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LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY PAPER IN SALISBURY. THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN THE CITY

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

D. W. JULIAN, LOCAL EDITOR.

Mr. D. A. Harry is confined to his home with chills.

Jed Roseman has accepted a position with Ed Marsh.

Dug Hartman, of the Salisbury cotton mills, is off on the sick list.

Miss Mamie Wright, returned from Concord this morning.

Vance Shaver and Hess Sullivan returned from Cabarrus county last night.

Miss Laura Torrence left this morning for Statesville, to visit relatives.

P. E. Monroe left this morning for Mt. Pleasant, where he has gone to enter North Carolina College.

Hilton Ruffy, of the WORLD force, became suddenly ill this morning and had to quit work.

A baptism was held at Trading Ford Sunday at which several were baptized.

The many friends of Miss Sallie Chunn will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her bed with fever.

Mrs. W. D. Haynes, who has been visiting Mrs. Joseph Horah, returned to her home this morning at Pen Hook, Va.

D. A. Corington, after an unusually brilliant fight on the Dr. White case, returned to Monroe yesterday.

Miss Mary Dowty, of New Berne, who has been visiting in Bryson city, returned through the this morning on her way home.

D. K. Hill, of the Kesler cotton mill, has accepted a position as head miller at Miller's mill about two miles from town. He has moved his family out with him.

T. A. Coughenour went to Flat Swamp Springs this morning where he will spend several days. Mr. Coughenour's family is spending several weeks at that place.

The WORLD is indebted to Mr. A. C. Heggins for a choice sample of the famous Tetley tea. This tea is now being served free at N. P. Murphy's, who will handle it in the future.

John Butner and family, arrived in the city this morning and will make this their future home. Mr. Butner left Salisbury some time ago and has been railroading in the South.

Rev. F. H. Meyer and H. J. Ruth returned from South Yadkin Association at Yadkin Valley, Davidson county, this morning. They report a large and harmonious meeting.

J. M. Parker and family left this morning for Concord, where they will make their future home. Mr. Parker has not yet secured a position. He has quite a reputation as a manufacturer.

Martin Burke left this morning for St. Mary's, Kansas, to enter St. Mary's college. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Clara, who will stop at St. Louis, to enter a convent at that place.

The funeral services of James Kennerly, whose death was noted in yesterday's WORLD, were held from Mt. Tabor church this morning at 11 o'clock. A large crowd was present to pay their last tribute of respect to this good young man.

EVERYBODY INVITED.

To call at N. P. Murphy's Store and try a cup of Tetley's Ceylon Teas of London, England. Tea will be served hot or iced by a lady who is an expert brewer of Teas, she will teach you the only way to brew tea to obtain the best results.

MRS. R. J. HOLMES DEAD.

She Expires Very Suddenly at Connelly Springs—Was to Have Come Home To-Night.

The citizens of Salisbury were shocked last night to hear of the death of Mrs. R. J. Holmes, which occurred at Connelly Springs last evening about 7:30 o'clock. For several years Mrs. Holmes has been subject to heart troubles but her general health had been even better than usual recently. Several weeks ago she went to Asheville on a visit to her daughters, Mrs. Clarence Sawyer and Mrs. W. J. Snider. She was on her return trip home when she decided to stop over at Connelly Springs for a few days intending to come home tonight. But the grim reaper death stepped athwart her path and instead of greeting her loved ones in health this evening she was brought home a corpse this morning. Mr. Holmes received a telegram yesterday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock saying that she was very sick and to send her physician up. An hour later a message was received announcing her death.

She was just going down to supper when she fell in the hallway and was taken to her room. The remains were brought to Salisbury this morning on the Norfolk train and taken to the home of the deceased by pall bearers.

To those who knew Mrs. Holmes her death will bring the keenest pangs of sorrow. She was a generally beloved woman and one whose life was not spent in vain. For her good deeds, her many acts of charity and her faithful Christian life are sweet to reflect upon. Mrs. Holmes was born in this county near Organ church in 1835. At the early age of 17 she was married to Mr. Holmes and their domestic life has been one of unbroken happiness.

