

THE CAROLINA WATCHMAN.

Local News Items.

The Silver anniversary of Salisbury Catholic Church was celebrated last Sunday. Solemn High Mass was celebrated by Father Marion of Asheville, with Father Leo of Salisbury as Deacon and Father Cornelius of Belmont as sub-deacon.

J. L. Ransom, of Charlotte, was in our city Monday night.

H. G. Tyson, Jr., of Washington, D. C., is here visiting his father, H. G. Tyson, Sr.

M. H. Peden, who came here from Greenville, S. C., has taken charge of and thoroughly equipped the Leonard photograph gallery.

H. J. Heilig, a former resident of Salisbury, but now of Raleigh, is visiting relatives and friends here for a short time.

The Goldfield, Nev., situation is improving, and General Funston thinks that there will be no necessity of declaring martial law unless another serious outbreak occurs.

The funeral of the late L. M. Kopley took place last Sunday afternoon. Rev. J. A. J. Farrington conducted services at the home of the deceased, and the services at the grave were conducted by Salisbury Council, No. 88, Jr. O. U. A. M. A large concourse of people attended the cemetery services and listened to the beautiful ritualistic service of the Jr. O. U. A. M.

Hickory Camp, W. O. W., dedicated a monument last Sunday to the late Richard M. Pendleton. The dedicatory ceremonies were most interesting and were listened to by a large congregation.

On the evening of Dec. 6th, at Spencer, a large number of members and friends of the Railroad Y. M. C. A., met at their rooms to give a welcome to B. F. Stevenson, the new general secretary. E. S. Redfern, the retiring secretary, goes this week to Lowbert's Point, Va., where he has accepted a call as Secretary at that point.

We are credibly informed that Geo. I. Whitney, President of the Whitney Works, has resigned. He is succeeded by Edward F. Buchanan, of New York, and incidentally the resignations of five directors, friends of Mr. Whitney were tendered at the same time. The reason of the resignations is the direct result of the recent flurry in the stock market.

Work will soon commence on the tunnel under the tracks of the Southern R. R. just in the rear of Mr. McCanness' residence, facing the gates of the Federal Cemetery. The government appropriate \$15,000 for the work but delay was experienced because the state owned the North Carolina railroad. The arch will be constructed of granite.

Three Germans, Alfred Kanziger, W. George Maffre and Willie Schwarz were arrested at East Spencer on the 27th of November for vagrancy, and given thirty days before Squire Fesperman. They did not relish their confinement and appealed for aid to their consulate. An investigation shows that they are treated as other prisoners, and that they must serve their sentences. Since the above was put in type these men have paid their fines and have left town for southern points.

Dr. J. F. Beall, of Linwood, died last Sunday at 2:30 o'clock at his home. The doctor has been in declining health for several years. He was well and popularly known by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. Funeral services were held from the late residence of the deceased, and the remains were interred in the Beall church cemetery. A daughter, two sons and a brother survive him.

The Spencer churches are preparing for a big Christmas. Cordon Lodge, I. O. O. F. gave a brilliant musicale last Monday evening. A most delightful time is reported and a sumptuous banquet was served.

Supt. Ramsaur, of the Southern R. R. Co., along with several other officials of the local staff are reported to have tendered their resignation at the request of those high in authority. Chief Dispatcher Johnson has also resigned, and later on we may be in a position to tell our readers why.

Col. "Tiddy" Bostian, the negro who shot and killed Col. Frank Harris last week, has employed counsel and asked for bond. He pleads self-defense, but has not been allowed bail.

There is talk favorable to the holding of a Fiddlers' convention December 20th. Quite a number have signified a willingness to participate.

The stores of our enterprising merchants exhibit a most beautiful holiday appearance.

In looking for Christmas presents consult the advertising pages of the WATCHMAN.

Miss Weston Capps is visiting her brother, Capt. W. A. Capps, at Augusta, Ga.

