

Salisbury Daily Sun.

J. T. Wyatt

WANTED AT ONCE

A clerk during the holidays. Apply at
N. P. MURPHY'S
store. Phone.

WEATHER FORECAST: Fair and colder tonight and Wednesday.

VOL. X. SALISBURY, N. C., TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 31, 1901. NO. 123

CAPT. WOODRUM DEAD

DIED THIS MORNING AT 6:15 AFTER A LONG ILLNESS.

A Veteran Conductor of the Southern Railway After Several Months' Illness, Dims of Sorosis of the Liver.

Capt. W. J. Woodrum died at his home on North Main street this morning at 6:15 o'clock, after a protracted illness. For several months before he was compelled to relinquish active duty Capt. Woodrum was in failing health. For the past three months he has been confined to his home and his end has only been a question of days. He was afflicted with sorosis of the liver. During all of his illness Capt. Woodrum bore up uncomplainingly and the same cheerful spirit that characterized him during the fulness and vigor of manhood remained with him to the last. His devotion to his wife was a touching feature of his last illness. During the latter days of watching at his bedside his faithful companion sat by him and kept the vigil.

Capt. Woodrum was perhaps one of the oldest conductors of the Southern, in point of continuous service. He began service with the railroad 30 years ago and was conductor on the Richmond and Danville, which was sold, and Southern and for the past five years on the Yadkin road. His uniform courtesy and attention to travelers brought him into high favor not only with the traveling public but with the railroad as well. He was geniality itself. His temperament was sunny and his company was sought by those who knew him. He was an enthusiastic Mason and a regular attendant, so far as his duties would permit, upon the meetings of Fulton Lodge, of this city.

Capt. Woodrum was 52 years old and was born in Berkeley, Va., where the remains will be taken for interment. He leaves a wife and five children—three sons and two daughters—who with a host of friends mourn their loss.

The remains will be taken to the depot tomorrow morning and conveyed to Birkville on No. 8, which leaves here at 6:15. The funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

PRISONER GETS OUT.

SOME ONE LIBERATES A PRISONER IN THE LOCKUP.

Charles Smith, a Jewelry Thief, Escapes From the City Prisons While Awaiting Preliminary Trial.

Charles Smith, colored, was released from the city prison yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock, presumably by a pal.

Smith has been working for Mr. A. Parker for several days and was detected in the act of stealing jewelry from a showcase. He also stole a quantity of jewelry from the room of Mr. Peeler, who sleeps over Parker's store. Part of the missing property was found on his person and there was no doubt of his guilt. He was accordingly taken to the city lockup to await a preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The officers always leave the cell key at a stated place and it was during the absence of the janitor and the officers from the city hall that some one slipped in and unlocked the cell in which Smith was confined. No trace has been found so far of Smith.

MRS. MACK KIMMONS DEAD.

An Enochville Lady Dies. Weddings at Enochville.

Correspondence of Sun.

Enochville, N. C. Dec. 30.—Miss Laura Beaver and Mr. Walter Isehour were married at Rev. V. R. Stickle's Thursday evening.

Mr. Walter Plaster and Wade Sloan are home from Asheville, Ky., spending the holidays and are undecided as to returning. Two girls were made happy by their return and the result is uncertain.

Several young people spent a few hours very pleasantly at Mr. J. A. Lipe's Christmas night.

The communion at St. Enoch on Sunday was postponed on account of rain.

C. R. Deal returned to Columbia, S. C., last night, after spending the holidays at his father's.

Mrs. Mack Kimmons was buried Christmas morning at New Bethpage church. She died the morning of the 24th, after an illness of 14 weeks.

Deputy Sheriff C. A. Smith attended the funeral of his brother in Mooresville Christmas day.

Mr. J. A. Lipe is spending some time with his family. He has been away building roller mills.

Mr. Dan Faggart, of Concord, was a visitor in this neighborhood a few nights ago.

