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HICKORY DEFEATED IN WELL PLEASED. HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE Dr. T. N. Carver Pays This City a

Lose in Contests S' Home and at Lencis Ja Close Alargin.

the judges the Hickory High School Commerce were also visited. lost in the triangular debate last Friday night in the Graded School

The team here upholding the Amended as to know the limitative and Referendum in State-wide Legislation' was composed of Theodore Ingram and Ewart Huffman. They were opposed Dr. Carver expressed himself. city and W. C. Feimster of New-ton. The contest was interesting ed. from start to finish; the contestants, by the strong arguments they put up, showed that they had given the subject a deep and thorough study. It was inter- Lenoir College auditorium last which are excellent changes. esting to hear these mere boys Monday night, March 16? The vital importance to the State

come back winners.

in Lincolnton.

Lincolnton on April 18.

The date for the Congressional Lincoln County News.

"In Justice to Mr. Webb."

with other congressmen, is allowed \$125.00 per month for is "so disgust."—Morganton
News Herald News Herald.

cent for it.

The worst mistake is "cheap"

off" is bad-enough; ten times worse.

DEVOE

Lenoir Takes Two More.

the Lenoir College diamond Lein a game of baseball by a score given. of 6 to 0, completely shutting their old rivals out. Monday the where they were again victorious, the final score being 8 to 5.

Mrs. T. J. Regan.

Dr. T. N. Carver, chief of the Rural Organization Service of Hickory Thursday visiting the Catawba Creamery and the of-By no neans outclassed, but fices of the Rural Credit Associa-

Dr. Carver, in company with W. J. Shutord and H. K. Foster, visited the farms of R. L. Shuford and J. W. Robinson in the affirmative side of the query, afternoon. At 8 o'clock that evening he addressed a number "Resolved, That the Carolina Should be so of North Carolina Should be so farmers at the Killian school Amended as to Allow the Initia-house on "Rural Organization on Saturday before Easter with house on "Rural Organization on Should be so on "Rural Organization on Saturday before Easter with public exercises"

by Plato Wilson and George Webber, from the Morganton School. ber, from the Morganton School. progress being made in various Mr. Sumpter. The judges were T. S. Sigmon of progress being made in various The judges were T. S. Sigmon of Morganizations by the farmers in the sections of the county visit-

Twenty-Third Anniversary.

debating on a subject of such Euronian Literary Society selected a new subject for the anzies, representing the negative side, composed the team that went from here to Lenoir. Al-though defeated, they took their order to the side of the si though defeated, they took their ed on both sides. The merits and medicine like men, and but for demerits were fully and clearly He also surveyed the Newton Yoder who was a son of Sacob several things that happened that shown. Never before has Lenight would undoubtedly have noir College, or the town of Hick- ward Newton and on the west in Lincoln county before his faory been so fortunate as to hear side of the river to Charley Hoov- ther left North Carolina. this subject discussed. It is one Congressional Committee to Meet of vital importance, especially to the schools. Because of the ter-County Democratic Chairman evils as exist in athletics today, Edgar Love has received notice it would sometimes seem best to of the call for the meeting of the totally abolish the intercollegiate Ninth District Congressional system, and substitute games at hours of twelve and one o'clock. Committee, which will be held in home where all can take part, the eating house and telegraph ofwere good for Lincolnton to land showed the evils in our present household effects were saved. system. His main purpose was The fire is supposed to have ori-County Chairman Love when to prove that they are sufficient ginated from a defective flue. seen said he was going to do his to warrant total abolition. In the very best to get the committee, latter part of his speech, he disof which he is a member to call cussed the subject of the benethe convention together at Lin- fits derived from the class system. Here also he attempted to show that the same benefits will be the sixth and last Lyceum tried at the next term of court." convention will be named by the sould be derived from the intracommittee and also the place of mural system, that is, the sysmeeting at the April meeting. - which includes all games within Mr. Crane is an artist in his line, the college walls, and no inter- modeling in clay portraits of men collegiate games. Almost every

