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## THE NEWS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

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

#### MCDOWELL.

Marion Democrat, July 6th.

R. W. Brown's condition continues to cause alarm to his family and friends. Complications are now feared.

A. Blanton's condition is reported by his physician as well as could be expected and that he is progressing favorable toward recovery.

Esquire W. F. Craig received his eighth commission as a United States commissioner, Tuesday. Uncle Sam still deems the 'Squire useful and shows confidence in his integrity and appreciation by continuing him in the service.

Deputy Marshals D. A. Kanipe and Vance Scoggins and Deputy Collector George Sheek seized a complete blockade outfit on Cedar Creek, in Rutherford county, a few days ago. The operators got away but had no time to carry off any of the plant which the officers destroyed together with about 800 gallons of beer.

The following paragraph from the Goldsboro Headlight, July 6, announcing the marriage of Zeb B. Pyatt, formerly of Nebo, will be of interest to friends in the county: "The marriage of Mr. Zeb B. Pyatt, foreman of the Headlight office, to Mrs. Katie Broughton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Casey, of this city, was solemnized at the St. John's parsonage Friday night at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. A. R. Surratt. The happy couple will make their home for the present with the bride's parents."

#### Other McDowell Items.

Marion News, July 6th

The town authorities have increased the tax on saloons from \$500 to \$1000 a year. This will go into effect Oct. 1st.

The people in the county should be careful how they shoot off their guns. They are liable to hit some of the railroad engineers. The woods are full of them.

The situation is gradually developing in railroad matters. Very little can be determined about the Southern's intention, except what is given out at headquarters, and that is not always reliable. The Southern has the woods full of engineers seeking a route across the mountain. Much activity is being displayed. The South and Western have really gone to work. A large force of hands is at work grading between Spruce Pine and McKinney's Gap. Rights of way have been purchased over a settled route from that point to the Catawba river two and one half miles from Marion. Gangs of men are at work grading at a few points along the route: so as to hold certain strategic points against the Southern should they desire to obtain them. From what we can gather it is proposed to extend the line through Montford's Cove to Rutherfordton to connect with the Seaboard and then go on to Spartanburg.

#### ONE DOLLAR SAVED REPRESENTS TEN DOLLARS EARNED.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by W. A. Leslie.

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#### WATAUGA.

Boone Democrat, July 6th.

Strange things continue to happen, even among what is supposed to be our best people. On Wednesday evening of last week Thomas Gragg, of New River, who has always been considered a worthy, christian gentleman, eloped with his cousin, a Miss Greene, and left behind him a wife and three young children. We are told that Montana was the State he was heading for when he was last seen.

Little Sallie, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tice Wagner, of Stony Fork, who was with her grandparents, was drowned in the Watauga river near Valle Crucis on Tuesday evening. The child was following her grandmother, a corpulent lady, across a foot log, and by an awkward step plunged into the river, and before help could arrive, life was extinct. The parents were wired of the sad accident, but they could not come, and the remains were taken home for burial.

"Pet" Hartley, son of Mr. Elbert Hartley, of Blowing Rock, met with a most horrible death on Wednesday of last week. He was driving on the Yonahlossee road near Linville when, it is supposed, his horse became frightened and started to run. The young man tried to jump; his foot broke through the bottom of the cart and hung; his body went forward over the dash board, his head reaching the ground. The animal ran for half a mile and when the horse was stopped the poor boy's head was literally torn from his body. Pieces of his skull were found along the road and his brain was scattered in every direction.

Mr. Pink Page was arrested last week for growing too boisterous on the streets of Casar and confined to the calaboose. This did not suit him. So he fled his way out, and after being chased to the corporate limits by Policeman Brittain on a mule, he made his escape and is now at large.

Mrs. E. E. Cabaniss has a turkey hen that has established a reputation as a producer of eggs. She had laid 64 up to last Wednesday for this season, and there seems to be no limitation to her capacity, for the supply is by no means exhausted. She is going right along with the good work.

Miss Mahala Crane, 85 years old, of the Pleasant grove neighborhood, commonly spoken of as "Aunt Mahala," died last Friday and was buried at Pleasant Grove Baptist church Saturday. She had throughout her long life accumulated some property and was in some respects a very peculiar woman. She was regarded by some people, especially negroes, as a witch doctor, and around her medical chest flocked the lame, the warty and the blind of the colored population, and now and then of the white to the relief hidden in cards, peas, or coffee.

