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Carolina Watchman. A Home Newspaper Published in the Interest of the People and for Honesty in Governmental Affairs. SALISBURY, N. C., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8TH, 1908. WM, H. STEWART, EDITOR. VOL. IV. No 3. A JOB LOT OF ODDS AND ENDS. LEXINGTON AND DAVIDSHN COUNTY. A GOOD MAN'S DEATH. MR. LENTZ'S HOME BURNS. STATESVILLE AND IREDELL COUNTY. THE IMPENDING BATTLE. CONCORD AND CABARRUS COUNTY. Revenue Receipts Greatly Increased. To Some Interesting Comments in Regard to Rev. Trexler Has Moved to His New A. A. Patterson Dies Very Suddenly. Some General News, State Nows and Curront Shooting, Fighhing and Drinking in a A Man Who 'Got Enough Sugar. Scarthe Prohibition Election by a "Wet." Charge. Fire-in a Wagon Bed. Sickness About Rock Grove. Bridge The Catawba, Money Stolen. Comment Served Without Superfluity. Neighboring Dry Community. let Fever at Thomasville. Deferred from last week. South Rowan, January 6 .- The Statesville Landmark, Dec 31-Jan-3. Salisbury, N. C., Jan. 3 - The Concord Times, Dec. 31. Mrs. Letitia Morehead walker, Lexington Dispatch, Dec. 25th. Rock, Dec. 22.-Adolphus A. rainfall last Saturday was very J. T. cashion, who recently dis- announcement that three months eldest daughter of the late Gover-The next term of our court will Col. jim Pugh, one of the old Patterson died at an early hour covered a large bed of kaolin on from tomorrow there will be an abundant, and it made wheat and nor John M. Morehead, died wed- convene January 27, Judge Fred timers, a soldier, recaliing long last Sunday morning at his home nesday night, the 1st, at the age Moore, of Asheville, presiding. oats show up very well. election on prohibition or saloons, his place two miles south of town, ago days, told how little luxuries near Shuping Bros. mill. He has caused no little anxiety 84 years, at the home of her son, has bought an acre of land, adjoin-David A. Lentz and wife who R. W. Bigger, of No. 10 townawoke early Sunday morning and w. R. walker, at Spray Rockingpeople had. What we call necesing the deposit of kaolin, from B. among the whiskey dealers. have been at Kanapolis for ship, one of the best farmers in saries now, and waste with lavish made two fires as usual, one in the ham county. Mrs. walker was B. Lyon. This acre of land, Mr In no town of the state is there about a month was shocked to county, will in a few days move house and the other in the kitch- the last surviving daughter of the cashion says, contains a rich .de- so much at stake in the liquor hand, in his boyhood days were hear that their fine house near his family to Salisbury, where he en. As he had them made and five daughters of Gov. Morehead. business. Besides the thirteen Clark's store was burned to the high-priced and rare; sugar, for posit of the clay. will have a position with the firm was standing in front of the fire saloons, there are five distilleries, ground last Friday morning, coninstance. Mr. Pugh says when he Oscar Sisk, the man who is ac- of Smoot Bros. & Rogers. Mr. cashier Roberts, of collector as many wholesale houses and in the house, he uttered his last suming the entire contents of the Brown's office, reports the, followwas a boy if a family had a pound cussed of shooting and killing Bigger has bought some stock in some of the dethronel Georgia li- building. The loss will aggrewords, which were these: "my of sugar, so full of molasses that Revenue Officer J. w. Hendricks this company, and will thus be ing internal revenue collections quor dealers have made arrangetime is not much longer." When for the month of December: gate fully \$1,500. The origin of it could be squeezed out in the at Smithtown, Stokes county, and closely identified with it We re-Lists......\$ 3 424 55 ments for the opening of package the fire is a mystery. he finished speaking he lay down hand, they felt as if they had for whom a reward of \$1,000 was of- gret to lose such a good citizen, across a bed near by and in a few fered, was captured in Stokes counenough to last a year. It was not Walter Basinger has been a but are glad to know that he will minutes his wife rushed to him used save when the people came. ty and is now in jail at Danbury. A welcome visitor at A. A. Easton's not move far away. and found that he was in a dying The immensity of the traffic i Special Taxes..... 672.22Should he get a spoonful in the long distance telephone from that for the past few days, condition and in a few minutes Saisbury is not understood by the Total\$205,108.1 place to the office of J. M. Milliequally rare coffee, said Mr. Pugh, more he expired. He had been Since the Board of Health has morning from Rev. J. M. Grier, of state at large. That it runs, week-The |collections for December, he would lick out his tongue like kan conveyed this information, ly close to 20,000 gallons, is not passed an ordinance forbidding Washington, N. C., announcing as well as usual and was cheerful 1906, amounted to \$143,835.10, the and Sisk was taken to Greensboro a calf, to capture stray grains he to be denied. Every train on the any hog pen within 100 feet of a that he accepts the "call recently the night before his death. A increase for the past December and turned over to Marshal Milli might have missed. One time, Southern can now be called the spring or well many of our people the sad news of his death went given him to become pastor of the being \$61,278.05. The greatest kan who will commit him to jail though, he said he got enough. "booze special," the official title have moved their pens, thus comthroughout the neighborhood sor First Presbyterian church here. increase seems to be on spirits. to await trial before judge james There had been a wreck near town of No. 7, for a long time. The plying with the law. It is expected that Dr. Grier will row and sadness were everywhere Notwithstanding the advance in E. Boyd in United States Court. and a whole car of sugar was bromanifested. The suddenness of be in Concord to take up his work the prohibition wave more tax is southbound trains especially go Rev. H. A. Trexler, who some ken up. He said he took his old There was celebrated at by the 15th of January. his death came as a shock to the heavy-laden and the amount conbeing paid on liquor in the westtime ago accepted a call to fill the wool hat and filled the crown with "clock yesterday afternoon, in sumed in dry territory is almost Organ church pastorate, moved entire neighborhood. He was ern district of North carolina than There was a shooting affray at sugar, and got an oyster can and the Church of the Good Shepherd about 49 years old and is survived fabulous. ever before. The taxes paid on there last Thursday and preached filled it full. and then, sneakthe wedding of a popular young by a wife and 7 children, 8 broth-A newspaper man last year gave spirits in December exceeded the his first sermon at Ebenezer yesed off into the woods and sat down couple when Miss Rachel Louise out figures that almost staggered terday and will preach at Organ ers and 2 sisters. The funeral amount paid in ; December, 1906, to enjoy the greatest treat of his Linton, daughter of Capt. and services will be held today, at 11 the community and although by \$16,860.96. Four or five years church next Sunday at 11 o'clock. life. He felt like a millionaire. Mrs. S. E. Linton, became the o'clock, a m., at Organ church. there was great protest from the ago the taxes on spirits in any one He says he hasn't wanted any Clarence and Miss Cora Kluttz bride of Arthur Glenn Corpening, He will be laid to rest here in the dealers, it developed that in a month rarely reached \$40,000. sugar since. visited Rocker Sunday, December Now the amount! has increased clever way he had obtained his cemetery. Rev. C. P. Fisher will