satisfied ones are trying to system by taking the stand excharge him with being a grafter actly opposite to that of his op--that he does not apply this ponent. He admitted that there amount to clerk hire. We will are many evils but contended Wants Cotton Used as Armor Plate. wager a year's subscription that that they are not sufficient to Mr. Webb spends more for necessary clerical help to a congressman than the \$125.00 al- fore, do actually contain some suggestion to Secretary Daniels ted as evidence tend to show lowed him by the government, evils, either in principle or in as a possible solution of the proand that those rendering him management. The evils that ex- blem of reducing the cost of armthis service are more than satisfied; and that he doesn't have to be in the control and not in any trouble in getting all the athletics in and of themselves. Hickory, N, C., asserts that ar- intense interest in the coming good in Hickory is more than and let the people help, help he needs. This is only just The second part of his speech up- mor plate can be made from cot- trial, which is set for next Mon- words can express. something else we feel like say- held the present system because ton which would be 'superior in day. of the many benefits derived ing in justice to Mr. Webb, who we believe to be an honest man. In fact the benefits here we believe to be an honest man. In fact to the benefits here were to be an honest man. In fact to the benefits here were to be an honest man. The honests here were to be an honest man. The honests here were to be an honest man. In fact, to us the charge is ridiculous—and as a certain Frenchman friend of ours would say, it is "so discrete" More and entered by any control of the institution and the student of the institution of the institution and the student of the institution and the student of the institution and the

hinged so squarely on these two is no adequate system to be sub- and that she would end it all. He vital points, the audience was stituted. His main argument says he assured her that it was The worst mistake in painting anxious to see the second half. was that the class contests or a falsehood, but a few mornings is not putting off. That costs It was evident that there must gymnasium did not go far later discovered her standing beabout 10 per cent; you keep your be some other points to be disenough. They were shown to fore a mirror pulling the trigger money a year and pay 10 per cussed, but no one knew what be necessary, but that they tend of a revolver which was pointed they were to be. The second to destroy the unity of the stu-Paint would have to come-affirmative, S. W. Hawn, took dent body when there is no vardown 25 per cent to make 10 per the floor with his two weapons in hand. His purpose was to convince the judges and the terest. Some of the hinging The worst mistake is "cheap" audience that the evils which expoints were attacked by both paint. It costs from 50 per cent ist today cannot be sufficiently sides and defended to suit the to 100, first cost, and another in overcome to justify the retention side. The most interesting feaof the intercollegiate system. By ture of the debate was the head-What a liar "cheap" is! "Put- actual examples he proved that on clash throughout. May the front of the mirror seem to sup-"cheap" is many attempts to overcome the Euronian Society have more de- port Powell's story. On the othevils have failed, and that the bates like this one. evils do and must centinue in A word must be said about the spite of all efforts to overcome orator. Before the debate J. A. them. His second topic was Frye gave to the audience an exthat the intramural system would cellent composition in a very Last Thursday afternoon on be an adequate substitute. More orational style. His subject, pupils would receive benefits, "The Modern Hero," kept the

But can't these evils be over- of delivery was excellent. come? The second negative, C. team went to Rutherford College N. Yount, contended that they nished the music for the occacan be, and by the enforcement sion. It was of a high order, of the present rules and laws and appreciated by all present. they must be reduced within the The decision of the committee shot was heard. Lincoln County News: Miss bounds of reasonableness. They furnished the climax of the en-Annie Miller left Thursday for were shown to be the result of tire exercise. It was rendered in Hickory for a visit to her sister, the management and not of the favor of the negative, and J. L. week-end with her parents, Mr. brings the business.—Hertford a suit arising under a Federal April 1, with Mrs. L. R. Whiteessential qualities of athletics. Deaton was awarded the medal. and Mrs. Patrick.

GOOD ROADS THE LIFE OF ANY COMMUNITY—JACOB'S FORK NEWS

Hickory, R-1. Mar. 22 - This er's, which will be an entirely By no Alexans outclasted. With the life and prosperity of any counties the death and birth rates, the judges' decision, the debating the judges' decision, the debating the judges' decision, the Hickory High School Commerce were also visited. System of good reads over which to community. To give the far-according to the first month's re-according to the first month's re-accordin woods is fairly good. Geo. L. mers good roads over which to ports, are so low that they are by H. C. Smith, an employee of Reinhardt is the only person in a haul their marketable products,

The public school at Yoder into a new system. school house seems to be rolling public exercises,

Did you hear the debate in

horo last week

road from Simpson's bridge to- Yoder. Henry Yoder was born

FIRE AT CLIFFS.

rible abuses and all forms of Railroad Eating House Burned Sat- Frank Powell in Morganton Jail on a Mr. Punch, and his family, mi-Murder Charge. urday Night.

