

HEADLIGHT

WEDNESDAY MARCH 20, 1901.

New century—new year—new paper. If you are not a subscriber, this paper will cost you nothing.

De. N. H. McLean, of Gibson, we regret to learn is quite sick.

Henry Stogner has moved into a house near Great Falls mill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Candler have several cases of measles in their family.

Mrs. Kate Cole has been quite unwell but we are glad to learn is improving.

Mrs. W. C. Leak left on Monday to visit her sick sister, Mrs. F. B. Pugh.

Quite a number of the factory boys called for "Headlight" Saturday afternoon.

J. R. Coley, who was burned out last week, has opened a bar at the Dooking stand.

Mrs. Ed Lyon spent last Saturday and Sunday with her sick mother, at Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Everett have several cases of measles among their children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Covington have a little visitor at their home, just five days old.

Rev. J. C. New, now residing temporarily in Chesterfield, S. C., was here on Monday.

Rev. W. J. Fulford has returned from a visit to his daughter at, or near Statesville.

M. H. Fowles, the clever shoe man, spent Sunday and Monday with his family in town.

John W. LeGrand, Esq. spent several days of last week at Mangum on professional business.

X-Ray made the Headlight a pleasant call last Saturday. He is our Hamlet correspondent.

Mrs. Dian Smith, who had a serious fall several weeks ago, we are glad to learn, is much better.

The patronage of the Headlight is exceeding our most sanguine expectations. Thanks, friends.

Will Little Steele, and family, spent Sunday with Mrs. John Spencer, of Anson, returning Monday.

Mr. M. E. Shamburger, of Montgomery, and brother of R. F. M. Shamburger is visiting the latter.

Dr. W. E. Webb is snugly ensconced in his beautiful new office on the Terry lot, next to the academy.

Walter H. Neal, Esq., is being pushed forward by his friends for the judgeship for this district. Hurrah for Neal!

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wells, after a visit of a week to the parents of the former, returned to their home last Sunday.

So, do you see—(the Headlight?)—how we are doing, and in the dollar. That's business, done in a business way.

M. B. Nicholson, of Osburn, spent Sunday in town with his brother, A. B. Nicholson. He tells us that Osburn is O. K., generally.

Daniel S. Henderson, formerly of this county, but now of Scotland, was shaking hands with friends in Rockingham, on Friday last.

Mrs. Sam Steele and Harry Mattox and Misses Nellie Allen and Annie Steele, spent Sunday with Miss Johnnie Dunlap, of Anson.

Little Miss Lillian Blynn, daughter of Rev. George Blynn, of Wadesboro, who is on a visit to Dr. S. Blynn, has pneumonia, but is now improving.

T. O. Gettrick, Esq., of Charlotte, sold as commissioner, on Thursday last, quite a number of town lots and several tracts of land, the property of the late E. L. Steele, Sr.

Spindley was a gala-day in the Headlight office, for while the people were coming for sample copies all day long, not a few dollars were left with us for which we are thankful.

J. D. Porter made us a pleasant call on Monday and made us feel good, otherwise. He is selling "Native Herbs," a famous blood and liver medicine. Try it, and be convinced.

Dayly Covington, son of C. C. Covington, we hear, is quite sick.

Filling in goods at the big new hardware store.

Hon. Chas. H. Deberry has been here for several days on professional business.

John O. Deberry, of Polkton, spent Monday with his family, in Rockingham.

The Headlight is glad to learn that John L. Everett, who has been quite sick is improving.

Miss Nellie Smith was called home yesterday in consequence of the extreme illness of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Smith.

John L. Green, of lower Wolf Pit, who has been in Florida for more than a year past, has returned home to remain.

Dr. Walter L. Steele can be found in his dental office, over the Boss Racket, from now on. Engagements will be promptly attended to.

Freddie McEver is rendering good service on the mail route to Bostick's Mill. This is quite a relief to the good people on his route.

Daniel T. Stogner, who has been on a protracted trip in S. C., is home again and can be found at J. L. Briggman's store near depot.

Collin Watson, a clever knight of the grip from Morven, spent Tuesday in town calling on the merchants who trade on his line of goods.

Married in Pee Dee village, No. 2, on the 18th instant Gaston C. Baldwin and Miss Fannie Carr. Rev. F. M. Shamburger was the officiating minister. The Headlight extends congratulations, with the suggestion that they subscribe for the Headlight, and be happy forever.

Daniel Gay and family have moved into a house near Great Falls factory.

Mr. Gay related the following pathetic incident: An old colored woman stopped him on the street and expressed her sorrow for his loss by fire and handed him a dime, saying, when I got burned out you helped me, now I want to help you.

The reader is kindly requested to examine critically all our "ads," and then call on our advertisers and examine their goods and prices. They all men who can be depended on to do what they promise. When we have a little more space at our command we will have more to say of each one. A man who don't want your trade, won't ask for it, or even invite you to call. Of course then you will go where you are invited and you need not expect bargains from any others.