29th. Come again. estimates from the wholesale men. more than 75 per_cent.

One distiller at Salisbury, and conduct the services. The pall

of Greensboro .- Raleigh News and Observer.

A telegram was received Sunday

the Bala cotton mill on Christmas day, and as a result 'Arch Hunsucker carries several shot in his shoulder. Kerr Linker, who was drinking, was waving his gun around promiscuously, when some one told him to be careful. This seemed to anger him, and he blaz-At the last reports the bloody- ed away. The load entered the handed night raider had decided shoulder of Hunsucker, inflicting a painful but not serious wound. which to bury the dead and repair Linker fired several more times, but the other discharges went wild. There was a considerable crowd there, but before he finished shooting he occupied the field alone. Linker ran away, and has The Italian government has not been captured, though it is complained at washington that thought he has located, and will Italian children born in America soon be in the hands of the offi-On Thursday of last week there was a shooting affair on Frank Teeter's place near Harrisburg, and as a result Kesler Pharr has two loads of buckshot in his body odged there by Herbert Bernhardt, both colored, The two negroes live in the same house. Pharr was standing in the door of Confidence is a moral, and not the house, when Barnhardt came a legislative question. The only up with a shotgun in his hand, way in which confidence can be and fired at him. The load enare brothers-in-law, Barnhardt escaped, and has not yet been captured. A warrant was issued for him, and it is thought he is somewhere in the neighborhood, as he sent word by someone who saw him that he intended to kill the constable, Frank Gray. for the Seabord system. Applica-On last Friday several young men gathered at a point between the cemetery and New Town, and Waddell, but he declined to act as plenty of whiskey was in evidence, it was not long before a general row followed. As a result Charley King is nursing wounds ship for the Seaboard is that the in his right shoulder and also in company is unable to pay interest his arm. The shots that struck King were fired by Marvin Whitlock, who escaped, and has not yet been captured. jim Miller also fired several times at King. but his shots did not take effect. Miller also escaped, but was captured Sunday night by Officer Braswell, King's brother, Jesse King, was also present, and the King boys claim that Whitlock and Miller had threatened to kill

