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Raising Christmas Funds

I WAS going home to spend Christmas. As I had no children—indeed, was not married—holidays, especially Christmas, bored me. I wished the season were over and the new year begun. The train pulled out of the station, and I took up a newspaper.

Suddenly my paper was crushed back on my face, a pair of small arms were thrown around my neck and the round face of a boy about four years old was thrust within an inch of my nose. By what right he assumed to treat a perfect stranger in this demonstrative fashion I could not conceive.

"You little scamp, what do you mean?"

"I'm goin' home to spend Christmas."

At that moment the conductor came along for tickets and told me that the boy had been put in his charge. He was to meet his father at St. Louis.

The little imp unclasped his hands as suddenly as he had clasped them and made a dash for the door. I dashed after him, reviling the parent who would put a child his age in the care of a conductor, and dragged him back. This I did a dozen times during the day. When not trying to get on the platform he was trying to sell an old knife (no blades) to the passengers to raise Christmas money. At first they put him away, some of them impatiently, others gently, but he was so persistent and got up such remarkable financial schemes that at last every one in the car was laughing at him.

There was something in this irresponsible naturalness that won my heart. At nightfall, since there was no one to pay any attention to him, I called the porter, fed him and told him to make up the child's berth, which happened to be directly opposite my own. Then the boy got sleepy, and I told him the sandman was coming around to weight his lids, and if he didn't keep awake till he was undressed he wouldn't see the old fellow. I wished to keep him awake till the

I felt a touch on my shoulder and turned my head. A gentleman in the seat behind me, with a benevolent face and a twinkle in his eye, was looking at me.

"One can admire even impudence," he said, "if it amounts to genius. This boy is certainly a genius of offbeatery. He ought to be encouraged. What do you say to a collection for him for Christmas?"

By way of reply I dropped a silver dollar in my hat and gave it to the speaker, who duplicated the coin and sent the hat through the car, the passengers passing it from hand to hand. When it came back it contained \$0.50. I let the child handle it, then took care of it for him till his arrival at his destination. When we stopped at a station on the outskirts of St. Louis a man boarded the car and, coming up to the boy, took him in his arms and kissed him. But the one who can become familiar on short acquaintance is not likely to permit familiarities in others. The child planted his fist right between the eyes of his captor.

The man explained to us that he was the boy's father and his child had been away long enough to forget him.

I took the father's address and during the day (Christmas) went to the house. I found very nice people in impoverished circumstances. Their boy had taken home with him the where-withal to buy a Christmas dinner.

WALDON WELDRON.

QUEER CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Small Particles of Radium Presented by London, Women.

There is this to be said of the latest fad of London society women—the giving of small particles of radium as Christmas presents—that none of the recipients can complain of having received a cheap gift. To give radium in this way costs from \$10 to \$50, the outfit necessary therefore consisting of a "spintariscope" and a book of the new metal hardly big enough to be seen with the naked eye.

Sir William Crookes, the English scientist, invented the spintariscope, which is a kind of microscope through which small quantities of the precious stuff can be examined to better advantage. The spintariscope sold by a London chemist who has the radium monopoly is about the size of a finger ring case and has an opening for the eye something like that in a child's kaleidoscope. By taking the apparatus into a darkened room and squinting through the eyehole one can see flashes of constantly varying light shooting in all directions, like miniature fireworks. The idea of making Christmas gifts of radium has proved uncommonly infectious, and the run on the chemist's stock necessitated hasty communication with the firms in Bavaria and Austria who supply most of the radium that reaches England.—Washington Post.

Christmas Hints.

A simple and tasteful homemade picture frame may be constructed from common gas pipe cut into suitable length and tied together at the corners with shoe strings. A neat paper-weight may be made by wrapping half a brick in paper such as butchers use and tying it with red tape. A dainty towel rack may be fabricated from a baseball bat and two cigar boxes. Shellac the boxes and sandpaper the bat. An ordinary cobblestone hand painted with lampblack and household ammonia makes an excellent door weight. A novel pipe rack for fastidious smokers may be made from a small strip of one inch plank. Bore holes in it for the stems of the pipes to pass through. A dried muskellon shell makes an attractive tobacco jar.

Ferns and Autumn Leaves.

Ferns and autumn leaves as Christmas decorations add greatly to the effectiveness of the conventional holly, mistletoe and evergreens. Ferns grown in hothouses are easily obtained at the holiday season, but are rather expensive. Autumn leaves are at the command of whoever has the time to gather them in the fall, for they can be preserved in all their pristine glory with little trouble. Autumn leaves pressed in books, while retaining their glorious colors, lose some of their liveliness and their natural shape, but whole branches of them may be kept intact by placing them in dry sand in any cellar where there is no dampness.

Mrs. Torkins' Bright Idea.

