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## LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. A. E. Ledbetter has returned from Baltimore.

A New Year's greeting is extended to all our readers.

Mrs. Myra Albright is spending the holidays in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bray are spending the holidays in Virginia.

Mr. G. O. Coble, of Roxboro, visited his old home in Guilford the first of the week.

FOR SALE—Fine fresh Jersey-Holstein cow. Apply to J. L. Hooper, at Pomona store. 52-2t.

Sheriff Jordan and Mr. C. W. Tate are at Manchester this week with their horses and dogs.

The policemen were each presented with a box of good cigars Monday by Mr. W. F. Clegg.

Mrs. Floyd Lambe, of Durham, is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Townsend.

Mr. C. G. Smith came up from Waycross, Ga., to eat his Christmas turkey at his old home here.

Prof. Clarence Richard Brown, who suffered a stroke of paralysis several weeks ago, is again desperately ill.

SHINGLES—You can buy them cheaper at Townsend & Co.'s than anywhere else, and they sell like hot cakes. 50-4t.

Mr. Chas. A. Hines, editor of the Lumberton Robesonian, came up to spend Christmas with his friends in Guilford.

The Christmas number of the Southern Tobacco Journal, Winston, was a finished production such as only high class publications can attempt.

The Guilford Lumber Company "remembered" everyone of its employees handsomely Christmas, giving each a two-dollar-and-a-half gold piece.

Mr. A. A. Chandler has been appointed deputy state councillor of the Junior Order for the counties of Guilford, Rockingham and Randolph.

The employees of Proximity and White Oak mills enjoyed their annual turkey feast Monday, thanks to the kind consideration of the management.

The American Cigar Company's big factory here is closed down this week so the employees can enjoy a sure-enough holiday vacation. Work will be resumed there next Tuesday.

Prof. W. H. McNairy, superintendent of the graded schools at Marion, S. C., was here the first of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNairy, on Arlington street.

Rev. A. G. Kirkman is out again, after a right severe attack of acute indigestion. He was laid up for several days, but is apparently all right again, barring the loss of a little strength.

Mr. J. C. Weatherly is here from Joseph, Oregon, to visit his brother and sister, Mr. J. W. Weatherly and Mrs. M. J. Taylor, who live south of the city. He will spend the winter here.

Mr. Michael Schenck, who located in Hendersonville last summer for the practice of law, is at home on a holiday visit. He is delighted with his new location and is prospering beyond his expectations.

Col. J. T. Morehead has been appointed by Judge Boyd special master to take the testimony and report back to the court in the injunction proceedings of the Southern Railway Company vs. the Town of High Point.

Mr. Chas. O. Patterson and Miss Maude Clapp, both of this city, were married Saturday evening by Squire Collins in the reception room of the Elks Club. The young lady's family objected to the match, with the usual result.

Mrs. Augusta Apple and Mr. Joseph P. Loy were married on Tuesday night of last week at the home of Mrs. Apple on East Lee street. Rev. L. F. Johnson performed the ceremony. Only a few friends and relatives witnessed the marriage.

The West Market Street M. E. Sunday school gave an elaborate Christmas entertainment Monday evening. A beautiful tree in charge of a real live Santa Claus and bands of brownies and fairies was one of the prominent features of the occasion.

A defective flue in the kitchen of Mr. O. F. Pearce caused a small fire last Friday night about 8 o'clock. The alarm sounded from box No. 24, and the firemen answered it promptly and extinguished the flames before very much damage resulted.

Mr. T. M. Jarrell, a clever young man of Freeman's Mill who combines butchering with his farming operations, killed a three-year-old bull recently for Mr. Jesse Coltrane, a neighbor, that netted 653 pounds. The hide of the bull weighed 86 pounds.

A special sent out from High Point Saturday said that Uriah Beason, a young member of a belling party in Deep River township, dropped dead Thursday night while participating in the time-honored custom of serenading a newly married couple.

