LOCAL.

THURSDAY, DEC. 4, 1884.

DEN DEATH.—Mr. J. B. Traylor, tor of an eating house near the lost his mental balance on Satur- nd Sunday last, and was confined bed. His disorder grew worse, 10 o'clock, Tuesday night, termi- fatally.

anksgiving day was observed here ct conformity to the proclamation Governor. A more quiet day is seen. Some of the younger peo- nt out in the morning with their but as their operations were far m the fields and woods, the Sab- like stillness of the town was un- bed except by the church bells ncing the hour of worship.

ere were services in only two of hurches—the Episcopal and Pres- an—for reasons not necessary to ion. The Rev. Mr. Stoudenmier, e Lutheran church, on invitation upied the pulpit of the Presbyterian h, the pastor, Dr. Rumple, expect- be absent.

Methodist Conference, the larg- d most influential christian body e State, was in annual session at mington last week. The attend- was large, and a large amount of ess was attended to. The minis- filled the pulpits of several church- the city in the while, and thus ed the people with a gospel feast. e list of appointments for the next signs to Salisbury district, W. obbit, presiding Elder; Salisbury n, James Wheeler; Salisbury cir- T. A. Stone; Rowan circuit, H. Blair. Rev. J. W. Wheeler, who abored here with such general ac- bility for two years, has been ap- ed to Island Mountain station, in y district.

r sometime the *Watchman* has had w the publication of an elaborate w of Rowan county and its resour- nd of Salisbury and its trade. Two s ago we secured the services of a tist who has had years of experi- in the preparation of such work, since then he has been busily en- in securing necessary data. Our ter has made similar reviews for Louisville *Courier Journal*, Nash- *American*, Indianapolis *Sentinel*, st *Post*, Buffalo *Express*, and other politan journals; and from the script already prepared for the *hman* we have no hesitation in sing an entertaining and instruc- exhibit.

e work is being pushed forward as ly as possible, and will be publish- the *Watchman* at an early day.

MAN'S MILLS.—The Postmaster- at this office has recently under- an unexpected and by the citizens ally undesired change by the re- al of Mr. U. E. Miller and putting place C. C. Gall—about the only lamb the republicans had in that unity. Mr. Gall has added bitter- y moving the office three-fourths mile from its ancient place. This rs the usefulness of the office, and sed the citizens who have arrang- have their mail matter delivered ller's Store, Rock P. O., and thence vate arrangement to its former of delivery. Mr. Gall will hold Commission of P. M. of Heilig's office, shorn of the larger part of profits. The citizens believe the ge was accomplish by persons not g in the neighborhood and from ical motives, because the white peo- re almost unanimously democratic litical faith and practice.

W ABOUT IT?—We want a faster better press for the *Watchman* and w out-fit of type, and there is no- g in the way of getting them but lack of ready cash. There is due ore than enough to buy them, but to get it is a puzzel a little too hard s. We have always found it easier ay in our office and earn five dollars run out after a delinquent for the s due, and so it happens the yearly accumulate. The little dribs here there would be worth going after but it will not pay to trot after many times. They are more near- *ts of honor* than claims in other They are not marketable or we sell them. We can't borrow on —the banker would laugh us out untenance if we were to offer it. yet we know our list is made up ver fellows, almost every man of They *intend* to pay and will, if ing happens to prevent it. All the s on one side, and against the new and type. We can't change it, will leave it with those whom it concern.

r. Mr. Payne, pastor of the Presby- n church in Concord, has sustained a ty affliction by the death of his wife. Payne has been in bad health for months, which terminated Sunday ing last in death.

Abolish! Abolish!

The Charlotte *Home-Democrat*, which is generally sensible, said in a recent issus:

"Let the cry be kept up for the abolishment of the whole internal revenue system, tax and all. Democrats (although a number of offices are in view) must stand up to what they said before the election against the miserable, corrupting, iniquitous and unfair system known as the internal revenue, and we want the Republicans to also stand by their professions, and help abolish the whole concern. Democrats will have the President and House of Representatives, and they should demand that the Republican Senate agree to the repeal of a system that is abominable and corrupting in its tendencies. Let there be no backing out on that question."

In endorsing the above the *Landmark* says: "It is more important now to the Democratic party than it has ever been before that the internal revenue system should be abolished, root and branch. The party in North Carolina is under every obligation to the people to use every effort for its repeal. Though the attempts heretofore made to discharge this obligation have failed of accomplishment, our Senators and Representatives should not think of giving up the fight or of surrendering an inch of ground. They should redouble their efforts. This system has been hard to fight but it will be harder still to carry. Yes, abolish it, as an act of good faith and also of good policy. The people still demand it and will watch closely the record of a Democratic House on the subject. If it is found impossible to wipe it out, accept any sort of modification of it. Lop off useless offices; reduce salaries; rid it of its most unjust and oppressive features. We have faith in our North Carolina Representatives in Congress and believe that they will not be forgetful of their obligations to the people with regard to this matter simply because there is shortly to be a transfer of this machinery from Republican to Democratic hands."

