

Local News Items.

During the last few weeks some thief has entered the dental offices of Drs. H. C. Daniels, J. S. Fox and J. D. Carlton, dentists, and carried off their supply of gold. The thief has not been apprehended.

Sam Small, at one time a resident of Gold Hill and Salisbury, is now living at Silver Bell, Arizona. In a letter received here, in which he subscribes to THE WATCHMAN, he says that he is getting along nicely, is living with his family in a tent in a copper mining town, and that the panic has not been felt out there at all. Mr. Small's friends about here will be glad to hear from him.

The Chestnut Hill Drug Co., which recently went into the hands of a receiver, has now become the Higgins Drug Co., with that clever gentleman, C. M. Higgins, in charge.

Rev. L. W. Blackwelder went to Arden, N. C., yesterday morning where he will take a two years' course in Theological studies.

Attention is called to two mortgage sale notices advertised in this paper, D. C. Lingle trustee.

The Salisbury Canning Co., which did business several years ago, is no more. A certificate of dissolution appears in this paper.

T. Grey Barber, secretary and treasurer of the Barber Buggy and Wagon Co., who was taken suddenly ill last week, and has since been confined to his room with pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. J. F. Preston, nee Miss Annie Wiley, left this week for Korea where she will join her husband.

Work is now in progress on the tunnel being built under the Southern railway at the entrance to the Federal cemetery.

Dr. W. L. Crump, while returning from a professional visit at Franklin Saturday night, was thrown from his buggy and his shoulder dislocated. The doctor's horse became frightened and ran the buggy against a post with the above result. Dr. Crump was taken to the residence of Rev. R. R. Sowers, where he awaited the arrival of Dr. Stokes, who set the shoulder and assisted his patient home. Dr. Crump's many friends will regret to learn of his misfortune and hope for his early appearance.

Those who were so fortunate as to hear Dr. H. Louis Smith at the Presbyterian Church last Thursday night, were greatly pleased with his effort.

A young man by the name of W. J. Disharoon, Jr., of Danville, Va., is confined in the county asylum owing to a deranged condition. He came here about two weeks ago and was taken off the train in a raving condition and has remained so more or less ever since. Sheriff Krider wrote to the man's father, who referred him to the Virginia hospital, which institution in turn denies any knowledge of the man.

At the regular annual meeting of the Old Hickory Club, held in the club rooms last week, P. B. Beard was re-elected president, C. E. Stevenson 1st vice-president, W. B. Strachan, 2nd vice-president, and W. H. Hobson was re-elected secretary and treasurer. In Mr. Hobson's annual report it was shown that the membership of the club had increased and that a neat sum of actual cash was on hand. A resolution was passed favorable to holding a smoker some time in February.

2,000 has been paid the county, by the insurance companies with which the county carried fire policies on the court house, owing to the loss recently sustained by fire. The part damaged is being gradually repaired.

Jacob Feldeman, the clothier, has a change of ad in today's paper. See it on page 4.

Slaughtering prices on Men's and Boys' clothing. Sale begins Thursday, Jan. 10.

V. WALLACE & SONS.

It Does the Business.

Mr. E. F. Chamberlain of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them; used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore, and it healed without leaving a scar behind." 25c, at all druggists.

Jurors for February Term.

At a second session held last week by the County Commissioners, the jurors for the February term of the Rowan Superior Court, which will convene Monday, February 10th, and be presided over by Judge Webb, were drawn. They are as follows:

J. Will Correll, China Grove; J. F. Livengood, Salisbury; M. E. McKnight, China Grove; Peter Freeze, Atwell; W. H. Burton, Salisbury; G. A. Masters, Mt. Ulla; J. C. Julian, Salisbury; T. J. Loftin, Salisbury; G. O. Lipe, China Grove; L. L. Loftin, Salisbury; L. M. Misenheimer, Salisbury; John T. Yarbrough, Salisbury; Paul C. J. Barger, Providence; C. H. Leonard, Salisbury; J. C. Klutz, Steele; J. E. W. Isehour, Gold Hill; G. L. Klutz, Salisbury; J. F. Ludwick, Salisbury; Lewis E. Edleman, Litaker; R. S. Walker, China Grove; J. A. Peeler, Salisbury; L. L. Gaskill, Salisbury; O. E. Ludwick, China Grove; John Allen Brown, Salisbury; G. B. Ketchie, Mt. Ulla; C. A. Linn, China Grove; W. J. Deal, Atwell; N. B. McCanless, Salisbury; J. A. Locke, Steele; Chas. Arey, Salisbury; W. K. Allen, Salisbury; W. M. McCombs, Jr., Gold Hill; J. W. Hoffman, Salisbury; Joel A. Lowder, Franklin; R. B. Bailey, Unity and W. E. Michael.