The members of "The Old Males' Association," very generously donated the nice sum of ten dollars, through their excellent president, Mrs. Mattie Stewart, to that worthy, gallant old soldier, Daniel Gay. Noble deed of noble women. This action has been commended by a "college bachelor," "the old issue," who has written long and patiently, not for a donation, but a business proposition; and "my old mate" has had a word to say to him. However, it is never too late to do good, especially in a way that may result in mutual benefit.

Richmond County Savings Bank. The stockholders of this corporation held a meeting last Monday and elected the following officers: President, W. L. Parsons; Cashier, W. L. Seales; Directors, W. N. Everett, W. O. Leak, R. F. Brewer, J. B. Candler, W. L. Parsons, Jas. A. Leak, Wm. Entwistle. Business will be opened at once in the Dr. Stanell building.

Methodist Orphanage. Rev. J. B. Hurley, agent of the Methodist orphanage of the N. C. Conference, filled the pulpit of the Methodist church in Rockingham last Sunday morning and night, preaching two excellent sermons. His appeals in behalf of the orphanage received favorable responses. The Sunday school pledged itself to the support of one orphan. We are not informed as to the sum total of his receipts.

Daniel Gay. This gallant old Confederate veteran has been the recipient of much kindness. With one leg buried upon the battlefield in Va., he has hobbled around with an energy which would have done credit to an athlete, and had made himself a home for his declining years, and yet in one hour's time on Wednesday night last, he was laid in ashes. Let all in whose veins the milk of human kindness flows, and who love the cause for which he gave that leg, and well nigh his life, send him something—anything needed in a family household. The night he was shot on the field of battle he slept with Starling McDonald, and when Starling saw his home in ashes, he took his old comrade to sleep with him again.

Anything sent to this office for Mr. Gay or any of the fire sufferers, will be promptly acknowledged in the Headlight, and delivered to the parties.

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J. C. Burns. Truly a sad feeling came over us as we beheld a funeral cortege passing through Washington street last Friday about noon. Naturally we enquired as to the name of the dead, and when informed that it was J. C. Burns who was dead, our memory reverted to the days of our early manhood when we saw him frequently, and called him our friend. Since that time we have seen but little of him, but are informed that he lived a Christian and no doubt has entered the heavenly city amid the greetings of loved ones gone before.

Mrs. Deey Covington. Mrs. Covington, the relict of E. H. Covington, passed away quietly on Saturday, in the village of Pee Dee mill, No. 2. Her maiden name was Northam. For many long years she was the queen of the home in the household of E. H. Covington, and lingered there but little more than a year after the demise of her good companion. She was a noble Christian woman, and doubtless has joined her sainted husband in that blissful port, where parting is never known, and storm clouds never come.

The funeral services were conducted Sunday morning, at the Covington cemetery, by Rev. T. S. Wright.

Fire Victims About. For several days past, even before the recent fire, three strange, rough-looking negroes have been in and around the town, as we are informed upon good authority. These said negroes have attempted to enter three different houses in Great Falls village, one house being that of John R. Smith,—the other two being occupied by ladies. While attempting to enter one of these houses, one of the ladies ordered them away, when one of the negroes replied, we are not going—we are coming in there—but they failed to effect an entrance. The next night after the big fire, the three tried to enter Mr. Smith's house through the back door, about eleven o'clock, before he had retired. Mr. Smith's attention was attracted to them by the furious knocking at the door. When Mr. Smith went to the door, he opened it and saw them leaving, and he fired several shots at them, none having any effect, so far as known. Again, on Sunday about 4 o'clock p. m., Mr. S. and a friend, in coming from Midway to town, came suddenly upon the same three negroes and two others, in the woods in the rear of Maj. Shaw's residence. They passed without disturbing them, and getting several friends to accompany them returned in pursuit of the said negroes. They were discovered when near the negroes, who fled with the speed of the antelope, the men firing on them as they ran. They were followed for about a mile and have not been since, so far as known to Mr. Smith. We are no alarmist, nor are we in any fear of our personal safety, but we cannot close this article without suggesting that, every man in the community, white and colored, enter at once upon the work of discovering the fire-brands and securing his or their punishment.

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Commissioner's Sale of Land.

By virtue of the power given me by a decree of the Superior Court of Richmond County in a special proceeding entitled, John W. Butler vs. William Wooten and wife, Sarah Wooten. The same being a partition for equities of land, I will on the 22d day of April, 1901, (the same being Monday of court week,) offer for sale, to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Rockingham, at 12 M., the following tract, or parcel of land, lying and being in the county of Richmond, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a pine pointer near the mouth of Granite branch, a little up the branch, on the south side of Drowning creek, and run south 22 E 25 chs. to Piesman's. Then 27 E 20 chs. N. 25 W. 25 chs direct to the beginning—containing fifty acres, which was granted by patent, to James Yates, and descended from Henry Yates to James L. Yates and Elizabeth Yates, one-half interest of which was sold by D. M. Morrison, commissioner, to John W. Butler, the remaining half interest being devised to William Wooten by Elizabeth Yates. For further description refer to Book I page 128 in Register of Deeds office. JOHN W. LeGRAND, Commissioner.

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