We heartily ratify the above sentiments. We go for a repeal of the whole system and believe it to be wrong in principle and at variance with the wishes and the usage of our people. It is corrupting to the last degree.

The Chicago Fiasco.

News and Observer.

Never were tables more completely turned than upon the Federal Court at Chicago. The official returns elected Brand to the Legislature—and the Federal court, in order to pry into the matter, which did not concern it, had the poll books, tally sheets, ballots, &c., brought before the grand jury under the pretense of examining into the election of the Representative in Congress, of whose election there was no dispute. In other words the court lent itself to a fraud. It undertook to do by indirection what it could not do directly. Wishing to examine into the election because of a matter over which it had no jurisdiction, it pretended to make the examination because of a matter about which there was no controversy. By hook or by crook, it thus gained possession of the poll books, &c.—and then lawlessly proceeded against the protests of law-abiding citizens, to carry out its fraudulent purpose. To be sure it was a conspiracy; and as such, the judge, district attorney and grand jurors participating in the matter are liable to indictment. But it is not in that view we are now commenting on this lawless proceeding. We are relishing the ridiculous fiasco. The conspiracy being hatched, the conspirators, trampling law under foot, proceeded with their work. The tally sheets were examined and found correct. The sealed packages containing the ballots for State Senator were then opened, notwithstanding Judge Blodgett had intimated an opinion that this was beyond the province of the Federal court, and notwithstanding the law-abiding citizens on the grand jury protested against the lawless act. Despising these protests the conspirators, with trembling hand, broke the seal and began to examine the ballots cast for State Senator. They appeared to be correct. They were numbered on the back according to law, the figures corresponding with those set opposite the names of the voters as they voted at the election. So far all was regular in every respect. And now they eagerly began the count. It was midnight. Coming events cast their shadows before, and the pall of blasted hopes oppressed the breasts of the conspirators. The footings were made and Brand, the Democratic candidate, had in the sealed package 498 ballots, while the defeated Leman had only 189, a net Democratic gain on the official returns of 55! Some of the tickets had pasters on them, while the most of them were the regular Republican ticket except as to Brand, whose name was substituted for Leman's. And so the end of the night's work was a *ridiculous mu?*.

But to be sure the conspirators do not propose to stop there. Lawlessly, they went behind the election returns, a power that only the State Senate can exercise, and now lawlessly they will go behind the ballots. The next step in the conspiracy will doubtless be to have a second election by affidavits!

N. B.—Later reports give the election to Leman, the Republican candidate, but whether legally or not may yet have to be determined.

Davie *Times*: The press is busy electing the speaker of the House of Representatives. Hands off, gentlemen, the members of that body are capable of organizing. If they are not, send Over-(a)man to the Senate and borrow a Wiseman who can.

MINING DEPARTMENT.

T. K. BRUNER. R. M. RAMES, JR., M. E.

MANAGERS.

$13,416 are the receipts in gold and silver at the Charlotte, North Carolina, assay office, for November.

We are promised by Sup't. Freshville of the Hoover Hill, a full statement of the production of the mine during his successful management.

Four ozs. and over of gold washed out by farmers from the Gold Hill tailings came to town this week. We make mention to show that many such small amounts are coming in at all times for which the State does not get credit.

Mining in Cabarrus is very dull with the exception of the Phœnix, which has been a steady producer for the past two years.

Capt. James McCandlass, who is at present working the Hunnicut mine in Rowan county, says we are milling our ore on a Howland Pulverizer. We are pleased with the machine so far and do not see why it should not continue to do well. The last five days we made 195 dwts. on the plates, which is about one-half of what will be found in the machine. Twenty-five men are now engaged in taking out ore, so that soon we expect to run constantly.

The Chicago Mining *Review* of Nov. 27th, has a long letter on the condition of the Mica mines near Bakersville in Mitchell county. From the description given, of the manner in which the mines have been worked it is a wonder that they have paid so well. The demand for Mica is on the increase.

Much notice has been taken of the beautiful specimens of orbicular granite sent from this place to New York. It will be introduced as a building and ornamental stone. It consists of irregular lines of quartz and large black orbs of felspare. North Carolina has the credit of having the only quarry in the United States.

Stanly *Observer*: On Thursday night, November 20th, the dwelling house of Mr. Alexander Porter, Center township, was burned up. Mr. Porter only saved a little of his bedding and furniture, though much of it was destroyed, among which was a $28 sewing machine, a clock, several tables and six hundred pounds of seed cotton—this is a severe loss to Mr. Porter.

TWO DANGEROUS SEASONS.—Spring and fall are times when so many people get sick. The changes in the weather are severe on feeble persons, and even those naturally strong are apt, as they say, "to be feeling miserable." Then they are just in condition to be struck down with some kind of fever. A bottle or two of Parker's Tonic will invigorate the digestion, put the liver, kidneys and blood in perfect order, and prevent more serious attacks. Why suffer, and perhaps die, when so simple a medicine will cure you? Good for both sexes and all ages.

