

THURSDAY, NOV. 12, 1891.

Six weeks until Christmas. Court begins here the 23d of this month. Mr. M. S. Brown paid the city a flying visit Tuesday. Eighty-seven bales of cotton were sold in this burg last Saturday.

The force of hands began putting rock on the streets this morning. It is evident that marriages will strike Salisbury with a vim this fall. Brannon's 1892 Almanac has reached us. It grows better each year.

Rev. N. S. Jones is spending a week visiting in Raleigh and Goldsboro. Thursday, the 29th instant, will be Thanksgiving Day. Prepare the turkey. The fountain on the public square is to remain. The commission is at the right thing.

Mr. Frank B. Irvin, our journeyman printer, is sojourning this week in South Carolina. Mr. T. F. Young has been sick for the past few days and has been unable to be in his store.

Rev. Dr. Renn and Rev. Mr. Leith and wife are in Asheville attending the Methodist conference. Elections will be held in two Davidson townships, Lexington and Cotton Grove, for subscription to the R. & S.

Mrs. Cottrell (nee Miss Feery) formerly of this city, we learn, has just married a brother of her deceased husband. We are in receipt of a copy of the N. C. Almanac, published by Jas. H. Eames, Raleigh. It contains valuable matter.

Are you trying to get the gold that we are going to give away the first of January? It might as well be yours as any one else's. Concord is to have the weather whistle service. The Odell factory will give. Cannot some factory in Salisbury be induced to do the same?

Wm. Roberts, of Tyro Shops, we learn, committed suicide Tuesday night by shooting himself through the head. No particulars of the deed is known.

H. & L. Wright have received a large stock of neckwear, the most in the city. Call at his store and avail yourself of the extremely low prices he is offering.

At least twenty-five new houses have gone up within the past month. Salisbury is certainly coming to the front. Many more will very soon be on the way.

A meeting of the St. Cecilia Club will be held to-morrow night at Mrs. C. G. Vile's home. The meeting is styled the "Pent's Feast." No admission fee will be charged.

Be on the lookout next Sunday night to see the total eclipse of the moon, which will begin at 9:30 and last 5 1/2 hours. The total eclipse will last one hour and a half.

Mr. John C. Tipton and wife, of King's Mountain, paid a visit to her father last Saturday. Mr. Tipton has returned, but Mrs. Tipton will spend a month at her old home.

The scales at the depot which will weigh you for a cent was opened last Monday morning after being here for one month. It contained fourteen pounds of coppers, or about \$18.

The Concord Standard has a discussion going on in its columns by two bachelors on the question, "Is Marriage a Failure?" Judging from the article it's editor has made we would think it is.

Mr. S. A. L. Johnson last week advertised a house and lot for sale belonging to his sister. It will be sold on the 17th of this month. It is in a good location. See ad. for information.

Grading on the streets is progressing very well. The hands began to move dirt on Inniss street Monday morning. The appearance of the town will be helped very much by this work.

We learn that the cards announcing the marriage of Mr. James H. Ramsay, our efficient postmaster, and Miss Mary Miller, of this place, are out. The wedding will take place on the 15th instant.

The Western Union Telegraph system is now in operation on the Yadkin road between Salisbury and Norwood. The line was opened up last week. The offices will be open one hour on Sunday, from 6 to 7 p. m.

Only nine veterans left Salisbury for the exposition at Raleigh Tuesday morning. Owing to the death of Mr. McNeely several of our townsmen could not go with the crowd, but they have joined the number ere this time.

Last Friday the grand stand at the Raleigh Exposition grounds caught fire. The house contained the exhibits of the negroes and much burn was anticipated. By prompt action the flames were put out. The building caught from the stove pipe, being too close to the ceiling.

The shade trees around town are being trimmed up and the dangerous ones cut down. Would it not be a good plan for the taxman to trim up some of these old shakily sheds along Main street also? The town will never present a good appearance until she has a solid brick front.

Owing to lack of space last week we failed to say anything about the new advertisement of M. S. Brown. It is in justice to him to say that he runs the best clothing house in this section. He will make suits to order and give you a nice fit. He keeps to cheap, shoddy goods. If you want anything in his line give him a call.