For the second week jurors are: T. E. Renshaw, Scotch Irish; Harris M. Bost, Gold Hill; T. G. Williamson, Salisbury; J. L. White, Cleveland; G. H. Morgan, Locke; H. A. Monroe, Franklin; J. A. Misenheimer, Locke; James T. Carter, Litaker; H. A. Wine-coff, Franklin; J. J. Kincaid, Salisbury; M. L. Rodgers, China Grove; John C. Basinger, Morgan; F. S. B. Ludwig, Salisbury; H. J. Freeze, Atwell; W. M. Ruth, Salisbury; T. A. Ludwick, Salisbury; J. S. Hall, Steele; Theo. Buerbaum, Salisbury; O. H. Vun-cannon, Salisbury; Alfred W. Rusher, Litaker; C. W. Page, Salisbury; J. R. Wilhelm, Locke; H. S. Bostian, China Grove; Jesse F. Fry, Morgan.

Mrs. James H. Ramsay, who some time ago had an attack of appendicitis, has had a relapse and has been quite ill.

E. C. Gregory, who went to Halifax county, his old home, on business, but was retained there by illness, returned home Sunday morning.

John J. Stewart recently tendered his resignation as United States Commissioner, and the same was accepted by Judge Boyd.

F. M. Lampkin has been appointed assistant postmaster at Spencer and now has full charge of the office.

Theo. F. Klutz, Jr., is at the Whitehead-Stokes sanitorium being treated for appendicitis. Mr. Klutz has been connected with the Charlotte Observer for several years and proved himself a capable and fluent writer.

The Anti-Saloon League had a meeting in the Sunday school room of the First Baptist church Thursday night. Nothing was done that its officers are willing to have published. When the fight begins in earnest the public will be kept informed on the points of interest. It might be well enough to say that there is no lack of enthusiasm and determination on the part of the league.

Easter comes on April 18th this year.

There are said to be 15 to 20 locomotives idle at the shops in Spencer.

The People's Loan and Trust Co. are hoping to soon get into its new bank building on the corner of Main and Fisher streets. It also contemplates becoming a national bank instead of a State bank and increasing its capitalization from \$75,000 to \$100,000.

The First Methodist church; of this city, has decided to support a missionary in some foreign field. Funds for this purpose have been pledged.

W. B. Smoot, assignee, is busy disposing of the stock of millinery, late the property of Mrs. Crowson.

We have entirely too much stock on hand, and we are compelled to start this great clothing sale Jan. 18th.

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J. D. SHENCK DEAD.

One of the County's Prominent and Progressive Farmers Gone. Others Ill.

Salem Church, Jan. 14.— There is some sickness in this community. J. D. Shenck died at his home in Locke, township, Rowan county, five miles west of Salisbury, at 5 a. m., January 13th. He was confined to his bed but a few weeks when pneumonia set in and caused his death. His remains were interred at Salem E. L. church today at 12 noon. Rev. J. E. Morgan, of Chestnut Hill, preached the funeral to a large congregation. His text was: The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death. Mr. Shenck was about 55 years of age, was married twice and leaves a wife and a number of children.

The Salem and Gray's people met at Salem parsonage today and gave it a coat of paint inside. It will be a complete job when done.

This field is open now for some good pastor.

Thomas Safrit is still kept indoors on account of lagraippe.

Mrs. Gus Leppert is still confined to her room on account of stomach trouble.

Mrs. W. H. Bost is still in bad health. JOHN.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some little Candy Cold Tablets called Preventives. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventives, for they are not only safe, but decidedly effective and prompt. Preventives contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventives will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippé, etc. Hence the name, Preventives. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventives 25 cents. Trial Boxes 5 cents. Sold by Grimes Drug Store.

Positively every article will be sold as advertised and at a great saving to you. V. WALLACE & SONS.

When you want the best, get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is good for little or big cuts, boils or bruises, and is especially recommended for piles. Sold by James Plummer and all druggists.

Smiley Case Settled.