West Virginia will hereafter hold her State elections in November instead of October, leaving Ohio the only October State.—*Char. Obs.*

There are a great many ways of celebrating a victory, but perhaps the best wayis that proposed by the Democrats of Springfield, Mass. They are preparing to buy 500 sacks of flour, on each of which will be printed: "Compliments of the Democratic party," to be distributed to the poor of the city.—*Ib.*

SCROFULA CURED.

ATLANTA, GA., August, 1883.

My six year old son has had a terrible sloughing Scrofulous Ulcer of the neck for three years, attended with blindness, loss of hair, great emaciation, and general prostration. Physicians and various blood remedies were resorted to without benefit. The New Atlanta Medical College treated him for three months, but his condition grew worse.

I was urged to try the efficacy of B.B.B. and to the astonishment of myself, friends and neighbors, one single bottle effected an entire cure. Ulcers of the neck entirely healed; eyesight restored, and the hair commenced growing on his head again. I live at 345 Jones Street, and my boy is there to be seen. FRANK JOSEPH.

MALARIAL POISON.

Having spent much of my time for the past three years in and near Albany, Ga., I had gradually absorbed malaria into my system, and my general health was completely broken down; this poison culminated last November in a conjestive chill, and I was confined to the bed and house for five months; was treated by the best physicians, by all the approved methods with no benefit; my health was awfully broken down; my skin almost as yellow as a pumkin; a thick heavy coat on my tongue; no appetite; and in a miserable fix generally. I was induced in April last to take Swift's Specific, and the first few doses convinced me that it was what I needed. I continued until I had taken several bottles, and am a well man the poison has all been driven out of my system by Swift's Specific, and I have gained thirty pounds in weight. C. M. CLARK, Agt. Southern Life Ins. Co., Atlanta, Ga.

TREATMENT OF CANCER.

For twenty years I have suffered from a cancer on the side of my neck near the shoulder, and exhausted the whole catalogue of remedies without any relief. The cancer growing worse all the time, the whole upper part of my body beeame stiff and full of pain, I had virtually lost the use of both arms, my general health had broken down and I saw it was only a question of time when life itself would be destroyed. In this condition I commenced the use of Swift's Specific. The first bottle relieved me of the stiffness in the neck, the second gave me perfect use of my arms, and I feel strong and well in every way. I am a poor man but I would not take $5,000 for the good I have experienced with Swift's Specific. I believe it will force out all the poison and cure me.

W. R. ROBISON, Davisboro, Ga.

The U. S. Congress met on Monday. After hearing the President's message read, which was sent in at 1.30 p. m. they adjourned for the day. The message is given in this paper to the exclusion of almost everything else. It is a highly interesting business-like review of the country's condition, and as such cannot fail to be a most welcome document to intelligent and patriotic readers.

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Blaine's speech published in our last, has elicited comments from all parts of the country, and we have yet to see the first word of approval or even of apology. It is universally condemned as the ravings of a wicked incendiary.

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Of the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Rowan, to the first Monday in December, A. D. 1884.

Amounts and items audited by the Board to the members thereof:

Thos. J. Summner,	per diem.	$34 00
" " "	4 days ext. service	8 00
" " "	mileage	10 50
C F Baker,	per diem	34 00
" "	4 days ext. service	8 00
W L Kluttz,	per diem	34 00
" "	4 days ext. service	8 00
J G Fleming,	per diem	32 00
" "	mileage	14 85
L W Coleman,	per diem	32 00
" "	mileage	16 00
H N Woodson, clerk, per diem		34 00
Total,		$265 35

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J G Fleming,	227 miles
L W Coleman,	320 "
Thos. J Sumner,	210 "

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Lugs, med. to good,	6.00 to 8.50
Lugs, good to fine,	8.50 to 11.00
Lugs, fine to fancy,	11.00 to 18.00
Leaf. common to med.	5.00 to 6.25
Leaf, med. to good,	6.25 to 8.50
Leaf, good to fine,	8.50 to 15.00
Wrappers, com. to med.	15 00 to 16.50
Wrappers, med. to good	16.50 to 25.00
Wrappers, good to fine,	25.00 to 40.00
Wrappers, fine,	40.00 to 55.00

Wrappers, fancy,—none offered.

New tobacco breaks for the past week have been light. Prices stiff for all grades. Good, rich, waxy fillers, smooth cutters and lug smokers are in great demand and prices a shade stiffer than the quotation. Wrappers of all classes are high and eagerly sought after. Planters would do well by putting some of their good tobaccos on the market at this time.

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Chickens	15 to 20
Eggs	8-10
Cotton	10 to 11
Corn	75
Flour	1.75-2.00
Feathers	50
Fodder	
Hay	30-35
Meal	75-100
Oats	
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