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TALK OF MORE BONDS.

COMMISSIONERS DISCUSS GOOD
ROADS TO-DAY.The Matter of Building a New Jail
Was Considered by the Aldermen
at Their Meeting To-Day.

The county commissioners, at their regular monthly meeting to-day, considered to very important questions—that of making good roads for the county and the question of building a new jail. Both of these questions are all important and the commissioners had them presented to them in a strong light in favor of affirmative action.

Of course in the matter of issuing bonds for improved roads an election would be necessary and the question to be submitted would be the issuance of \$200,000 in 50 year bonds for the improvement of the county roads. As a matter of fact there is no more important thing with which the commissioners have to do than this proposition to build good roads in the country.

The condition of the county jail spoken of elsewhere in this paper and the need of a better jail is apparent.

It is proposed to sell the present jail property and build on some back street.

FIRED AT TRAIN.

Some Miscreant Near Spencer Fires at
Passing Train.

No. 35, the south bound fast train of the Southern which passes here at 8:25, was thrown at and fired into Saturday night by some person or persons near Spencer.

From the best evidence that can be obtained a heavy piece of iron was thrown at the day coach and went smashing through the glass, but fortunately no one was hurt.

But the trouble did not end here. When the dining car passed a shot was fired through one of the windows from a shot gun and one of the passengers in the car narrowly escaped being hit.

It is thought that the persons who are engaged in this outburst were on a level with the train.

The sheriff made a vigilant search for the parties committing the act but no clue was found to them.

Mr. Atwell Sick.

Mr. Charles F. Atwell is confined to his bed with an attack of pneumonia.

Oxford Darkey Captured.

A darkey badly wanted by authorities at Oxford was captured at Gold Hill yesterday. The authorities at Oxford were notified of his capture and are expected up for him today.

Mr. Linton on the Road.

Mr. Walter R. Linton has been working on the local train for a week learning the work of a fireman. He spent the day in the city and will go down to Greenville tonight on No. 35 with Engineer Tankersley. He is well pleased with his work and is making splendid progress.

Crowded with Strangers.

The city is crowded with strangers now and the boarding houses are running over. The Southern is adding a hundred or more employees to the force at the shops.

JUST RECEIVED:—Whole Evaporated Apples, Evaporated Peaches, Apricots and Prunes, also an elegant line of Fancy Cakes and Crackers
N. P. MURPHY'S

J. H. Reid is offering special values in dress goods.

HAY! HAY!—A No. 1. Deliver at your barn. Phone No. 139.
GEO. FINN.

Seed Oats at J. P. Harper's feed stores.

BRUTAL MURDER.

ONE NEGRO MAN SHOTS AND
KILLS ANOTHER.

THEN STAMPED HIM.

The Shooting all Occurred Over a Game of Craps But the Murdered Man Was Retreating From His Pursuer When the Fatal Shot Was Fired—The Murderer Has Not Been Apprehended.

One of the most brutal murders that has ever been committed in this county occurred near Spencer Saturday night when Dillard Cox, of Winston, was shot and killed by Sam Malone, of Davie county, both colored. Malone not content with shooting his victim twice dragged him out from under a church where he had crawled to die and stamped him.

The shooting occurred over a game of craps, in which four darkeys were engaged. Cox had won the money and when Malone attempted to pick it up Cox pointed a pistol at him. Malone wrested the pistol from Cox and attempted to shoot him but was restrained. Cox then ran and was pursued from one house to another. Finally Malone caught him attempting to enter a front door and shot at him three times, two of the bullets taking effect. One entered his left leg and the other his breast near the heart. This occurred in the rear of the Presbyterian church and as soon as he found that he was shot Cox ran again and crawled under the church. Malone still followed and catching the dying man by his shoulders pulled him from under the church and stamped him.

Cox died a few minutes later and as soon as Sheriff Julian heard of the affair he went out with two deputies in search of the murderer. The search was kept up until Sunday morning but Malone had gotten a good start and could not be apprehended. The other two darkeys who were in the game were placed under arrest and testified before the coroner's jury yesterday morning. The jury rendered a verdict that Cox came to his death from a pistol shot at the hands of Sam Malone. It was testified by one of the witnesses that Cox's dying statement was "Sam and Paul killed me," the Paul to whom he referred being another one of the darkeys in the game.

On the strength of this testimony he was bound over to court in a \$500 bond and the other witness a \$100 bond.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon a driver with his team arrived here from Winston for Cox's remains and leaves this evening on his return trip to Winston.

He says that Cox's mother runs a boarding house in Winston and that she is comfortably situated.

Eye Lenses.

