

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS

Local Items Too Short for a Head  
Grouped Together.

Mr. I. C. Blackwood, of Spartanburg, was in our hamlet on East Monday.

Mr. A. D. Clement, of Spartanburg, was in our town last Thursday on business.

We are informed that the phone soon be here. Hurrah, we want to call Saluda.

We saw quite a number of families around the court house on Monday of last week.

Commissioner A. E. Jones was in town Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Sheriff Robertson, of Saluda, was in town Monday and Tuesday of last week with us.

C. Hampton went to Spartanburg this week on business.

Sheriff Robertson reports unusual promptness in tax paying this year, or in other words, the delinquent list is unusually small.

R. C. Champion wishes us to thank the people of Columbus and on for their kindness to himself and family in their afflictions and bereavements.

We regret having misplaced the proof for publication from Abilene last week. It did not go into the basket, but got lost. Write to us.

Don't wait too long to send in your communications. If you want them published on time send them in time; not later than Monday.

Later than this your letter is liable to wait a week, when the issue it contains may be out of date.

L. Henderson and family have been off on an extended visit to relatives in south east Polk and perhaps visit relatives in S. C. before returning.

B. Jackson, one of Polk's best young men was married to Miss Jones, on Feb. 2nd, 1902, at home of the bride's father. News extends to them its best congratulations.

The people of Columbus enjoyed splendid entertainment at the Central Industrial Institute on last night, given by Mr. J. G. Ches on his graphophone.

The good people of Polk County often give three cheers for the white and blue, but on one day last week the editor received five for THE POLK COUNTY NEWS and for THE NEWS.

Somewhere it will be seen that young editor of THE NEWS calculates himself on having read "five chairs" on subscription list. By the way, these are small ones for children. Some one says, "is the editor going to get a widow?"

Stain Presbyterian Church, Rutherford County, is the place named by the Board of Trustees, the location of the proposed school, to be under the control of the Presbyterian churches of Cleveland, Rutherford and Polk counties. "Westminster High School" is the name chosen. Ground was broken at an early day for erection of suitable buildings. Mr. Cloud, a young man from this place, but who has been in Asheville for the past year, came home last Tuesday to spend a few days with his mother and sisters. We are glad to see his smiling face.

Monday of last week the coins of Polk County loaded with the coinage of silver fired into the News office. But the office being on the alert, rushed to a private room and loaded the subscription list and we are shouting the news right into the homes. We have not heard of anyone being wounded.

Attorney Geo. C. Justice, of Rutherford, was in town this week on professional business. His friends were glad to see his smiling face.

Miss Byrd McFarland who has been chief book-keeper at the Hosiery Mill for quite a long time is now taking a vacation. Many friends are glad to see her back at home again.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

North Carolina, } In Superior Court.  
Polk County, }  
J. B. Thomson and wife Mary Thomson.  
Erwin Johnson, husband of Dora Johnson.  
Dora Johnson,  
Anney Garret,  
Henry Garret,  
Curtis Garret,  
Essie A. Thomson,  
Marie I. Thomson,  
Infants by their  
next friend  
W. M. Justice.

EX PARTE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Polk County in an ex parte proceeding entitled as above, rendered Jan. 22nd, 1902. I will offer for sale within the legal hours of sale on Monday, March 3d, 1902, at public outcry at the court house door in Columbus, the following described lands: Lying and being in White Oak township, Polk County, North Carolina. Adjoining lands of J. R. Williams, T. D. Garret, W. M. Justice, N. B. Hampton and others, and described as follows:

Tract No. 1, conveyed by Allen Tabor to L. H. Garret, in a deed dated April 19th, 1870, lying on both sides of Silver Creek and bounded as follows:

Beginning on a post oak on the north side of the Ridge Road, leading from Turner's mill to the Mills Gap Road, thence north 8, east 22 poles to a sour wood; thence north 48, east 20 poles to a pine; thence north 4, west 30 poles to a sour wood; thence north 69, west 27 poles to a red oak; thence north 23, west 22 poles to a black oak; thence north 41, west 8 poles to a post oak; thence north 36, west 50 poles to a stone, and pointers on top of the hill; thence west to Spruce's line; then with said line to a black oak, the beginning corner of the Blockville tract; thence with Spruce's line, least 82 poles to a stake in the Ridge Road; thence with the meanders of said road to the beginning; containing one hundred acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2, conveyed by Allen Tabor to L. H. Garret in a deed dated June 4th, 1873, and bounded as follows: Beginning on a post oak on the north side of the Ridge Road, thence north 8, east 22 poles to a sour wood; thence north 48, east 20 poles to a pine; thence north 4, west 30 poles to a sour wood; thence north 69, west 27 poles to a red oak; thence north 23, west 22 poles to a black oak; thence north 41, west 8 poles to a post oak; thence north 30, west 50 poles crossing creek to a stone and pointers on top of hill; thence north 55, east 60 poles, crossing creek to a spanish oak in Turner's line; thence north 28, east 5 poles to a pine; thence north 68, east 16 poles to a pine; thence north 77, east 18 poles to a black oak; thence north 82, east 7 poles to a pine and post oak on top of Ridge; thence south 24, east 28 poles to a red oak; thence south 48 poles to a hickory, speculation corner, thence east 55 poles to a pine, T. D. Garret's corner; thence with Garretts line along the Ridge Road with its meanders to the beginning; containing one hundred acres, more or less.

Tract No. 3, conveyed by Asbury Jackson, executor of Vincent Spruce, to L. H. Garret, in a deed dated Dec 25th, 1880, and bounded as follows: Beginning on a white oak, thence north 190 poles to a post oak; thence west 92 poles to a red oak; thence south 190 poles to a stake, thence to a maple; thence north 77, east 94 poles to the beginning; containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The terms of said sale will be one half cash and balance on twelve months time, or cash, at the option of the purchaser.  
This Jan. 24th, 1902.  
J. E. SHIPMAN,  
Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

North Carolina, } In Superior Court  
Polk County, } before Clerk,  
M. C. Paine and wife Laura Paine.  
Wm. Moore and wife Lillie Moore.  
W. R. Paine and wife Lila Paine.  
Jefferson Mills and wife Bennie Mills.  
Charles Petty,  
Angusta Petty,  
Elizabeth Petty,  
Alonzo Petty,  
Gay Petty,  
Infants by their next friend  
T. C. Hampton.

EX PARTE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Polk County in an ex parte proceeding entitled as above, brought by the heirs at law of Guy Petty, deceased to sell real estate for division, Jan. 27th, 1902. I will offer for sale, within the legal hours of sale, on Monday, March 3d, 1902, at public outcry, at the court house door in Columbus, the following described lands: lying

and being in Columbus township, Polk County, North Carolina, adjoining lands of N. B. Hampton, J. M. Hamilton's heirs and others, and bounded as follows:

Tract No. 1. Beginning on a spanish oak and runs north 84, east 62 poles to a stake; thence south 2, east 61 1-2 poles to a stake in Columbus road; thence with the road north 60, west 34 poles to a stake; thence north 66, west 32 poles to a stake; thence north 85, west 5 poles to a stake; thence north 2, west 18 poles to beginning. Containing 14 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2. Beginning on a spanish oak and runs north 25, east 30 poles to a spanish oak; thence north 52, east 7 poles to a black gum; thence south 10, east 86 poles to a post oak; thence north 84, east 20 poles to a spanish oak; thence south 2, east 18 poles to a stake in Columbus road; thence north 85, west 11 poles to cross roads; thence with the Jones road north 38, west 26 poles to a stake; thence with a road 54 poles to beginning. Containing 14 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 3. Conveyed by Dr. W. B. Walker and wife to Guy Petty, in a deed dated Jan. 15th, 1883, and bounded as follows: Beginning on a pine stump on road side and runs north 20, west 12 2-3 poles to a stake and pointers on road side; thence south 70, west 46 poles to a water oak; thence south 56, east 11 poles to a poplar, Walker's corner; thence with his line to beginning. Containing 3 and 1-10 acres, more or less.

The terms of sale will be one half cash and balance on one and two years time, or cash, at option of the purchaser.

This Jan. 27th, 1902.  
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JAMES A. MILLS, Adm'r.

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