Saturday night between the

Last Lyceum Attraction Friday

Hub Theatre tomorrow night. whom the nations love as well as Congressman Webb, along and discussed in a forceful man-creations. His entertainment is

Washington, March 21.-A North Carolinian has written a Col. Marcellus E. Thornton of

Then came the direct opposite to

noir won from Catawba College and better training would be hearers in suspense to the end. It showed much study. His style

The Oakview Orchestra fur-

the Department of Agriculture has been one tough month for new road. If the farmers will dertakers, doctors midwives are at Washington, D. C., was in not reporting births and deaths, not reporting births and deaths. nothing new in this vicinity at system as they have begun the They do not seem to know that a shortage of more than \$50,000 present. Some farmers are still county will soon have a splendid the new vital statistics law means was discovered in the accounts hauling sweet potatoes regard-system of good reads which is business. In several of the of the Trust company and the less of the cold weather. The the life and prosperity of any counties the death and birth rates, National Bank shortage is \$25,-

critical condition. He has been sick all winter, although it is now reported that he is some better. emerge out of the old rut system reported that he is some better.

President Albert H. Yoder, of and progenitor of the Yoder famof Blackburn at the branch by and was born in 1767, 157 years made at once. making a new road on the east ago. He married Catherine Delbank of the old road, both of linger who was born about the year 1770. a granddaughter of A crazy negro from Angeltown the old pioneer, Henry Whitener. was taken to the asylum at Gold-He sold all his valuable land and oro last week
Enloe Yoder, the County Surabout 95 years ago and settled all the data for the first half doz-

DENIED BAIL.

the 18th says: home where all can take part. the eating house and telegraph of-This side was shown up well by fice at the Cliffs on the Catawba Frank Powell, of Valdese, was County Chairman Love is hopeful that Lincolnton will get the Congressional convention this year. When seen vesterday he said he thought the prospects and he thought the prospects and he thought the prospects and he affirmative. N. D. Yount, the affirmative speakers. They of the operator, killed under peculiar circum-began at once to hew a home out of the Ozark wilderness as many stances, the theory at that time of the Ozark wilderness as many looked rather suspicious and the ple came the Huffman-Punch matter was brought up at this stalk in Missouri, which num-term of court. So strong was bers in the hundreds. the evidence that Judge Long said that Powell should not be admitted bail and he is now in

Another Account.

One morning about three weeks ago a pistol shot- was point possible was brought out national types and laughable heard in the Powell home and Powell rushed out for help, stating that his wife had committed modeling board and clay, and the suicide. An examination showed But the first negative speaker, J. L. Deaton, upheld the present piano—to say nothing of the piathat she had been shot through the breast with a revolver.

The suicide theory was accept-Powell was particularly interested in a woman in Virginia, and it is stated that letters were found which will when admitthat Powell had reasons for wanting his wife out of the way.

The case being sprung as a

him she had heard he had ceased Eminence, Mo., March 15, 1914. Since the first two speakers his opponent's last issue, there to love her and loved another directly at her breast and before he could move to prevent it she had fired the fatal shot from which she died immediately.

That the bullet passed entirely through her body and imbedded itself in the wall directly opposite the mirror and that there were blood stains on the floor in er hand, it is claimed that it would be practically impossible to hold a revolver and and fire it without the bullet ranging at an angle instead of straight

An unopened box of cartridges

ATTORNEY GENERAL HELPS.

Will Act as Consultant in Making Prosecution.

