

THE HEADLIGHT.

Cheapest Advertising Medium

FRIDAY EVENING, Jan. 20th 1888.

The office of the HEADLIGHT is now in the "Stanley Building," on West-Center street, near Mulberry.

LOCAL FLASHES.

Remember the poor.

It is just dreadful—we mean the weather.

Don't miss the grandest treat of the season—the Wilson & Rankins' World Champion Minstrels, at the Opera House to-morrow night.

We congratulate our Local on reaching his 46th birthday on the 18th inst. and hope he may live to see the return of many such and prosper.

Under the title "A University Theatre," George Riddle, widely known by his public readings, will urge in the next number of THE AMERICAN MAGAZINE a somewhat startling suggestion: that the dramatic art should be taught at college.

We are sorry to hear that our genial, polite and efficient Sheriff John R. Smith is confined to his home by sickness. We hope soon to see his smiling face, in his usual beat, around the Court-House.

We regret to learn that Dr. W. P. Exum, a most prominent Physician of Saulton Township is lying at his home very sick. We are pained to hear that the attending physician considers his case critical.

A woman in one of the northern States has inaugurated the practice of thrashing wife-deserters. The practice is a very good one, but the main obstacle to its general use is that the wife-deserters generally keep out of the way of their wives.

The Palace establishment of Mr. Asher Edwards, is daily thronged with eager buyers, who are receiving the benefit of his "closing out sale." The past mercantile career of Mr. Asher Edwards is so well known here, that further comment is almost useless.

We noticed quite a delegation of Masons passing through our city last Thursday, on their way home, from attending the Grand Lodge, at Raleigh, among whom we were glad to see our old friends Mr. J. I. Macks and Alexander Oldham, of Wilmington, N. C.

We noticed quite an improvement in the make-up in the last number of our neighbor, the Rocky Mount Phoenix. It has donned a new dress "all round," and looked as neat and clean as a maiden dressed for her nuptial. Continued success to you Bro. Lewis.

"Jim the Penman" will be presented at the Messenger Opera House next Tuesday. Do not miss this play if you desire to spend a pleasant evening. It will be rendered by the A. M. Palmers' company, and as the play itself is one of the Madison Square Theatre successes, we predict for them a full house.

Bro. Booker knows how to get up a nice paper as shown in the last issue of the Smithfield Herald. It has a brand new suit, and shows a good many other improvements in the make-up. Typographically speaking, it is a marvel of beauty. We hope that the good people of Smithfield will fully appreciate his enterprise.

It affords us pleasure to inform the Public that County "Script" is easy, and at par, all the holder of an order has to do is to present it, on some Saturday, to our efficient County Treasurer, and down comes the cash in exchange therefor. "The way to keep your credit up is to pay the cash down." This applies as well to corporations, as to individuals.

We are of the opinion that the Grand Lodge of Masons in N. C., could not have made a better selection for Grand Master than it did make in electing for a second term, our old friend, Mr. Charles H. Robinson, of Wilmington, N. C. Throughout all the State, we know of no one who has been a more faithful, zealous and efficient member of this Ancient Order than Brother Robinson.

We regret to learn that Sheriff John R. Smith had a sudden stroke of something like Apoplexy, last Tuesday morning, at his home, near this city. He fell suddenly, and was helpless and unconscious for a while. The family was much alarmed, and sent forthwith for Dr. Kirby, but before the Dr. arrived, Mr. Smith had recovered sufficiently to sit up. We hope that he may recover from this attack very soon.

Rev. J.S. Dill, of Tuscaloosa, Ala. who has been called to the Pastorate of the Missionary Baptist church, this city, filled the pulpit of that church last Sunday morning and night. He preached, we are informed, two most excellent sermons to the edification, and delight of the congregation. He is a young man, and finished his education at the Seminary of the Southern Baptist Convention at Louisville, Ky. It is hoped and thought that he will accept the call.

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The Spring Term of Wayne Superior Court will convene in this city next Monday (Jan. 23rd), and will be held by his Honor Wm. M. Shipp, Judge, Col. Thos. M. Argo as Prosecuting Attorney. It is learned from the efficient Clerk of this Court, Mr. A. T. Grady, that the State docket is quite heavy, but that there are no very important cases thereon. The Civil docket will hardly have much attention paid to it.

This week, the Goldsboro "Theatre goers," have had quite a treat almost every night, at the Messenger Opera House. On Monday night, the treat consisted of Gillette's famous play "Held by the Enemy" on Tuesday night, the "Little Tycoon" by Goldsboro's Amateur Troupe under the auspices of Goldsboro's Ladies' Benevolent Society; and on Thursday night Mlle Rhea's famous French Drama "Frou Frou." We surmise it will be a long time ere such treats fall to our lot again.

