## LIFE SKETCH OF ADAM BROYLES, A GRAND LANDMARK

Passes Away After 87 Years of Active Life.

A PROMINENT MAN IN SOCIAL, COMMERCIAL AND RELI-GIOUS LIFE.

The Knoxville Journal and Tribune of Monday contains the following sketch of Hon. Adam Broyles, a notice of whose death was published in yesterday's Citizen:

East Tennessee is a land of those very earnest characters, who, by the zeal of their life's work, have ever been called picturesque. One by one those grand old landmarks are being removed, the Hon. Adam Broyles being the latest to join those who have gone before him. It was only last Monday that Mr. Broyles answered the summons, and then came a rest after 87 years of active life. Many of the older citizens recall the grand old Broyles homestead at Broylesville, Tenn., where was accorded that genial hospitality, that gentle influence for better things that so marked the southern home life before the war. His station in life was one of prominence socially, commercially and religiously. Any public or private enterprise in which good could evidently be accomplished had as a foremost supporter Adam Broyles. With such motives as a stimulus it is little wonder that he became the sturdy old oak that he did. Broylesville was the stopping point

for travelers bound north and south before railroads and it was one of the very great pleasures of the trip to visit the stately mansion and experience the genuine sincerity of the host with the courtly manners and warm welcome. It became a spot known most favorably all over the southern states. No man was ever turned from his door without some impetus to make more of life, nor without a cordial "Come again. Farewell."

As a public benefactor, it is well to note that he was one of the promoters and original charter members of the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia railroad, now the Southern. The origin of a railroad is always fraught with financial reverses and this first one in East Tennessee was no exception. It was during those trying times that Adam Broyles showed his faith in the future of the state by pledging his entire estate, with two other directors, to raise \$250,000 to save the road from disaster and to add to the prospects of an early completion of

As a merchant, Mr. Broyles was the proprietor of the largest business, undoubtedly of upper east Tennessee. The horrors of civil war soon broke upon the country, and being a warm supporter of the cause of the land of his nativity, he placed all his vast fortune at the disposal of those in authority and when the cause was lost, he lost with it, standing staunch to the very

Mr. Broyles was born at Broylesville, Washington county, Tenn., May 11, 1813. He was married twice; his first wife was Miss Horton of North Carolina. She died in 1880. A few years ago, he married a sister of Rev. Dr. R. N. Price, and moved to Virginia on a grand blue grass farm near Glade Springs. An ideal place it was to rest after a long life of unselfish usefulness. He died there May 15, 1900. His remains were brought to Limestone, Tenn., and buried in the old churchyard near where he had worshipped so long. His wife survives him, four children by his first marriage, Edwin A. Broyles of Knoxville; Mrs. Sallie Dilworth of Dallas, Tex.; Courtney Broyles of California, and Mrs. Oseola Sitgreaves of Bristol, to whom a grateful people extend sympathy akin only to a loss of stronger and more lasting ties than friendship alone.

### FAIRVIEW DEMOCRATS ELECT DELEGATES

CRAIG FOR THE HOUSE AND WEBB FOR SOLICITOR.

Fairview, N. C., May 21.-A large crowd of enthusiastic Democrats of Fairview township was called to order by Chairman Julius A. Wray on Saturday afternoon. Unusual interest was noted, there being a very large crowd in attendance. It was in order to appoint delegates to go to the county convention next Saturday. The following were selected: Will Lynch, R. W. Cooper, Henry Vehorn, Jim Sherrill, Julius A. Wray, Ed. Williams, R. A. Morgan; alternates, R. C. Clayton, W. J. Meiton, Z. V. Williams, J. M. rendered hard and unfit to plough. A Shuford, Craton Earley, G. N. Pen- most desirable and satisfactory change land, W. A. Merrell.

Locke Craig was unanimously nominated by acclamation for the legislature, and Charles A. Webb was nominated by acclamation for solicitor of the Criminal court.

A new executive committee of five was elected as follows: R. C. Clayton, R. W. Cooper, S. P. Young, J. S. Williams and Julius A. Wray, who was reelected chairman.

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# SPECIAL BARGAINS IN MANY LINES.

N IMMENSE STOCK OF SEASONABLE HIGH CLASS GOODS, AT A PRICE TO ATTRACT CLOSE BUYERS.

## IN MILLINERY

A special line of new goods received at greatly reduced prices. Fine line new soft felt walking hats. New style trimmed sailors. ( New shapes, Baby Caps and furnishings. Trimmed hats at half price. \$1.25 fine rough straw Sailors at 75c. \$1.00 fine rough straw sailors at 50c.

50c. fine rough straw sailors at 29c.

#### RIBBONS, FLOWERS AND CHIFFON LININGS IN ABUNDANCE.

Four dozen misses', in rough straw, trimmed hats. Special value

178 gross pearl buttons, regular price 10c. dozen. All you want at ? 1-2c. dozen, or 5c. card, two dozen on card.

The time for cleaning out goods at a price has arrived. Some nighty good things must go. On two special tables, in wash goods department, you'll find bargains of good goods for suitable uses. 50 pieces corded Dimity Lawns, worth 9c., at 5c. yard.

25 pieces assorted lawns, dimities and cords, worth 15c., at 10c.