Nine children were born to them, seven of whom are still living, a son and daughter having died.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning from the Lutheran church—the church to which she has clung with such love and zeal since her young womanhood—by Rev. C. A. Rose and Rev. J. Rumpel and the remains will be interred in Chestnut Hill cemetery. Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Bruner Graham and Mrs. Sawyer, her daughters, will be down from Asheville tonight.

Rev. Meyers Ordained.

Says the Winston Sentinel of the ordination of Rev. F. H. Meyers, of this city, who recently changed from the Lutheran to the Baptist faith:

"Rev. W. R. Gwaltney returned to Wake Forest this morning. At the South Yadkin Baptist Association, at Yadkin Valley Church, yesterday, he preached the ordination sermon of Rev. F. H. Meyers, of Salisbury, into the Baptist ministry. Rev. Meyers was formerly a Lutheran minister. The South Yadkin Association closed yesterday."

The North Side Begins Grinding.

The North Side Roller Mill began grinding wheat and corn yesterday and will now run on full time. The flour turned out yesterday is of excellent quality. Mr. J. C. Lipe, who put the machinery in, and, who by the way has no superior as a miller in the State, will be in charge of the mill for several weeks. The brands of this mill for their flour will be X, XX and XXX.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield will be in Salisbury at the Central Hotel, on Wednesday Sept. 2nd. His practice is limited to eye, ear, nose and throat.

Mrs. E. W. Koontz is visiting relatives at Yadkin College.

MRS. J. L. WRIGHT DEAD.

This Aged and Highly Esteemed Lady Passes Away. Her Death a Sudden One.

The scriptural admonition that "in the midst of life we are in death" is brought to mind today in the death of Mrs. J. L. Wright, who died last night at 10 o'clock. For some time Mrs. Wright has been in failing health but even those who were nearest her and cherished her most dearly in her declining days had no thought that the end was so near. Sunday she spent the day with her son, R. L. Wright, and seemed as bright as usual.

Mrs. Wright lived alone across the street from her son, Dr. J. T. Wright, and yesterday morning about 12 o'clock when Mrs. Dr. Wright called on her she found her in bed suffering with her heart. Dr. Wright found her ailment to be neuralgia of the heart and, although he did everything within the power of medical science her life could not be prolonged.

Mrs. Wright was born Feb. 13, 1835, and was consequently 61 years old. She was married when quite young to Mr. Jno. L. Wright, of this city, who preceded her to the grave by several years. She leaves a sister and six children, all of her sons being prominently identified with the business and professional interests of Salisbury. Mrs. Wright was a member of the First Presbyterian church of this city and from that church the funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon and the remains will be interred in Chestnut Hill cemetery. To the grief stricken sons and daughters whom this devoted mother leaves behind we extend our sincerest sympathy.

Fell Forty Feet on a Limb.

Zeb Wyatt, who is working at Spencer, had a narrow escape Saturday afternoon from being seriously hurt.

He was cutting limbs from a tree and was sitting upon the limb which he was cutting when it broke and fell.

It fell a distance of forty feet with the young man still clinging to it but strange to say he was not hurt in the least. It was, however, a narrow escape.

She Found Her Husband.

The woman whom the WORLD mentioned Saturday as having been deserted at the depot by her husband Friday night, has found her husband. She does not talk of his strange disappearance any longer, and refuses to tell where he has been. Instead of going to Statesville they will return to their old home in South Carolina.

Ike O'neil Better.

Ike O'neil, who was so dangerously hurt by Chas. Brown Saturday night and whose life was almost despaired of yesterday, is better today. There is now hope of his recovery. Brown has not yet been apprehended by the officers. O'neil has not been detersive since his wound was dressed by Dr. Council Saturday night.

It Was the Largest.

Instead of saying that the enrollment at the white graded school yesterday was one of the largest in the history of the school the WORLD should have said the largest without exception. This is indeed a splendid showing for the educational interests in Salisbury.