The residence of Ben Bell, near Turnersburg, was entered Tuesday afternoon and about \$250 in cash stolen. Mr. Bell was at work on his farm and his children were in school. The house was locked but a window was forced open, the place entered and the money takthat many checks were sent at the en from a trunk. So far as known same time. The jug brokerage is nothing else in the house was disgreat and the suit case carriers are turbed. The robbery occurred numerous. Dealers love to tell of some time between 2 and 4 o'clock the bottles that come from Char-Tuesday afternoon and the thief lotte and Greensboro, it being a was of course familiar with the frequent thing to see enough to promises and knew that Mr. Bell had money. So far no arrests have been made.

handle 1,500 gallons of whiskey come from Charlotte to a retail dealer. 1)ry territory offends broken the world's record in For some time the building of a much here.

The prohibitionists are handibridge across the Catawba river has been agitated by citizens of capped in the fight by two things. Mooresville and the Enterprise The good order of the city nega- hear from them. save it is now an assured fact that tives the contention that whiskey

the bridge is to be built. Jas. W. is causing ruin of the boys. Salis-Brown is at the head of the move- bury's dependence is whiskey monment and the Enterprise says that ey and its abolition will work a Mr. Hanks. an engineer represent- hardship on the schools, supporting the American Steel Bridge ed almost solely by revenue from to establish them. They save days at the site making a final sur- the whiskey houses, Salisbury doctor, when the weather is cold, vey and locating everything for could not have stood the panic as and you need not go to town every the erection of the bridge, which she did. They are against a hard time you want to know the price occupied as a store and dwelling is already made and will be ship- proposition because the city ad- of cotton or other articles.

Mr. Ham, traveling booze knocker

legislators will hardly go into the

ped to Mooresville some time next ministration is decidedly wet month. Mr. Brown has a con- The election machinery is against tract with this company for the the drys. Then too there is such erection of the bridge by Febru- a large voting element among the and 'tired.'' He stopped at a ary 15th." "The bridge (will be whiskey institutions that the clo- colored man's house by the roaderected at big hill on Dr. Ramsey's sest fight is expected. Chairman side and built a fire in the bed of place between Robinson and Cor- Thomas H. Vanderford, who man- his wagon. He started off for aged the campaign of Hackett home, oblivious of the fact that nelius' ferries."

N. L. Shoemaker has returned against Blackburn, and who ran that while he was getting but litagainst Mayor Boyden in the re- tle warmth the fire was surely eatfrom a visit to Charleston. While cent city election, is managing ing its way through the bottom of asleep on the train between Cothe prohibition campaign, the first lumbia and Charleston Mr. Shoemaker's pocketbook, containing time he ever took such a part in such a fight. Alderman Hennessee \$17 in cash, two notes for \$150 and will be with him and judge Pritchsome receipts, from The Landard, Governor Glenn and Rev mark, was stolen from his overcoat pocket.

will be with the prohibitionists. H. C. Cook, of Statesville, hss The greater portion of the bar will put on display at The Landmark oppose the saloonists, though the office the curved horn of a Texas steer, which measures 27 inches fight. Representative Walter Murin length and 10 inches in circumpby, former leader of the wets. ference at the butt. About three inches of the point were cut off to reach the hollow, making the total length 30 inches. The horn was

George Fisher and Charlie Bost One of these declared that no less than \$1,500,000 in whiskey came decided not long ago to enlist in Uncle Sam's army. They took to Salisbury from home and the holiday trade this year at tor. abroad, are more than the million the examination and after board-Salisbury was a record breaker. being from other places. One day ing at the hotel Jackson in Salis-Shipments were made to many recently, the postoffice people bury for a few days concluded to States and nearly all of the outhandled 2.000 money orders return home, and thus did their put was shipped outside of North visions of army life dissipate in through the mails and it is known Carolina.

