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COLUMBUS CHURCH DIRECTORY

BAPTIST. Rev. T. H. Posky, Pastor. Preaching every second and fourth Sundays at 11 a.m. and on the Saturday before the second at 3 p.m. Sabbath school every Sunday morning at 10. J. E. Shipman, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN. No regular preaching. Sabbath school every Sunday morning at 10. C. C. Hampton, superintendent.

FRATERNAL SOCIETY MEETINGS.

Columbus Lodge No. 114 Knights of Pythias meets every Tuesday night at 8:30. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

Mimosas Lodge No. 256 I. O. O. F. meets Friday evenings at 8 o'clock in hall over post-office, Lynn, N. C. Visiting brothers welcome.

Lynn Rebekah Lodge No. 41 meets Monday evenings, same hall.

Tryon Council 143 Jr. O. U. A. M. meets in Knights of Pythias hall, Tryon, Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome.

County Commissioners Meet.

The County Commissioners met at Court House in Columbus Monday and the following business was disposed of, to wit:

Ordered that Jonathan Turner be awarded the contract to furnish lumber for Whiteside's bridge at \$12.50 per thousand.

Ordered that the contract to construct a low wooden bridge over Green River at the Wamack bridge site be awarded to William Russell for the sum of \$425. The bridge to be built according to the plans and specifications of the old bridge which is of record in the minute docket of the County Commissioner's office except with the addition of anchoring the bridge to the mud sill, to be completed by the first Monday in January, 1911.

Ordered that John Price be exempt from the payment of poll tax for 1910.

After settling several money matters with the treasurer the meeting adjourned.

Keep Up With The Times.

Do you believe in the philosophy of standing still? Are you a disciple of "My grand daddy did it that way?"

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MELVIN HILL NOTES.

Correspondence of The News.

Mr. Ollie Cole was very sick last week but is quite well again.

Miss Johnnie Covington, who is suffering with tuberculosis, is not improving very rapidly.

Miss Salena Feagan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Clara Feagan.

Rev. Elbert Jackson visited at the home of Mr. W. E. Cole Sunday.

Mr. Willie Head, who has been attending school in Atlanta, Ga., for the purpose of becoming a physician, is visiting his parents this week.

Mrs. G. A. Painter, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, is improving now.

A large crowd was present at the school house Saturday afternoon to hear the speeches of Hon. William J. Coker and Senator J. C. Fisher. Mr. Fisher addressed the people first, introducing Mr. Coker, who interested the people quite well with his funny jokes and excellent speech.

GUESS.

Two Gordian Knots Tied At Pea Ridge.

Two marriages reported at Pea Ridge Sunday, Walter Russell and Addie Waldrop were married at Mr. Russell's father's home and Fred Byers and Annie Phillips were joined in the bonds of matrimony at the home of Zeb Price.

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BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER VESTED in me by a decree of the court in a special proceeding entitled, "Lindsay Thorn et al, ex parte," by which it was ordered that the estate of the late James A. Thorn be sold for partition among his heirs, as tenants in common, I will on the 5th day of December, 1910, at the court-house door in Columbus, sell at public auction to the highest bidder land lying and being in the State of North Carolina and County of Polk and described as follows:

Tract No. 1 Beginning on a sour oak on top of the ridge on the south side of the plantation; thence with a line of marked trees nearly east 84 poles to three chestnuts; thence N. 20 E. 8 poles to a hickory; thence N. 10 W. 72 poles to a walnut in the lane; thence N. 50 deg. W. 12 poles to a stake; thence N. 65 deg. W. 18 poles to a sour oak; thence N. 20 deg. W. 92 poles to a pine stump and pointers on the road side; thence W. 35 poles to a black oak; thence S. 18 poles to a stake; thence W. 56 poles to a chestnut; then the same course 132 poles to a Spanish oak (dead); then S. 70 poles to a black oak, E. Lynch's corner line; thence E. 28 poles to a stake in the road; thence S. 18 poles W. 12 to a stake; thence S. 20 deg. E. 34 poles to a chestnut, not duly marked; thence S. 54 deg. E. 14 poles to a black oak (dead); thence S. 373 and 30-rooths poles to a persimmon, same course 14 poles to a post oak; thence S. 58 deg. E. 24 poles to a sour oak; thence N. 66 E. 42 poles to an ironwood on the creek; thence N. 79 deg. E. 78 poles to the beginning containing two hundred and fifty three acres more or less.

Tract No. 2 Beginning on a black oak, a corner of the town of Columbus; thence N. 35 deg. E. 116 poles to a poplar; thence E. 76 poles to a stake; thence N. 20 poles to a stake; thence N. 93 poles to a sour oak; thence W. 28 poles to a stake (dead); thence W. 40 poles to a sour oak (dead), Durham's corner; thence S. 72 deg. W. 56 poles to a pine near the road; thence S. 27 deg. W. 40 poles to a chestnut; thence S. 32 deg. W. 32 poles to a sour oak; thence S. 4 deg. W. 12 poles to a black oak; thence W. to a beech on the branch and road; thence S. 57 deg. E. 194 poles to the beginning containing two hundred and seventy acres more or less.

Tract No. 3 Beginning at a pine on side of road; thence S. 75 deg. W. 195 poles to a post oak; thence N. 80 poles to a post oak; thence N. 45 deg. E. 14 poles to a pine (dead); thence N. 80 deg. W. 20 poles to a black oak, Prince's old corner, and across Columbus road; thence N. 20 deg. E. 30 poles to a black oak, Prince's corner; thence S. 85 deg. E. 18 poles to a pine stump, Hamilton's line; thence with said line S. 25 deg. E. 150 poles to a pine, Hamilton's corner; thence N. 65 deg. E. 54 poles to a stake and pointers in Spartanburg road; thence with said road S. 31 deg. E. 110 p. to the beginning, containing 114 acres more or less.

One house, known as the Carolina House, and lot in the town of Saluda on street opposite and in front of the Presbyterian church, bounded as follows: Beginning on a stake of the street known as Henderson street, at D. F. Morrow's corner, and running with said street S. 27 deg. W. 26 ch to Staton's and Robertson's corner; thence with their line N. 78 deg. W. 250 chains to L. F. Thompson's corner; thence with his line N. 27 deg. E. 298 chains to D. F. Morrow's corner; thence with his line S. 54 1/2 deg. E. 218 chains to the beginning corner, containing one half acre more or less.

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All crops on said lands for the year 1910 to be reserved. Title to be withheld until the full purchase price is paid. Possession of the Saluda property not to be given before May 11, 1911.

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