are now at work in severst of rat monain cooalies One party isca. fing the fron beds of Watauga and Mitchell connties and another is eamped near Micaville for the purpore of studying the mica iudustry $\mathbf{M r} \mathbf{W}$. W. Ashe is stu-tyiug the for ost renoureps ant timber interest connties. Mr. J. V. Lawis is exp miniog the gr tuite deposits of the Salis bury sud Mt. Airy bilts, and Mr w. L spoos is atnd, ing the marble beds t MeD swell eonnty We hope the m ddle section of the State may soon be visited, as so far it seems to have been almost entirely overlooked.

## Died.

We are pained to annonnce the death of Mrs Mand L. Norwood, the wite of Mr J W. Norwood, which
took plaze sbout $9: 50$ o'elock last uight. The fanernl serviee, conducted by Rev J. N. Cole, took place at the reridence, 216 E Lenoir strect, ken to $t^{\prime}$ e country for interment.

A Nice Huse.
A friend, not a thousand anilen away, whose wife has been spending a few weeks iu the country, became wrote to his better half that he wa onesome and fick. The good lady did not take the hint, rid so nvited a few lady friends He urote his wife about the fine time he had The vext train brought the wife home, baggage and ail This is a it to the "grases wilowers' clab


## To Grape Growers

Correspondence of Visitor As the "June bugs" bave been ver destructive to some of the grap growers in this vicinity, I wish to in the pests a lurge extent, if taken adyantage of in time. Ther will tly very little about sunset or early in the morning, and if you will take a open, inverted umbrolla, hola it un der the vine when the buge aro con gregated and gently sbake the vin
they will fall into it, when yeu cpin pour them into a pail of water with small amount of kerosene on top o the water and the work is accomp lished. A sheet spread on the grouud
will anewer the same purpose. If all of the grape growers in this vicinit. will take hold of this suggestion, w can ruduce them in a few seasons ver materialls if not exterminate them. Reduced $\xlongequal[\text { prices on }]{A}$ prices on all children ng the next 30 days at
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thought to be killed, but it will out that ha was not seriously wound ed. One of the reserves roshed oat to pick him up and was suverely repri-
manded (only it is apelled with a C-) by dieat. Smith for being so hamane -Let the dead bury their
the lieutenant's advica
"The Horuets had to do the killing net aloo: the ir first act was to kill a large snake.
Why didn't our Cbarlotte contemporary spare the Reserves? They
didn't go to shoot that darkey. The fact is, it was the darkey's fault. Seaman Rilly Orí pulle the lanyard and it's none of bis bubinees to look out after perambulating "uigsers."
when the powitzer" pow wowed the darkey was wilking down one of the drives in the camp ground about forty feet in front of the mnzzle of
the gua. Seaman Orr saw Lim eboot up in the air abwur bitteen feet aud then iunch forward and hit the grit ten, falling on $\alpha$ bed of cactus. He
and went inmediately to seg if the darkey was hurt but fonnd him only had ramurd the lond in the gan with wulleu leaves and thrse and the convanub He was addule 1 only a few ciunter, and krently relieved the
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