Mr. John Jean, who is a native of Rowan, but now of Jonesboro, Ill., writes the Concord Standard and says that the country is extremely dry this fall and that water is shipped to many places; that if this dry weather continues much longer there will be dried beef on foot; and that forest fires are raging. Diphtheria is also raging and many schools had to close. Mr. Linn raised 8,000 bushels of wheat last year.

Sam Jones closed his meeting in Charlotte Monday night. His last sermon was a tirade against the liquor men. He styles him self the Gating gun liquor man. Toward the close of his meeting he had a large attendance. He passed here Tuesday morning on his way to Greensboro, where he delivered his lecture "Get There," at night. In Raleigh he will deliver two lectures, "Get There" and "Stay There."

At a corn shucking near New London Tuesday night, Jack Furr and Frank Almon quarreled over an old feud. Furr stabbed Almon five times in his shoulders and neck. Almon died in a short while and Furr is at large.

Big Lick Burned. News reaches us that Big Lick, a village in Staudy county, was swept away by fire last Thursday night. The buildings were mostly frame and the long dry weather had got them in shape for the flames. The loss is estimated at between \$12,000 and \$15,000.

An Impromptu Musicate. Was given in the Newby music school on last Saturday night, complimentary to Rev. N. H. B. Wilson, of Raleigh, and his excellent wife—nee Miss Minnie Mangum, a worthy daughter of the distinguished Prof. A. W. Mangum, D. D., and granddaughter of that estimable lady, Mrs. Wm. Overman, Sr., of this city.

Deserves Credit. The Standby News has at last established an editor and we now take our turn to applaud the good people of Albemarle in the selection of such a worthy young man as Dan Bivins. The paper has had marked improvement since the change, and he should be patronized by the good people of Staudy. Encourage him to work by large lists of subscribers and he will give you the worth of your money. He is young and needs petting; we are there ourselves.

Book Reception. The Y. M. C. A. of this place will give a book reception on the evening of Thanksgiving Day. The object is to raise a greater supply of books for the reading room of the association. All friends interested in the promulgation of the work should contribute their mite to the institution. Salisbury should have a good library, any way. In this thing the young men are more enterprising than the city. Any book which you have and do not particularly need would be a valuable contribution. Many old books are resting on dusty shelves; bring them out and let them do a good work. Better still, lay by a little money each week and make the association a handsome present. We will print the entire list of books given.

Marrriages. On last Thursday, by C. B. King, at the parsonage in Salisbury, Mr. John Lingle, of Locke township, and Mrs. Wm. Owen, of the same vicinity. At the residence of the bride's father, last Sunday morning, by Rev. A. L. Colburn, Mr. Frank Owen, of Locke township, and Miss Minnie Tarrh, of this city, were united in matrimony. Monday morning, at the residence of Mr. Francis Tarrh, Mr. Leo Owen was married to Miss Fannie E. Beaver, of Locke township, Salem neighborhood. The WATCHMAN extends hearty congratulations to all of them.

Deaths. This week we have to chronicle the death of the friend of many friends, Mr. Julius D. McNeely. He died Monday afternoon, after an illness of a few weeks. He took a chill while at the fair and had been confined to his bed since. He was a member of both the Knights of Pythias and the Royal Arcanum. He was buried in the Oak Grove cemetery on Tuesday with the above mentioned society honors. Mr. McNeely was a good man, and respected by all. All the scores in town closed during the burial exercises. The WATCHMAN extends its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

Marguerite, the two-year-old child of Mr. Steve Baylen died Tuesday morning, and was buried Wednesday. The child died from whooping cough.

Letter from Harmony. The farmers are getting about through sowing wheat and corn. Thousands of tobacco has been raised in this section and most of it cured up well. Just here we wish to state that Statesville has come to the front as a tobacco market, and our farmers now will not have to go away forty miles to Winston to market.