"What are you going to give your husband for Christmas?" "A whole lot of poker chips," said young Mrs. Torkins, "so that he can have all he wants without having to sit up all night trying to win them."—Washington Star.

A Christmas Menu.

BREAKFAST.
ORANGE.
Cereal, Cream.
Ham, Eggs on Toast.
Hot Rolls, Pancakes.
Coffee.
DINNER.
Celery Consommé.
Roast Turkey, Chicken, Rice Croquettes.
Sweet Potatoes, Baked Onions.
Parsnips, Egg Salad, Pickles.
Salted Almonds, Mince Pie.
Plum Pudding.
Nuts, Candies, Raisins.
Orange Ice, Coffee.
SUPPER.
Olives.
Cold Turkey.
Escaloped Oysters, Cold Slaw.
Raisin Brown Bread, Cranberry Jelly.
Pineapple Ice, Assorted Cakes.
Coffee.

Saint Nicholas The Good

AT this season of the year it is easy to guess who it is that holds the first place in the hearts of the children of America. Today dear old Santa Claus may be out of sight, but he is undoubtedly not out of mind. He is probably receiving hundreds of letters daily—via the fireplace or through the register routes—telling of the fond hopes that are fixed upon some especial toy, and in the meantime, as if to bring the thought of this genial old saint ever freshly to us, on the streets and in the shops we can see men dressed like Santa Claus.

In the midst of all this holiday turmoil how many children ever stop to ask who Santa Claus really is, or



HE THREW THREE PURSES FILLED WITH GOLD.

who he was, for he died centuries ago? I know that some little girls and boys are longing to say now:

"Oh, we're too old for that sort of thing. We know there is no such person as Santa Claus. Our presents are given us by our fathers and mothers. We know all about it."

So far as the presents are concerned, perhaps they are right, but when they push dear old Santa Claus out of the way as a myth they are quite wrong, for Santa Claus was once as much alive as any little girl or boy who reads this.

St. Nicholas lived about the year 300 A. D., and he was a bishop of the early Christian church in Asia Minor. The name Santa Claus is merely a different form of his real name, just as Carl and Carlos are varying forms of the name Charles, and Maria and Marie are of Mary.

During his holy and useful life St. Nicholas was very good to all the little children he met, giving them presents and making them happy in every possible way. He is, therefore, to be remembered at the children's feast day, and his memory should be kept more green in our hearts than the greenest leaves of the mistletoe that decorate our homes.

One story told of St. Nicholas relates how he found three lovely maidens who were very unhappy because there was no one to take care of them, and they were so poor they feared they might starve to death. The good old saint, hearing of their grief, went and tapped softly on the window of their home. When it was opened he threw three purses filled with gold into the window and hid before the girls could see who it was that sent this unexpected gift.

The next night he did not go, but the night following he tapped softly again and threw three more purses into the window. He waited a like time and then threw them a third present, but did not hide quickly enough, for they saw who it was the kind old bishop who loved children so tenderly. Of course, they were very grateful for helping them out of their trouble this way. Some people think that the custom of giving presents originated from this old legend.

In Germany they keep the feast of St. Nicholas on Dec. 6. At this time some one dresses in the traditional costume worn by Santa Claus, gives presents to the children who have been good and sorrowfully says "I have nothing for you" to the naughty ones.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Confession That Failed.

"So you concluded to dispel the Santa Claus myth from the mind of your youngest son?" "Yes," said the thoughtful citizen. "You see, I thought that it would be better to bust his feelings than to countenance deception in any form." "And were his feelings hurt?" "Not at all. He looked at me pityingly and said he guessed I had been one of the bad boys to whom Santa Claus did not pay any attention."—Washington Star.



Another year is fast drawing to a close with its sunlight and shadows—its withered leaves and fragrant flowers. Joyous time, happy hearts, cheerful homes made brighter by the glorious anticipations of expected pleasures.

Kind hearts—loving remembrance—tender recollections of "Home sweet home" 't is Christmas time. Let every heart be merry.

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Blankets worth	3.00	now 1.50
Blankets worth	2.00	now 1.50
Trunks worth	12.50	now 9.75
Trunks worth	10.00	now 8.50
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A PAIR OF SMALL ARMS WERE THROWN AROUND MY NECK

porter could undress him. Nevertheless he fell asleep in my arms, and as the porter was busy I concluded to undress him myself.

"Wake up!" I said, shaking him. He opened his eyes. "Has the sandman been around?" was his first question.

"I should think so; long ago. It's bedtime." It was a hard hunt I had all over his little body for buttons, but I found them. His shoe laces were in a knot, but I untied them and put him to bed in his undergarments. Giving me a hug like a bear cub he fell back on the pillow and was asleep before I could cover him up.

