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THE NEWS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

A Batch of Live Items Culled from the Papers in the Adjoining Counties.

CALDWELL.

Mr. Haywood Hartley, of near

Hudson, died last Saturday

The Democratic county con-

vention has been called to meet

n Lenoir on Monday, July 25th,

efected chairman of the Demo-

cratic County Executive Com-

mittee and Mr. J. E. Mattocks

Last Sunday night about 11

to Jno. F. Bost, situated on Col-

lege avenue, was burned. The

house was occupied by John

Watson, who thinks it was set

on fire by mice, as the flames

started in a closet. Mr. Watson

lost a great many housedold ar-

ticles and some wearing apparel.

Mr. Bost estimates his loss \$350,

insurance \$250. He will im-

Our community was mu h

shocked last Sunday to learn

his home for about ten days un-

pneumonia and in the weakened

condition of his system his con-

stitution was not strong enough

estimable young man twenty

one years old and a member of

Green Valley Baptist church. He

would die in one of those attacks

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money back if they do not give satis-

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day delivered a brief but very beau-

tiful funeral sermon. Here it 18:

"A word to you all. Post mortem

praises and love are in the air.

People stoop to kiss their dead

who never stood to kiss their liv-

ing; they hover over open caskets

in hysteric sobs, but fail to throw

of life. A word of cheer to the

struggling soul in life is worth

more than the roses of Christen-

fore, and pluck out the thorns be-

NIGHT WAS HER TERROR.

fore it is too late."

for Job Work.

A preacher in Kansas the other

to resist the disease.

mediately rebuild.

to nominate a county ticket.

morning of appendicitis.

Lenoir News, July 8th.

Mrs. L. M. Newland.

last Wednesday.

McDOWELL.

Marion Democrat, July 8th.

Bell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Balle v, of Bridgewater, was seriously injured last week. She attempted to cut off a chicken's head and cut off the upper part of her first finger and thumb. Dr. J. B. Riddle dressed the wound.

George Eaves, a son of our fellew townsman Attorney G. G. Eaves, and a mail clerk on the Southern Railway, was quietly married Wednesday night, June 29, in Blacksburg, S. C. The bride was the charming Miss Helen Whisnant, a daughter of Ir. and Mrs. John Whisnant.

Miss Mary A. Garner, a very popular and highly gifted young lady of Washington, D. C., became the bride of Dr. W. P. Jones, proprietor of the Mc-Dowell Furniture Company of this place, Thursday, June 30. The ceremony was performed at high noon at the residence of the tly renewed before expira- bride's brother, George Garner, 67 I street, N. E., where she made her home. The bride and groom came here Monday night and will reside on Garden street. in the attractive dwelling which Dr. Jones recently completed.

J. B. von Eberhard, at the ripe

age of almost four-score years, died last Thursday afternoon at his residence on Morgan street. of the death of Mr. Novel H. Deceased had not enjoyed good health for several years, being troubled much with rheumatism. He came to this place in the spring of 1900 from Savannah, Ga., but was a native born German. His wife, formerly Mrs. F. M. Krivatsky, and a Baroness, of Hungary, by direct descent, owns some property in this county and they came to look after it personally. In the fall of 1900 they purchased the property on Morgan street and have since resided there. The wife is the only survivor, as deceased had no imwere very reticent and went but little away from the house, not

WATAUGA.

much was known concerning

Boone Democrat. July 7th. Miss Mary Rryant, daughter of Mr. John Bryan, of Meat to which he was subject and his Camp, died on last Sunday in reply was he was ready to go at the 21st year of her age.

A heavy rain in this section on Monday evening did much damage to the roads, and upland was considerably washed.

Judge Councill and family, of Hickory, arrived in the village vesterday, and will remain here faction. W. A. Leslie, druggist. during the vacation the Judge is now enjoying.

W learn of the serious illness of Mrs F. P. Moore, of Globe, She has been ill for only a few days but when last heard from

was considered dangerously ill. Will Wheelin, of Middle Cane, was tried before J. W. Bryan in Boone last Monday under a

fendant was acquitted. The cherry crop in this vicinity is immense, and are now get- dom piled high on casket covers. ting full ripe. The small boy is The dead cannot smell the flowers, getting in full time and the doc- but the living can; scatter them tors are getting an occasional broadcast in their pathway, therecall as a result thereof.

A move is now on foot to erect a very handsome school building most wonderfully sweet on Cove Creek. Dr. Madrot tells "I would cough nearly all night us that a good part of the mon- long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applecond Car Load for Lenoir, N. ey has been pleaged and that has just arrived and I am sure that they hope to get the work far

clice Limited to Diseases of building up the health. Only stores. 25e per box. Sold by John Tull and W. A. Lesiie, drug-

CATAWBA.

Newton Enterprise. July 8th. Mr. E. P. Johnston of Bandy's township has been appointed a county commissioner to take the place of Mr. J. A. Cook, who has resigned.

Mr. Logan Whitener, a well Mrs. R. T. Claywell, of Mor. known and respected citizen of ganten, is visiting her mother, Jacob's Fork township, died last Saturday, July 2nd, aged 77 Miss Mary A. Estes, having years. He lived just beyond the finished her work as tax collec-Simpson bridge on the South tor, left for her home at Upton Fork and was for many years postmaster of Jacob's Fork of-The eight-year-old daughter of fice.