Rev. J. L. Morgan, of High Point, was a Salisbury visitor Saturday.

Jail Sentence Changed to Fine.

The city's sense of things real and rational was shocked yesterday afternoon when Judge Ferguson sentenced Coloney LeRoy Davidson, a descendant of the signers and a well-known broker of Charlotte, to the county jail for a period of 80 days upon conviction in four cases for selling and keeping on hand too much whiskey. Owing to the prominence of the defendant, little thought was entertained other than that he would be dismissed with the payment of a bill of costs and some small fine, but Judge Ferguson concluded that the defendant's standing rather militated against him in the awarding of justice.

Later in the day, however, the court agreed to dismiss Coloney Davidson, provided he would pay the costs, a fine of \$50 and put up a bond to keep the faith from court to court, the bond required being \$500. This act was taken because of the fact that Judge Ferguson was presented a paper in the nature of both a petition and an affidavit from the physicians of the city that Coloney Davidson was suffering from an incurable disease, and that his wife would be jeopardized in jail. —Charlotte Observer, 4th.

A Hard Debt to Pay.

I owe a debt of gratitude that I can never be paid off" writes G. S. Clark of Westfield Iowa "for my rescue from death by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking taking New Discovery. The ominous dry, hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, two more a complete cure." Nothing has ever equalled New Discovery for coughs, colds and all throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Robert L. Earnhardt has opened a barber shop in China Grove. Mr. Earnhardt is a splendid young man and deserves to succeed.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that a little Cascasweet, the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed plainly on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by James Plummer and all druggists.

C. V. Craigen, manager of the High Point Publishing Co., was a pleasant caller at our sanctum Monday evening.

A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation even to very young babes. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung-healing mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract, that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Grimes' Drug Store.

Considerable sickness is reported about town, but most of the complaints are the results of colds, etc.

Reward of \$50. I will pay a reward of \$50 to any one who will arrest and convict the person or persons who burned my barn and contents the night of Nov. 14th, 1907. CLEMENTINE BRADY.

After the new officers have been inducted into office as Superintendent and roadmaster of the Southern division here, we hope to have the pleasure of seeing the new depot and freight house speedily finished and the yard-tracks attended to, as they are in bad shape.

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formation, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles, by all druggists. 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

Enlargements to Order—High Grade Portrait Work.

J. R. PEDEN,
PHOTOGRAPHER

No. 110 1/2 N. Main St. SALISBURY, N. C.

Children a Specialty—Every Picture Guaranteed.

The undertaking business of T. E. Witherspoon & Co., which was recently purchased by Robert Davis, one of the oldest and most skillful undertakers and embalmers of this section, has been consolidated with the Summersett-Bell Co., where Mr. Davis can be found, and will be glad to serve those who may need him.

We have quite an amount of advertising in this issue to which a careful perusal is invited. The Salisbury merchants have unusually large and attractive stocks and they deserve the patronage of the counties, citizens. Call on them before going elsewhere. Their prices are low, goods new and styles the latest. Trade now and avoid the rush.

No matter what the death certificate says, the fundamental cause of one-half the deaths recorded is constipation. Cure yourself of the habit by eating daily

DR. PRICE'S WHEAT FLAKE CEREAL FOOD

which is made from the whole grain of the wheat berry. 10 cents a package. For sale by all Grocers

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

When you begin selecting your Presents remember you are invited to call and

EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

OUR MAIN LINE IS

FURNITURE,

But we have all kinds of Odd Pieces for the Piazza, Hall, Sitting, Dining Room, Parlor and Kitchen.

Most likely somewhere about the home there is a piece missing and which you have long intended to supply. It may be something cheap will cause the heart of some loved one to be glad, or something better as your purse will permit, if so, now is the time to supply it in the shape of a Christmas gift. The more substantial the gift the better and longer will its memory linger.