CHANGES AT DEPOT.

Mr. Preston Swicegood Succeeds Mr. Groves as Chief Clerk.

Mr. Preston Swicegood, who has been employed in another capacity at the Southern freight depot, will succeed Mr. J. A. Groves as chief clerk to the agent, Mr. Max L. Barker will succeed Mr. Swicegood. At the passenger depot Mr. Saml. B. Bailey becomes assistant ticket agent and Mr. B. Y. Cobb, of Asheville, baggage master.

Meeting Night Changed.

Rowan Lodge No. 100 K. of P., at their called session Dec. 30th changed the night for meeting from Thursday to Monday and earnestly request all the newly elected officers to be present next Monday night for installation.

Rowan Woman Crazy in Concord.

Deputy Sheriff Hodge Krider went to Concord this morning and will return tonight with Lizzie Rogers, a colored woman who became demented in Concord.

FOR RENT: Eight room house, two blocks from public square. Apply at Davis & Wiley Bank.

FOR RENT: Two-story, 6 room house on Lee st., next to H. C. Trotts. R. R. WILLIAMS.

FOR RENT: 6 room cottage with water, in 2 blocks of public square—R. V. Lanier.

Globe Barber Shop.

To my friends and the public at large: I have fitted up a handsome and new tonsorial parlor on Council street, where I would be glad to see you. First class barbers in attendance. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. W. Pool, Prop.

THE SOCIAL SEASON.

THREE PROMINENT EVENTS IN SALISBURY LAST NIGHT.

Misses Annie Wiley, Bessie Henderson and Rosa Holmes Entertain. Other Events of Social Interest.

One of the most brilliant social events of the season was the reception given last night at the mansion of Mrs. S. H. Wiley by the brilliant young hostess, Miss Annie Wiley. Salisbury society has witnessed many receptions but none surpassing this one. Miss Wiley is universally recognized as one of the State's most charming hostesses. An invitation from her always carries with it the assurance that a good treat is in store. Twenty-four couples were present last evening.

At 9 o'clock the dooys of the mansion were thrown open, and from the time the first guests arrived until the final farewell, mirth and joy reigned supreme.

Naturally the centre of attraction was Miss Wiley, who beautifully attired in silk, received in her usual delightful way. The reception was as unique as it was brilliant. Each couple was given some familiar proverb, which they were required to illustrate on a blackboard placed in one corner of the room for the purpose, so that the remaining couple might guess the meaning. Everone was thus given an opportunity to show their originality, and to exercise their imaginative powers both in illustrating and in guessing.

Miss Helen Davis and Mr. James L. Watson won the prize given to the couple guessing correctly the greatest number.

At 12:30 the dining hall was thrown open, to enjoy the more substantial realities of life.

Everyone instinctively felt that the band or master artists had planned and executed the adornment of the room. The chandeliers were gracefully festooned with holly, upon which lay bits of white down, giving it the appearance of the effects of a snow storm.

The tables were artistically decorated with holly and red satin ribbon. After the party had returned to the parlor, Mr. Whitehead Klutz, in a fitting speech, presented the prizes.

For a short time the guests were then favored with a few selections rendered by Salisbury's most talented musicians, Miss Margaret Knox.

This was a fit ending for such a delightful evening. The following couple were present:

Misses Josie and Bessie Craige, Mary and Eleanor Watson, Bertha and Margaret Knox, Lilly and Grace Tyson, Emma and Jennie Brown, Helen and Miriam Davis, Elizabeth Grump, Lillian Foust, Lila Bernhardt, Mrs. N. P. Murphy.

Messrs A. S. Heilig, E. H. Bean, Jas. L. Watson, R. T. Coit, Eliot Coit, Frank Brown, D. L. Gaskill, A. B. High, Jas. M. MeCorkle, John Wright Davis, James Davis, J. W. Neave, Harry Tyson, Theo. F. Klutz Jr., Whitehead Klutz, Linn Bernhard, N. P. Murphy, Reuben Holmes, Drs. H. G. Heilig and W. C. Klutz.