thin air! Sensible boys. It is with much pleasure that we Miss Kate Barger visited her receive the news of the decline of sister near Shuping Bros. roller the Teddy bear craze. In New mill December 28 and 29, York last season the dealers What has become of Uncle Bill couldn't get enough of the bears. Brother, we would like to hear

Since the the first telephone has

been in operation here it has in-

Christmas a man returning

home from Salisbury under the

road the outfit presented a novel

nurder-from gibbering foolish-

ness to setting wagon beds on fire.

ting in a helpless condition and

This year they are a drug on the from you. market, very few being sold. Calvin Pethel. we suppose, has Christmas left the shelves loaded down with them. We haven't

moving from place to place. He a thing against the bear, but can't moved 9 times in 1907. If any

abide the Teddy part, and seeing one can beat this we would like to them and reading forever of them tends toward weariness.

> stopped for one week last Friday About 2 o'clock this morning evening. fire broke out in the store of J. W.

creased rapidly. There are quite Parks, who had a stand below the a number of 'phones in this comed what insurance was carried or on.

what the loss was. The building belonged to Mrs. Jane Finch. The other dwelling, cccupied by Geo. Scott, was the property of the influence of liquor became cold Wennonah mills.

THOMASVILLE ITEMS.

The many friends of J. R. Keen. Esq., will regret to learn that he has been in feeble health for the

past few weeks. A large circle of friends teroughout the State will be glad to hear he is now convalesthe wagon. As he passed up the cing.

spectacle. There is no telling what of the new year that all the fac-Salisbury booze will do, as it crops teres will start up and run full out in the most unexpected ways time and that business will be -from a splitting headache to better than it has ever been.

Our people were very sorry that the visit of Gov. Glenn had to be Richard Kluttz, colored, is get- postponed on acccount of the scarlet fever. The entire com-

seems to be gradually growing munity hope that just as soon as conditions will permit that he

brought from the Blazos river welcome our governor in Thomas- wire from Lower Stone Church to time was known as the Mt. Ver- appear at the trial Monday morncause of alleged violations of the H. Schafer, who has the distincsection of Texas many years ago laws against retailing by the tion, perhaps, of owning the only ville at any time and a large an- Granite Quarry and other points. non. They report a very pleasant ing. by the late John Neill, of this dience will greet him whenever he wholesale dealers. It is a known granite barn in the State. Mt. Miss Lizzie Nicholson died on occasion. Mr. н. с. Farmer is able to be county, who gave it to Mr. Cook. Tuesday evening of last week at fact that these wholesalers often Airy has so much granite that they comes. be up again. the home of the Misses Nicholson, sell pints and quarts, though they even use it for such purposes as Rank Foolishness. On account of the scarlet fever on Franklin avenue, with whom John A. Peeler is able to be up If a cough once gets into your "When attacked by a cough or she had made her home ifor some never have paid half the license this. The building is said to be which has been in our town for system it acts on every muscle after several day's sickness. cold, or when your throat is sore. time. She had been an invalid and fibre of the body and makes that the retail dealers do. Some first-class, and as it will not burn, the past month, all Christmas en-J. T. Wyatt has just returned it is rank foolishness to take any for several years. A day or so tertainments and gatherings were you ache all over. It especially of the saloon men have expressed it will never be destroyed .-- Vafrom Trinity, N. C., where he has other medicine than Dr. King's ago she was badly burned about heen visiting relatives. affects the intestines and makes a desire to sell out and retire. rious papers. omitted and everything possible There is no finer granite dwell- was done to stamp out the disease. you constipated, so in order to They think they have been treat-Thousands of dollars worth of ridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have tened her death. She placed ing and barn in the State, than We think that the disease is now get rid of a cold thoroughly and ed badly. without delay you should not In all North carolina, no such that of the late E. B. C. Hambley in check and will soon be stamped used New Discovery seven years around her neck a shawl which granite was sold from the Phil- and I know it is the best remedy she had warmed before the fire, on earth for coughs, colds, croup and which, unkown to her, had out, but there is no telling. All work is still going on. constipate. Kennnedy's Laxative anti-saloon and law and order and all throat and lung troubles. become ignited. She was so bad-Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels league will fight the traffic while The school house here is entire- My children are subject to croup, ly burned that she fell in the When you want the best, get that there is to do is to carry out and thereby drives the cold out of there will be aid from bank offi- DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel rigidly the instructions of the ly too small for the accomodation but New Discovery quickly cures floor. There was no one in the the system. It contains no opiates cials and merchants. Men who Salve. It is good for little or big authorities and wait results. We of the increasing number of pu- every attack." Known the world room with her at the time, but -it is pleasant to take and is never before voted a dry ticket cuts, boils or bruises, and is es- all hope the worst is over. pils. over as the king of throat and she was soon discovered, and her highly recommended for children. will join the drys and the closest pecially recommended for piles, C. C. Wyatt and George Hodge lung remedies. Sold under guar- injuries promptly attended to. Sold by James Plummer and all election is expected .- Durham Sold by James Plummer and all are getting out several car loads of antee at all druggists, 50c and Miss Nicholson was about 74 years druggists. Herald. druggists. Subscribe to THE WATCHMAN. granite street curbing, VENUS. \$1.00, Trial bottle free. of age.