We have little Chairs for the children at only 50c. We have Rugs, Carpet and Matting for the floor, Pictures for the walls, Lamps for the table, Tables for the lamps, Clocks for the shelves, Stoves for heating and cooking, Window Shades, Fiddles, Guitars, Banjos, Auto-harps, etc.

Our odd pieces in Leather, Wicker, Oak, Mahogany for all parts of the house and for any service is unusually complete and attractive.

Come and examine Our Stock. Respectfully,

W. B. SUMMERSETT

May the Holidays pass without your need of our services, but being in need remember we sell

Coffins, Caskets and Burial Robes, Do Undertaking and Conduct Funerals.

SUMMERSETT-BELL UNDERTAKING COMPANY,

108 West Innes Street.

WINECOFF'S

LAST YEAR PRICES.

I will save you money if you will buy your winter supplies from me. My stock is now one of the most complete in the city and having bought the greater part of it before the great advance in the market, and by so doing they cost less than they do now, so have marked them for sale accordingly. Your time will be well spent if you give me a call before you buy.

Below you will notice proof of statement above,

A Grey Blanket for..... 25c
A White Blanket for..... 35c three for \$1.00
Other great values in Blankets from \$1.50 to \$10.00 per pair. In this lot the noted Elkin Blanket is included at a very low price.

Big lot of Outing, Flannelettes and Flannels left over from last season and the price has not been changed, so this alone speaks for the remarkable low prices on these goods. The same grade of these goods this year cost the merchant from 2c to 82c per yard more. These prices will also apply to our line of Men's, Ladies' and Children's

Underwear.

The best 25c Ladies' Vest in the State, real value 85c.
Big line of Dress Gingham at 8 1-3c, worth from 12c to 15c.

Special one lot of Waist Goods, worth anywhere 15c. my price 10c.
One lot of short lengths in Percales, regular value 12 1/2c, special for 10c per yard.

Just received, one lot of Domestic, regular value of which is 5 1/2c, my price 5c the yard. You cannot afford to miss this chance, it is one in a life time.

Some Very Special Bargains In

DRESS GOODS.

75c values for 60c.
60c values for 50c.

Several pieces of Fancy Serge Plaid, regular value anywhere, 85c, my price 25c.

Some very special values in Ladies' and Children's Hose.

A 15 Cent Value for 10 Cents.

These were bought direct from the mills and at jobber's prices.

Other great values in all lines.

A. W. WINECOFF.

HOT STUFF
Specials for the COLD WEATHER for Saturday and Next Week.

Prices cut in two in the middle and set on fire at both ends. This is the bargain event of the season. Read each and every item. But these are only a few of the Bargains:

Bleaching Specials.

Good grade of Bleaching at 7 1-2c
10c grade of Pos Bleaching at 8 1-2c
12 1/2c grade of Pos Bleaching, nice and soft - 9 1-2c

Cotton Goods Specials.

Sheeing yard wide at - 5c
Best grade of heavy sheeting worth 8c, special at - 7c
7 1/2c Light outing at - 5c
8 1/2c Apron Gingham at - 6c
CALICO, at - 5c

Petticoats.

Extra good thing in black Petticoats, nicely made at 98c

Specials in Underwear

Ladies 25c ribbed cotton vest and pants, special at - 19c
Childrens Union Suits at - 25c
Ladies 50c Union Suits all sizes, good heavy weight special at - 38c
Boys heavy fleeced Union suits worth 65c, special - 50c
Boys heavy fleeced shirt and drawers - 25c
Mens Undershirts at - 25c
Mens heavy Canton drawers worth 85c, special at - 25c
Mens 50c heavy fleeced shirts, special at - 39c
Mens \$1 grade heavy fleeced shirts and drawers at - 68c

Hosiery

Infants black hose, 4 to 6 at 5c
Childrens heavy ribbed hose, all sizes, 10c 3 for - 25c
Ladies grey hose 10c. 3 for - 25c
Mens 10c socks, tan, black red or blue at - 5c
Mens 15c part wool socks at 10c
Mens grey socks at - 5c
Mens extra heavy grey socks at 10c 3 for - 25c

Blankets

Grey & white cotton blanket, special at 48c
Better cotton blankets in grey and white at - 98 & \$1.48

Cloaks and Coat Suits.