One of the most charming evenings that Salisbury society has enjoyed of late, was the "progressive euchre" party last night at Blythehood, the ever hospitable home of Hon. and Mrs. John S. Henderson, in honor of their charming guest, Miss Bynum, of Lincolnton.

Those present beside the host, hostess and their guest, were: Misses Jennie Mitchell Rankin, Claudia Mock, Julia Crouch, Annie Neave, Louise Neave, Mary Henderson, Kate McNeely, Hon. and Mrs. Chas. J. Price, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gaither, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gregory, Mrs. A. H. Boyden, Mrs. Richard Henderson, J. H. McNeely, Edward I. Frost, Warren Klutz, John S. Henderson, Jr., Maj. Wm. Cain and Dr. Archibald Henderson of the University, Prof. James Wren and Walter Murphy.

The ladies prize, a copy of "The White Doe," was won by Mrs. J. F. Gaither. The gentleman's prize, a card case, by Mr. Walter Murphy, while Mr. Warren Klutz won the booby.

At the home of Miss Rosa

Holmes on Main street last evening from 8:30 to 11:30 the Juvenile Book Club entertained in honor of the young men who are at home from college for the holidays. The event was a most delightful social affair and Miss Holmes and the other young ladies of the club who assisted her in receiving proved themselves most charming hostesses.

BRIEF ITEMS.

News Items of Interest too Short for a Head.

Many having a surety here. The Burt Shoe Store.

T. E. Wyche, of Albemarle, is in the city today.

Capt. C. W. Lee, of Greensboro, was in the city today.

Col. W. H. Bower, of Lenoir, was in this city last night.

Jno. M. Cook, of Concord, was in Salisbury for a short while yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Swink, of High Point, is visiting in the city for a few days.

Scott Trotter went to Charlotte this morning on a visit to his mother.

Miss Addie Henry, who has been visiting at Concord, returned to Salisbury this morning.

W. B. Ryder, Jr. spent yesterday in the city and returned to Charlotte last night.

Superintendent G. R. Loyall, of the Asheville division of the Southern, was in Salisbury last night.

T. W. Baird, a prominent young man of North Dakota, is visiting Mr. Fred McCanless.

Rev. and Mrs. Bruce Owens, of Oxford, are visiting Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. G. A. Bingham.

We seek to constantly offer the world's best footwear at the lowest possible prices. The Burt Shoe Store.

Miss Addie Burgess, of Norfolk, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. M. S. Brown.

It is never too late to mend, so send your shoes around to mend at Peterson & Bull's shoe store.

Capt. Robert Erwin, a former Salisburian but now a conductor on the Asheville and Spartanburg division, is here on a visit.

H. W. Jackson, of the Commercial and Farmers' Bank of Raleigh, and F. B. Arendall, of Raleigh, are in the city today.

Miss Martha Curtis, assistant operator at the Western Union Telegraph office, has returned from a visit to Greenville, S. C.

Miss Ruth Worth, a very charming young woman of Edenton, who has been visiting Miss Kate Murphy, returned home this morning.

Miss Irene McCanless accompanied by her guest, Miss Lillie Leek, of Winston, came in from Dunn's Mountain this morning and are spending the day in the city.

Mrs. H. C. McAllister and Mrs. D. D. Barrier and little Miss Mildred Juanita, of Mt. Pleasant, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barrier today (Monday) having returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F. Mischeimer, of Salisbury.—Condard Standard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Barringer, Jr., received quite a nice box of Xmas presents today from Mrs. Barringer's mother at Louisburg, N. C. They also received sad news that Mr. W. J. Cooper's little seven month old baby fell in the fire and was burned very badly. Mr. Cooper is a brother to Mrs. Barringer.