Many of our readers will be gratified to learn that the Hon. L. Q. C. Lamar was confirmed, by a vote of 32 to 28, by the U. S. Senate, last Monday, as an Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. Mr. Lamar's confirmation was strongly opposed by a majority of the Republican Party in the Senate—led by such men as Edmunds, Sherman, Evarts, Ingalls and Hoar, but we are rejoiced to know that a few Republican Senators had backbone enough to throw off Party shackles—such men as Riddleberger, Stewart and Stanford and vote with the Democrats in favor of confirmation. Mr. Lamar will be the only Northern man on the Bench, and is undoubtedly well qualified.

The new Presbyterian Church [col], just finished in this city, was dedicated last Sunday. We are informed, the service throughout the day, was very interesting and impressive. The Pastor, Rev. C. Dillard, col, occupied the pulpit in the morning. Rev. J. C. McMullen, of the white Presbyterian church, of this city, preached at 3 o'clock, p. m., to the edification of his hearers, and Rev. J. L. Savage, col, of Louisburg, N. C., preached at 7 o'clock, p. m., from the text: "Glorious things are spoken of thee O city of God"—a sermon well delivered, and well received. We trust, that under the leadership of Rev. C. Dillard, the educated and efficient Pastor, this church is destined to do a good work among the colored people of this community.

Capt. W. H. Green, Superintendent of the Richmond & Danville, has been promoted to General Superintendent of the Richmond & Danville system, with his office in Washington, D. C. W. B. Ryder, former master of trains at Greensboro, succeeds Capt. Green as Superintendent, and J. H. Walsh, of Richmond, succeeds Mr. Ryder. The News & Observer sketches Capt. Green's career briefly as follows: "His promotion is the result of solid work and merit. Not a great many years ago Capt. Green was a locomotive engineer on the North Carolina road; then he was made conductor; then at that position he stepped into the office of master of transportation; later he became superintendent of the line which position he held for some time and now he becomes superintendent of one of the largest and most important railroad systems in the country. Mr. E. B. Thomas, general manager of the system has by this appointment shown a discrimination and judgement that the R. & D. system cannot well do without and his selection will meet with general approval.

AN ASSIGNMENT. We regret to announce that the firm of Sol. Einstein & Co., of this city has made an assignment, making Mr. Sol. Well assignee. Their liabilities are First class, \$10, 128, 17.—Second class, \$8, 666.07. The assets consist of all the stock of goods, wares and merchandise now in store of said firm, and all their notes, judgements, accounts and claims in action due or belonging to said firm and all cash deposited in Bank of New Hanover and all their other personal effects whatsoever. They reserve a personal exemption of \$500 to each member of the firm—twofold: Sol. Einstein and Helen Einstein. The amount of assets is not known.

MARRIED. On Thursday last, Miss Emma Adams, a beautiful young lady of this city, was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Mr. J. V. Howell, of Faison. His Honor, the mayor performing the ceremony. They left that evening for Faison, where a reception was held, and returned to this city yesterday morning to make it their future home. We tender them our most heartfelt wishes for their future happiness and success.

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MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.

The Goldsboro "Headlight," reproduced the article from the Phoenix about the Hammond Hotel, without credit. We are always glad for our exchanges to "clip us," but please give credit where it is due.—Rocky Mount Phoenix.

That's right Bro. Lewis. I admire your pluck; but how about the reading notice in regard to the advertisement of T. W. Wood & Sons, Richmond, which you copied "word for word" from the HEADLIGHT, and produced it in your last issue, without "giving credit where it is due." In regard to the notice of the "Hammond Hotel," we must say that the notice was handed to us by a "commercial tourist," who enjoyed the hospitality of that excellent house. We didn't know it, Bro. Lewis that this notice appeared in your editorial columns. The golden rule is: "Do unto others as you would that others should do unto you." There now!

CHAMPION MINSTRELS. Wilson & Rankin's World Champion Minstrels will give one of their splendid entertainments at the Opera House to-morrow night. The reputation of this company is unsurpassed by any now on the road, and presents many novelties never before given by any minstrel troupe in this country. Read the following from the Harrisburg, Pa. Patriot: "The theatrical season in Harrisburg opened last night at the opera house with Wilson & Rankin's minstrels, and if every performance throughout the season is as good, it will be by far the most wonderful that this city has experienced. 'The only' George Wilson was at his best, and captured the large audience with delight. Griffin and Ardel in the fun on the quiet and Leopold and Bunnell in their merry musical melees were most pleasing features of the performance, and the quartette in their special parts are very superior. The music was of a high order and the jokes were new. The costumes were pretty expensive, and in all the exhibition was good.

