changing part of the looms on two harness plain work. There will be 100 looms on plain work and 300 still on sateen.

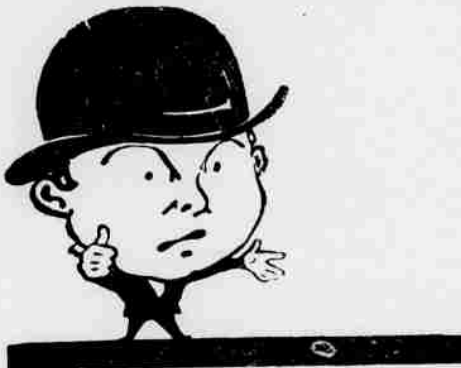
Mr. G. C. Wilson visited his brother, Mr. T. C. Wilson in East Hickory Sunday.

Mr. Bryson Carswell of Altavista, Va., is visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Williams of Morganton is spending a few days here with Mrs. M. J. Lackey.
Mr. Gaither Cook and family and Miss Fannie Smith spent Sunday at Brookford attending a singing school. Miss Margaret Milton spent Sunday at Brookford with her parents.
T. J. L.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION MASONIC LODGE TONIGHT

There will be a special communication of Hickory lodge, No. 143 A. F. and A. M., tonight and all members and visiting Masons are invited to be present. The blue lodge is growing rapidly and more members than ever are taking part in the work.



There's no need to be undecided like this man—he's wondering what to specify and use on his new house.

Some tell him lead and oil are the right painting materials.

Others say zinc is the only thing.

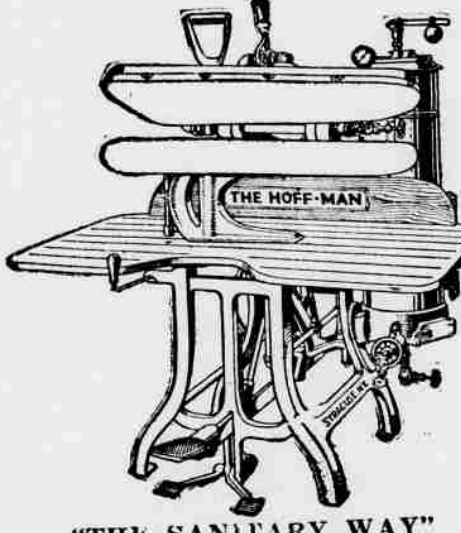
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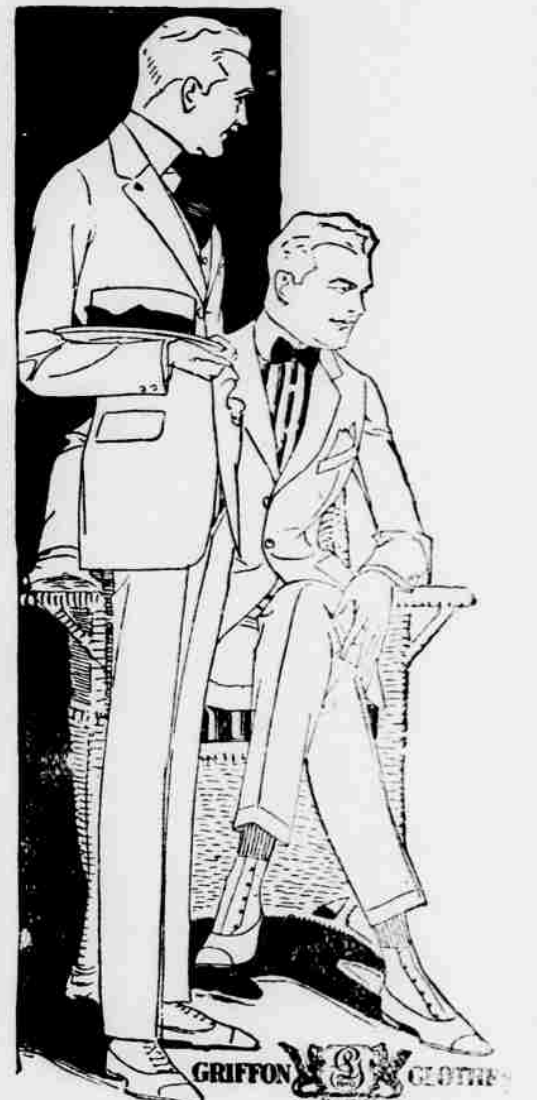
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Inauguration Special To Washington, D. C., Via Southern Railway System, Sunday, March 4th 1917.

Southern Railway System will operate Special Train from North Carolina points to Washington, D. C., Sunday, March 4th, 1917, account inauguration of President Wilson. This train will consist of Standard Pullman, Sleeper cars and high class day coaches to leave Charlotte at 7:45 p. m., arriving Washington at 7:00 a. m., Monday, March 5th.

The following round trip fares will apply from stations named below:

FROM	Statesville	11.75
Charlotte	-----	\$12.35
Salisbury	-----	11.00
High Point	-----	9.95
Greensboro	-----	9.50
Hickory	-----	12.70
North Wilkesboro	-----	12.75
Mt. Airy	-----	11.60
Albemarle	-----	11.90
Winston-Salem	-----	10.40
Siler City	-----	11.30

Fares from all intermediate points, same basis.

In addition to the above train and date, tickets will be sold March 1st to 4th inclusive, with final limit returning to reach original starting point before midnight of March 10th, 1917 or by personally depositing tickets with W. H. Howard, Special Agent, Terminal Station, Washington, D. C., on or before March 10th and upon payment of \$1.00 and extension may be secured so as to reach original starting point before midnight of April 10th, 1917.

Sleep-overs will be permitted at all points within final limit of ticket.

The inauguration of the President of the United States is an event, one should not miss.

Pullman reservations should be made in advance.

For full and complete information on Pullman reservations, etc consult nearest Agent of the Southern Railway System, or write

S. E. BURGESS, D. P. A.
Charlotte, N. C.