LOT FOR SALE—Terms easy. Located on Bank st., second from Boundary st., opposite old Knitting Mill. Address Box G, Rome, S. C.

Job Couldn't Have Stood it.

If he'd had itching Piles. They are terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For injuries, Pains or Bodily Eruptions it's the best salve in the world. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all druggists.

A Good Salary.

A good company, ample capital, christian officers, will employ you before Feb. 1902. Write Box 4, W. F. J., Rich Square, N. C.

WAS CRAZED IN ADAY.

STEPHEN W. COX, OF RANDOLPH, DRIVEN MAD.

Went Crazy After Listening to an Extorter who Belonged to the Band of Sanctificationists.

Dr. Robert L. Cabeless, of Caledonia, Randolph county, passed through Salisbury last night in charge of Stephen W. Cox, an unfortunate young white man who was driven crazy about ten days by the teachings of a Sanctificationist evangelist. When Dr. Cabeless arrived here with his patient the latter was at first submissive but before the train left he became so violent that it was found necessary to bind his hands and feet.

Dr. Cabeless stated that on last Saturday a week ago Cox attended a meeting that was being conducted by a Sanctificationist preacher and on the following day he heard him again. He at once began to show signs of mental disturbance and grew worse from day to day until it was found necessary to send him to the Morganton asylum.

The unfortunate man is 25 years old and has only been married 18 months. He was a painter in a woodworking establishment and was held in high regard by the entire community.

N. C. R. R. STOCK \$173.

20 Shares Sold Here Today for \$173 per Share.

Twenty shares of stock of the North Carolina Railroad Company were sold at auction here today, \$173 per share being the price paid for it. The stock was sold at the sale of stocks belonging to the late Mrs. Eliza Haden. The purchaser of the 20 shares was H. W. Jackson, cashier of the Commercial and Farmers' bank of Raleigh.

The stocks sold and the prices realized were as follows:
20 shares N. C. R. R. \$173 per share.
3 shares First National Bank of Salisbury, \$125 per share.
5 shares Patterson Manufacturing Company of China Grove, \$141 per share.
20 shares Vance Cotton Mill, \$100.30 per share.

WEDDING AT SUMNER.

Mr. Doc Phillips to Move to Salisbury Shortly.

Sumner, Dec. 31st.—John Koon and Miss Fannie Misenheimer were united in matrimony Thursday Dec. 26th, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. J. A. Misenheimer. Both Mr. and Mrs. Koon are popular young people of this place. Rev. V. Y. Boozer officiated at the wedding.

The free school at this place will close in a few weeks. Miss Daisy Cluck, of Zeb, is the competent teacher.

Messrs Walter Wood, and Chas Henderson have returned to their homes near Charlotte, after spending several days visiting in our vicinity.

Mr. Doc Phillips and family will move to Salisbury in the near future.

Freight Depot Closes.

Tomorrow being a legal holiday the freight depot will be closed. The patrons of the company are requested to bear this fact in mind.

New assortment solid gold link buttons. Swicegood.

Maupin Bros. handle all the best properties in the city and county. See them for bargains in real estate.

House For Rent! 8 room, on West Fulton st. A. S. Heilig.

JOHN E. RAMSAY & Co.—Architects—Phone No. 265—Room 6 Bell Block.

How to Cure Croup.

Mr. R. Gray, who lives near America, Dutchess county, N. Y., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best medicine I have ever used. It is a fine child's remedy for croup and never fails to cure." When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has developed, it will prevent the attack. This should be borne in mind and a bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready for instant use as soon as these symptoms appear. For sale by James Plummer.

The best prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Pastilles, Paris, France. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

HELD AS A CAPTIVE.

NELL CROPSEY'S UNCLE SAYS SHE WAS MURDERED.

Claims That She Was Held as Captive Until Three Days Before Found in the River.

