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THE NEWS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

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

CLEVELAND.

Shelby Star, Aug. 31st.

The Shelby military company, in command of Capt. J. F. Roberts, will leave Saturday with the First Regiment for Manassas to spend ten days in encampment.

Governor "Bob" Glenn will be in Shelby on Wednesday, Sept. 14th, and address Cleveland county voters. Of course he will be greeted by a big crowd of Cleveland folks.

An agreement has been made for a joint canvass in Cleveland county between the Democratic and Repubican county and legislative candidates. The canvass will be made in October.

A series of revival services began in the Shelby Baptist church last night. Rev. M. E. Parrish will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Martin, who has a wide reputation as a successful evangelist. His special singer will also attend and assist in the services. A good meeting is expected.

Mr. G. G. Wood, son of Mr. W. S. Wood, of No. 1 township, died last week of typhoid fever and was buried at Camp's Creek church. Deceased was a bright young man, a student for the ministry and had been attending Wake Forest College, and expected to return this fall and complete his education.

Mr. B. A. Kendrick, who lives on R. F. D. No. 4, Shelby, showed us a stalk of corn out of his field which had grown 19 feet high, and had not found any tassels on it yet. Mr. W. Y. Wethers, who lives on R. F. D. No. 5, Shelby, brought in two full grown ears of corn, which had grown at the root of the stalk, just above the ground.

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Lawyers May Sue Buncombe County.

Asheville Special, Aug. 25th, to Charlotte Observer.

A suit for \$9,000 will probably be instituted in the Superior Court of Buncombe county shortly against the board of commissioners of this county, for the recovery of lawyers' fees in the Buncombe county bond suit, which was recently settled by compromise. — The attorneys who are interested and who will seek to recover this money are Judge A. C. Avery, of Morganton, W. B. Brown and Judge Charles A. Moore, of Asheville.

HOW TO SECURE A VIGOROUS BODY AND MIND.

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CATAWBA.

Newton Enterprise, Sept. 2nd.

There were not 20,000 people at Ball's Creek campmeeting Sunday, but there was a good orderly crowd.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Annie Lowe, mother of Mrs. A. C. Shuford, was paralyzed last Friday. We hope it will not be fatal stroke.

Mrs. Bertha Ingram, nee Miss McCorle, of this place, was married at her home in Wadesboro last Thursday to Mr. J. G. Boylin, editor of the Wadesboro Intelligencer.

Mr. J. W. Fletcher tells us he has secured a sufficient number of ties to standard gauge the road from here to Collettsville and the rail is being placed along the line.

A nice new brick church is being built at Lower Creek to take the place of the old frame building. The people of that community deserve much praise for their noble work.

Train loads of United States and State Militia have been passing down the western road since last Saturday. There were three trains Tuesday. They are going to Manassas to take part in fighting over the battle of Bull Run next week. It will begin Monday. Thirty thousand troops are to take part.

The horse stolen from Mr. W. Smith, of Batton, as noted in last week's issue, was found in Newton last Saturday. One James Annas, a young white man of the southern part of this county, had traded the horse for a mule at Newton. He then brought the mule to Hickory, where he disposed of it. Mr. Smith, however, had officers hot on his trail and he was arrested there Friday and placed in jail here Saturday. Annas belongs to a good family, and has, as far as we know, up to this time, borne a good reputation. He and Mr. Smith both attended the Crusader services here on the night the horse was stolen and it is presumed Annas went by Smith's stable and stole the horse without ever going to his own home. His conduct was very simple for a man of intelligence, and he claims he can prove his innocence, but the facts are strongly against him.

Rapid Thinking.

When I have nothing else to do, says Rev. R. H. Whitaker, I shut my eyes and think. It is astonishing how much thinking one can do in an hour, and how far the mind can travel, and how many people can be brought into review in that short time. I have heard it said that a drowning man thinks his whole life over while he is drowning. I don't vouch for that, for I never had a conversation with any one who was drowned; but, I did hear a fellow say, who fell off a house, that he thought of more things while he was falling twenty feet than he had thought of in twenty years.

Yes, the mind is a wonderful traveler; beats electricity, at its very best; and it needs no wires nor air waves; but, with a bound leaps from earth to sky; or, in a twinkling, sweeps around the earth and takes a view of land and sea, and shakes hands with all nations, and it is at home again, in the twinkling of an eye; and then, without stopping to rest, it swings off into the old beaten track of the past and travels back to childhood, noting as it goes, the changes that have occurred, in feeling, thought and purpose between that childhood period and the present, or flashes into the future a ray of light that may enable us to walk without stumbling, when with trembling limbs, we are getting nearer to the end of our defenses.

Disputes from both Russian and Japanese sources indicate that the troops on both sides are jaded and weary after the many days' fighting, and it is pointed out that in consequence a temporary lull in the active struggle would not be surprising.

A dispatch received at Tokio says that great fires are raging at Liaoyang, believed to have resulted from the Japanese shelling of the city. The Japanese are forcing an almost impossible attack, especially with their forces divided by the river.

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THE FIGHTING AT LIAOYANG.

Charlotte Observer, 2nd.

Summary of the Reports of the Great Battles in Manchuria.

Thursday's news from the seat of war closed with the receipt of two dispatches giving information of a most significant character as bearing on the domination of Manchuria at the close of the present campaign.

The first came from the Associated Press correspondent at St. Petersburg, filed there at 10:16 p. m., and said that General Kurokai had withdrawn his whole army to the right bank of the Taitse river so as to meet General Kuroki's flanking movement. The inference from this dispatch was that Liaoyang had been evacuated, that city lying on the left bank of the river.

Nothing to confirm this was received until several hours later, when dispatch from the Associated Press correspondent at St. Petersburg, dated September 2, and timed at 1:26 Friday morning, said: "The news of the evacuation of Liaoyang and the withdrawal of the Russian army to the right bank of the Taitse river" had caused intense excitement and disappointment.

The same dispatch points out with notable lack of comment that the Japanese took advantage of General Kurokai's withdrawal to occupy the city of Liaoyang.

The second dispatch, which may have a significant bearing on the campaign, is that filed at Mukden at 9:27 p. m., Thursday, stating that the train service between Mukden and Liaoyang was interrupted. This may mean the cutting of railroad communication, which would deprive General Kurokai of an opportunity to retreat to his more northern base at Mukden. As pointed out in the St. Petersburg dispatch, the Mukden correspondent does not mention whether telegraphic communications are open.

Charlotte Observer, 3rd.

The lack of definite information from the seat of war continues up to this (Saturday) morning, and nothing further regarding the situation at Liaoyang is known beyond the fact that Kurokai has withdrawn the main portion of his forces to the north, or right bank of the Taitse river and that, according to the latest advices, the action is still in progress. There is dislocation in St. Petersburg, to believe that Liaoyang has been abandoned, and at the same time it is declared that the position Kurokai now occupies is the one he had prepared and fortified and where he has all along planned to make his second stand, instead of directly in and around Liaoyang, with the river at his back, as has been believed. It is thought by Russian experts that in attacking Kurokai's present defense the Japanese are forcing an almost impossible attack, especially with their forces divided by the river.

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