

THE CAROLINA WATCHMAN.

Local News Items.

If you should receive a sample copy of THE WATCHMAN, it is an invitation to you to become a subscriber. \$1 per year.

John W. Glover, who has been traveling in the South for some time with a Ferris wheel, has returned home for a stay of several months.

S. J. Shuping expects to open a jewelry store in Salisbury soon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pinkman, who will have charge of Salisbury's new hotel, have been busy for the last few days arranging the furniture, fitting up the rooms and apartments with the intention of having the hotel ready for guests within a few days. As stated before no name has yet been selected and we understand Mr. Pinkman proposes a gift to the party suggesting a name that is adopted.

At a meeting of the stock holders of the Davis & Wiley bank, held last week, the following directors were elected: T. F. Kluttz, Hon. L. S. Overman, W. L. Kluttz, W. M. Wiley, O. D. Davis, P. B. Beard, T. C. Linn, and E. B. C. Hambley. The directors then elected the following officers: T. F. Kluttz, president; E. B. C. Hambley, vice-president; O. D. Davis, cashier; J. M. McCorkle, teller; John W. Davis and J. M. Davis, book-keepers. A semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. was declared and \$8,000 were carried to the surplus fund which now amounts to \$35,000. This added to their capital, \$80,000, gives you an idea of the bank's reliability.

Information has just been received here of the death of James H. Sloan, who left here several years ago, having joined the United States army and served a year or more in the Philippines. He returned and located at Oakland, Cal., where he recently died. Mr. Sloan was a native of this county, and a relative of the Sloans of Millbridge. He conducted a wood yard here just before leaving.

In a note received from J. D. Ketchie, a young man of this county who is teaching school near Mazeppa, Iredell county, he says things are moving along nicely, that he has about 75 pupils on his roll and that he now has the services of an assistant teacher.

Miss Alice Pearson, for many years a resident of Salisbury, was stricken with paralysis in Charlotte last Wednesday morning. She was taken to a hospital for treatment.

J. M. Peacock and D. C. Bradshaw, left for Florida yesterday. Mr. Peacock has considerable timber interests there.

Aurthur E. Davis, of Salisbury and Jacob Haynes, of Philadelphia, are preparing to a lumber business at denton, Davidson county.

The old National Hotel, changed ownership yesterday, R. Harris, of Danville, Va., being the purchaser, and the consideration was \$21,000. Mr. Harris expects to considerably improve the building. It is now occupied by Gorman and Green, Mrs. Barker, W. S. Nicolson, A. B. Goodman and others.

An effort will be made tomorrow evening to organize choral club at the home of Mrs. W. H. Neave.

D. L. Leftwich, an entertainer of some note, will give one of his entertainments in the Sunday room of the Baptist church on the evening of January 25th.

Mrs. Jane Wright, Mother-in-law of R. M. Pendleton, is quite ill at Mr. Pendleton's home Mrs. Wright is about 80 years of age and hope of her recovery is very slight.

Rev. R. L. Bame, who was in the fruit and produce business here last year, but now in business in Mooreaville, was in the city on business Monday.

P. B. Beard, who, as stated some time ago had resigned his position as traveling salesman for Peasley, Gaubert & Co., has been induced by his old firm to make another trip, which will keep him on the road until about March 1st.

Lonnie Harrison is the head clerk at the Mt. Vernon hotel under the new management.

Early Saturday morning George Jenkins, who lives near the Morth Side Mill, was awakened by a man who has opened the window of his bed room and was preparing to enter. Mr. Jenkins picked up a shot gun and fired at the fleeing form, but with out results.

Another of the city's fine horses, Lucy, valued at \$8,50, died Saturday morning. It is said this animal's death was caused by grief. It was some of five or six months ago when her mate, Frank died and she has been very despondent ever since.

T. Edgar Johnson, the popular ticket agent for the Southern Railway here, who has been at the Whitehead-Stokes sanatorium for some time under treatment, has been moved to his home and his health is rapidly returning.

A little daughter of Lit Lipe, at tenant on the farm of C. J. Lipe, was recently bitten by a dog thought to have been mad. The dog belonged to the family and left immediately after having bitten the child. Mr. Lipe took the child to Charlotte where a mad stone was applied and adhered for more than an hour.

A. B. Saleeby, Salisbury's leading confectioner, is making arrangements to have a bakery added to his cand kitchen. Mr. Saleeby's plans are to build an addition to his present quarters, in which he will conduct his bakery. Mr. Saleeby expects to have a modern equipped bakery in every way and the capacity thereof will be sufficient not only to supply Salisbury but neighboring towns also.