New York, Dec. 31.—The body of Nell Cropsey arrived this morning and taken to Brooklyn, where it was interred in Utrecht cemetery. Judge Andrew Cropsey, her uncle, said he believes the girl was kept captive until three days before the finding of her body and then killed and thrown in the water. He thinks the murderers held the girl alive, desiring to return her, but finding themselves unable to do so without trouble killed her and threw her in the river. The fact that no water was in the lugs disproves the drowning theory. He says public sentiment is so strong that if Wilcox is acquitted he will be lynched.

NO ARMY REORGANIZATION.

Senator Hawley Expresses the Opinion That no Action Will be Taken.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Senator Hawley, chairman of the committee on Military Affairs, said today: "I don't think congress will pass any bill for the reorganization of the army this session. While I think there might be changes in the act under which the army is organized, there will be no legislation on the subject at present."

KITCHENER'S BUDGET.

The Boers Continued to Evaporate Last Week.

London, Dec. 31.—Kitchener's weekly budget shows that since December 23rd, 35 Boers have been killed, 237 taken prisoners and 151 have surrendered. De Wet is still in the vicinity of Langberg.

A Preacher Weighs.

Rev. George H. Crowell, of High Point, was in the city last night and while here dropped a brownie in Maj. Johnston's weighing machine at the depot. He ran the indicator around to 275 and disembarked before it had any further opportunity.

'The Veiled Woman' Arrested.

New York, Dec. 31.—The police today admit to the arrest of a woman called "Mrs. Schofield," who figured as the mysterious veiled woman in the Theband diamond robbery. They refused to give details.

Gen. Funston's Appointment.

St. Paul, Dec. 31.—It is probable that Gen. Funston, upon his return from the Philippines, will be appointed commandant of the department of the Dakotas, with head quarters here.

Rivers Overflow.

London, Dec. 31.—Melting snow has caused an overflow in the Wye and Derwent rivers. The valley of the Derwent is a scene of desolation. Hundreds of business places and residence are flooded. A number are missing.

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DESERTING CROKER.

MEMBERS OF TAMMANY HALL ARE LEAVING HIM.

They are now Joining the Greater New York Democracy. Tammany Officials Preparing to Get Out.

New York, Dec. 31.—Tammany officials are today removing all vestiges of their regime except the legal records, preparatory to the incoming administration to morrow. Four hundred exchange offices. The keenest anxiety is felt by sincere holders, who expect to lose their "snaps." Now that Tammany has lost its power members of Croker's club are resigning and joining the Greater New York Democracy. The ceremony of turning over the office to the new incumbents will be brief.

PYTHIAN OFFICERS.

Rowan Lodge No. 100 Elected Officers Last Night.

Rowan Lodge 100 K of P met in called session last night and elected the following officers for the coming year:
L. J. Hess, C. C.
J. F. West, V. C.
W. A. Daniels, P.
H. C. Daggett, M. of W.
S. P. Swicegood, K. of R. and S.
H. T. Simpson, M. of E.
F. R. Brown, M. of E.
A. M. Basinger, M. of A.
J. C. Foust, I. G.
F. R. Brown
G. F. Seyffert } Trustees.
J. F. West

Mr. Bringle Returns to Texas.

Mr. John Bringle, of Blackland, Texas, who was called to Salisbury on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. George Lyons, will return tonight to Texas.

New Ads.

Groceries, Max Moses.
Shoes, The Burt Shoe Company.
New Year's Greeting, Harry Bros.
Happy Near Year, V. Wallace & Sons.
Cut Prices, Mrs. Lina Fink.
Corsets, J. L. Anderson & Company.

For Sale.

I will sell a at public auction at the court house door in Salisbury on Saturday, January 11th, 1902, at 12 m. to the highest bidder a one horse wagon in good condition, to pay certain costs for feeding a stray horse.

J. FRANK MILLER,
Chief of Police.

Frank Gaskill Goes to Charlotte.

Mr. Frank Gaskill left this morning for Charlotte, where he has secured a position in the office of the general agent of the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Big Fire in New York.