his is not a very large business, bearers will be Eli D. A. Sifferd, sold the week before Christmas Milo Overcash, John Miller, James \$4,000 of booze. It is said that Caster, J. F. Park and J. A. Casto allow Kentucky a day or so in

> the damage. The condition of Rev. C. A. Brown became il. awlessness now rampart in that last Saturday night with lagrippe state sounds strange in this day and was unable to preach his fareof civilization,-mocksville Courwell sermon at Organ vesterday. Some parties visited in our

community that is reported to have had a chance to have smallpox. We don't care to have such are excluded from mississippi and cers.

that such exclusion is unlawful. Adolphus Basinger, who some Gov. Vardaman, of Mississippi. time ago put up a new store, has being requested to explain, anfor some time been confined to swers that the Italians are undehis bed, but is now able to be in sirable immigrants and for that reason are not wanted in Mississ-A young farmer arrived at ippi, and the government at

Sampson Shuping's quiet recently. washington is at the end of its The school at the Park Academy row.

Since the strict hunting law is Wennonah cotton mills, opposite being enforced people are signing restored by legislation is to show tered his arm. Barnhardt then munity and people will continue the residence of Rev. Henry Sheets one another permission to hunt that those who make laws are deliberately reloaded his gun and The store and two dwellings were game on each other's land. Al- both honest and intelligent. fired again, the second load en-Company, recently spent "two the traffic. It is certain but for many long trips at night for the burned. It could not be ascertain- though not much hunting is going Quackery will make bad matters tering the side. The two negroes worse.—Franklin Times.

> Last Tuesday night there was a Richmond, Va., Jan. 1.-Law spelling bee at the Parks acadyers representing the Seaboard emy. Good order was kept while Air Line railway left here at 6:50 spelling was going, but when the this evening for Danville to meet audience was dismissed, shooting United States Judge Pritchard began in almost every direction. request him to appoint receivers ROCKER.

tion for a receivership for the Seabord was made late this afternoon to United States' Judge

and referred the attorneys to Judge Pritchard. The reason given for applying for a receiver-

charges now due.

Whitehead Kluttz, Esq., probably the ablest, young orator in

before the Y. M. C. A., of Cres cent, Tuesday night, January 14th, 1908. Everybody is invited to come out and hear him.

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worse. will be active in this struggle. ROCKER. The city firemen and some of them on sight. It was at first rewill visit the town and address The linemen of the Independ It is no secret that among retail the policemen had a banquet last ported that King had been killed. the Sunday schools as was arrangwhiskey men, there is murmuring A Granite. Barn Here Also. ent Telephone Co. passed through Wednesday evening in the build- but on examination his injuries ed. Our people will be glad to here Monday putting up their ing near the depot which at one proved slight, and he was able to against the administration be-In Mt. Airy there lives s man,

visitors.

his store again.

Faith, January 7th .- Mr. and Mrs. John Deal is moving into Mrs. J. L. Shuping's residence where they will keep house,

Misses Mamie Peeler and Mary It is thought that after the first Heller returned to college to re-

sume their studies. Mrs. Robt Shirewalt and chil-

dren are visiting her mother this week in Cabarras county.

Mrs. J. Bassinger is visiting the State, will deliver an address with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Farmer this week.

John Josey has installed a tele phone at his place of business.

FAITH.