

THE HEADLIGHT.

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ANOTHER MILESTONE IS PASSED.

This issue of the Headlight is No. 52, of volume 2nd. Next week we will write, Vol. 3, No. 1. We are certainly grateful to the people at large, for the large patronage extended to us, and we are especially thankful that so many of our subscribers have paid their subscriptions through the kindness of the good people, we are in good trim for the voyage of 1903.

This is not good, honest politics, and sooner or later, such action will injure their party and bring their schemes to naught. This in an off year in politics, and we hope "the land will have rest."

The Legislature acted wisely, though slow in its action, in providing for the immediate payment of the second \$100,000.00 for needy schools. It is true, it is too late to help these schools this year, but if it is paid in to the Co. Treasurers, it will be good for next year.

The Legislature is being flooded with bills to incorporate stills and saloons as towns. Is this the outcome of the so-called temperance legislation—the grandest farce recorded in North Carolina history.

The News and Observer of Tuesday, says: "An even one hundred new subscribers were put on the list yesterday." The Headlight is making "em in too, friend Josephus, but not quite so strong.

We hope the Senate will kill the divorce bill passed by the House. It is a disgrace to the State and contrary to the teachings of the Bible.

COUNTY NEWS

Black Jack

Henry Holt is recovering from the fever and is able to ride about a little.

John Welch spent Sunday with us.

Mrs. Harrington was visiting her daughter Mrs. Kelly Sunday.

H. H. Covington is right sick we hear.

Misses Ida Holt and Nellie McKethan were visiting at Mrs. Fannie Terry's Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Duckery's school closed Monday. She treated the children to a lot of nice candy, apples etc.

Say ye courting people that like to take a Sunday evening ride, widowers included, the land sink is something worth seeing this time sure enough. We are reliably informed that it is much deeper and larger than it was last spring.

Roberdel No. 2.

We are having beautiful weather for work.

Will Thrower, from Lowell, Mass., whose home is in this county, is here to put in the boilers and engines.

Mrs. Ben Hudson is very sick at this writing. Hope she will soon be out again.

Gyp Haaty and family went to Deo Dee visiting Saturday.

Adam Cadieu received a telegram Saturday, from Monroe, telling him to come home at once to the bedside of his mother.

Fred Blackman, wife and little Mollie McRae went to Midway visiting Saturday.

Mr. Steene and wife went to see his brother and mother, Sunday.

Our Sunday school was very well attended Sunday—that is right. Come out friends and neighbors. Let us have a good school. A good Sunday school and pious people will be a great help towards making our village noted for its piety.

D. O. R.

Ledbetter's.

There was singing at H. M. Marks' Sunday evening. A good attendance and good music was the result.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Gibson, of this place, were visiting his brother Martin Gibson near Greenlake, last Sunday.

Some of our farmers contemplate on beginning to turn over soil as soon as conditions of the land will admit.

J. P. Ramsey returned home last Tuesday from Asheboro, Randolph county, where he had been visiting his daughter.

March came in very beautifully and lovely and the present appearance of small grain crops in this section is very encouraging.

Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Dawkins left this morning for McBoe, S. C. We regret to give them up, but our best wishes attend them for their future success.

Say, Mr. Gobbler, have you heard from the buggy that travels without shaves or horse? The pass-word is push-push. We sympathize with the young man who had to set horns to get his buggy home.

We offer condolences to the young men of our village and advise them to use their best methods of strategy or they will be out-rialed. A widow's constipation is generally very concise, but most emphatically to the purpose.

There was a social gathering of young people at W. M. Turner's last Saturday night, and the entertainment was both pleasant and enjoyable. It reminded us very much of former occasions. We have no desire to use any flattery compliments, but the young people commended themselves in good behavior and then departed in the best of humor.

Great Falls.

Miss Ruth Wallace left last week to attend school at Elise, N. C.

Mrs. M. J. O'Brien, of Roberdel, is visiting her son, D. F. O'Brien and family.

A good many of our people are suffering with severe colds.

Misses John Ballard, Victor Xapier, Nell Reynolds, of Pe-

Dee, and Press Covington, of the Headlight force, were visitors in our town Sunday.

Pshaw! S. T., of Roberdel, were you expecting that the working people would get any relief from this session of the legislature. Didn't you know that the Cones, McAdams, Odells and Tompkins influence was greater than all we factory people combined, except during a campaign.

Misses Mary and Wilmer Dawkins and Miss Dollie Ormsby, of Roberdel, were visiting Mrs. O'Brien Sunday.

