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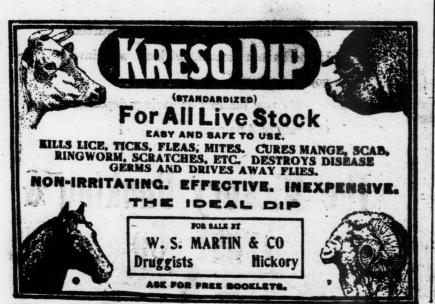
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Decoration day at Newton diers of Conover. Among them M. D. Critcher and M. B. Black- for unexpected company. were Capt. P. F. Smith, Lieut. burn, aldermen. J. A. Yount. P. C. Lail and J. P. Spencer.

Mr. G. Machlman, we regret, has been suffering from acute Payne. indigestion.

Mr. P. E. Isenhower's daughter, Bertie, wife of Wade Smith; is at her father's in ill health.

Prof. W. H. T. Dan, of St. Louis, is expected to deliver a sermon and also a literary address at the close of the year of trip. Goncordia College in June. His many friends in the county will be glad to see and hear him again.

Prof. J. S. Koiner leaves this week for a stay of some weeks in in the dormitory help. B. G. Asheville. Then in the summer, he proposes to sell us a neat volume of Southern literary, war songs and poems.

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That Ill. club woman who is severely criticising the President views on the race suicide, is like ly to get herself elected a member of the "undesireable citizens" association".

Argo Red Salmon can be prepared in nearly a hundred different ways. It is one of the most nutritious and healthful foods sold. At all grocers.

Things have reached a curious stage in this county when in a three cornered meeting between the governors of N. C., S. C. and Connecticut, the latter is the only gentleman who will take anything stronger than lemonade

#### Do You Think

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in man be offered you?

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#### BOONE ITEMS.

The new town officers are: J was attended by several old sol- C. Flether, mayor; L. B. McNeil,

> Mr. Tyre Elrod and Miss Davie Bowles were married in East Boone on Tuesday by Rev. J. M.

Elk township held an election on the stock a few days ago. The stock law carried by five votes.

Trout fishing has been fairly good. The lawyers and doctors are getting some nice fish. Of course others beat them every

The A. T. S. people are getting ready for the summer term which opens on June 4. Several teaches have been added to the faculty and some changes made

#### GRANITE FALL NEWS.

The town election passed off quietly. The old board was re-E. E. Cline, F. R. Tilley and J. V. Sherrill, commissioners.

The Warlick, Whisnant Company are putting in an automat'c turning lathe and a glue jointer and spreaders.

The C. & N-W. railroad are doing s lot of work on the grade south of town, straigthing the road and filling up the Mull trestle between here and Hickory.

There was a lot of "saw paw" in town Saturday night, but everything seems to be quiet

I. L- Lanier has bought out J. G. Snerrill's general merchandise and will do business at the same stand.

Mr. Oates Russell has taken Mr. Lanier's place as bookkeeper for Dudley Lumber Co.

The remains of Nude Sharp were buried in the town cemetery a few days ago. Mr. Sharp was killed by accidentally turning on the electricity while repairing an electric wire in West Virginia.

Miss Ethel Terrell is visiting in town.

Mr. Charley Starnes returned from Norfolk last week.

Messrs. Clarenae and Pleasant Moore took in the opening of Jamestown Exposition.

A lot of work has been done on

Mr. N. A. Whitener brought us a very peculiar shaped egg. It resembles a small gourd with a handle. Mr. Whitener says this was a production of his inventive hen, that she is laying eggs with handles to them as a matter of convenience to the consumer. The egg can be seen at this office.

Miss Jeane who made the million dollar dollar donation for the education of Southern negroes is 84 years old and worth five million dollars, so she will still be quite comfortably off.

Prof. Alex. Graham Bell says that we shall soon have airships that will cross the Atlantic in less than twenty hours. Dinner may be had in America and breakfast in Europe.

Mr. J. A. Cline, manager of the Hickory Hosiery Mills, left Saturday for Philadelphia to be present at the meeting of the National Assotiation of Hosiery Manufacturers which convened there the 13, inst. This plant is now installing new machinery and doubling its capacity.

Mr. W. M. Mentz, represent-ing The Weisel Mfg. Company, of Michigan, was here this week Why, explanation on a point and sold the Phoenix Mfg. Company, a new milling outfit for a capacity of fifty barrels of flour per day.

> Once more Mr. Bryan has been hurled out of a vehicle only to land unhurt on his feet. It It doesn't seem to make any difference to him whether it is a carriage or band wagon, he always lands right side up.

There is nothing nicer to have in the larder than a few cans of Argo Red Salmon, just the thing

"Riding on the cowcatcher of a locomotive will cure consumption says aRussian doctor. Rest and quiet is secured if the patient falls off while the train is running at full speed.

Another objection to those rapid airship trip, to Europe will spring from the fact that passergers will not be able to boast of having seen a sea serpant on the

#### Ice, Ice, Ice.

Every family in Hickory should use ice because it is being sold cheaper in Hickory than in any other city in North Carolina. The Hickory Ice and Coal Co., will supply ice free of charge for one week to any family in Hickory elected. W. T. Payne, mayor; that purchases a refrigerator, not now having one.



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#### SHORT TALKS BY L. T. COOPER.

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Many people who talk to me say: "I feel half sick all the time. I dont just know what's the matter with me.' This is general debility. It's very



who get in this shape have my sympathy. They arn't sick enough for bed so they drag around and their families get exasperated with them.

There are two causes for this condition; bad habits and a weak stomach. By bad habits I mean eating irregularly and too fast and not chewing the food thoroughly. The stom-ach gives out and loss of appetite, billiousness, constipation, and general debility result. First get the stomach in shape and then be more careful in the future, and the worn out, despondent, half sick feeling will be a thing

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