J. M. Proctor, who is engaged in farming and mining near Gold Knob, this county, left for Philadelphia yesterday in behalf of his mining business.

Dr. J. Rumble, who has been ill for several weeks at Red Springs, wish his daughter, Mrs. Vardell, is still in a serious condition and his recovery is not expected.

Phillip Sowers, a prominent farmer of Rowan county, was painfully injured Saturday afternoon in a particular manner. Mr. Sowers is some eighty odd years of age but physically of considerable strength. While carrying a large stone he stumbled and fell and the stone struck him on his chest from the effects of which he suffered considerably for several hours. It is said Mr. Sowers has never had a physician to attend him.

Has Stood the Test 25 Years

The old, original GROVE'S Tasteless Chill Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

John H. Gorman of the firm of Gorman & Green, spent several days in Marion last week looking after the purchase of a jewelry store there. If this firm secures the Marion business, it will be branch house No. 2 as they have one at Spencer.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Trouble. At all Druggists'; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

In a Railroad Wreck Several Trunks of Shoe Drumer's Samples were thrown on the hands of the Railroad Company and bought in by us--- They will be put on Sale at this store at about 75 cents on the dollar of their real value.

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**BOSTON
Salisbury Store
127 North Main St. New Building**



You are a Level Headed Man, Sir!

You have just proven it. You and your friends and neighbors.

In fact, this community has shown once more and for good that they know a good thing when they see it and know how to show their appreciation of it.

LISTEN HERE.

On December 23, just think of it. The SPOT * CASH STORE waited on 1550 people as indicated by our registers. For the 6 days or one week before Christmas we waited on 4593 customers. And for the month of December, 26 days, we reached the total 8750 customers. Now all this indicates just two things, namely: That you know a good thing when you see it, and that we introduce the goods and the prices.

Oh yes, It is value for the money down that catches the careful buyer.

We wish you a happy and prosperous New Year and shall do our part to make it so.

Your True Friend,

SPOT ★ CASH,

The Dollar Stretcher and 5 and 10 Cent Stores.
Where C. S. Minor holds 'em down.

A Merry Christmas

Is our Wish to All.

This is our busy season and everybody is on the lookout for a present to make some one happy.

A few suggestions may assist you in your selections: We have the best line of Table Linen and Napkins in Town, a pretty line of hand drawn Linen, Center Pieces, Tray Covers, Small Side-Table Cloths, Handsome line of all Linen Towels, the prettiest line of ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs to be seen.

Beautiful Sofa Top Pillows.

A splendid line of Umbrellas, both ladies' and gents. Dress suit cases and leather bags, Ladies' wrist bags, ladies' silk hose, ladies' long kid and silk gloves. Big line of Dress Silks.

BIG LINE OF HANDSOME DRUGGETS AND RUGS.

Furs in all the new things for ladies and children. Our Isabella Fox Sets and Single Boas and Stoles cannot be equaled in town. Come see and be convinced.



Big Line of Four-in-hand Ties. Gent Kid Gloves.

Don't fail to see our line of furs. When you read this ad don't wait a minute, come at once. We are having a big rush on Christmas Goods. We can show the goods that make happy hearts.

Yours for business,

A. W. WINECOFF.

OPTICAL TALK.

The RUSH of Christmas is over, and as it is now more quiet in business circles, we have more time to devote to the OPTICAL business.

Remember that EYE SIGHT is PRICELESS, and it is imperative that they should have the BEST of attention and care.

We have a nice Optical Parlor, and have the latest and most approved instrument for examination of the eye, and for the fitting of glasses to them.

If your eyes are troubling you, do not put it off, but come to us today. Examination FREE, and we sell the glasses at a reasonable price. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

GORMAN & GREEN,

Leading Jewelers and Opticians,
SALISBURY, SPENCER, N. C.



CHAIRS.

There is no larger or better stock of Chairs in the State than can be found in this store. We have good chairs cheap, better chairs cheap and the very best at reasonable prices. We have ornamental chairs and chairs for good hard service.

CHINA WARE.



Our Chinaware Department is hard to beat. Our Dinner and Toilet Sets are splendid specimens of the decorators art and the potters best efforts. Prices to suit every one. Come in and look us over.

FURNITURE & UNDERTAKING.

Dealing in Furniture is our main line. It is our aim to furnish all with comforts for the home, but our list of attractions is too long for enumeration, so you are invited to call and give us the pleasure of showing you our stock.

We also deal in Coffins and Caskets and do embalming.

Yours to serve,

G. W. WRIGHT.