The 4th of July was more observed as a holiday in this county than we have ever known it block, before. There were celebrations in Hickory, Plateau, Monbo, and Rock Springs, besides numerous other small parties. There was also a good sprinkling of people Mr. George R. Clark has been

in Newton. There were more people from different parts of the county here Monday than on any one day for some time. All speak in the most | friend, however was curious. cheerful terms of their crops. On o'clock a small cottage belonging both bottom and upland, the crop prospects in the county are the first week of July.

The crops and the modes of farming, as seen from the car window between Newton and Gastonia, afford an interesting study. Catawba, Lincoln and Gaston are all spreading them-Hailey. He had been confined to ing cotton and corn. It seems to be an even race. But the farder going treatment and was mers of each county have a dishowever, he was taken with a crops. In Catawba they use get. severe chill which developed the cultivator in both cotton and corn and prefer a level, shallow cultivation. In Lincoln they use the double foot plow, with either shovels or twisters. In Some days age John Ritchie, a Gaston nearly all use the single young man of Johns river valley, foot plow, with twisters. They is supposed he died in one of the conclusion that it does not mediate kin living. As they these. His whip and hat were matter so much how crops are found about half a mile from worked, if they are only worked where his team was. He was an often and well.

disagreeable and unlooked for experience with Gouch's excursion was asked a short time before to Wilmington last week. The his death if he was not afraid he facts in the case as we have got them are, that the band wrote to Mr. Gouch, the manager of the excursion, offering to furnish music in return for transportation to Wilmington and return. Mr. Gouch replied by telegram to get on the train and that there would be no cost for transportation. The band boarded the Carolina and Northwestern train, and Capt. Ross passed them to Lincolnton without question. But when the telegram was shown to the conductor of the Air Line road, he said he could not pass them on it and that they would have to buy tickets or get off. At Stanley the Maiden boys got off the train and bought tickets back to Maiden. Six suits have since been started in Catawba Superior charge of being implicated in the their arms around their loved ones court for damage against the killing of Henry Rimer. The de | who are fighting the stern battles | Seabord Air Line for putting the band off the train. These were brought by G. C. Ikerd, J. M. Holshouser, J. W. Beard, J. D. Nixon, J. T. Huitt and W. L. Fry. There were 15 members of the band on the train. The others will await the result of these six suits before starting cases against the road.

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RAN AWAY FROM "DIXIE"

Story of the War-Time Experiences of Brigadier General "Jack" Hayes. The Baltimore Sun prints the following good story of a retired army officer who is well known in

Morganton, having married here: Brigadier General "Jack" Hayes, retired, was seated with a friend on the lawn in front of his home one evening when a street pianist came along and began his repertory, says a Washington letter to The New York Herald. It was a fair instrument, and the old soldier liked the music so much that he tossed the man a piece of silver. The Italian picked up the money, arranged the side clutch and then "Dixie" filled the

General Hayes got up from his chair without a word, walked into his house, through the hallway and to the back yard, where he remained until the street pianist bad gone down the street and out of the section. Then the general came out on the lawn again and without saying anything. The

"General," he said, "I never be fore knew that you were one of these prejudiced people. What's your idea in galloping away when as good as were ever known in that Italian began to unwind 'Dixie'? What's the matter with 'Dixie'f Why I've heard it tumultuously cheered in theatres in Boston and New York."

"That's all right too," replied General Haves, chewing on his cigar. "The persons who cheered 'Dixie' in theatres in Boston and selves on cotton this year, though New York never got such a stam along the creek and river banks peding through 'Dixie' as I did. are some fine fields of corn. It Prejudice nothing! I'm not prewould be difficult to decide as to judiced against or sore on any-which county has the best look-body. But I made a bad break which county has the best look- body. But I made a bad break once in connection with that 'Dixie' air, so that I've never been getting up and walking as far doing well. On Friday night, tinctive way of working their away from the sound as I could

General Kirkpatrick when he was tearing up the railroads around Macon. The Confederates were never very far away from us while we were doing that work. They hovered around our front, watching proceedings. They thought was found dead on his wagon. plow deep and throw up high that they were not numerically He had been hauling lumber and ridges. As the crops all look strong enough to make it worth being subject to epileptic fits, it about the same, we have come to our while to go after them. They just watched us from their distance in front, making no attempt to

"One day General Kirkpatrick summoned me-I was in charge of The Maiden land had a very a part of the track destroying-to ask me how the job was proceeding. He wanted quicker progress

"Take one of the mounted bands down to the place where the men are working,' said General Kirkpatrick to me. "The boys always work faster when there's music

"I got one of the mounted bands and took it down to where our gang was pulling up the ties and rails. The leader asked me what kind of music I wanted. I told him to go ahead with some of the patriotic airs. He swang off with 'Hail Columbia,' 'The Star-Spangled Banner,' 'My Country,' etc. The men worked like Trojans under the inspiration of the music. I could see the Confederates massed among the trees" but they hadn't fired a shot. They were evidently obeying orders not to. I appreciated the immunity from the fire of sharp shooters which they gave us, and in a sort of bravado-you've got to remember that I was a lot younger then than I am now-I turned to the

band leader and said to him: "Those 'rebs' are treating us pretty white. Suppose you just reward the poor devils by giving hem 'Dixie.'

"Well, the leader gave them the word akd the band began to pump

At this point General Hayes brought his teeth down bard on his cigar and remained silent for a

"Well?" i quired his friend. ey has been pledged and that they hope to get the work far along by cold weather.

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