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CHRISTMAS

The royal robe aside He laid, Wrapped servants garb around Him.

Zion Notes.

Mrs. Thos. Godfrey died of dropsy last Thursday, and was buried at Zion Baptist church Friday.

Dec. 18, 1897.

WHITE-HURT MARRIAGE.

Married in the Baptist church at Rusk, Sunday, Dec. 15th, Mr. Luther Gaston Hurt and Miss Zetta, daughter of Daniel White, one of Surry's prosperous farmers.

JONESVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. J. P. Hampton will soon occupy the dwelling owned by J. H. Ball.

Miss Cora Marder and H. B. Nelson, of Yadkinville, were in town last week.

Rumor has it that there will be two, if not more, weddings near town before the holidays are over.

E. H. Shores, of Saybrook, Ill., will visit here in January.

The school at this place will close Thursday. The students will return to their homes to spend the holidays.

Dec. 21st 1897.

LONGTOWN NEWS.

Mr. Editor—As I was one of the first to subscribe for your excellent paper, thought some of your readers would like to hear from this part of the world.

Asberry Blackman, of this place, went to Winston last week with a load of tobacco, but was not very well pleased with the price received.

Prof. A. W. George came from Harmony last Sunday to his father's, near here, to spend his holidays at home.

Jones Wagoner and Janie Carter were happily united in matrimony on last Sunday at the home of the bride.

The writer expects to be present at one of the finest weddings about Xmas that has happened for years.

D. M. Holcomb slaughtered two hogs the other day which weighed over 700 pounds, one weighed 273 and the other 434 pounds.

Dec. 20, 1897.

FISH FROM WASHINGTON.

A. L. Hendrix and Dr. R. W. R. W. Reece received a large supply of rock bass fish from the fish department at Washington Monday.

DEATH OF W. H. HUBBARD.

R. L. Hubbard received the sad intelligence Monday of the death of his father, Mr. W. H. Hubbard, at Moravian Falls.

Caught on the Last Round.

Joseph Isaacs, of Kapp's mill was here yesterday.

John Andrews, of Durham, is in town on important business.

Rev. J. S. Matthews passed through Monday enroute to New Orleans.

C. J. Felts killed a ten month old pig Friday that weighed 370 pounds.

S. J. Smith, the Charlotte electric light man, came in on the noon train yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Penn, of Winston, was the guest of Misses Laura Noel and Ruth Lillard this week.

Sherman Bryan arrived from Washington Tuesday to spend the holidays at his home at TruPhill.

Rev. Mr. Williams, of Madison, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Click & Co., want your trade and expect to have it if low prices and fair dealing will accomplish anything.

Mr. Henry Marshal, of Yadkin, was in to see us Tuesday, and ordered the JOURNAL sent to his two sons in Arkansas, for one year, as a Christmas present.

Willie Bell, of Buck Shoal, Yadkin county, caught in his rabbit gun last Friday night, at one fall, two rabbits and one large gray cat.

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Dr. W. A. Lowe and wife, of Tulip Hill, Haywood county, were the guest of Miss Myrtle Hickerson Monday and Tuesday.

F. L. Taylor who has been here for sometime leaves this week to spend Christmas at his home at Alleghany Springs, Va.

King & Co., had on exhibition at their store this week some of the finest apples sold on this market this year.

John A. Day hands us the following list of porkers slaughtered in his neighborhood this week.

We have been asked to state that if the disorder prevails at the Academy to-night like it was last Thursday night, it makes no difference who the defender is, they will be promptly hustled out of the building.

A GROWING INSTITUTION.

The announcement of the Spring term of the Yadkin Valley Institute, Boonville, appears in this issue.

ODD FELLOWS LODGE.

The new Odd Fellows Lodge was installed here Monday night with sixteen charter members.

THE REPORT AT THE ANNUAL MEETING.

This evening at 7:30 o'clock the pupils of the Elkin Academy will give a Christmas concert to the patrons and friends of the school and the public in general.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS.

The following new subscribers have been enrolled on our books since our last issue.

Dwelling Burned.

The residence of James P. Hampton, ten miles below Jonesville, was burned to the ground last Friday morning about seven o'clock.

Dumas to Young Men.

Dumas' advice to young men reads as follows: "Walk two hours every day; sleep seven hours every night; go to bed alone when you wish to sleep; work as soon as you rise; never eat unless you are hungry; never drink unless you are thirsty, and always slowly.

NOT DISTURBED IN THE LEAST.

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Something to "Chew on"

After a boy had eaten three plates of turkey with plenty of vegetables and dressing, and three saucers of pudding, besides bread and butter and cranberry sauce, his grandma asked him to have a piece of pie.

People who don't feel like "swallowing" many advertising statements, are invited to "chew on" the following plain facts:

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Commissioners Exhibit.

Exhibit showing the No. of days Board of county Commissioners of Surry county was present.

John L. Worth, Chairman of Board of Com'rs was present 51 days, traveled 312 miles, received for services \$77.60.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS.

J. J. WALLACE Adm'r of H. D. MOSLEY, Dec'd vs RICHARD MOSLEY and others, heirs of law.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Richard Mosley and George Mosley are necessary parties in the above entitled action, and that they are non-residents of the State of North Carolina.

This Dec. 7th 1897.

A LIBRARY IN ITSELF.

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Market Report.

Corrected Weekly

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Remarks: Prices are based on actual sales and for No. 1 quality. Green apples Onions, Beans are in good demand and wanted. Chickens are dull. Onions scarce and wanted. Pork in good demand. Fur season opens this week. Prospects dull.

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Candies of all kinds. Nuts of all kinds. Raisens, figs, dates, prunes, citron, currants, chocolate, etc.

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