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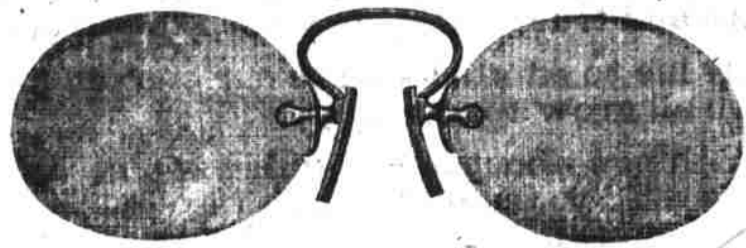
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# The Robesonian.

#### CHARGED WITH ELOPING.

**Joseph H. Oxendine, Will be Tried for Eloping With Willis Locklear's Wife.**

Joseph H. Oxendine, a Croatan, was arraigned here Tuesday before Squire G. T. Cox, charged with eloping with Maggie Locklear, another Croatan, the wife of Willis Locklear, of Saddle Tree township. The hearing was postponed until Tuesday of next week and Oxendine gave \$400 bond for his appearance then.

Willis Locklear is a well-to-do Croatan, being worth a few thousand dollars. He has employed Messrs. Wishart & Shaw and McIntyre & Lawrence to prosecute Oxendine. It will be alleged by the prosecution that Oxendine eloped with Maggie Locklear to Alabama the first of January and that they have since lived there. Oxendine was located there some time ago, was arrested and held until the necessary requisition papers were procured to bring him here, which was done Tuesday.

The defendant, Oxendine, is represented by Messrs. McLean, McLean & McCormick. In Oxendine's defense testimony will be offered to show that Willis Locklear and his wife were married two years ago and that they did not live together even as long as a night and day; that Maggie went with a number of other Croatans to Alabama the first of the year to live and work, as she thought she had a right to do.

The case is of considerable interest to the Croatan friends of both parties and a large number of them were here Tuesday to attend the hearing.

#### Western Union Increases Salary 10 Per Cent.

Mr. S. H. Hamilton, manager of the local office of the Western Union Telegraph Co., has received the following telegram from Supt. Maxwell, of this division:

"The following telegram received today from General Superintendent Levin: This Company has received petitions from sixteen offices in the West and Southwest within the last sixty days, asking for an increase of 10 per cent. in salary of employees. These petitions have been given careful consideration, bearing in mind that the Company could not discriminate in favor of a few offices, but that any action taken should be general. In this connection it has been necessary to consider the enormously increased cost of all kinds of telegraph material which in many cases has been from 50 to 100 per cent. while tariff rates on messages and other traffic are very low in view of the demand of the public for ever increasing facilities and more rapid service, in fact, many of these rates are relics of former Unions competition and are unprofitable. Notwithstanding these facts, the company has decided to increase the salaries of operators and managers at all of its independent offices throughout the country 10 per cent. from March 1st. This appeals to all managers, chief operators, traffic chiefs, general chiefs and operators in the company's independent offices.

It is understood that vice president, William A. Garrett, of New York, will succeed the late Alfred Walter, as president of the Seaboard Air Line Road.

#### DETAILS OF MONUMENT. Executive Committee Meets and Decides on Inscription, Etc.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Veteran Association of the 14th inst., the resignation of Capt. Tom McBryde, as a member of the committee, was regretfully accepted. Capt. Bryde is a true and loyal veteran and to him is largely due the movement to erect a monument to the Confederate Soldiers of Robeson county. Judge T. A. McNeill was elected chairman, and Mr. D. E. McBryde, a member of the committee to fill vacancies caused by resignation of Capt. McBryde.

Gov. R. B. Glenn was chosen to deliver the address at the unveiling of the monument, May 10th, and Miss McBryde, daughter of Capt. McBryde, to unveil it.

The following inscriptions and emblems were selected for the monument: On the South side of the die: "Erected under the auspices of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in loving memory of the two thousand Confederate Soldiers of Robeson County.

"1861-1865." On the North side of large Cap "1861" in large raised letters. North side of the die, the crossed sabers.

West side of top Cap "C.S.A." West side of bottom spire, the confederate flag with broken staff.

West side of large Cap "1865" in large raised letters. West side of die, Carved mounted Cannons.