When very sick you do not take any medicine, yet you daily abuse your delicate eyes by poor glasses which cause many eye diseases. Nature gave you the best lenses in your eyes. You should preserve them by using properly fitted glasses of best quality. I haven't any lenses for you to try. Trying lenses puts your eyes out. I fit your eyes with one pair of lenses. Try me and see. Examination free. Fifteen days longer. Over Davis & Wiley Bank.

Dr. M. V. LOMAX.

If your grocer sells Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla extracts it insures him "To Have and to Hold" your orders for flavoring extracts.

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All work guaranteed first-class and to give satisfaction. Our prices are from 50c. to \$5.00 per dozen.

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DUTCH CREEK SOLD.

THE DUTCH CREEK MINE SOLD TO-
DAY.

Mr. Charles L. Herzig, of New York, Becomes the Purchaser of the Mine For \$1,225

The Dutch Creek Mine, which was the property of the late J. J. Newman and a few other parties, was sold at the court house today at 12 o'clock by Capt. W. Murdoch Wiley, receiver.

The bidding started at \$200 and for a while was spirited. It was finally knocked down to Mr. Charles L. Herzig, of New York, for \$1,225. Mr. Herzig also purchased a boiler remaining from the personal property and will, we understand, shortly begin the development of the property.

The sale, however, is to be confirmed by the court which meets here two weeks from today.

KILLED IN A SHAFT.

A Miner at the Whitney Works Killed in a Shaft.

James Stewart, a colored man, was killed in a shaft of the Whitney Reduction Works Saturday afternoon about six o'clock.

Stewart was going down a shaft and was making his way in a bucket. When about 60 feet from the bottom of the shaft he lost his balance and fell to an instant death.

This is the first loss of life from falling down a shaft that has occurred at the Whitney works.

No Committee to Go.

No committee will go to Raleigh to lobby for the bill decided upon by the temperance advocates at their meeting last week. Rev. Dr. J. N. Stallings tells us. The bill has been forwarded to Raleigh to one of Rowan's representatives with the request that it be introduced. It is not thought that the measure has been brought forward yet.

Is Most Laughable.

The Old Maids Convention, which is to be produced at Meroney's opera house Thursday night by local talent for the benefit of the U. D. C. is a most laughable farce comedy and has made a great hit wherever it has been seen. The parts have all been taken and with the talent engaged in the production there is no doubt of its success.

Spencer Notes.

W. H. Bobbitt, of Spencer, who has been confined to his room with the grip, is improved today. Mrs. Bobbitt is quite sick.

D. L. Parker, of Spencer, is quite sick to-day.

Mrs. John Hatley, of Spencer, has been sick with the grip. Mr. Hatley returned from Hamlet last night.

LUFSEY'S ADVERTISEMENT.

When a man goes into business, of any kind, he wants every one to know it. That is why we advertise. When a man wishes to buy an article he wishes the best he can get for the money—that is why you buy at Lufsey's 5 and 10 cent store.

Don't forget to register your name Wednesday and get a chance at that picture, size 20x24 inches, displayed in our window. You have to buy nothing to register.

No risk in buying Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla. You can find bigger bottles but you don't get the delicious flavor and great strength Blue Ribbon has.

The delicious flavor of desserts made with Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla extracts may draw the orator's eloquence, the poet's verse or the philosopher's profound conclusions.

The king of sewing machines is the White. It can be bought of D. W. Snider for 25 per cent less than the regular price.

INSANE NEGRO DIES.

AFTER TEN MONTHS CONFINEMENT
IN JAIL.

John Hairston, of Davidson County, Dies After Ten Months Confinement in the Rowan Jail.

John Hairston, the Davidson county negro who was found nude on the highway by Sheriff Monroe about ten months ago and who has been confined in the Rowan county jail since that time, died Saturday night.

This announcement in itself but notes the passing away of another poor, friendless negro, but the conditions surrounding his death are pitiable in the extreme.

Although North Carolina has three asylums for the care of her insane (one for the white and one for the black) and although every want of this poor, unfortunate creature was supplied in so far as the county commissioners and the best medical attention was concerned, he practically died for want of proper care.

It is a notorious fact that a man who is friendless and without means cannot enter a hospital for the insane from Rowan, in consequence of which Jaier Krider has been burdened with four prisoners guilty of no other crime(?) than that of insanity, since he took charge of the jail in December.

The poor negro who died Saturday night has been in a sort of a stupor for months. In fact putrefication seemed to have set in a week before he died and on account of the crowded condition of the jail six or eight prisoners had to occupy the same cell.

It is a self evident proposition that unless the jail is enlarged this crowded condition will continue to exist. And it is also self evident that unless Rowan (one of the largest tax-paying counties in Western North Carolina) receives more consideration from the authorities at the Western hospital a department will have to be built in connection with the jail for the insane. There are now some unfortunate, insane people at the county home and the care of them gives superintendent A. M. Brown a charge which it was not intended he should keep.

