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### MAJOR FINGER.

Death has drawn the pall over this distinguished citizen. A bright star in the educational sky tas sunk behind the brink of mortal life. "The workman dies but the work goes on," is probably true of edu-Plators above most o her men. Our subject entered the Confederate s r wice and was made quarterm ster living. sergeant, then captain, collector of taxes in the Charlotte district, then major and collector of taxes for the State. When the war ended he associated himself with Dr. J C C app, of Catawba College, till 1874, when his health gave way, and he had to abandon the school room, but his tinctly feminine. Is forces out all anterest in the educational work never abated. He served in both branches of the State L-gislature, tite, helps digestion, promotes asand from 1884 to 1893 he served the similation, fills out the hollows in State of superintendent of public instruction in which office he left a glow of girlhood. good record.

He took a lively interest in po ditical affairs, especially in the late campaign. While he was not in arobust health his death was quite unexpected and was a severe shock to the community at Newton.

He was an unassuming character of much real worth, commanding the esteem and the respect of all. He leaves a wife, but no children.

### PASTEUR TREATMENT FAILED.

About a month ago eight boys in Baltimore were bitten by a rabid dog. They were all treated at a Pasteur hospital in New York. Three have died of hydrophobia sanid indications of great agony. those who have not, have now the These three, however, were bitten about the head while the others bottle free. Send your name and were bitten elsewhere and seem to be doing well. There seems not to Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as be the greatest comfort in the Pasteur discovery.

The Sunday Washington Times zer's Drug store. tells of Harry Parker in his desperan cion over the fact that a girl he bill for the relief of John U Thorne, Loved could not love in return so of Littleton, Halifax county, prosilly a fellow as he, attempted to get viding for the payment of \$12,800 even with things by treating his in- for the burning of 55 bales of cotmer parts, so near the region of his pais, with whiskey at first and then with two ounces of laudanum. The doctors used his stomach as a pumping tank and relieved him of the len & Co., Chicago, and get a free Laudanum and, it is to be hoped, some of a fool's leve. In a few days the youngster will be in trim for a tive in the cure of Constipation new mash probably, and will be less aurprised at the good sense of a girl proved invaluable. They are guarthat rejects a simpleton.

zeputation for mob law. Six or

seven in one week is rather strong They go about it in a determined but quiet way and effect their purpose. It is a dangerous way of regulating public affairs. Kentucky needs to jet settled down on the right side of partisan lines to have fewer provocations.

President Alderman in an interyiew says the outlook for the State University is very bright. The number of students enrolled is 540, being more than in any year since the war. He has no fear of legislation this winter unfavorable to the university.

The European powers have practically agreed upon a method by which to coerce the Turkish government into certain reforms looking to the better protection of the Armenians. This course might be reasonably expected and has come to a head entirely too slowly for the hasty and impulsive, but some delay with much diplomatic caution is better than such course as might have raised a war storm in Europe.

Sometimes it set me to weary woman that she must certainly give up. The simplest and easies! work bec mes an almost insur mountable task. Nervousness, sleeplessness and pain harass her and life seems Lardly worth the

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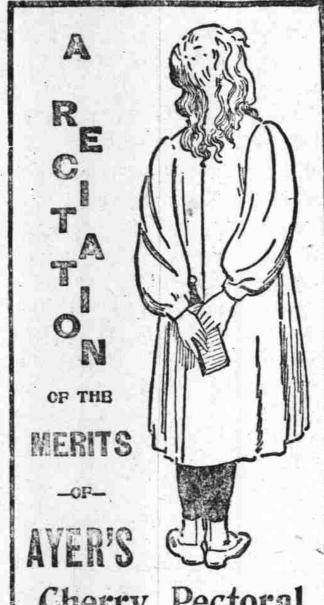
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