The camp-meeting at Harmony Hill passed off quietly. Evangelist W. J. Lee came and preached vigorously. He gave whiskey making the black-eye sure, and held a meeting of the entire congregation one night, unanimously voting a resolution endorsing the action of the county commissioners in refusing to grant license to retail liquor in our county site, Statesville. Quite a war is being carried on just now in our county over the whiskey trade. The commission has refused to allow any liquor sold in Statesville, and now they are being doled with petitions pro and con and have also been sued with a mandamus writ, but have not been tried yet. It comes off some time in November. We impatiently await the result, but cannot tell what will be. No such thing as God just now touch our county and save it from the liquor traffic.

Prof. Bagwell and Jones, of Mooresville, led the choir at our camp-meeting and won many warm friends in this community, and long will they be remembered by our people. No such thing as have been in our midst. They went from here to Mooresville and thence to Elkin to sing for the evangelist, who, we are told, held successful meetings. Long may they live to sing people up to the throne of God, for in music there is power.

North Iredell furnished a good delegation to the circus, and we learn that some of our boys were "taken in" by the show men's tricks. One fellow went to town with \$5 with which to buy fertilizer. He lost it and had to borrow money to make his purchase.

The Alliance is the part of the moral vineyard is making triumphantly along and we are keeping up with the times by reading our literature. They are not scared to death now every time a little political rooster hops up on the fence and crows, "Nigger," makes him of the sub-treasury, bird party, etc. Keep the people informed. We learn that Bro. Patterson was appointed to the Eagle Mills circuit, and Rev. C. W. Smith is our Presiding Elder. We hail them with pleasure. Indeed, how could we do otherwise?

Mr. R. V. Tharp is teaching the public school here and Mr. J. H. Tharp will take up at Mt. Eagle, adjoining district, next Monday. Mr. Samuel Heath is on a visit to his brothers and friends. He has been gone forty or more years, has raised a family, they are all married and his wife is now dead. So the crop has been raised, reaped and he is as he began. He may make this his future home. J. HENNA.

Most of our farmers are done sowing wheat. A brass band has been organized in Mocksville, with J. H. Coley, Sr., as president. Mr. G. W. Robinson made a trip to Salisbury this week. I. N. Rife has moved into the house formerly occupied by T. M. Johnson. Wagons are in from the country every day hauling goods from the new depot in Mocksville. A ten thousand dollar hotel is being talked of. Morrison Howell, while riding a horse, was thrown and severely bruised about the face and neck. One day last week, as Thomas White, lock was on his way home from the mill, his horse took fright, at a wheelbarrow and ran away, tearing up his wagon and scattering his load. He escaped serious injuries. The boys at Farmington have organized a baseball nine. Five got out in the torch of the "postman lanterns and burned over several acres of excellent woodland owned by F. F. Eaton. Dr. W. G. Johnson has purchased the tract used by the railroad company in building the bridge across the Yadkin, and will establish a ferry short distance up the river from the railroad.

The public school at Yadkin Valley will begin Monday, H. C. Child teacher. Quite a number of our people are attending the Exposition at Raleigh this week. Mocksville is well represented. The preachers and laymen are attending conference in Asheville. Married, at Smith Grove, on Nov. 4th, by James Taylor, J. P., Miss Ada Etelson to C. H. Smith. HUSBAND.

Resolutions of Respect. At a regular meeting of Salisbury Lodge, No. 21, Knights of Pythias, held at their hall on Tuesday evening, Nov. 10th, 1891, the following resolutions were reported and unanimously adopted: Whereas, it has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from earth our esteemed brother, J. H. McNeely, and whereas, in the death of our brother Salisbury Lodge, No. 21, K. of P., has lost a faithful member and we, as individual Knights, a kind brother, a wise counsellor and a staunch and true friend, therefore be it Resolved, That we have in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well, resolved, That we tender Brother McNeely's family our heartfelt sympathy in their great bereavement. Resolved, That our altar and charter draped in honor of his memory for a period of thirty days, and that all members wear the usual badge of mourning the regularly prescribed time. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased brother, that they be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, and that the Daily Herald and other papers in Salisbury be requested to publish them. W. H. OVERMAN, J. P. Com. H. G. TYSON, Sec. J. W. DAVIS, Jr.