The case of Mrs. Annie A. Smiley vs. the Southern Railway, for damages on account of the death of her husband, in which a verdict of \$5,000 was given last court, was closed Thursday when Clerk Godwin paid over the money, says the Lexington Dispatch. The case would have been closed sooner but for a disagreement about the amount of attorney's fees. The two attorneys receive \$650 each; Mrs. Smiley gets half of the remaining \$8,700 and her minor child gets the other half.

Mrs. Smiley is the widow of the late Harvey Smiley, the fireman who was killed in the wreck on the Yadkin road.

THE OLD AND NEW WAY.

Some Important Facts Which May Prove Helpful.

Thirty years ago old-fashioned cod liver oil had to be forced down a patient's throat. Invalids could not take it, and children wouldn't. But the doctors prescribed it, and it had to be taken by force. Yet it cured people where enough could be taken into the system, for it has ever been the greatest of all tissue builders and general reconstructors known to medicine. We are now anxious to have every one know that Vinol is a new form of this very old and valuable remedy, containing in a concentrated form all the medicinal elements of cod liver oil, actually taken from fresh cod's livers, but by an extractive and concentrating process it is made without oil or grease, and it is as delicious to the taste as a fresh orange. Vinol does not upset the stomach like old-fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions; its strengthening and healing properties are remarkable, and both doctors and patients are delighted with its action.

Many wonderful cures right here in Salisbury, N. C., have been effected by its use, and we ask all of our customers to try Vinol on our guarantee to return money, every time it fails to make rich, red blood, increase the appetite, cure stomach troubles, give strength and renewed vitality to the aged, run-down, tired, and debilitated, or cure chronic colds, hacking coughs or bronchitis. The T. W. Grimes Drug Co., Salisbury, N. C.

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DEATHS.

THOMPSON, OSCAR, generally called "Biz," by relatives and intimates, a son of Robt. F. Thompson, died in this city Sunday morning from the effects of consumption. Mr. Thompson was a splendid young man and was esteemed by a large circle of friends. He came to Salisbury several years ago with his father, married Miss Annie Welborn about two years ago and was in the mercantile business here until illness compelled him to give it up. The funeral was held from St. John's Lutheran church Tuesday morning and the interment took place in Chestnut Hill cemetery, Rev. M. M. Kinard, his pastor, officiating.

HARRISON, WILLIAM H., son of Samuel R. Harrison, one of the county's most esteemed citizens, was found on the track of the Southern Railway near a crossing a few miles south of the city, about his home, Sunday morning. His skull was crushed, and his brains scattered along the track. The result of a passing train. He had been dead some time when found by Hamp Winecoff at 8 o'clock, as his body was cold. Mr. Harrison was about 48 years of age and leaves a wife, a number of children and an aged father. He was a kind hearted and inoffensive citizen. The funeral was held from the Episcopal church on Chestnut Hill and his remains were interred in the cemetery near by. Rev. F. J. Murdock officiating.

BAXTER, the one-year-old son of Baxter L. Ruffy, of Southern City, died last Wednesday night of meningitis.

WOOD, Mrs., wife of Dr. D. B. Wood of Elmwood, died Friday evening after a lingering illness, and the funeral was held Saturday, the interment taking place in Third Creek cemetery. Mrs. Wood was a Miss Cowan, a sister of the late Abel Cowan and of Mrs. Charlotte Mack, of Salisbury, and an aunt of J. H. McKenzie. She leaves a husband, Dr. Wood, who is in feeble health, five sons and three daughters.

Everybody loves our baby, rosy sweet and warm. With kissy places on her neck and dimples on her arms. Once she was so thin and cross, used to cry with pain— Mother gave her Cascasweet, now she's well again. Sold by James Plummer and all druggists.

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in me as mortgagee and trustee in a certain mortgage executed by William Broadway and wife, Henrietta Broadway, on the 30th day of March, 1908, and recorded in Book 27 at page 494 in Register of Deeds of Mortgages of Rowan County; said mortgage being to secure the payment of a certain promissory note and interest executed by the mortgagors, and default having been made in payment of said note, I, D. C. Lingle, by virtue of the above mentioned power of sale, will sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the city of Salisbury, on

Monday, the 17th day of February, 1908, at twelve o'clock, M., the following described property: Beginning at a stake Barnhardt corner and runs thence S 21 1/2 E 2.85 chains to a stake a new corner, thence S 85 1/2 E 3.50 chains to a stake on old line, thence N 4 1/2 W 3.55 chains to a stake, thence N 85 1/2 W 3.50 chains to the beginning, containing one acre be the same more or less it being a lot of land owned by Ellin Hall to the said William Broadway March 30, 1906, also all of our household and kitchen furniture 2 beds and cook stove, sewing machine (New Royal).