5 Shares National Bank Stock for sale \$150—cheap. Apply at this office.

CAR BREAKERS IN TROUBLE.

Broke a Seal and re Locked up. Shoes Stolen out of a Southern Car.

Saturday night some one broke the seal on a car standing on the Southern's track here and entered a car.

From this car a case of shoes was taken from which nothing has been heard since. The matter was kept quiet yesterday in hope that the party, or parties, who perpetrated the theft would be caught. But no trace has been found, although the officers are still working on the case.

Last night Capt. C. W. Lee, the Southern's agent here, received a telegram from a freight conductor at Concord to have officers at the depot to meet a freight coming in from the South. Officers Torrence and Pool were called to the depot, and when the train rolled in found a good handful of game awaiting them. Three black men and two whites, one nothing more than a mere lad, were taken from one of the cars, where the seal was broken, and turned over to the officers. The conductor explained that while his train was at Charlotte the men broke a seal and entered a car filled with cotton. After they were all safely resting within the conductor put another seal upon the car and, as stated above, held them until Salisbury was reached. The youngest prisoner is a small lad and says that his name is Frank Moore and that his home is in Charlotte. He says that he did not break the seal but that the others called him in and they had entered the car.

The White Case.

The trial of Dr. White, the alleged rapist, has been given to the jury by Judge Greene. Since yesterday afternoon attorneys L. H. Clement, M. H. Caldwell, L. S. Overman, T. F. Kluttz and W. A. Montgomery have made speeches, Judge Montgomery making the concluding speech. They were all splendid efforts and no stone has been left unturned by either side.

Judge Montgomery concluded his speech at 12:30 o'clock and Judge Greene then charged the jury in a very fair and impartial manner. The jury is still deliberating at the hour we go to press.

Old Soldier's Reunion.

The annual reunion of the old soldiers of Rowan county will take place in Salisbury Thursday, Sept. 10th, 1896. Let every old soldier attend and enjoy himself among the old companions that fought side by side with him in many bloody conflicts. The election of officers and other business will be transacted. Don't fail to come and make it one of the grandest reunions you have ever had. Mr. Hall, of Hickory, has been invited to deliver the address.

Ed Mears returned home this morning.

As Bryan and Free Silver catch the voters, the Bryan—Free Silver Cigars catch the smokers, at MARSH'S

FOR SALE.—A stylish team of driving ponies formerly owned by Capt. H. A. Judd. Also a safe and pair of scales. For particulars address Richard Eames, Jr., Manager—New London, N. C.

Don't forget when you want an easy close shove to go to W. J. T. Robinson.

LOST—A silver breast pin, a crescent and star, with the words "Tiger and Rifles" engraved on the crescent. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to Mrs. Shober.

SHOT AT A BOY.

A Drunken Man Shoots at a Small Boy and Hits a Brakeman—Great Excitement.

Mr. J. M. Mahaley, who went up to Old Fort yesterday morning on the Western train and returned last night, tells us of an affair at Marion yesterday that created intense excitement at that place.

At Morganton Jim Graham, of Asheville, boarded the train and was unruly from the beginning. His real trouble, however, did not begin until he reached Marion. Here there was a small boy at the depot selling apples. Graham grabbed an apple from the boy's basket and threw it with all his might at the little fellow, hitting him. The boy reciprocated by throwing at Graham, who pulled a revolver from his pocket and took aim at the little fellow. The weapon was discharged but was not true to the mark, for instead of hitting the boy the bullet lodged in the breast of Geo. Logan, a colored brakeman, who was standing by. The bullet entered Logan's right breast and inflicted a wound which while not necessarily fatal is very dangerous.

Graham was immediately seized by parties standing near by and is now in jail at Marion. He is about 30 years old and has relatives living at Asheville. Mr. Mahaley tells us that the affair created great excitement at the time, as the assault of Graham upon the boy was entirely unprovoked.

Anniversary.