You can't match us on cloaks. We have a big stock and some extra good values. Give us a look. You'll not miss anything by seeing what we have.

Hot Shot Prices in Shoes

We have a big stock of shoes, too many in some lines, and we are making prices to turn them into money quick.
Children's coarse every day shoes 9 to 12, worth 75c at - 59c
Shoes 18 to 2 worth 85c - 69c
Women's worth \$1.00 at - 79c
Women's Dongola cap toe fine shoes at - 98c
EXTRA SPECIAL, women's \$1.48 kangaroo cap toe, every day shoes all solid insole, and will give real good wear, special at - \$1.25
Men's cap toe shoes at - 1.25
Brogan, extra good one, worth \$1.75 at - 1.50
Hickory calf shoes for men, every day shoe, cap or plain toe at - \$2.00 \$2.50
Men's \$2.50 patent Blucher shoe, special, - \$1.98
Men's patent Blucher welt \$3 shoe - \$2.48
Men's \$3.50 patent and gun metal, special at - \$2.98
Men's \$4.00 patent shoes \$3.48

Bargains in Furs.

All of our stores got together and a large manufacturer made special prices to get all of our accounts. So we are able to offer Furs at less than many pay for them.
75c Furs for - 48c
\$1.50 Furs for - \$99c
Extra nice long Furs at \$1.50 \$1.98 and up.

Christmas Goods

Big stock of toys of all kinds up stairs, uow upon at lowest prices.
Also lots of other Chaiasmus goods for useful presents. Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Table Covers, Pillow Tops, Shears that are guaranteed, while Quilts, and lots of other useful articles at lowest prices, are to be found.

Clothing Special

Men's odd pants worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, special price - 98c
One lot of Men's suits worth from \$4 to \$7.50, good, heavy winter suits, but only one of a kind, choice - \$2.48
Men's pants worth \$3.50 - \$3.00
Men's pants worth \$4.00 - \$3.50
Men's long overcoats at - \$3.48
Better overcoats at - \$4.98 & \$8.50.
Men's suits extra good value \$7.50 & \$10.00

Glove-All Kindss

Ladies' and Childrens' Mittens at 10c 15c and 25c
Ladies Cashmere Gloves at 25c and 48c
The Best Ladies Kid Glove to be found at price - \$1.00
Men's and Boy's Gloves of all kinds and priced.

Lace Curtains

Nice pair lace curtains 2 1/2 yd long at - 48c
\$1.25 lace curtains, 8 yds long, real pretty patterns at - 98c

Hand Bags

Nice large hand Bag at - 25c
Big selection of Hand Bags at 49c and 98c
Back or side combs at - 10c
Box of paper and envelopes - 10c

Millinery

We can sell you a very pretty hat now awfully CHEAP. Big reduction on all ready trimmed hats. See our 25 counter.

Skirts.

Heavy winter skirts worth \$1 special at - 75c

Towels

Nice large huck towels at - 8c
Turkish bath towels at - 10c

The Tide of Trade Flows this Way.

BELK-HARRY CO.

Grimes Says

DEAR CUSTOMER :

You have missed a treat if you have not been to our store within the last few days and seen our big and splendid display of Christmas goods of every description. It has been a long while since any firm in this city has been more careful in selecting Ohristmas Goods than we have been this year. We want you to come and get acquainted with our stock. Our advice is to come early, for the earlier you buy, the bigger variety you have to choose from.

Trusting that we may have the pleasure of welcoming you, and showing you our line of Christmas goods within the near future, we beg to remain,

Yours, very sincerely,

GRIMES' THE DRUGGIST.