It is truly a deplorable condition and, if possible, should be remedied at once.

STOLE MINING TOOLS.

Foreman of Underground Force Stole
Union Copper Tools.

The Union Copper Mining Company is to the bad about \$200 on account of the long continued larceny of their tools by a former foreman of an underground gang, N. W. Carter.

A letter was received by an officer of the company stating that Carter had been systematically stealing tools and advising him to search his residence. In the meanwhile he got wind of the matter and got out of the way a short while before the officers started in pursuit of him. He was chased about four miles in Cabarrus county but succeeded in escaping about dark.

A search was made of his house and a valuable lot of tools that he had taken recovered. It is believed that the loss to the mine from tools not recovered will aggregate \$200.

What 50 cents will do. It buys a large bottle each of Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla the equal of any made at any price.

When you need extracts tell your grocer to send Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla something with an established reputation and a guarantee with every bottle.

D. W. Snider, at the Mansion house, sells all makes of sewing machines at less figure than other agents. Terms to suit purchasers.

J. H. Reid is offering special values in dress goods.

CHARTER DISCUSSED.

THE NEW SCHOOL CHARTER BE-
FORE BOARD.

The School Committee Will Meet With the Aldermen Thursday Night to Pass Upon it.

A meeting of the graded schools committee of Salisbury was held Saturday afternoon to discuss the proposed charter of the schools as drawn up by a committee appointed by the board, and to pass upon its several provisions. The only feature that gave any room for discussion was that which specified the particular moneys which should be applied for school purposes. It was suggested that the use of these funds might cripple the general city fund. After much discussion it was decided that the school board should meet with the board of aldermen Thursday night and ascertain if all the features of the charter were satisfactory, in order to prevent any delay in the passage of the charter when it is sent to Raleigh.

THE MUZZLE ORDINANCE.

The First Case Up Before Mayor
Lord on Saturday.

The ordinance adopted by the Salisbury aldermen requiring that all dogs running at large should be muzzled by February 1st, has attracted more than ordinary interest, in view of the fact that but one city or town in the United States (so far as is known) has passed a similar ordinance.

So far there has been but little to encourage the friends of the muzzling movement, as the dog has been much swifter on foot than the policeman. In consequence of this condition it has been impossible to tax the owners of many worthless curs with the penalty attached to the failure provided for a violation of this ordinance.

The first case was called, however, Saturday afternoon when the inoffensive, little, ten inch dog of Mr. T. E. Nash was placed under arrest.

Mr. Nash, as a matter of course, was summoned before Mayor Lord and "investigated."

It developed that he was unable to find a muzzle in Salisbury and, of course, was unable to comply with the law.

There was but one thing left for Mayor Lord to do—dismiss the defendant. This ends the first test of the muzzling ordinance.

It might not be amiss to state that as many as 100 country dogs were in Salisbury Saturday without muzzles on them.

Wedding at China Grove.

Married in China Grove at the residence of Mrs. Daniels, Jan. 26, 1901, Mr. Henry W. Waller, of Salisbury, and Miss Mary Yates, of China Grove, J. L. Siffer, mayor of China Grove, officiating. May peace, prosperity and happiness attend the young couple.

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Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla extracts have brought lots of pleasure to housekeepers who delight in serving perfect desserts.

No other brand of extracts approach Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla in delicious flavor and great strength.

NEW CAB—Anyone wanting a nice street cab, phone Dixie Studio.
J. H. RAMSAY.

The first month of the new century is gone, you may need a duster to sweep off the cobwebs left by the last century. Turkey feather dusters from 25 to 60 cents at Buerbaum's.

Rochester Stand Lamps, nickel plated with porcelain shade and chimney complete No. 1 and No. 2, both at the very low price of \$1.50 each. Student Lamps, single and double at Buerbaum's.

Did you ever hear of St. Valentine; well his day is Feb. 14th and every young man is expected to send his lady love a valentine—Buerbaum has a large and varied assortment of them.

NO BROWBEATING

DEMOCRATS DENIED THE CHARGES
TO-DAY.

A PAPER CRITICIZED.

The Charges of the Charlotte Observer Observer That the Majority in the Legislature Had Been Browbeating the Minority Vigorously Denied—A Resolution Introduced by Winston on the Subject.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 4.—Winston arose to a question of personal privilege in House, criticizing a statement in the Charlotte Observer that Democrats were browbeating the Republican minority. Resolutions were introduced pronouncing the charge false. Watts and others took occasion to criticize the Observer.

