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SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Joseph Moss Williams deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims properly proven to James K. Williams, K. F. D., Inman, S. C., or at Columbus, N. C., in care of the Clerk of the Superior Court, on or before the 24th day of August, 1912.

J. S. WILLIAMS and J. K. WILLIAMS, Executors of the will of Joseph M. Williams, deceased.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Polk County, In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.

Jane Liles, Mary Liles, Martha Johnson and Lad Johnson,

vs. Irene Sparks, Slett Sparks, Sallie and Eliza Ellison.

The defendants above named will take notice that a special proceeding entitled as above has been commenced before the clerk of the superior court for Polk County for sale and partition of land situated in Polk County, Greens Creek township, known as that part of the T. O. Liles home place laid off in partition proceeding to Mary Liles, Jane Liles and Elizabeth Liles Ellison; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the clerk of the superior court of Polk County at Columbus on the 20th day of September, 1911, at 12 o'clock M., and answer or demur to the complaint in said special proceeding, or the plaintiffs will apply to the clerk for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 6th day of September, 1911.

J. P. ARLEDGE, Clerk Superior Court.

D. F. MORROW, Attorney.

Notice to Public School Teachers.

All Public School Teachers not already holding certificates valid for the approaching school term will take notice that the last public examination will be held at Columbus Thursday, October 12th, 1911, and will be continued through the day following if necessary. Each applicant will furnish their own paper.

This September 20th, 1911.

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COLUMBUS

N - E - W - S

Does your neighbor read THE NEWS?

Born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cloud, a son.

Mrs. A. L. McMurray visited in Rutherfordton last week-end.

Announcement by The Tryon Hosiery Co. appears in this issue.

Mr. Forest B. Williams was in Spartanburg Monday on business.

Expert watch and clock repairer—F. F. Allred, jeweler, Rutherfordton.

Mr. Will Hellen of Tryon was over Tuesday in his brand new automobile.

Messrs. Ralph and Leroy McFarland were visitors in Sandy Plains Tuesday.

Quite a number of Columbus folk attended the baptizing at Green's Creek Sunday.

Atty. Buford F. Williams spent several days in Marion, N. C., last week, returning Monday.

Sheriff A. L. Hill and Commissioner J. W. Kennedy of Tryon were in town last Friday on business.

Atty. and Mrs. J. E. Shipman of Hendersonville are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Arledge, a few days this week.

Mr. E. F. Vandiver, secretary and treasurer of the Green River Land Company of Spartanburg is a frequent visitor in Polk these fine days.

Do you take the Progressive Farmer? If not, look up our clubbing offer and get acquainted with the best farm paper for North Carolinians.

LOST—Large, white and brown English setter, three years old; answers to name of Joe. Left home 20th of last month. \$5.00 reward for information leading to his recovery. F. G. QUERY, Landrum, S. C.

Mr. J. Archie Willis, a brother editor from Laurens, S. C., made the News a pleasant call while on a business visit to Columbus Monday and expressed his keen delight in our beautiful surroundings, and taking many snapshots of the town.

Considerable real estate in and around Columbus is now changing hands. The new owners are farmers who will settle on the property and improve it. The well known "Green Place" is one of the farms reported divided and sold. Columbus needs farmers and the newcomers will be made welcome.

Misses Anna Landis, Lucille Edwards and Brownie Giles, the popular teachers of Columbus High School, were delightfully entertained by Miss Lizzie Page last Wednesday night at her home. Interesting games were played, after which refreshments of ice-cream and cake were daintily served by the charming young hostess.

The box-supper held at Columbus High School last Friday evening was well attended and proved a great success. Twenty-two boxes were auctioned off for a total of \$21.90, nearly an average of \$1.00 per box. The boxes were very prettily decorated and caused active bidding—most of them being knocked down to the young men for whom they were prepared.

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COLUMBUS, N. C.

Baptizing At Green's Creek.

The Greens Creek Baptist Church had a beautiful day last Sunday for its baptizing and an unusually large crowd turned out in consequence. It was estimated that a thousand people, men, women and children, stood on the hills surrounding the pool while Rev. B. P. Jackson, the pastor, performed the ceremony on 29 new members. The crowd kept perfect order throughout and repaired to the church immediately after the baptizing where regular morning service was conducted by Revs. B. P. and Elbert Jackson.

Collections were taken up at both Saturday and Sunday services to paint the church. About \$200. was raised.

From South Carolina Where The Roads Are Good.

I am glad to see the News in favor of good roads as it always is on the right side.

If Polk County would build one good road from Tryon to the line near Chimney Rock by way of Columbus and Mill Spring, a distance of about twenty-five miles, it would save at least \$10,000 in time and horse flesh per year and would directly cause an increase of fifty per cent in crops, to say nothing of schools, good houses, better farms, and less time to carry a little boys load to market.

In this county are roads built by convicts at \$400 per mile total cost. Land worth from \$65 to \$110 per acre, according to location. Polk has better land, better water, more timber, more water power, better health; all that is needed is to build better roads and sell land to the home-seekers instead of to the big speculators. One good farmer with only fifty acres is worth far more to a community than the average speculator with a thou-

sand acres. He will pay more tax, do more for schools, good roads, etc., and, as a rule, will make a better citizen.

Rush the good roads on through Polk one after another until every man can have a good road to travel, and live at home and be happy.

With best wishes to the good roads people and the News.

THOS. F. MILLS, Spartanburg, S. C.

Tryon Route 1 Notes.

Correspondence of the News.

We farmers are having some fine weather for saving fodder, stover, etc.

Mr. J. D. Carpenter has purchased a fine pair of mules.

Misses Lola and Cora Edwards and Miss Lillie Hall visited Miss Bertha Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. J. J. Ruppe is rapidly recovering from a serious spell of sickness.

Why does Mr. R. G. Hamilton wear a new hat? Because he has a new boarder. Think they call him "Bob Jackson."

Mr. Joe Carpenter is off visiting, that's all right girls, he will be back by leap year.

Mr. A. Edwards is repairing houses and fixing up everything in general.

Miss Sallie Carpenter visited Mrs. Mollie Taylor Sunday.

Mr. J. J. Lambright is first for new molasses.

Mrs. James Hutcherson's yard is a bower of beautiful dahlias now.

Mr. A. E. Page and family visited his son, Mr. James Page, Sunday.

Success to the News.

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