The Salvation Army furnished Christmas cheer for over eighty worthy families, providing each with a large basket filled with substantial eatables, including a chicken, potatoes, etc. Tonight the Army will give a treat to the poor children of the city.

Mr. W. B. Stewart has resigned from the city mail carrier force and is succeeded by Mr. E. B. Hodgins, who has been his substitute for some time. For a year Mr. Stewart has been on leave of absence in the hope of regaining his health, which continues poor.

While attending to her household duties Christmas morning Mrs. Dean, wife of Rev. H. Baldwin Dean, rector of St. Barnabas church, was stricken with paralysis, her entire right side being affected. She soon began to rally under treatment, but is yet very ill.

The city is to be congratulated on the good order which prevailed Christmas day. There was little drunkenness, very few arrests and no serious accidents, hence the pleasures of the day were unmarred, save for the nuisance that obtains where cannon crackers are used promiscuously.

Mr. G. O. Wilson, the well known leaf tobacco buyer, and Miss May Small, a daughter of Mrs. M. E. Small, will be married at high noon today at the home of the bride on West Market street. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. G. H. Detwiler, D. D., in the presence of only a few intimate friends.

Greensboro appears to have an unusual number of holiday visitors this week, while on the other hand numbers of our people, young and old, are away spending the week or at least a portion of it with friends in neighboring towns and cities. Railroad travel was never heavier at Christmas than it was this year.

Winston Sentinel: Will Caldwell, the negro boy who was brought back from Greensboro Monday charged with breaking into the store of A. F. Messick Grocery Co., this city, was tried before Mayor Eaton yesterday afternoon, found guilty and bound over to Superior court. Bond was fixed at \$50 in default of which Caldwell was sent to jail.

Mr. John M. Haller, who has for the past four years been superintendent of the Greensboro Furniture Manufacturing Company, has resigned his position to take effect on the first of January and will thereafter travel for a Chicago firm. Greensboro will, however, still be Mr. Haller's headquarters and his family will continue to reside in this city.

Walter Cooke and C. C. Marshall, hailing from the mountain country, were arrested in the act of retailing near the White Oak mills last Thursday night. They had twelve gallons of whiskey, two empty barrels and over \$200 in cash when arrested. Friday they were bound over to Federal court by Commissioner Wolfe, and failing to give bond, went to jail.

The PATRIOT hopes to see Guilford well represented in the immigration meeting to be held here on Thursday, January 11th, in accordance with the call of President Lindley printed last week. Thoughtful people realize the necessity of keeping up the prosperity of the rural districts, which are the mainstay of the towns, and it is primarily to devise means to increase our farming population that this meeting is called.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harper Johnson, of High Point, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Christmas day in a becoming manner. They are excellent people and have hosts of friends who felicitate them on rounding out a half century together, at the same time wishing them many more years of the sweet companionship that has characterized their lives. Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bradshaw, of Greensboro, were among the guests Monday.

The employees of the Greensboro Furniture Manufacturing Company were banqueted by the management Saturday evening at the Hotel Clegg, covers being laid for about seventy-five guests. A fine menu was served, after which there were speeches by a number of gentlemen present. Mr. J. C. Murchison, secretary and treasurer of the company, who acted as toastmaster, gave notice that a profit sharing plan had been adopted which would go into effect the first of the year.

Oil, needles, parts and attachments for all sewing machines at McDuffie's Furniture Store. 4-tf

## CITY ATTORNEY SCALES RESIGNS.

Election of His Successor Deferred—Firemen Given \$500.

The regular meeting of the board of aldermen was held last Friday night. All were present except Mr. Brandt.

A letter was read from Mr. Brandt stating he would be absent from the city and asked that the matter of appointing a building inspector be delayed until next week. He also recommended the appropriation of \$500 to the firemen of the city, the appropriation to be presented through the chief as a Christmas donation. After the reading of the letter, Alderman Harrison moved that the board appropriate the sum of \$500 for that purpose and that the appointment be made by a committee composed of Chairman Brandt of the fire committee, chief and assistant chief of the fire department. The motion was carried.

