

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Sheriff Short and Gone. Pneumonia Epidemic Prevailing.

George Wilson, the negro whom Officer R. Y. Skeens, of Greensboro, shot three months ago, has consumption in addition to the effects of the wound. The ball struck him in the back and completely paralyzed his lower limbs. Skeens had arrested him and in attempting to escape he was shot by the officer. Skeens is under a charge of assault with attempt to kill, and if the negro dies a charge of murder may be brought against Skeens.

A. W. Aman, sheriff and treasurer of Sampson county, and general merchant of Clinton, who failed the other day, owes not less than \$85,000, and for several days his whereabouts have been unknown. His bondsmen have appointed another man to take charge. The county has no money to meet current expenses and matters are in bad shape.

A postoffice inspector was run down in Raleigh by a runaway team drawing a wagon. The pole struck him and knocked him to the ground, but he managed to seize the wagon tongue and in this position was carried along until the team was stopped.

John Mathis, a negro, who murdered his father and cremated the body to escape detection, has been arrested in New Bern and sent to the jail in Sampson county. The crime was a very brutal one and there was a reward offered for his capture.

In parts of Cleveland and Rutherford counties there has been an epidemic of pneumonia, and the disease is said to be quite prevalent in different portions of the State. Numerous deaths have been reported.

Senator Simmons may secure the passage of his bill appropriating \$784,000 to dig a channel from Pamlico sound to the ocean, and giving \$400,000 to survey and deepen Beaufort harbor.

A check for the nice little sum of \$101,944.45 was paid the other day to the water and light committee of Salem, when the water and light system was transferred.

A Lunatic's Freak.

Lexington, Feb. 15.—The keeper of the county jail here this morning had quite an experience with an insane man by the name of N. H. Prevo. Prevo took advantage of an opportunity when Cicero Johnson, the jailer, was not watching him, locked the jailer in the jail, put the key in his pocket and made his escape. He went a short distance to the Nokomis Mill pond, jumped into the icy depths and came near being drowned. He got so cold and wet that he returned to the jail, unlocked the jail door and gave the much surprised jailer his freedom. Prevo gave as his reason for locking up the jailer that he wanted to go and take a bath and did not care to have the jailer along with him. Before jumping into the pond, which is 20 feet deep in places, he took off his coat and placed it carefully upon the bank, "so as not to lose the jail key," he stated afterward. Application was made to have this man Prevo placed in the asylum, but there was no room for him.—Special to Charlotte Observer.

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Neglected Colds Threaten Life.

(From the Chicago Tribune.) "Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold. Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by James Plummer, Salisbury, N. C., and Spencer Pharmacy, Spencer, N. C.

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WE begin February with an array of values destined to make it a banner month. The people certainly came our way in January. They seemed to appreciate the special efforts made to save them money and we had many nice things said which pleased and encouraged us. Yes, even merchants like to have nice things said about them once in a while. * *

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CREAM JAP SILKS—An excellent line of these in 27 inch and 36 inch at 30c, 50c, 75c and \$1 the yard.

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Extra value in 36 inch black Taffeta at \$1.25.

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE, 36 in. wide

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