

THE CAROLINA WATCHMAN.

Local News Items.

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Through the efforts of Mrs. W. W. Taylor and a number of other ladies, the inmates of the County Home were served with Thanksgiving dinner, which, it is needless to say, they enjoyed very much.

W. Long, of Trading Ford, one of the county's best farmers, claims to have raised on four acres of land five and one half bales of cotton, and on eight acres nine bales. Similar claims have been made by a number of our farmers in various parts of the county this year.

Friday, December 22nd, is to be observed by the public schools of the State as North Carolina Day. Programs for the occasion have been prepared and are being handed out by the County Superintendent, Prof. R. G. Kizer.

Eugene V. Debbs, the leading Socialist in the United States, has accepted an invitation from the Machinists Union of Salisbury and Spencer, to deliver an address here some time in January.

Wesley W. Miller, of Franklin township, was reported yesterday to be desperately ill. Mr. Miller has been in bad health all this fall. His many friends throughout the county will regret to hear of his serious condition.

The Post office receipts for November, 1905, were \$1,770.06, and November 1904, \$1,257.20, an increase of \$522.86.

Work was begun on the power plant of Spencer water works Monday.

The members of Rev. N. D. Bodie's congregation certainly made him have cause for thanksgiving "Thanksgiving day." They gave him a suit of clothes and filled his pantry with produce of all kinds. Miss Bodie, his daughter, was given a nice dress.

Sheriff Julian left yesterday for Raleigh, where he went to take Etta Brandon, colored, who will serve a year in the pen for larceny.

Mrs. J. W. Hunt fell down a flight of stairs Sunday evening and broke her right arm, from which she has suffered considerably.

Henry Stokes, Ferron Cannon and Caldwell Bailey, all colored, were arrested Sunday night and locked up. Cannon had shot Bailey for visiting his wife.

Senator Overman and family left for Washington last Friday. The first session of the 59th congress opened Monday at noon and Mr. Overman was at his post.

In our issue last week we stated that J. Calvin Peeler had indicted Stephen A. Earhardt, Esq., for trespassing and hunting o'possums on his land. The story was alright but we were mistaken as to the name. The complainant was J. Calvin Peeler instead of Mr. Peeler.

T. S. Watson, who has been living in Salisbury for some time, has decided to move his family to Virgil, Watauga county. Mr. Watson killed a hog Monday that weighed 625 pounds. It was two years old.

There was a Thanksgiving service at the Public Schools of Salisbury last Wednesday morning. It consisted of songs, recitations and giving. Every pupil was expected to give something, which was for the poor of the community. A considerable quantity of provisions were thus obtained.

The Salisbury Merchants Association has made arrangements to hold its regular monthly meetings in the rooms over the First National Bank. The association is adding members at every meeting and bids fair to become a strong organization.

T. Edgar Johnson, ticket agent at the depot here, who was taken to the sanitarium last week, has had two operations performed, one for appendicitis and one for hernia.

All the Salisbury banks closed on Thanksgiving day.

The memorial services held in the court house by the Salisbury Bar in memory of the late Charles Price, last Wednesday, consisted of eulogistic remarks by Messrs. John S. Henderson, James H. Horah, L. H. Clement, Whitehead Klutz, Burton Craig and Hons. Lee S. Overman and Theo. F. Klutz. Suitable resolutions were adopted.

W. W. Taylor Honored.

At the regular meeting last Friday night, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, W. W. Taylor, who has served that fraternity as Worshipful Master for the past ten years, was presented with a beautiful past-master's jewel, an emblem of the fraternity. It was a gift from the members of the lodge and was presented by Whitehead Klutz, Esq. Mr. Taylor made a feeling response of appreciation.

Railroad Beaters Beaten.

Last Thursday two South Carolinians, by name, E. B. Gregory, of Anderson, and T. H. Culp, of Fort Mill, made complaint to Salisbury policemen that, while riding on a freight train, between Concord and Harrisburg, they were forced to submit to being robbed by an unknown man claiming to be a brakeman, who took the liberty to poke a revolver in their faces and demand the contents of their purses. The so-called brakeman secured something like \$6 or \$8.

A Junior Council For Crescent.

A council of the Jr. O. U. A. M. was instituted at Crescent, this county, last week by J. N. Maxwell. There were nearly three dozen charter members. After the installation the election of officers was gone into and resulted as follows: P. C., Rev. J. M. L. Lysterly; C., Prof. A. W. George; V. C., W. H. Gall; R. S., H. L. V. Shinn; Asst. R. S., W. S. McComb; F. S., A. S. Lysterly; Treas., Dr. A. B. Goodman; Con., J. C. Peeler; War. A. J. Shaver; I. S., J. C. Troutman; O. S., D. M. McComb; Chaplain, B. L. Phillips; Trustees, J. M. Bost, D. M. Brown, D. M. Pless.

A Rural Mail Carrier In Trouble.

Samuel Lisk, the mail carrier on route No. 1, going out from Gold Hill, was up before United States Commissioner J. J. Stewart Saturday, charged with the misuse of certain funds placed in his hands by patrons along the route. Mr. Lisk was represented by attorneys Burton Craig and J. L. Rendleman, and Assistant District Attorney A. H. Price, appeared for the government. The importance of the case was such as to hold Mr. Lisk for the next term of the Federal court. Mr. Lisk is a worthy young man and his friends regret that he has gotten into this trouble. The complainants have all been re-imbursed and Mr. Lisk gave a \$250 bond for his appearance.

Marriages.

MAKIN-TAYLOR.—The marriage of Miss Claire Louise Mann, of Potomac, N. Y., and Nelson V. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Taylor, of Salisbury, has been announced.

CLEMENTS-MAUPIN.—Miss Grace Clements, of Oxford, and T. J. Maupin, recently of Roanoke, Va., now of Salisbury, were married in the Presbyterian church at Oxford, last Wednesday morning. The couple is spending a few days in Washington, D. C., and Roanoke, Va., and will return to Salisbury this week.

CLICK-SHIVELY.—The marriage of Miss Bertha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Click, of Franklin township, and H. J. Shively, at one time a resident of Salisbury but now of Albemarle, took place last Wednesday morning at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. V. Y. Booser officiating. The couple will make their home in Albemarle.

Verble News.

VERBLE, Dec. 4. We had a hard rain Saturday night and the roads are frozen hard this morning.

Hog killing is the order of the day around here now and some fine porkers are being killed.

Clyde Jones and Ray Dunn will soon move into their new residences, which they have just completed here.

The chills have about played out around here.

A son of Frank Cook was kicked by a mule Saturday. The young man was hauling wood when the mule, in some manner, kicked him, tearing the flesh from the bones.

John Barndardt, who has been living with his father-in-law, Valentine Cook, for the past two years, will soon move down near Landis, N. C. We are sorry to have you leave us, John.

There will be a Christmas tree at Gays' Chapel either Christmas night or Saturday night before Christmas.

Where, oh where, is our Tom Cat. Do come again and give us

the news from Woodleaf.

Our mail man says that he carries more WATCHMAN's up our way than any other paper. The reason is plain, viz: Best paper. SATURN.

Horace Bakar, assistant general superintendent of the Southern, has been succeeded by E. H. Cozman, superintendent of the Danville division.

A Bad Scare.

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Notice.—On Saturday night Dec. 2nd, a large steer, with white stripes on legs and hip with no horns, come to my house. Owner can get same by calling at my house and paying for this ad and for feeding it. MILES PARTEE, 410 West Horah St. Salisbury.

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