Raleigh, Mar. 25.--In some absurd.

an annual death rate of only 3 The first shortage was disper 1,000, whereas, from the covered in the National Bank, death rate elsewhere, it would but relatives of young Smith seem that it should be at least 24 promptly made good that sum purpose of selecting judges, on Saturday before Easter with consin, located at Whitewater, 1,000. Word has been sent to all and the affair was kept quiet. Wis., stopped over in Hickory on the undertakers, doctors and An inspection of the books of John Sharpe has finished up his way to the Teachers' Educa-his job of sawing for Peter R. tional Association meeting at Volume and Training and Trust Co., dis-the Savings & Trust Co., dis-the Savings & Trust Co., dis-the Savings & Trust Co., dis-other counties in the same plight, Yoder and moved his mill near Richmond, Va. He is a descentiate woweeks will be given that two weeks will be given the loss will only be \$40,000, as committee. Every member is the loss will only be \$40,000, as committee. Every member is the loss will only be an insurthem to report all unreported Smith was bouded by an insurbirths and deaths, after which a ance company for \$10,000. The citizens have changed the ily in Catawba county. While thorough official investigation old State road at the old Wash here he visited Col. G. M. Yoder, will be made by the State Board will be made by the Stat: Board of the two banks, deposited \$50,-Ransom place to the west bank as he wanted to hear a history of of Health for unreported births 000 in cash with the stockholders of the old road. They also have his ancestry. His great-grand-changed it above the little village father was a son of Conrad Yoder are found, prosecution will be depositor from loss of money or improvement as the Clay pea? are found, prosecution will be depositor from loss of money or

The Attorney General has been consulted on this matter, and he is heartily in accord with the new law. He wants it enforced to the letter. He has asked that in such work whenever needed.

The Huffman-Punch Migration.

Morgan Huffman and family accompanied by his father-in-law, grated to Bollinger County, Mo. The trip was made in wagons The Morganton Messenger of and when the little band landed association for their mutual that the peas were helping them, in Missouri, it was found to be a

Night.

Ross Crane, Cartonist, etc., the first degree. The case will be citizenship in North Carolina is citizenship in North Carolina is gentleman said to me that five peas will mature and you can exactly the same as in Missouri. or six men belonging to his use the Koger pea thresher and Bollinger, Hawn. Huffman pared to worship on Sunday, beleave the hay in better shape for cause of the hard work on Sat-Jones, etc., about as your names urday nights. This is wrong, plant a seed plot in three-foot

have noted with much interest people can aid them greatly. pea harvester, drawn by a pair the history of North Carolina - Every family in Hickory can pur of mules, and it will gather and the State from whence my par- chase their supplies for Sunday entage came—and find it one of before nine o'clock Saturday leave the vines and pods for the the greatest states in the Union. night. We owe it to the mered until it was learned that For the sending out of educated chants to do so. Saturday night men and educational lines it is dissipation leads to Sunday desunsurpassed and I am delighted in seeing from the Democrat great and prosperous in prothat Hickory is wide awake to portion as we cultivate virtue everything modern.

If this rambling letter finds Hickory, March 22, 1914,

Board Meeting at Lenoir College.

The Board meeting of the 16th, was one of the most progressive ana lawyer, who placed a value yet held, The reports showed of \$60,000 on a growth of his that the present is the best year beard. O'Sullivan, who formerly of the College in every way. The was District Attorney. State enrollment is 281. The Faculty Senator and City Attorney of is to be increased, equipment New Orleans, claims he was for enlarged, salaries increased, and cibly deprived of his hirsute new departments added-chief adornment on election day in among which is that of Domestic November 1908. On that day Science. The \$100,000 endow- he asserts Paul Felix, a justice ment movement is to be pushed of the peace in Jefferson Parish vigorously by President R. L. and William W. Stiles, a deputy Fritz. The purpose is to com- sheriff, conspired to prevent sevplete it by October 31, 1917, the eral men from voting. O'Sullifour hundredth Anniversary of van claims he went to polls to the Lutheran Reformation.

Advertising That Pays.

was found in the drawer, and ing signs engage in the poorest for \$60,000 damages under the books "The Debt" by Wm. West-there seems to be uncertainty as kind of advertisemet. The main Federal civil rights act. to whether more than one shot thing they accomplish is to make Felix and Stiles claim the suit which the hostess read a delightwas fired, although there was unsightly some pretty pieces of was barred by the one-year ful short story. A luncheon in only one wound in her body. It is stated that the State thinks it can show that more than one and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and most effective advertising is but O'Sullivan has brought the Matthews Doll. Mrs. Henry and Mrs. Hen Miss Grace Patrick spent the is read by nearly everybody and limitations has no applications to meeting for the season will be County Herald.

DEFALCATION IN GOLDSBORO MEETING OF EXECUTIVE H. C. Smith, Got Two Banks for \$75,000.