Two Valuable Books. We have undertaken to furnish our readers with two very valuable books "Labor and Capital" is the title of one the other is "Profitable Farming in the South." These books ought to be in the hands of every farmer in North Carolina. The books can be seen at the WATCHMAN office at any time. The price of "Labor and Capital" is \$2.00, cloth binding; "Profitable Farming" is \$3.50, cloth, call and see them and give us your order.

A Word to the Wise. Those persons due me for last fall (1890) and last spring purchases, and which papers are now past due, some of them the 1st and November the 1st, will call and settle at once. For all these goods my note is in the bank and you must pay me promptly so I can meet the bank. J. HENNA BROWN

MINING DEPARTMENT.

Mining News Gathered in This and Other States.

Mining is a safe business if pursued with the same care and industry as mercantile banking, or any other legitimate pursuit. It is a safe business if you have the right kind of property, and if you have the right kind of property, you will not have to go away forty miles to Winston to market.

Bessemer Ores in North Carolina. The Bessemer City Mining & Manufacturing Co., of Bessemer City, N. C., which is developing a number of iron ore mines as recently reported in the Manufacturers' Record, has issued a prospectus setting forth some facts regarding its ores. These ores, being of a high Bessemer grade, are being shipped to the rolling mills and furnaces throughout Virginia, Maryland and Alabama. Nine mines of Bessemer ores on about 2,000 acres of land are owned by this company, in fee. In addition, on the same property there are limestone, glass sand and gold bearing quartz. These ores contain no sulphur, copper nor titania.

North Carolina is rich in minerals. At the Southern Exposition at Raleigh may be seen a collection of the many minerals found in our borders. It would be impossible to mention them for their name is legion. But among them the iron ores of the mountains of Western North Carolina should certainly be seen. We saw there a bar of iron, about three feet long and four inches wide, that was hammered out from the crude ore by a blacksmith. Also, two nuggets from the Sam Christian mine, one weighing 4 and the other 2 1/2 pounds, are on exhibition, besides much other precious stuff.

A meeting will be held next Friday to elect officers for the mining and developing company recently formed in Danbury, Stokes county. The company will look largely to the development of the iron ore which is found in abundance on their lands. The company is one million dollars strong.

We learn that eastern capital to the amount of half a million dollars will be invested in Jackson and Macon county mines.

The richest copper mines in the South are located at Blue Wing, Granville county. Twenty-five tons per day is taken from the mine.

A corundum mine in Burke county has been leased by some Philadelphia parties and will be developed. The mine is situated at South Mountain, and the specimens on exhibition are said to be as good as any from the America.

Now For Your Jewelry. We are still at our old stand on Main street, where we have a select stock of Watches, Clocks, Spectacles, and all kinds of fine Jewelry on hand at the lowest prices. Watch repairing a specialty. All work guaranteed 12 months. J. & H. HORAH.

Cotton :- Buyers FOR MILL AND EXPORT. They always pay highest cash price for Cotton and Seed. Don't fail to see them.

FOR SALE. A valuable piece of property, belonging to Mrs. Victoria Johnson, situated on Main street, three and a half blocks from the public square, over a hundred feet front and running back two hundred feet, adjoining the property of W. A. Mowery and the Messrs. Howards. This property will be sold Nov. 15th. For particulars apply to S. A. L. JOHNSON, Jeweler, Opposite post office.

CALL ON JOHN W. BOSTIAN AND SEE HIS NEW LINE OF UNDERWEAR, CORSETS, HOSIERY, & FINE SHOES. ALSO A LARGE LINE OF Ladies' and Children's Rubbers and Gossamers, AT COST.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO. Dry Goods FOR Autumn, '91. We have now in store the most magnificent exhibition of high class Dry Goods and kindred wares ever shown under one roof in N. C.

SOUTHERN INTER-STATE EXPOSITION. To be held at Raleigh, Oct. 1 to Dec. 1, 1891. Visitors to the Exposition are cordially invited to visit our store, where they will be kindly, politely and attentively waited upon.