Alderman Hunter recommended that the city put down a five-foot brick sidewalk on Lee street in front of the property of Frank Fields as a recompense for lands taken from him for widening of that street. The property above referred to is near the point where Ashe, Lee and Lewis streets intersect. On motion of Alderman Wysong the recommendation of Alderman Hunter was adopted.

Mr. A. M. Scales tendered to the board his resignation as city attorney. The reason for the resignation is set forth in the following letter to the board:

"To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Greensboro. Gentlemen: Having been elected general counsel of the Southern Life & Trust Co., the Southern Real Estate Co., and of four fire insurance companies, I desire to devote a great portion of my time to the special study of certain branches of the law, which have a bearing on the interest of those companies; and for this reason it will be necessary for me to tender my resignation as city attorney.

"In doing this, allow me to thank the mayor and board for many courtesies and to assure you and all the officers of the city of the keen regret which the severance of our relations causes me. For about ten years this city has honored me with this position and I feel grateful for the confidence which this implies, and I desire also to express my appreciation of the confidence and support which so many of the good people of this city have given me in the effort to enforce the law.

"If it will not inconvenience you, I would thank you to accept this resignation to take effect on January 1st, next. Yours very truly,  
"A. M. SCALES."

Alderman Hunter moved that Mr. Scales' resignation be accepted and that the mayor appoint a committee to draft suitable resolutions and that the Mayor, Alderman Odell, and the Chief of Police be members of said committee. The motion was adopted. Mayor Murphy appointed Alderman Hunter as an additional member.

Alderman Hunter moved that the board go into the election of a successor to Mr. Scales. Alderman Harrison moved that the election of city attorney be deferred until next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The substitute was lost. Mr. Hunter withdrew his motion as to going into election. On motion the board adjourned until Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

## A Word of Appreciation.

We desire to make due acknowledgment of the consideration shown us by our customers and friends during the twelve months just ending. The year is the best we have known since we went into business, but we do not claim all the credit. In expressing our appreciation to every patron of the year we add the assurance that we will strive harder than ever to please them in the future.

With the compliments of the season we remain,  
Your truly,  
TUCKER & ERWIN.

Miss Lily B. Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tucker, and Mr. John F. Smith, of this city, were married last Wednesday at the home of the bride near Pleasant Garden, Rev. Harold Turner, pastor of Spring Garden M. E. church, officiating. A few intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have gone to Florida, and on their return will make Greensboro their home. Mr. Smith is engaged in railroad construction work, and has made this city his headquarters for some time.

## A Bad Scare.

Some day you will get a bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness; costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at all druggists, only 25c. Try them.

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## Greensboro Tobacco Market.

It is gratifying to report that we had heavy sales up to the day the market closed for a brief holiday vacation.

There were scores of farmers here daily from every section of Greensboro's territory and almost without exception they were highly pleased with market conditions as they found them here.

Prices held up to the last moment and gave every indication that the new year would find them as firm as ever.

There was little or no change in the quality of the leaf offered, yet an occasional pile showed up in poor condition.

The market reopens January 3rd, when we hope to greet all our friends again. In the meantime we hope they are all enjoying the holiday season.

For the consideration shown this market during the year 1905 we wish to express sincere thanks. We hope the New Year will bring abundant happiness and manifold blessings to all our friends.

## Prices at the Farmers Warehouse.

The following are some of the splendid prices made at the Farmers warehouse the last week of the old year. They are worth looking over:

Aldridge and Hughes—302 pounds at 8 1/2 cents, 214 at 12 1/2, 122 at 16, 45 at 9; total for 683 pounds \$89.18, an average of \$11.74.

Hughes & Wallace—130 pounds as 8 1/2 cents, 92 at 9, 94 at 12, 34 at 13, 62 at 22, 14 at 50; total for 426 pounds \$56.46, an average of \$13.25.

Wallace & Co.—17 pounds at 7 cents, 128 at 9, 65 at 11, 94 at 17, 112 at 18, 96 at 35, 16 at 53; total for 523 pounds \$99.11 an average of \$19.96.

