

HEALTHFUL HOMES.

A good opportunity for profitable

past week, and the people are al- made Morganton their home. ... The North Carolina Car Com-Walton, married Nancy McIntyre, working in the eastern was a doctor, living in the eastern bortion of the county or at the county of Dr. most panic stricken. pany has closed a contract for for the Seaboard Air Line. As Coldwell where his son, Todd R. Caldwell, afterwards resided, and many more will be built for the sold goods in the corner room for same line at the Seaboard and many years. Roanoke shops, and a large num-Sidney Erwin and William Alber of engines will be built for it berto Erwin, sons of W. W. Erwin, in Portsmouth. had a general store in Morganton ... Mr. Sid Nixon, of this place, from about 1820 for ten years or has a razor that is one hundred more. and fifteen years old. The razor | JR. C. Pearson began his busiwas manufactured by Gilbert ness career as a clerk in the store was a man of good ability and Brothers, Sheffield, England. It of his uncle, John Caldwell, When Brothers, Sheffield, England. It of his uncle, John Caldwell. When thoroughly acquainted with the was branded: "The Celebrated he married Miss Suffronia J. Tate, theories of medical practice, ac-Old Army Razor," and under the daughter of David Tate, he began brand is the date, "1775." The to merchandise, where Hogan and razor was carried all through the Huffman are now selling goods, war of 1812 by Maj. Conner, of and did a leading and a very Beatties Ford; who lived in the profitable business for twenty house built by Col. Wheeler, au- years or more. thor of Wheeler's History of W. C. Erwin married Matilda, North Carolina .- Mt. Holly News. daughter of Thomas Walton, and built his residence on the lot on .. On the recommendation of Green street, where Dunavant's the professors of Mathematics and livery stable is now located. He Engineering in the University of opened a store on the corner of the Vermont, Mr. George H. Claflin, same lot, at which he continued to of New York, has been appointed sell goods till the year before the instructor in Mathematics and war began, when Mr. Elias, father Drawing in the University of North of Hon. Kope Elias, rented the Carolina. He is certified to have house. Mr. Erwin was one of the extraordinary ability in those lines, most popular of the old-time merto have taken the degree of C. E. chants, who credited their custowith honor, and to have had much mers indefinitely. The merchant successful experience in teaching, could console himself, however, The Department of Engineering with the reflection, that if he sued at our University is now ready for his delinquent customers before business. Thomas Walton, the leading Jus-.. A young farmer of Edge- tice of the Peace for the town, the combe county has added another debtor would not be permitted to valuable item to the process of plead the statute of limitation, tobacco culture. He found out When a defendant proposed to that turkeys would destroy tobac- rest his defence on that ground co worms, and drove a flock the venerable old man would reply day. The turkeys soon "caught on," and he says that they are to the Country Country Appeal now so trained that they make for John H. Ferree, of Randleman, the field every morning as soon received his mercantile training as they are turned out. The in the store of W. C. Erwin, and dodge is so successful that an in- before he was a grown man, had spection of the plants by human entire charge of the business. labor once in two weeks is all that James C. Smythe, a celtic Irishis necessary .- State Exchange. man, marred a daughter of Robin Caldwell and for many years com-.. The purchase of the property manded a large trade for his store. known as Camp Russell, on the He owned and kept the old hotel, eastern suburbs of the city as a located east of the Caldwell place,site for the proposed Soldiers' that was burned in the year 1867. Home begins to look as if the Col. S. McD. Tate, for some scheme was to be pushed forward years, had charge of the mercanwith eagerness. The sum paid by tile busines of Maj. Smythe. Subthe executive committee of the sequently he, the late Sylvester Confederate Veteran's Association, Bettis and his cousin, John M. to the State, is understood to be Tate, opened a large store in the \$5,000. The situation is, in many Smythe building, but dissolved fers his professional services to the citizens of respects, a most desirable one and the partnership and closed the can be made peculiarly adapted business in about two years, for the purpose designed. It is Donald Fraser, a Scotchman, came from Rutherfordton to Mornow thought that the Home can be opened by October 1st .-- Ralganton about the year 1850. He eigh Visitor. was one of the many merchants, , Mrs. Susan DeBruhl, who lives whose success has verified the near DeBruhl, this county, has a maxim that "Honesty is the best young cow that has had a remark- policy." He was patronized by a able experience. The cow had large number of customers, bebeen allowed to run at large in the cause they believed that he had a woods, during the day, and she fixed price; that he tried to buy had been in the habit of coming the best of every species of goods home regularly at night until and was honest enough to inform na, and was chieflyinstrumental in about two weeks ago, when she a purchaser of any defect in the failed to return. Search was made article offered him. for her, but she was not found Josiah V. Blackwell came to until eleven days after she was Burke from New Berne about the first missed. She was fastened in year 1856. He opened a large ? a tree. A fire in the woods had store in Morganton and continued built and occupied the house ing the authority of the State of Druggist, Morganton, N. C. eats, and Trade-Marks obtained, and all Pat- burned in the tree a hole, through to sell goods there till the war be where Col. S. McD. Tate now North Carolina. He was brought which she had put her head, by gan. He resided in the town till lives. He died of consumption, to Morganton for safety and be-turning it in a certain position. 1867.