50 pieces fine 36-inch Percales, good colors, worth 10c., at 6c. yard. A new lot of the fine English Dimities received. The 25c, kind at 19c. yard; the 19c. kind at 15c.yard.

## OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF FANCY SILKS ON SPECIAL SALE TABLE SATURDAY MORNING AT HALF PRICE.

\$1.25 kind at 63c. yard, and so on all through the stock. Received and on sale a choice line of Black Taffetas and Peau de Sole Silks, for skirts and waists. Taffetas of good reliable manufacture, 69c., 79c., 89c., and \$1.50 yard.

22-inch very fine "PEAU DE SOIE," special \$1.00 yard.

Fancy parasols for children, 25c. to \$1.00 each.

Fine Embroideries at 8c.; reduced from 12c., 15c. and 18c. yard. Fine embroideries at 15c.; reduced from 20c., 25c. and 35c. yard. Fancy parasols; all new and stylish goods, \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

## STERLING SILVER NOVELTIES

About 300 pieces at half price; 25c. each, first counter notion side.

Special line of new laces. Allover laces, yokings and nets, third counter, notion side. Allover laces 49c. to \$3.50 yard.

A good line of plain white lawn waists at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.88. Nicely made goods; reasonably priced.

## WHITE PK.

10 pieces very choice corded P. K.; elegant goods. Reduced to 25c. yard. Special value. Fine line lace stripe P. K. at 29c., 39c., 50c and 59c. yard.

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#### GOVERNMENT REPORT ON CROP AND WEATHER

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MON-DAY NIGHT.

Raleigh, N. C., May 23 .- The United States crop and weather report for the week ended last night was issued today. It says the first half of the week was characterized by continued temperatures above 90 degrees and the warm, dry weather, with maximum daily mean averaging 10 degrees above the normal; in fact 'he drought was becoming quite serious; grains, meadows and gardens were considerably injured; the growth of staple crops was checked, and the soil in many sections in the weather conditions took place Thursday evening, when clouds collected and showers began which continued until Sunday, accompanied by a moderate change to lower temperaures. In portions of only four countles, namely, Randolph, Davidson, Gaston and Iredell, was the rainfall excessive and injurious to lands and erops by washing; elsewhere it come

rains broke the drouth just in time to prevent serious damage to crops, relved vegetation wonderfully, and was undoubtedly of inestimable benefit to agricultural interests. The soil was softened and fitted for working; meadows and clover were refreshed; the moisture was extremely necessary for wheat and oats, which are heading and plump grains are now assured; late planted corn and cotton have germinated and come up nicely, and all small plants have started into vigorous growth. Crop prospects have greatly improved during the past few days and farmers are much encouraged. Tansplanting tobacco advanced more actively in north central and western counties during the favorable seasons latter part of the week. There is still some corn to be planted, chiefly on lowlands in the western portion of the state; the stand of corn is somewhat irregular, but most of the crop has received its first cultivation and the plants look well. Irish potatoes are excellent, but the damage by bugs is increasing. Large numbers of sweet potato sprouts were set and are growing vigorously. Wheat continues the best of the small grains. Gardens and truck crops are doing well. Grapes are coming into bloom.

SPECIAL NOTICES-If you have in gentle showers and averaged about anything to sell or wish to buy any-WALTER TOMS WRAY, Secretary. an inch for the state at large. The thing say so in Special Notices.



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List of Those Who Will Help in the Movement.

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IN MAY, 1901.

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This list will be kept standing in The Citizen until the whole amount of \$25. 000 has been subscribed, so that the peo. ple of Asheville may know what citizens are putting their shoulders to the wheel of civic progress. The amount already raised in a short

time and with so little effort is an as-surance that the auditorium will be The list will be added to from day to

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## Trustee's Notice.

Hay, ton ...... \$19 to \$21

Celery, per dozer .... 90 to \$1.29

By virtue of the provisions of a certain deed of trust executed to me by A. B. Hawkins and wife, M. J. Hawkins, on the 19th day of April D. 1899, to secure the payment of a note given by them to W. W. Zachary, and default having been made in the payment of said note, I will on THE 24TH DAY OF JUNE A. D. 1900. at 12 o'clock m., at the court house door in the city of Asheville, Buncombe county, N. C., offer for sale, for cash, to satisfy said note, the following described lot or parcel of land, situated in Leicester township, said county, on the waters of Turkey creek and bound. ed as follows: Beginning on a red oak on John Plemmons' line, J. Hawkins' corner, and runs north

degrees east 9 poles to a large white oak; thence south 77 degrees east 18 poles to a pine; thence south 67 degrees east 24 poles to a stake; thence south 16 69 degrees east 12 poles to a stake thence south 40 degrees east 20 poles to a stake at forks of road; thence down the road towards Sandy Mush and with its meanders 82 poles to a stake, A. B. Hawkins' corner; thence west with his line 80 poles to Plemmons' line; thence south 48 poles to his corner, containing by estimation 28 acres, more or less. The said deed in trust is registered

in Book No. 45, on page 496 of trust deeds in register's office of Buncombe This 16th day of May, 1900. T. N. JAMES.

A. TENNENT,

Architect and Contractor habiting and themere

DEEDS OF TRUST. DEEDS OF CONVEYANCE Blanks CHATTEL MORTONOLS SEARCH WARRANTS. STATE WARRANTS. EXECUTIONS SUMMONS.

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