J. M. Wallace—82 pounds at 11 1/2 cents, 118 at 14, 84 at 20, 62 at 15; total for 346 pounds \$51.84, an average of \$14.96.

John Gilliam—60 pounds at 9 cents, 80 at 10 1/2, 100 at 13 1/2, 78 at 21, 100 at 39, 82 at 41, 90 at 47, 62 at 44, 70 at 60, 34 at 34, 54 at 24, 50 at 22, 178 at 20, 294 at 10; total for 1,332 pounds \$329.12, an average of \$24.70.

Wallace & Wallace—35 pounds at 7 cents, 47 at 10, 102 at 15, 90 at 25, 26 at 50, 42 at 14, 134 at 9, total for 476 pounds \$76.71, an average of \$16.11.

These prices made by us at the Farmers warehouse, Greensboro, show conclusively that this is the house to sell at to get the best results. Our sales continued good up to the close Thursday and everything points to equally good prices when we reopen January 3rd.

When you get ready to sell after the holidays come direct to the Farmers, where you shall always have the full market price for every pile sold.

We are very glad to be able to say that the Farmers warehouse remains in the lead in prices and pounds.

Thanking everyone for their kind patronage we wish them one and all a bright and prosperous New Year.

Yours very truly,  
J. H. WHITT, Prop.

Mr. W. W. Workman, who is now a successful business man of Norfolk, Va., is here on a visit among friends and relatives. He is accompanied by his wife. Mr. Workman's last visit was during the reunion of non-resident North Carolinians, and he is agreeably surprised at the strides the city has made since then.

WANTED—A farm containing 40 or 50 acres, with house on same, within five or six miles of Greensboro or High Point. Address G. E. BITTRICH, Delgado No. 42, Wilmington, N. C.

Three good second-hand top buggies and one two seated hack at Townsend & Co.'s cheap. 50-3t.

That was an appropriate and no doubt highly appreciated Christmas donation which Messrs. S. N. and J. W. Cone made last week to two prominent charitable institutions. The gift was in the shape of a check of \$100 to the Friend's Orphanage, at High Point, and \$100 to the North Carolina Children's Aid Society. It will be remembered that they were recently fined \$500 each, but subsequently the judge reduced this to \$400 each. The Messrs. Cone considered that the fine of \$800, as it stood after the remission of the \$200, was excessive and unjust. They also say that not having asked that the original verdict be reconsidered as a matter of charity, but from a point of justice, they are not inclined to look upon the reduction of \$100 each as an act of justice, and therefore prefer to let it go to the charities named above rather than have it themselves.

## For Sale at a Bargain.

One 30 H. P. boiler, with 25 H. P. mounted engine, 25-ft. carriage saw mill, log wagons, etc., all in good condition.

Also about 2,000,000 ft. of oak and pine timber, where mill is now located. Address P. O. box No. 205, or call at office No. 8, Greensboro Loan and Trust building, Greensboro.

## Live Birds Wanted.

We will pay 20 cents each for live quail, to be delivered at our store on Tuesday and Friday of each week, until further notice.

50-2t. FORSYTH & WATKINS.

## Farm Wanted.

I want to rent a good two-horse farm, with the privilege of buying.

Address W. F. SHEPHERD, 51-4t. Graham, N. C.

## WANTED, CUSTOMERS—For saw mill delivered at any station in North Carolina, \$138.

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## N. & W. Holiday Excursion Rates.

Commencing December 22nd to 25th, inclusive, December 30th and 31st, and January 1st, the Norfolk & Western Railway Company will sell cheap excursion tickets on account of the Christmas holidays limited to January 4th, 1906.

To teachers and students of schools and colleges holding certificates signed by the principal or president, excursion tickets will be sold December 17th to 24th, inclusive limited to January 8th, 1906.

For full information apply to ticket agents Norfolk & Western Railway. W. B. BEVILL, G. P. A., 50-3t. Roanoke, Va.

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