SHIPPING BY MAIL. To those who do not expect to visit Raleigh during the Exposition or who desire to make any preparation before that time, we are able to serve in the most satisfactory manner, by the means of our thoroughly equipped Mail Order Department. Dress Goods, Wraps, Shoes, Housefurnishing Goods, Hosiery, Corsets, Gloves, Underwear, Carpets, Curtains, &c., &c. Letters of inquiry promptly answered, samples cheerfully sent. When writing for samples our patrons will please be doubly sure to state the kind of goods desired. But diligent attention can then be given to the order.

GOODS DELIVERED FREE (except Furniture) to all parts of the State. On all orders of \$2.00 and over we will deliver goods free to nearest R. R. station or Railroad Station. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO. Raleigh, N. C. Mention the Watchman when you write.

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DRUGS.

KLUTTZ & CO. Family 10-Cent Diarrhea Mixture. Unequaled for the Cure of Dysentery, Diarrhea, Cholera Morbus, Summer Complaint, Pains in the Stomach and Bowels, &c.

Respectfully, T. F. KLUTTZ & CO. Look at This! We are now receiving the largest and best assorted stock we have ever carried.

Read a few of our prices: Paint goods, 10c. per yard. Brogan Shoes, \$1.00. Dress Goods from 8c. to \$1.00 per yard. Men's Shoes from \$3.00 to \$12.50.

A full line of men's and boys' Hats. The cheapest line of Groceries in Salisbury. If you wish to save money, do not buy until you get our prices. We mean business.

B. B. JULIAN & CO. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO. Dry Goods FOR Autumn, '91.

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Now ready, the largest and best assortment of DRESS GOODS in all qualities we have ever offered, and at prices to suit all pocketbooks.

CARPETS. The best and handsomest line we have ever offered. Price from 20 cents to \$1.50 per yard. Big stock of CLOTHING.

The best selection we have ever made. Prices to suit buyers. Shirts, Collars, Ties and Underwear a specialty. SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

From the cheapest to the best hand-sewed, at one price to all, and that price rock-bottom. GOOD THINGS TO EAT. The best of all lands, at prices that all can buy and eat to their fill. We like good things to eat, and have bought the best and a host of everything. Come and see us before you buy. Yours to serve, KLUTTZ & RENDLEMAN.

A GRAND RALLY!

10 Per Cent. on New York Cost. The time is at hand when the old and young must be clothed in raiment of wool, with never-leaking shoes and boots upon their feet, and a nice hat and overcoat to beautify and keep them warm during the cold wintry days. Now in order that every man, boy and child, rich and poor, should wear one of our warm suits and a nice overcoat, with hat and shoes to correspond, we will sell for the next three months

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Hats, Silk Hats, Overcoats, Pants, Shoes, Boots, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Ties, Cravats, Undershirts, Trunks, Valises, Rubber Coats, Rubber Shoes, Umbrellas, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, and in fact everything we have in stock, at 10 PER CENT. ON NEW YORK COST.

THIS IS NO HUMBUG. We mean to sell the goods, we mean to have the trade, and if GOOD GOODS AND LOW PRICES are any inducements, we mean to sell two-thirds of the Fall and Winter Goods sold in Salisbury. Embrace this golden opportunity, and bring the boys and girls with you and make our store your headquarters, and we will show you anything you want to see. Respectfully, H. & L. WRIGHT.

FALL 1891 TRADE. WALLACE'S EMPORIUM.

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MY SECOND FLOOR is now arranged for Clothing, Hats, Boots and Shoes. But in this department I make a specialty of CLOTHING, and will not be undersold by any one. I have a pretty line of fine Worsted, Cassimere and Cheviot Suits for men, boys and children.

OVERCOATS! OVERCOATS! Light medium and heavy weights. Headquarters in this line.

MY THIRD FLOOR consists of Wood and Willow Ware, Glassware, Trunks, Valises, etc.

MY TWO LARGE WAREHOUSES is in the rear of the store, and is filled with the largest stock of groceries in the city.

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