Miss Pattie Gibson, of Maxton, and Miss Sue Sanford were visiting Mrs. O'Brien Sunday.

Miss Terrie Dowd and Mr. John Ecury went to Gibson a few days ago. Miss Dowd went to have Dr. McLean do some dental work.

Gobbler seems to be in the lead for tobacco tags. Boys ship him Schtapps, Kam Horus and all others you have.

Misses Belle Gullidge and Kate Alden, of Cordova, were visitors in this section Sunday.

Textile.

Pee Dee.

Mr. Parsons and family have moved to their home in the country.

Festus Frye and Miss Nan Parsons were married last Saturday night at the residence of Mrs. Howell, W. L. Steale officiating.

Rev. W. T. Rainwater is very sick. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Hasty is on the sick list.

Rev. D. C. Britt preached an able sermon at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening.

Brown Creek.

The weekly visits of the Headlight are looked forward to with much pleasure by the writer. As its items contain much interesting information for her, will endeavor to give it a few fragments of news from Anson.

We are glad to say the chain gang is making rapid progress macadamizing the Concord road through this part of Anson, which will, we hope, be a great benefit to our people.

We are now trying for a free delivery. Hope we will succeed in getting it by the time the road is completed.

Mr. Milton Teal and family, of Hot Springs, Ark., are visiting relatives in this county. He speaks of making this his future home.

Rev. A. B. Candle, of Wadeboro, is pastor of Brown Creek church,—his regular time is the second Sunday and Saturday before.

Mr. McDonald, of your town and Miss Fair Huntly, one of Anson's most charming young ladies were married on the evening of Feb. 25th, in the Baptist church at Folkton. The writer extends many congratulations.

The farmers are making slow progress toward another crop, owing to so much rain.

A Friend.

Pee Dee No. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Williams are visiting their son at Troy this week.

Mrs. Allen was summoned to Moore county last week to attend the funeral of her aged mother, Mrs. McKinnon.

A. A. Hicks spent Sunday with his brother in the country.

John Sholar, of Laurel Hill, spent several days with relatives here this week.

Mrs. Black and little boys visited at Midway Saturday and Sunday.

Luther McInosh and Alex McInosh spent Sunday at Roberdel.

Miss Minnie Thrower is right sick with a grippie. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Misses Cora and Lillie Lowe spent Saturday night and Sunday at home in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tilley visited in the country last Sunday.

Jesse Baldwin is right sick at this writing, also the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gillis.

V. S. C.

See H. H. Smith before buying your garden seed.

Covington.

We had a very nice time at the Teacher's meeting. It was conducted by Rev. J. Hoyle and our excellent teacher, Miss May Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. David Parson, Miss May Rouse and our highly esteemed Dr. A. W. Brown attended a turkey dinner at Mrs. Brack Green's, Sunday.

Colds, colds, colds! Have you any colds down here? We have a plenty up here.

Pegues.

Since I presented my last notes we have had a good deal of rough weather—not any snow, but rain enough. During the bad weather a white back, one of W. E. Crossland's mules was killed by lightning and one died a few days back.

We are getting along excellent with our schools, and we like our teacher more and more. We are going to have an entertainment during the month, if nothing prevents.

Mr. Editor, I am glad the good people are renewing their subscriptions, and I hope they all will be prompt in paying, for I think a person that subscribes for a paper and don't pay his subscription, is as mean as the man who pumped water on his head until it froze, and broke his hair off before he would pay a barber to cut it, what do you think of that, good people? R. A. M.

Cotton is off a \$1.00 per bale.

Big line tinware at H. H. Smith's.

Contents of This Issue.

We refer our readers to our inside pages where will be found the "Watts Bill," the great temperance bill passed by both houses of the legislature. Also Bill Arp's last, general legislative news, the Indianola postoffice matter and general news.

Roberdel, Dear Headlight—As I haven't written to the Headlight in a long time, I thought I would write. I go to school every day. My teacher is Prof. W. L. Criddlebaugh. I like him very much. My studies are fifth-reader, spelling, geography, grammar and arithmetic. We celebrated Washington's birth-day yesterday and had a nice time. My uncle, from South Carolina, is visiting us. I enjoy going to school very much. Our teacher is so kind and tries so hard to make us learn and enjoy the lessons. Well, I will close. Your little friend, Wilma Terry.

DON'T THINK.

If you call once and do not find what you want do not think I will not have it next time. I have new goods coming in every day, and if yours are not in one lot, they may be in the next. I have determined to keep what the people want. So continue to call and I assure you that you will get fresh goods at reasonable prices.

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Ed. B. Terry.

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