Before turning in myself I took a look at him to assure myself he was all right. Drawing the curtains, the lamplight fell on his face. What a picture of innocence! Where was he going? He didn't know. Who took care of him? He didn't care. Perhaps the parent who had sent for him was at that moment anxious about him and regretted letting him come in such a way. I had a dread that he would wake up in the middle of the night with colic. But if his parent worried, if I worried, there was one who was not in the least troubled about him. It was himself.

In the night I dreamed that I was being garroted. I awoke and found myself tightly clasped around the neck. I put my hand up to discover what was choking me and felt a tiny arm with a hand on it no bigger than my watch and five soft little fingers. A stream of lamplight came in where the curtains hung loose. It revealed the boy sound asleep. How he got there I didn't know, and I doubt if he knew himself.

The next morning he resumed his negotiations with the passengers to raise Christmas money, but the most impudent thing he did was to ask me if he had not lent me 3 cents the night before. This to me, who had spent money for him and had taken such care of him!

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Merry Christmas to all.

THE REFLECTOR is already feeling good for Christmas.

Do not try to drain the dispensary. That is a poor way to spend Christmas.

Now it is a Christmas present. The day after it will be a Christmas past.

After Christmas and new year are over thoughts will turn to the legislature and its prospective doings.

We hope Santa Claus will be good to all good children to-night, and not even overlook the bad ones.

The man with a hoe will not chop so much cotton next year unless there is a rise in price before planting time.

The "no paper next week" announcements indicate that some of the editors and printers will get a little rest. They deserve it.

Several of us have fallen into an error in saying the legislature will meet on the 10th of January. The correct date of meeting is on the 4th.

Dewey has been arrested and taken back to New Bern. Wonder if he is wishing the bank officials a merry Christmas. He is a Christmas present to them at any rate.

THE REFLECTOR will take just a brief holiday. Monday is everybody's day and no paper will be issued that day, and perhaps none on Tuesday. You can look for us again Wednesday afternoon.

It may be a waste of breath, but all the same we advise the boys to be careful with their fire-works. Run too much riot and you stand a good chance of not having the privilege of shooting them at future Christmases.

How It Does Hurt

Oh, how it does hurt some folks to work! The tendency to despise work is one of the hindrances in the way of a prosperity that would come to some people who will never see it until they discard such feelings. Some people have altogether a wrong conception of labor. The Creator has made men with different endowments. Some are endowed especially for mental attainments, while some are endowed more particularly for physical excellence. It is therefore as honorable and as praiseworthy to fell the forests, canal the meadows, follow the plow, drive the team and the like, as it is to perform the work of an accountant, to sell goods across the counter, do the work of a professional man in the office or to sign checks of credit as a bank president. All honest labor is honorable and he is foolish and brutish to the world who would set a going any influence that places a discount upon human toil.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

The last cent of bonded indebtedness on Greenville Female College has been paid.

Molasses Be Careful!

Of the best of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by J. L. Wooten, druggist.

THE CHRIST CHILD'S CRADLE

Part of It Preserved as a Holy Relic in Rome.
La sainte crèche—the holy cradle—or the portion of it which is preserved, is in fact only a part of the grating that was placed across the stable trough in Bethlehem to feed the animals that fed there. It became the cradle of the infant Saviour when he was laid within the rough trough by his mother and came in time to be regarded as one of the most sacred things on earth. This broken piece of the grating was taken from Bethlehem at the time of the Mussulman invasion. In the year 642 and was carried to Rome, where Pope Theodosius took charge of it as one of the most precious of relics.

Whether or not the grating now shown is the true relic, it is certainly extremely old and is interesting for that reason and because of associations that have gathered about it since it became one of the mementos cherished in the Imperial City. It is one of the greatest treasures of the ancient Church of Santa Maria Maggiore.

It consists of five worn bars. These are of wood, worn eaten and gray, that looks as though it might be oak powdered with flour. The bars average about a yard in length, and the entire grating is suspended in a crystal case by silver ribbons.

This case is supported on carved gold and silver feet, and its full length is a meter, its height half a meter. It is surmounted by a beautiful enameled statue of the infant Jesus.

During the year this magnificent reliquary is inclosed in a golden case and disposed on one of the altars of the church. At Christmas time it is exposed to view, and the festival of the nativity terminates with an imposing procession in which the relic is carried, the solemn occasion being presided over by a cardinal.—New York Tribune.

Christmas Cards.

The first Christmas card ever published was issued in 1846 by a Londoner named Joseph Crandall. Crandall was indebted for his idea to Sir Henry Cole and employed the famous artist J. C. Horsley to make the design. It was lithographed by Jobbins of Warwick court and colored by hand. About 1,000 cards were sold. Such was the small beginning of what has grown to be a gigantic industry. Every Christmas after 1846 cards of some sort were put upon the market, but it was not until 1862 that they came into general favor. Then Goodall & Son of London began to publish cards inscribed simply with the words "A Merry Christmas" and "A Happy New Year" and in illuminated form, and the following year robins, holly branches, embossed figures and landscapes were added. With the succeeding years the popularity of the holiday cards increased, and the cards grew more elaborate until they have attained their present gorgeousness.

