

THE HEADLIGHT.

OFFICIAL ORGAN OF WAYNE COUNTY

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Nov. 24, 1892

LOCAL NEWS.

Remember the orphans to-day.

Pay your taxes before it is too late.

That the poor are with us always should not be forgotten to-day.

Thanksgiving services will be observed to-day in all our city churches.

A girl baby born to a Thirdite in Saulston township recently, has been named Mary Ellen Lease.

The postoffice, bank and all business houses in the city will strictly observe Thanksgiving to-day.

Yesterday was the coldest day of the season, the thermometer in the morning registering ten degrees below freezing.

The two-story residence of Mr. A. T. Winslow, on "the hill," is nearing completion and presents a very handsome appearance.

Mrs. John J. Gay, of Wilson, after a pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Slocumb here, left for home Monday.

The largest turkey of the season was brought here Tuesday by Mr. Addison Peel, of Saulston township. It weighed 42 pounds.

The market yesterday was almost flooded with cotton, but notwithstanding the price held its own, our buyers paying 91 cents.

Our sister town Wilson celebrated the glorious Democratic victory in splendid style last night. Newbern gave honor on Tuesday night.

Our Register of Deeds issued the following marriage licenses this week: Jesse Hinson to Miss Rebecca E. Coats, S. H. Wolfe to Miss H. E. Myers.

The county officers, including constables, who were elected recently, will be sworn in by the Commissioners at their coming meeting on December 5th.

The Odd Fellows of Wilmington will handsomely remember to-day the orphans in their home near this city, and it is to be hoped that our citizens will do likewise.

A highly enjoyable social dance was given by the young gentlemen of the city in the Arlington hotel, Monday night, which was kept up till the small hours in the morning.

The scramble for the post office here still continues. Some of the applicants have never done any service for the Democratic cause, yet, nevertheless, are in for the plum.

The storm which prevailed here Friday morning for a short time, played sad havoc with the Fair ground property. The fence inclosing it is leveled with the ground.

The North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, convened yesterday in its annual session at Tabernacle church, in Guilford county. Rev. E. A. Wright, of this city, is in attendance.

There are many applicants for the Mount Olive postoffice. Most prominently mentioned is Mr. Jas. R. Hatch, the former efficient incumbent, and who did most effective work during the campaign just closed.

By request of his many patrons, Mr. S. Grady has moved back his stock of goods to Dudley. His stand is now occupied by Mr. A. J. Harrell, who has just opened a complete new stock of dry goods and groceries.

Mr. J. C. Caddell, of the Biblical Recorder, the most influential journal of the Baptist denomination in this State, was in the city yesterday interviewing his many subscribers, and left for Newbern in the evening.

The sixteen-year-old son of Mr. Bryant Cherry, named Leonidas, while out hunting Saturday, near Mount Olive, in company with some other boys, and dragging his gun over a log carelessly, it was discharged, sending the entire load in his right arm, almost tearing it from his body. It was a narrow escape from death.

Visitors to "Welcome Week," which begins at Wilmington next Tuesday, will find the Purcell hotel an excellent place to stop at. The round trip fare from this city is only \$1.70.

The machine works of Messrs. P. R. King & Son, are just crowded with orders from every direction. This firm employs expert machinists only, which is the main secret of its success.

Because the weather turned abruptly cold, the fellow with the smallest load of wood in town yesterday, had the audacity to ask the biggest price. He, no doubt, was doubly sure that his day had come.

At the residence of the bride's mother in Wilson county, Miss Dora F. Williamson was married to Mr. Wyatt T. Hinton, of Johnston county, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. D. A. Watkins, of Kenly, officiating.

The Goldsboro Cotton Mills are now running on full time once more and the hum of the spindles is gladly welcomed by our citizens. The plant is now managed prudently and with plenty of capital to back it, and we see no reason why it shouldn't succeed.

The Atlantic Coast Line authorities, with their usual liberality, have tendered a car to the Masons of Wilmington in which to put all contributions received for the Oxford orphan asylum this week, and will transport the same to Oxford free of charge.

Although this county voted "against amendment," by reason of the majority of voters not understanding the law, the amendment to the State constitution, which requires the election of solicitors by the whole State instead of districts as now, was carried by a large majority.

The sheriffs of the counties of Wayne, Duplin and Pender, composing the Ninth Senatorial district, met at Warsaw, Friday, and after fully canvassing the vote of the district, certified to the election of Senators Benj. F. Aycock, of Wayne, and Thos. J. Armstrong, of Pender, both sterling Democrats.

By change of schedule on the R. & D. R. R., which went into effect Sunday, the mail train for Raleigh now leaves here at 12:15 p. m. The mixed train leaving here at 7:45 p. m., for Raleigh, carries passengers again and arrives here from Raleigh at 12:05 p. m. There is no change in the incoming mail train, which arrives daily at 3:05 p. m.

The excitement of the recent political contest having subsided, we now ask our Third party friends, to lay aside all prejudice and bitterness and come back into the Democratic party. They will find that the Democratic party will give them all the relief that wise legislation can give them, and furthermore, that it being the only true People's party.