The solution was referred to the judiciary committee. The Senate passed a bill restoring to the State Treasurer the examination of State camps. Ward challenged the Charlotte Observer's statement in the senate.

Candler, (Rep.) said the Republicans did not ask for better treatment. The bill creating treasurer of Surry to be elected by the people passed its third reading in senate.

Mr. Shuping's Death.

The Sux made but brief mention Saturday afternoon of the death of Mr. John A. Shuping, of Franklin, on account of the lateness of the hour at which the notice of his death was received.

Mr. Shuping was one of the best known and most prominent farmers of the county and was born in May 1838. He volunteered in 1861 in Capt. Jones' company 5th N. C. Regiment. In the latter part of 1862 he was discharged from the army on account of inability to perform the physical duties required of him. In 1863 he regained his health and joined Capt. Blackwelder's company, Co. G. 42nd N. C. Regiment, and was captured at Petersburg in 1864 and taken to Point Lookout. He was held a prisoner there until the close of the war and returned then to Rowan and has been farming since that time.

Mr. Shuping was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church and was buried from the Franklin Presbyterian church yesterday, Rev. Arrowood officiating.

Creston Clarke Tomorrow Night.

Among the many fine attractions announced for the remainder of the season at Meroney's opera house none is more entitled to a prominent place than the appearance of the distinguished actor, Creston Clarke, who will be seen at Meroney's opera house tomorrow night.

Mr. Clarke, assisted by Miss Adelaide Prince, a most charming and talented actress, whose popularity here is very great, will present what may be called one of his greatest performances, "The Last of His Race" in which he enacts the part of Love's Cardel, a young Russian noble, while Miss Prince will be seen as the heroine, Marie, a part of much power. This presentation of a most powerful and interesting play will no doubt be greeted by a large audience.

No moss grows in the pathway of Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla extracts. They have the friendship of the ladies, who appreciate and demand the best and they are bound to win.

You have to pay a trifle more for Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla than for cheap extracts, but there's lots of satisfaction in using the best made.

MAKING GOVERNMENT.

THE WORK UNDER WAY IN THE
PHILIPPINES.

Taft Commission Will Begin Work Next Monday of Organizing Governments for Various Provinces.

Manila, Feb. 4.—The Taft commission will begin the work of organizing provincial governments next Thursday. Their plans at present include visits to several provinces where they will consult the military authorities and the president concerning the location and conditions for the purpose of the adoption of a government to conform to special surroundings and to suit the people. Afterwards they will appoint governors, secretaries, treasurers, supervisors and attorneys.

Mr. Blakey Here.

Mr. R. E. Blakey, who was for several years manager of the Observer Printing House, Charlotte, but who has recently given up his position with that house, is spending the day in the city.

Fine Pharmacist in the City.

Mr. John Banner, of Mt. Airy, N. C., one of the best pharmacists in the State, was in the city today on business. He is here with a view to locating in Salisbury.

Knights of Kadosh.

There will be a meeting of the Knights of Kadosh tonight in the office of Register of Deeds A. L. Smoot. All members are requested to be in attendance.

Mr. Rice Leaves.

Mr. J. H. L. Rice, who recently resigned his position as superintendent of the chain gang, to associate himself with the venerable works in Cleveland, left this afternoon for Woodleaf. In a few days he expects to go to Cleveland to live. Their host of friends regret the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Rice from Salisbury.

Odd Fellows Notice.

The usual meeting of Cordon Lodge No. 168 will be held tonight in hall over the Savings Bank. All members of the initiatory and first degree teams are urged to be present for practice. W. W. REED, N. G.

Robbers Attack Merchant.

Brooklyn, Feb. 4.—The story made public today that A. W. Voorhees, a retired merchant living near the residences of Lieut. Gov. Woodruff and J. Rongers Maxwell, was attacked on the street under an electric light Thursday evening by two men. The latter ran away without plunder when a newsboy approached the highwaymen. They followed him off the car and spied his diamond pin and tried to wrest it from his bosom. The second robber was searching Voorhees' pockets when the newsboy came up.

Onion sets for sale. Family and Yellow Onion sets very cheap at Ennis' Drug Store.

Sauer's Extracts.

If you buy higher priced extracts than Sauer's 10c. lemon and vanilla you pay for name and not merit.

\$5.00 REWARD—To any lady that proves Sauer's extract is not as good as can be made.

House Keepers—Why pay over 10c for a bottle of lemon or vanilla extract? Sauer's is the best that's made.

If there is any better extract than Sauer's 5 and 10c lemon and vanilla its not made on earth.

Why pay over 10c for lemon and vanilla extract? Such extravagance will bring you to want.

The delicious flavor of Blue Ribbon lemon and vanilla will be remembered by the ladies long after the name of the cheap extracts are forgotten.