New York, Dec. 31.—Fire gutted three upper floors of the Mercantile building this morning, doing great damage to the stock of the Choan Company, shirt manufacturers. The firemen fought desperately and many were exhausted and badly scorched. The stocks of the other tenants were ruined by water.

Do you want a cake for Christmas?

If you do call on T. L. Swink. He will bake you one as cheap as any one, first class at that. Also bread to order, as good as can be made.

Notice!

I wish to give notice for the benefit of friends and customers that I have sold my stock of Groceries to Mr. C. J. Jefferson, of South Boston, Va., who will continue business at the same place. I appreciate very much the kindness the public has shown me these past years, for which time I have enjoyed a liberal share of their patronage and as I shall be with my successor for quite a while, I solicit my customers to continue with him and I will help him look after every one of my customers' interest as I have tried to do in the past. Please bear in mind we close today for inventory. Wishin' all a happy and prosperous New Year.

I am, most respectfully yours,
T. M. McCELLION.

JEFFRIES JUBILANT.

SAYS HE WILL DO SHARKEY UP IN SHAPE.

After His Fight With the Sailor he Will Take on Bob Fitzsimmons for Another Fight.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Champion Jeffries is jubilant over the speed with which Manager Delany arranged a match with Sharkey. He says he will win in jig time. Jeffries is suffering from a severe cold contracted two days ago. After he finishes Sharkey he will take on Fitzsimmons.

EIGHTEEN MISSING.

The German Steamer Clara Lost in a Wreck.

Hong Kong, Dec. 31.—The German steamer Clara has been wrecked near the island of Hainan. Forty two of the crew were saved. Three officers, four passengers and eleven Chinamen are missing.

Railroad Trust Restrained.

New York, Dec. 31.—The officials of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company were today served with a notice of a restraining order granted by Judge Elliott, in Minnesota. The order temporarily prevents the plan of the billion dollar trust, which intended to retire tomorrow \$75,000,000 of the preferred stock of the Northern Pacific.

A Convent Burned.

Troy N. Y. Dec. 31.—The convent of St. Ann and other institutions attached to St. Joseph Catholic church were totally destroyed by fire last night. There were a number of daring rescues. That no lives were lost is considered remarkable, as the buildings were filled with nuns and girl students.

Tons of Freight Burned.

Boston, Dec. 31.—A big fire is raging in Congress street station of the New York, New Haven and Hartford road. The building is beyond hope and tons of valuable freight will be lost.

A Steamer Out of Coal.

Halifax, Dec. 31.—The steamer Pisa from Hamburg for New York, sixteen days out, put in here this morning short of coal. She carries over three passengers.

Venezuela's Request.

Caracas, Dec. 30.—The Venezuelan government has sent a request to Berlin that Herr Kuop, manager of the German railway, be discharged. It is believed the request will be granted.

There are some people who regard Christmas as simply a holiday.

Mr. Bernhard Leavitt tonight. Mr. Linn Bernhard leaves tonight for Birmingham, Ala., where he will live in the future. He has a position in the recorder's office in Birmingham. Mr. Bernhard's many friends regret his departure from Salisbury.

No one can reasonably hope for good health unless his bowels move once each day.

When this is not attended to, disorders of the stomach arise, biliousness, headache, dyspepsia and piles soon follow. If you wish to avoid these ailments keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when required. They are so easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by James Plummer.

FOR RENT! 6-room cottage, cor. Lee and Henderson Sts. A Good garden. Mrs. J. B. BRADLEY.

Of Benefit to You.

D. S. Mitchell, Folford, Md.: "During a long illness I was troubled with bad sores, tried De Witt's Whooping Cough Syrup and was cured." Cures piles, sores, and burns. Beware of counterfeits. James Plummer.

Prof. Lippard has just purchased another new typewriter for his Business School and is offering young people excellent advantages for thorough business education. Nothing pays better.