West side of top base, "Our Confederate Dead.

East side of bottom spire, Crossed guns.

East side of die, the following inscription:

This marble minstrel's voiceless stone In deathless song shall tell, When many a vanished age hath flown, The story how they fell.

On fame's eternal camping ground, Their silent tents are spread, And glory guards with solemn round, The bivouac of the dead.

#### Trains Will be Reinstated.

Charlotte Observer, 21st.

A decision on the part of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad which will be of interest and pleasure to Charlotte people was made known yesterday to Mr. Joseph Ker, Jr., city passenger agent. The announcement was to the effect that trains Nos. 39, 40, 44 and 45 will be reinstated in the early spring. Nos 44 and 45 will be put on the road between Charlotte and Shelby. One reason for the re-establishment of these trains was the desire of the Seaboard to make adequate provisions for handling the great amount of extra passenger business that will be brought forth by the Jamestown Exposition. The latter is expected to open April 26, and the date of the new schedule will probably antedate this by at least a few days.

The schedule as lastly amended will be substantially that which was in vogue before the removal of trains 44 and 45 last fall. The new arrangement gives Charlotte two trains a day east and west. It will be of advantage both to Charlotte business men and to the traveling public in general, which will not be slow to avail itself of it.

The A. M. Johnson Company, of Lillington, Harnett county, was chartered to do a general mercantile business. The capital stock is \$10,000 authorized, and \$4,000 paid in. The incorporators are A. Frank Johnson, president; J. Beale Johnson, vice president; Jno. D. Johnson, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. A. M. Johnson.

#### ALFORDSVILLE NEWS LETTER.

**Fine Fox Chase--Good Deal of Fish Being Caught--Personal and Brief.**

Correspondence of The Robesonian

At our last writing we had quite a supply of snow but the weather has changed recently and now we are having some rain.

Sorry to report the illness of Mr. J. B. McCallum, who has been very sick with grippe and is a little improved.

Miss Mary, L. Bullock spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bullock.

Mr. J. W. D. McLean, our champion fox hunter, had quite an exciting chase last Saturday. After a 12 hour run they captured a fine fox.

There is a good deal of fish being caught at Gaddy's mill now as Mr. W. J. McRimmon is putting down a new saw mill.

Mr. Al Hasty has been right sick with grippe.

Mr. McR. Bracey spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bracey.

Mr. Hugh McLean is quite sick, we are sorry to learn.

Messrs. Dave Walters and Bunyan Bracey went to Rocky Mount Friday.

The most post cards that were ever sent by one young man at same time were sent last week. Such as "violets" "rabbits" and "cats," we girls were amazed.

Miss Agnes Evans spent Sunday in Rowland.

Miss Lena Bullock spent Sunday night with Miss Mary Bullock.

Alfordville, N. C., Feb. 20.

#### HOWELLSVILLE NEWS LETTER.

**Death of Mrs. Rachel Johnson--Mrs. Sessoms Improving From Accident--Personal and Briefs**

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Rev. C. R. Hester filled his regular appointment at Zion Hill church Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. P. T. Britt spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sessoms.

Some of Lumberton's people were in the community "foxing" Tuesday.

Zion Hill church has just been ceiled which adds much to the looks of the house.

Mrs. Sarah J. Sessoms, who fell and hurt her shoulder two weeks ago, is improving.

We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Rachel Johnson, which occurred Saturday night. Mrs. Johnson was the widow of the late Ewen Johnson, of Bladen, and was a member of Hickory Grove church.

Howellsville, N. C., Feb. 19, '07.

#### Oakton News Notes.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Messrs. J. W. Hedgpeth and S. B. Atkinson went to the fruit supper at Mt. Elium Saturday night.

Mr. Frank Howell and son visited Mrs. Harriet Purvis Sunday.

Misses Cleo and Frazier Purvis visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hedgpeth, of Rowland, visited his father, Mr. J. T. Hedgpeth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hedgpeth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hedgpeth.

Sorry to report the illness of Mr. J. E. Walters

Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis visited Mr. J. C. Atkinson, Sr., Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Hedgpeth spent Tuesday night at Rowland with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Atkinson visited in Orrum community Sunday.

Orrum, N. C., Feb. 17.

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