We learn that W. C. Rich was tried for the murder of his wife at Walterboro, S. C., last week, found guilty and sentenced to be hanged. The evidence elicited that he committed the deed with a large mallet, which was produced in court. Mrs. Lorena Rich was the daughter of Mr. T. O. Kelley, and left many friends here who mourn her untimely taking off.

A select circle of friends gathered at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Street, Tuesday, the occasion being a dinner party given in honor of the host's birthday. Mrs. L. D. Giddens, who, during the past years, celebrated her birthday mutually with the family of Mr. Street, was also present with her family, doing honor to the occasion and receiving congratulations and wellwishes from a host of admiring friends.

The Supreme Court having affirmed the verdict of the Superior Court in the murder case of Willis H. Brogden, of this county, the sentence will be duly carried out after the first Monday in December, when the opinion will be certified. It will be remembered that on September 21st, Brogden was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. He now stands under a \$5,000 bond.

Watch the comet next Sunday night at about 9:30 p. m. It will appear exactly overhead and to the naked eye it will be two or three times as large as the full moon. Don't get frightened when you observe its fiery tail.

A horse attached to a city dray ran away Saturday evening and on the hotel corner it collided with the buggy of Mr. H. T. Jones, of Fork township, throwing the occupant beneath the buggy and injuring him quite painfully. The buggy was badly wrecked and its contents of wine flowed freely.

The State "Seed Law," requiring all packages of seeds sold in this State to be marked, showing the year in which the seed were grown, was declared to be unconstitutional and void by Judge Goff in a special session of the U. S. Circuit Court held at Wilmington Monday. This decision, no doubt, will be of great interest to truckers and dealers in seeds.

"I suffered for two years from a bad cough and pain in my chest. I tried a number of remedies, but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup was the only one that effected a cure. P. J. Murphy, Ashley, Pa."

For a varied assortment of Christmas presents the jewelry store of L. D. Giddens is headquarters. Artistic engraving is made there a specialty.

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CHIEF JUSTICE SHEPHERD.

James Edward Shepherd was born in Nansemond county, Va., July 26, 1847. His parents, Thomas and Ann Eliza (Brown) Shepherd, were also Virginians by birth and of English lineage. Part of his ancestors were North Carolinians, and one on his maternal side, Dr. Albrigton Browne, a surgeon in the English navy, purchased lands on the Nottaway and Chowan rivers and settled there.

Judge Shepherd's mother died when he was but two years old and the death of his father followed in 1859. Soon thereafter he came to North Carolina with his oldest brother, William S., and settled at Murfreesboro, which he made his home till the war came on, when, at the age of fourteen, he enlisted in the Confederate army. Being too young for other service, he was made a "marker" and as such continued for twelve months, when he was selected as military operator in which capacity he did both field and station work till the close of the war. Here as elsewhere he distinguished himself for his fidelity to duty. The fall of his elder brother Lieut. W. S. Shepherd, while leading his company at Sharpsburg, deprived him of his chief counsellor and friend, and when the war closed he had to begin the battle of life alone, without money and dependent upon his own exertion. Not discouraged, however, he took charge of the telegraph office at Wilson, N. C., and supported himself while he prosecuted his studies—especially the law, for which he early developed a fondness and aptness. After several years of such preparation and work, he entered the State University, where he studied law under the late Wm. H. Battle, and was admitted to the bar in 1869. He began the practice of law in Wilson, but in 1871 moved to Washington, N. C., and formed a co-partnership with Maj. Thomas Sparrow.

Already rising in his profession, in 1872 he was most happily married to Miss Elizabeth B., eldest daughter of Mr. Silvester T. Brown. Two sons have blessed this union, James E., deceased, and Silvester B. Shepherd.

Judge Shepherd was a member of the constitutional convention of 1875, and though the youngest man in the convention, he was on the judiciary committee where he showed his usual skill and industry. He began his judicial career as a judge of the inferior court in 1876. His bearing and conduct there and in his profession was such that in the summer of 1882 he was nominated superior court judge for the first district, to which position he was elected at the ensuing election, filling in the meantime, by appointment of Governor Jarvis, the unexpired term of Judge Eure, who had resigned. Serving with fidelity and acceptability until 1888, he was nominated and elected a justice of the supreme court, which position he occupied until his recent appointment as Chief Justice by Governor Holt.

On the bench Judge Shepherd has developed his fine legal ability by the most patient and assiduous study. He is noted for his moderation and conservatism. In manner he is kind and affable, modest and unostentatious. He is popular with the bar as well as the people. This appointment is eminently fit. It will give universal satisfaction. The new Chief Justice will prove a worthy successor of the profound jurists who have gone before him.—State Chronicle.

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Mess Pork15.50
Rice, rough60
N. C. Hams12 1/2 @ 13
Meal per sack1.35
Flour4.00 @ 5.00
Sugar, granulated5 1/2 @ 6
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