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#### CALDWELL

Lenoir News, July 7th.

This section has been blest during the past week with fine rains and prospects for a full yield of corn this fall is good.

Mr. Herman has finished the stone foundation work of the new cotton mill at Granite Falls. He is now completing his work on the race.

Tuesday night lightning struck in the rope way at Rhodhiss factory and set fire to the interior. The alarm was given and the fire soon put out.

G. W. Conley, U. S. Commissioner, is making it rather warm for those who are selling whiskey around town. Several have been bound over to the Federal court and warren's are out for others.

Mr. J. E. Corpening, who left this county ten years ago and went to Texas, is here visiting his father, his relatives and friends. He expects to remain some two or three weeks, when he will return to his Texas home.

The Statesville District Conference will meet in Lenoir Methodist church from July 13th to 16th, inclusive. There will be in attendance between 75 and 100 delegates and ministers, coming from Iredell, Alexander, Catawba and Caldwell counties, which is the territory embraced in the district. Dr. J. H. Weaver will preside over the sessions of the conference.

#### CHOLERA INFANTUM.

CHILD NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE FROM ONE HOUR TO ANOTHER, BUT CURED BY CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY. Ruth, the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, of Agnewville, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer. "We gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. "I happened to think of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five hours I saw a change for the better. We kept on giving it and before she had taken the half of one small bottle she was well." This remedy is for sale by W. A. Leslie, druggist.

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#### CATAWBA.

Newton Enterprise, July 7th.

Miss Martha Witherspoon, about 60 years old, died at her home near Claremont Monday. It was so hot Monday that some of the carpenters working on houses had to give up and seek the shade.

All the electric lights in the stores on the east side of the public square were put out during the thunder storm Tuesday night.

The track and trestle crews on this division of the Southern road are on a strike and Mr. Geo. E. Bollinger is at home getting up new hands.

Cotton is now 10 cents a pound. This is good enough news for one week. Many Catawba farmers have a few bales in the eastern part of the county. We are told that nearly every farmer has from one to twenty bales.

The preferences expressed by the converts of the Black meeting on cards handed in to the pastors during the meeting were: Methodist 15; Reformed 14; Presbyterian 10; Lutheran 4; Baptist 3; Episcopal 2; no preference 3; 51 in all.

Mrs. Emma Rockett, wife of Mr. Eugene Rockett, died in Thomasville last Sunday morning of typhoid fever. Her remains were brought up on the Sunday night train to her father's, Mr. G. D. L. Yount's, in Newton and were taken to St. John's in Cline's township for burial. Rev. W. F. Womble preached the funeral.

Some of our neighbor exchanges got ahead of the Enterprise on katydid this year. The first heard was on June 26. The first frost is always due just three months from the night you hear the first note of the katydid. This will be September 26th, a very early frost. Strange to say none of the cotton telegraphic letters has taken the katydid into consideration in determining the size of the cotton crop and the price the staple should bring this fall.

A party on the way to Catawba Springs Tuesday evening had a thrilling time in a wind, rain and hail storm, which caught them about 8:30 two miles from the Springs. Trees were blown down around them and across the road and the rain and hail came down in torrents. They returned Wednesday morning and report that the crops on the road were considerably damaged by the hail and wind and the roads were terribly torn up by the heavy rains.

#### THE DIAMOND CURE.

The latest news from Paris is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles. At W. A. Leslie's and John Tull's drug stores; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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#### Tornado in Texas—Loss of Life and Damage to Property.

Dallas, Texas, Dispatch, 5th.

A special to the News from Nacoma, Texas, says that a tornado and thunder storm passed a few miles west and south of there this afternoon, killing four or five persons and injuring many others and destroying a number of houses.

Many farm houses were swept entirely away. The school house, three miles west of here, was damaged.

Baptist and Methodist churches at Deliber were considerably damaged. The Methodist church at Montague is reported wrecked and the court house damaged; also other churches. The Dixie school building, six miles south of here, was entirely blown away. Hail stones as large as hen eggs fell here, breaking out many window glasses. Reports of the work of the tornado are still coming in. The number of killed and injured will probably reach sixty.

Nacoma is in the northern part of Texas, on a spur line of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad, four miles from Gainesville.

Ten people were reported dead at Montague, Texas, and several stores and 15 dwellings were completely demolished. Many head of stock were killed outright. The number of injured is unknown.

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