On Saturday and Sunday, September 12 and 13, at Salem Lutheran Church, anniversary exercises will be held appropriate to the closing of the pastor's first year. These exercises will be for the benefit of the whole charge, and it is hoped that every member near and far will be present. The services will be continued through the whole of both days, dinner being served on the church grounds. The pastor will be assisted by Revs. J. P. Miller, Prof. J. H. C. Fisher and others. The pastor will review the work of the year Saturday morning, and on Sunday morning a sermon will be preached by the pastor in memory of those dear ones whom God has called home during the past year. On the afternoon of Saturday and Sunday addresses will be delivered by visiting ministers upon Church, missionary and educational topics. Joint council meeting promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Senatorial Nominating Convention.

The Democratic Senatorial Convention for the 26th Senatorial District, comprising the counties of Rowan, Forsythe and Davidson is hereby called to meet at Lexington on Thursday September 17th 1896, at 12 m. for the purpose of nominating two candidates for Senator.

S. H. SMITH } Ex. Com.
T. F. KLUTTZ }

[Democratic papers circulating in the district will please copy.]

John White came in from Charlotte this morning

Bryan Soap 5c Box at T. M. McCulloh's.

Knox stiff hats are the perfection of elegance and style—prices \$3.00 and \$5.00.
SMOOT BROS & ROGERS.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Charlotte, will be in Salisbury at the Central hotel, on Wednesday, September 2nd. His practice is limited to the eye, ear, throat and nose.

Who says that the work done at the Steam Laundry is the best ever seen in town? Everybody who has seen it. Send yours, you will be sure to be pleased with it.

MR. ARCHER REPLIES.

He Attempts to Justify This Wrong by Another Wrong.

EDITOR EVENING WORLD.—In yesterday's issue of your paper, under the caption of "will some Populist answer?" you ask if the Populists of Rowan county can "with any pretence of consistency help to elect men who repudiate every plank in their national platform &c." I am not yet even a citizen of Rowan county but expecting to edit and publish the "Watchman" after this week I may be excused for asking space in your columns in reply; humbly offer your "light on the question" before I am able to reach you in my own paper. As I am not an old citizen here allow me to say that I claim to be a Populist in harmony with the fundamental principles set forth in the Omaha and St. Louis platforms of the People's Party. I believe in a consistent organization, work and vote. I was opposed to one fusion in the manner of its accomplishment in North Carolina with the Republican party in 1894 but supported the State ticket as a loyal party man. I was opposed to any fusion on one national ticket in 1896 but being overbalanced by 1,000 to 300 I again bow in submission and cheerfully join in a rally to the standard of Bryan and Watson, knowing at the same time that I have no claims upon Mr. Bryan that he will stand for any of our principles not enumerated in his Democratic platform. But the reforms therein clearly set forth are immensely in our favor as compared with North Carolina State and national Democratic platforms of 1892. This is a year of disintegration of old set ideas and parties and with you Mr. Editor I think it results in some strange combinations, and this is why I personally always prefer a straight party centention. Nevertheless I expect one paper to earnestly support the ticket as agreed upon and put out by one Populist party in the county.

Now let us look at Populist "pretense of consistency." Is

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"We Want Papa's Valise."

The WORLD's old friend and a former resident of Salisbury, B. B. Carter, who moved to Statesville last week, was selected by bunco men as a victim recently. Shortly after Mr. Carter left Salisbury last week two young men called in a carriage at the boarding house of Mrs. Bowden in Statesville, where Mr. Carter was stopping, and asked for "papa's valise." They must have known that Mr. Carter had considerable money and guessed that he kept it in his valise. The valise was given them but fortunately for Mr. Carter he had his money elsewhere. Who the young were has not been learned.

To Work Only 8 Hours.

Commencing yesterday the hands at the old shops were cut down from ten hours work a day to eight hours. They were raised from nine to ten hours last week.

WANTED.—The unfortunate to know that Dr. Le Brun's G. & G. cure in three days. One dollar at store or by mail. Sole agent Jas. Plummer.

We have just received our fall line of the celebrated Knox hats. They are the standard of fashion everywhere.
SMOOT BROS & ROGERS