father came to Burke; and about to the county. mitted in that section during the the same time the McIntyres also THE OLD-TIME DOCTORS,

Joseph McDowell, of Pleasant County-Seat before the day of Dr. Thomas Bouchelle he writer has not been able to ascertain his name. Dr. Bouchelle settled in Morganton and commenced the practice of medicine during the first decade of this century. He purchased from W. W. Erwin, the lot where Mrs. Corinna Avery now lives, and resided on it till his death, about the year 1843. He cepted by the men of his day. Dr. C. L. Shuffling was an accomplished gentleman and a learned physician but especially an unusually skillful surgeon. He came to Rutherford and Burke counties on business for some persons living in Pennsylvania, and spent a good deal of his time in Morganton about 55 or 60 years ago. Col. C. L. McDowell and the late J. C. L. Corpening of McDowell county were named for him. The proper names of a given period sometimes commemorate the political leaders of the day, but oftener mark the gratitude of the women or the admiration of the men, for a favorite physician or preacher. Dr. Samuel Tate began to practice medicine in Morganton about the year 1820. He commanded a larger and profitable practice till he removed to Cherokee county about 1840. He returned to Morganton before the late war and died here on the ---- day of --William Caldwell Tate, was a brother of Dr. Samuel Tate and a son of Hugh Tate. He was born on the ---- day of ---- 18-. He began the practice of medicine about the year 1835. Soon after he married Mrs. Laura Polk, the widow of Marshall Polk, (a brother of President James Polk) and the daughter of the great prosecuting attorney, Joseph Wilson, and settled on the old Brank farm, now owned by R. K. Presnell. He did a large and profitable practice from the time that he opened his office till the time of his death on the --- day of --- 18-. He is remembered with gratitude and affection by many of the old people of the county. He was the father of J. W. Tate, Drs. Hugh and Robert Tate and J. Knox Tate, of Tennesse, and Mrs. W. E. Powe and Miss Emma Tate, of Burke. Dr. William L. McRae was born in Cabarrus county and settled in Burke about the time when Dr. Bouchelle died. He was an unusually affable and entertaining companion and a learned and popular physician He was moreover one of the best practical geologists and mineralogists, that has lived in Western North Carocalling public attention to the mineral wealth of this section before his death.

all diseases.

the sufferers and sacrificed his life with

more probable, than the statement If it realizes when finished, the He died of Yellow fever in furnished Dr. Ramsey, that a sin- promise given by present appear-Vicksburg, Miss., when the whole gle bold Tennesseean overawed ance, it will be a grand mounment Thomas Walton married Martha Gardens, was a physician. If there that terrible scourge in 1878. He comitatus of the largest county in the city, in centuries to come. Mississippi Valley was visited by the Judge, Sheriff and the posse to the prosperity and greatness of volunteered to go to the relief of the West, and treated the court No small number of builbings The writer has are made of a greenish-gray sandcontempt. in the effort to save them. He no doubt that Sevier surrendered stone, with sandstone trimmings had been eulogised by the press and went to jail and firmly be- of red, carved in designs which and people of Memphis but a few lieves, that he was released amid are shown off gaily by the conyears before, when he remained the cheers of his Burke comrades trast; in some cases these buildthere during the first visitation of before reaching the Court House. ings are really objects of beauty to The story of the pursuit, the wri- look upon. Then there is the Dr. John Michael Happoldt was ter believes, is also mythical. Tralight-gray lava, almost white, a also a native of Charleston, S. C. dition represented the sympathy harder rock, and it is thought, He first settled in Mecklenburg for Sevier to have been so great, much more durable than sandcounty and practiced medicine that a crowd might have been stone. There has lately been insuccessfully for a number of years. easily gathered, if necessary, to troduced a rock of peculiar bluish-gray tint, which causes a house

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He had a thorough knowledge of the works of leading writers on medicine, and it was universally conceded, that he was a successful practitioner. He was especially remarkable for his nerve and heroic perseverance, when less hopeful physicians despaired.

Dr. John Calhoun McDowell settled in Morganton and devoted himself to his profession for a few years after his marriage with Erwin. But when he bought the

David Corpening farm, that had once been the home of his kinsman, Col. - Joseph McDowell of Quaker Meadows, he preferred the life of a farmer. As many of his family have done he proved his descent from "Hunting John Mc-Dowell" by his fondness for the

chase. Dr. Waightstill Avery Collett was born on the-day of-1830, on Canoe creek in Burke county. He was the son of John Collett and Margaret Avery, who first married John Murphy. He married Mary, a daughter of Gov. Todd R. Caldwell.

Dr. Collett was educated at Valle Crucis, Watauga county, where there was a flourishing school under the supervision of the Episcopal diocese of North Carolina. He studied medicine in Morganton and attended Medi-

cal lectures in Charleston and Philadelphia, After spending a few years in California Dr. Collett located in Morganton several years before the war begun. He was assistant surgeon of the 6th and surgeon

of the s8th Regiment. He continued to practice medicine in Morganton till his death on the

-day of----and was a well read. popular and successful physician.

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