

McDOWELL.

Death of James W. Dobson and Miss Laura Sandlin—The Social Features of a Week.

Shelby Democrat, Aug. 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I. White were entertaining the Misses W. B. and Margaret Presnell, of Morganton.

Miss Laura, the gentle and charming daughter of Mrs. Berne Sandlin, died at her home in Old Fort, N. C., Thursday morning, August 16th.

Dances at the hotel, parties at Mrs. John Yancey's and Mrs. J. E. Gay's, and mountain climbing trips constituted the social features for the past week. A moonlight picnic to the Iron bridge and another dance are talked of for next week.

James W. Dobson died at his residence Wednesday night after an illness of three weeks with typhoid fever. Deceased has only resided here about six months having removed here from Dysartsville and was employed at the McDowell furniture factory. His wife and four little children survive him. The remains were taken to Oak Grove Cemetery for interment yesterday morning. As the family were in rather straitened circumstances, the funeral expenses were paid by subscriptions from the citizens and fellow employes of the deceased, the latter subscribing very liberally.

CLEVELAND

Dwelling Burned—Killed by a Train—A Lawndale Marriage—Shelby and Cleveland Springs Thronged With Visitors.

Shelby Star, Aug. 22th.

The Mormon elders are still at work in this section.

Shelby is thronged with visitors and Cleveland Springs has a larger crowd this season than for several years.

Mr. Will McCurry, an industrious and successful young man of Lawndale, was happily married last Sunday to Miss M. Cansler, the charming daughter of Mr. G. P. Cansler, Rev. J. A. Cook officiating.

Mr. John Ramsey, a cotton mill operative, was killed by the fast mail on the Southern at King's Mountain on Sunday night. His body was badly mangled. He was 35 years old, a brother to Mr. D. W. Ramsey, of Lauraglen, and leaves a wife and two children.

Mr. Daniel Peeler, an industrious and hard working farmer of No. 8 township, lost his new dwelling house and all the household effects on last Sunday morning by fire. When he and his family awoke the roof of the house was in flames and the family barely escaped,

saving only one bureau, the organ and a few other things. All the household and kitchen furniture and all wearing apparel was burned in the house. The building was new and nicely furnished. Mr. Peeler is thrifty and prosperous. There was \$350 insurance in the Farmers' Mutual Fire Association. The fire was unquestionably of incendiary origin, but there are no suspicions as to who the guilty party is. The fire started on the opposite side of the kitchen from the stove flue, and there had been no fire in the stove since the previous day.

Killed by a Train.

News reached Morganton last Saturday morning of the finding of the remains of John Lail on the R. R. track between Connelly Springs and Hilderbrand. He was killed by a train sometime Friday night and pieces of his body were scattered on the track for some distance. He was seen at a distillery near by Friday evening, where it is said he was drinking heavily, and it is supposed that on his way home he lay down on the track and went to sleep.

Lail leaves a wife and several children. Coroner Kincaid summoned a jury and held an inquest. The verdict was "drunk and asleep on the track."

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