As a result of an examination Will Meet in Court House In place in North Carolina the un- of the books of the Goldsboro the National Bank and for two For instance, the returns from years casier of the Goldsboro

George A. Norwood, president interest thereon.

to do otherwise than make good advise." the defalcations personally.

Smith was also city treasurer. but not under arrest. It is said In about 1845 from Burke he lost the money speculating in sown in a mixture of half peas County, North Carolina, one cotton futures.

Saturday Eyening Closing.

I learn that the merchants have formed themselves into an planted alone, and it did seem benefit. I venture to make one for both peas and beans were the stores be closed earlier on of the beans that were growing on Saturday, giving their help and beans will be best, and also Saturday afternoon holiday. It for soil improvement. The erect is a happy crowd on our streets habit of the soy beans helps hold stalk in Missouri, which numbers in the hundreds.

In reading The Hickory DemoIn reading The Hickory clerks be compelled to work and still buying seed? Why not We have Lutes, Sitzes, Whitener, church were not physically pre- clean them out from the hay and While the merchants can do rows and let them stand till ripe, Since becoming a scholar, I much to help themselves, the and can then use the Keystone and obey God's laws. Let us I hope to visit North Carolina guard well our Sabbath and this this summer, and should I do so, can not be with Saturday night I shall be pleased to visit The spent in work and dissipation, complete surprise. has aroused Democrat whose influence for Let the merchants think of this

Washington, March 19.-What is the value of a beard? That is a question which Justices of the Supreme Court have been asked to determine.

The case is that of E. A O'Sullivan, a prominent Louisiadvise about the conduct of the election. He asserts that a number of men imported to the election place by Felix seized him Merchants who send around a and tied his arms. Then, he man with brush and paintpot to claims, Stiles cut off his beard. the Round Dozen Book Club deface the nature with advertis- O'Sullivan brought suit in 1911 March 18. In the discussion of

that which appears in the col- case to the Supreme Court on Elliott, a former member, was umns of the home paper. That the ground that the statute of welcomed as a visitor. The last

COMMITTEE CALLED

Newton at 12 o'clock Monday, April 6.

Messrs. J. D. Elliott and F. B. Gwin, president and secretary, respectively, of the Democratic Executive Committee of Catawba County have sent out the following call to the members of the committee:

"You are called to meet at the Court House in Newton on Monday April the 6th noon; for the clerks etc., for holding our Primary or Precinct Meeting, to be held on May 16th. Other important husiness to come before the

Soy Beans and Cowpeas.

Do you think that the Mam-We sowed 100 bushels of peas The stockholders were willing last year, and want to do the to share the loss with Mr. Nor- same this year, but seed peas wood, but he refused their aid, are unusually high-priced, while stating that he felt as though he we can buy the soy beans much were responsible for the condi-cheaper, and some of our people tion of the two banks and his who have tried them say that conscience would not allow him they prefer them to peas. Kindly I have never made an exact

comparison of the two as soil No examination has been made improvers, but from what I have of the city books. At last ac-done I believe that a mixture of count Smith was in Goldsboro the two is best. Last year we had a field, part of which was and half soy beans alone. I was surprised to find that the soy beans among the peas had a great many more of the nodules than where the soy beans were thresh the peas as it goes and improvement of the soil. At present prices there should be a good profit in growing cowpeas for seed.—W. F. Massey in Progressive Farmer.

Woman Suffrage Loses.

Washington, March 19.-Woman suffrage advocates today lost their fight in the United States senate for a resolution proposing an amendment to the federal constitution giving women the ballot. The vote was 35 for the measure to 34 against it, a two-thirds affirmative vote being required for passage, and when it was over suffragist leaders jubilantly pointed to the majority of one as conclusive proof that their cause had scored a triumph in defeat, and was immeasurably stronger than its opponents ever had been willing to concede.

Today's action, following weeks of debate on the floor of the senate, marked the climax of a spirited campaign launched here the day before the inauguration of President Wilson.

Immediately after the vote, Senator Shafroth, of Colorado, sought to introduce a new resolution for constitutional amendment requiring each state to vote on granting suffrage to women, on petition from five per cent of its voters. The senate went into executive session before the senator could get the floor, however, and the resolution will be offered later.

Mrs. H. M. Doll was hostess to