THE VESTIBULE ALL SAFE. The vestibule train promises to become in a short time the only popularly recognized method of railroad travel. It has just been discovered that a conveyance built on the continuation plan is free from the dangers now experienced in ordinary passenger cars. Not many mornings ago a "limited vestibule train" on the Pennsylvania line near Pittsburg, when going at full speed, ran into a heavily-laden freight train. Both locomotives were smashed to pieces, but the passengers in the newly-conceived conveyance barely felt the shock, and were unconvinced as to such a slight extent that they alighted after being brought to a standstill and leisurely proceeded to view the remains of boilers, funnels and steam pipes. Under the old system, instead of travelers being at liberty to examine the broken parts of the propelling machinery, their exertions and scope of action were limited in many instances to an inspection of their own personal fragments. The advantage of the new plan is, therefore, to be seen at a glance, and once the value of the vestibule train comes to be fully known, timorous people will refuse to travel by any other. In the case referred to where two trains collided not only did the passengers escape injury, but the new train was untouched. As soon as the line became clear another locomotive was attached, and the journey continued with out further interruption or disaster. Railroad companies, for their own interest, will probably appreciate the new idea almost as soon as persons who go to and fro on wheels at their own expense and at great risk of life and limb. If they do not, we shall be greatly surprised.

PERSONAL. Dr. E. Porter, a prominent citizen of Rocky Point was in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. H. Morris, of Tarboro, passed through here last Monday en route for Atlanta.

Mrs. H. B. Giddens, of Clinton, is visiting the family of Mr. L. D. Giddens here.

Mr. W. H. Strickland, business manager of "Jim the Penman," was in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. C. T. Willis who has been absent for the last week on business, returned home on Tuesday night.

Mr. L. Edwards departed for Henderson on Tuesday, to superintend the opening of his branch store there.

Mr. William P. Hurd, of the Wilmington Messenger, gave us a pleasant call while in the city on Monday.

Mr. S. L. Dill, of New-Bern, the Superintendent of the A. & N. C. R. R., was in the city on Wednesday.

Mr. John F. Wooten, a prominent lawyer of Kinston was in the city Monday registered at the "Hotel Gregory."

Capt. Swift, Galloway, who has been attending Pender Superior Court, returned to his home in this city on Wednesday.

Mr. C. T. Currie, a prominent business man of Scotland Neck is spending a few days in this city, combining business with pleasure.

THE HEADLIGHT'S OLD HOME

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

[Correspondence, Notices and Reports pertaining to Battleboro and vicinity should be addressed to W. P. Davis, Battleboro.]

Cotton 91. Seed Cotton, cash 21, trade 3. "Beautiful Snow" but oh the mud to follow.

Mrs. J. T. Stewart, we regret to say is still confined to her bed. Rev. Mr. G. M. Duke, will preach at the Old church next Sunday evening at the usual hour.

Rev. W. B. North delivered two excellent sermons last Sunday morning and night. Owing to our removal ye local failed to secure the usual number of locals this week.

Several of our colored citizens are leaving here to work on the Truck farms near Norfolk.

Mr. Wm. Wells and family left last week for their new home in Virginia. We wish them every success.

The Battleboro Headlight will pay you a visit next week, give it a hearty welcome by subscribing to and advertising in the same.

We ask our former friends and patrons to rally to the support of the Old Battleboro Headlight and give her a send-off that will never be forgotten.

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Dr. McLeans Pellets for sale at the Post Office. Call at the Post Office for Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy.

The Cotton Farmer's Journal for sale at the Post Office. Dr. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment and Tar Wine Lung Balm for sale at the Post Office.

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Give Them a Chance That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot do their work. And what they do they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Dr. J. H. McLean's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you may depend upon this for certain.

If your kidneys are inactive, you will feel and look wretched, even in the most cheerful society, and melancholy on the jolliest occasions. Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm, will set you right again! \$1.00 per bottle. Aug. 10, 87a.

Uncles Fat Wife. Why is the letter P like uncles fat wife going up hill? It makes an fat (ant) and cooling off too soon, produces coughs and colds. Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein will cure her.

FERNANDINA, Nassau Co, Fla. March 29 1880.—"I have used Dr. Simmons Liver Regulator and always found it to do what is claimed for it. The last bottle and two packages did me no good and were worse than nothing. I see it is not put up by J. H. Zeilin & Co., and not genuine, and a waste of money to buy it. I would be glad to get the pure and genuine. Send me some from honest hands (write red Z and Zeilin & Co.'s signature on wrapper) The fictitious stuff sold will injure some one badly.

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Remember—No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. 75c

FREQUENTLY accidents occur in the household which cause burns, cut sprains and bruises: for use in such cases Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment has for many years been the instant favorite family remedy.

WIVES! MOTHERS! DAUGHTERS