D. C. LINGLE, trustee.

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in me as mortgagee and trustee in a certain mortgage executed by Adam Barnhart and wife, Rachael Barnhart, on the 8th day of October, 1904, and recorded in Book 24 at page 559 in Register of Deeds office, of Mortgages of Rowan County; said mortgage being given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note and interest executed by the mortgagors and default having been made in payment of said note, I, D. C. Lingle, by virtue of the above mentioned power of sale, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the city of Salisbury, on

Monday, the 17th day of February, 1908, at twelve o'clock, M., the following described property: Beginning at a stake, Adam Barnhart's corner, thence south, 88 1/2 degrees 50 chs to a stake, thence south 14 degrees west to a stake 4.50 chs, thence north 82 1/2 degrees west 5.35 to a stake, thence north 4 degrees east 4.50 to the beginning, containing 4 1/2 acres. Also another lot beginning at a stake on old corner, thence south 4 1/2 degrees west 5.50 chs to a stake, thence south 82 1/2 degrees east 2.75 chs to a stake, thence north 4 1/2 degrees east 5.50 chs to a stake, thence north 88 1/2 degrees west 3.75 to the beginning, containing two acres more or less. Being lot No. 5 in the division of land of Ephraim Heilig. See Book No. 94 page 181 in Register's office for Rowan County.

D. C. LINGLE, trustee.

Rheumatism CLEARING SALE OF STOCK TAKING Commencing January 18th we will begin a sale to continue through 28th, and will give a discount of 5% on diamonds and Watches, 10% off on Hand Painted China, Sterling Silver and Cut Glass, and 20% on all other goods, such as Umbrellas, Jewelry, Clocks, Novelties, Silver Plated Ware, Opera Glasses, etc. This is to clear house before taking Inventory on February 1st. Avail yourself of this opportunity as we are not likely to have another sale in 1908. Positively no goods charged at discount prices. CORMAN & GREEN, SALISBURY, SPENCER, MARION, N. C.

Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy GRIMES DRUG CO. Real Artistic Values and honest work make our pictures talk—our customers are our best advertisers—we are pleasing them. Visit our studio and see what we have. Inspect and criticize our products. Every picture warranted a likeness of your "ming." don't matter whether you are handsome or homely. Ready-made frames in good values. Remember: If you want a high grade enlargement from life or copy we make them in any style. Bring children before 8 p. m. PEDEN'S ART STUDIO, No. 110 1/2 N Main St., Salisbury. Cures Blood, Skin Diseases, Cancer, Greatest Blood Purifier Free. If your blood is impure thin, diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, rashes and bumps, scabby, pimples, skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Balm, (B B B) Soon all sores heal and pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1 per large bottle. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co. Atlanta, Ga. B B B is especially advertised for chronic, deep-seated cases, as it cures after all else fails.

SMOOT & CAPPS, ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS AT LAW Room No 6, Court House Annex, SALISBURY, N. C. Practice in State and Federal courts. Handle collections, loan money and handle promptly all business entrusted to our care.

For Sale. A Fine Rowan Farm 345 ACRES. Buildings modern in style and nearly new. Main residence has 9 rooms. Two other buildings for tenants. Good barns and out-buildings. Apply to N. F. YORKE, Concord, N. C. 12-16 48

Repairing.—I can repair your boiler, engine, saw mill, gun stove or most any kind of machinery, and will do it at a reasonable price. Write a card or come to see me. Shop, South Main street, Chestnut Hill, or address postoffice box 18, Salisbury, N. C. J. B. DAVIDSON.

So cleverly have the comfort features of the Ralston Health Shoe been hidden beneath a stylish and snappy exterior that there is no way for you to tell—until you try on a pair—that Ralston Shoes are foot moulded. Ralston footprints lasts shaped like the bottom of your feet provide for sole fit as well as upper fit. This means a perfect fitting shoe—one in which the body weight instead of resting on heel and ball as in most shoes is distributed over the entire surface of the foot bottom. Wed'd like to hear you say "Show Me."



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Grimes Saves 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 Christmas 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.