The Teacher's Present.

The old schoolmaster was deeply affected. His scholars, noticing the dilapidated appearance of his chair, had presented him with a new one for Christmas. "My dear boys," said the kindly old man, with tears in his eyes, "I can never hope to tell you how you have made me feel by this token of your love for me. All I can do is to thank you for the sacrifices you have made of your little purses for the sake of my comfort. If you have found me severe at times I trust you realize that it has always been for your own good." As the old schoolmaster prepared to sit down in his new chair he unconsciously ran his hand over the seat in search of bent pins.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Christmas in Canada.

Far away in Canada the Christmas is very like our own. The turkey, well stuffed with savory herbs, occupies the place of honor on the dining table, only there are hot pumpkin pies, prepared and served with a great deal of cream to keep it company. It is the Christ Child himself who is supposed to come down the wide chimneys to bring toys to good little children who are really asleep, not shamming. The gifts are generally wrapped up with huge packets of maple candy, and "doughnut dolls" are as usual as gingerbread figures used to be in old English fairs.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Four Facts About Christmas.

Spanish children have no Father Christmas. They think it is the three wise men of the east who bring them their gifts.
It is said to be unlucky to leave Christmas decorations up after Twelfth Night.
There is an island called Christmas Island in the Pacific ocean, so called because Captain Cook discovered it on Christmas day, 1777.
Plum pudding was originally plum porridge and eaten for breakfast, not for dinner.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Taking Time by the Forelock.

Magazine Editor—It is time to arrange for our Christmas stories.
Assistant—I have seen that.
"Are the authors at work?"
"Yes; they clubbed together, hired a room in an icehouse, and I send the office boy round twice a day to jingle sleighbells under the window."

Gay Yuletide.

All hail the genial time of year
When every heart is kind,
When far and near there is good cheer,
And care is left behind!
Old friends forget old hates aside,
Now hearty clasps of hand,
While far and wide at Christmastide
Love reigns throughout the land.
Forgive, forget, a truce to pride;
Healed are all friendship's rifts.
At gay Yuletide on every side
We're "wooked" for Christmas gifts.
—New York Journal.

A Country Named For Christmas

South Africa was discovered by the Portuguese, who were searching for an ocean road to India. Bartholomew Diaz was the commander of the two little ships that formed the expedition in 1486. Eleven years later Da Gama took another Portuguese fleet south, he discovered Natal on Christmas Day and that named it for the occasion.

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"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it to be the best Salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Lush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever sore on my ankle for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and blood remedies proved worthless. I could not wait for over two years. Finally I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful relief." DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without a scar. Sold by Jno. L. Wooten.

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For and in behalf of Geo. W. Davis

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Phone 55
Dr. D. L. James,
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Greenville, N. C.

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Goldboro, N. C.
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Henderson, N. C.
Littleton, N. C.
Louisburg, N. C.
New Bern, N. C.
Oxford, N. C.
Raleigh, N. C.
Rocky Mt., N. C.
Warrenton, N. C.
Weldon, N. C.
Wilmington, N. C.
Winston, N. C.
Augusta, Ga.
Atlanta, Ga.
Baltimore Md.
Chattanooga, Tenn.
Charleston, S. C.
Chase City, Va.
Chicago, Ill.
Cincinnati, Ohio
Columbia, S. C.
Danville, Va.
Lynchburg, Va.
Nashville, Tenn.
New York, N. Y.
New Orleans, La.
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And all other important and intermediate points east of the Mississippi River.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY RATES, 1904-5.

THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE.
announce rate of
One and One Third First Class Fare.
(minimum rate 50 cents)
Tickets on sale December 23, 24, 31, and Jan. 1, 1905. Final limit returning to January 4, 1905.
To teachers and students of colleges, on presentation and surrender of certificates signed by superintendents or principals, tickets may be sold at the above rate, December 17th to 25th, inclusive, with final limit returning to January 8th, 1905.
For full information, call on ticket agents, or address,
H. M. EMERSON, T. M. W. J. CRAIG, G. P. A.
Wilmington, N. C.

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Cleanliness our Motto.
Only experienced men employed. Opposite the drug store.

CAROLINA CLUB

Of Greenville, N. C.—Rules and By-Laws.

- Members are not allowed to remove books, magazines or papers from the Club Rooms.
- When a member is inquired for by a non-member or messenger he shall be sent for, but such visitors shall only be admitted in the lobby prior to an interview.
- The Board of Governors alone shall have the right to remove servants or to send them out of the Club rooms for any purpose.
- Dogs shall not be brought into the Club rooms.
- Smoking is prohibited in the reception and dining rooms.
- Improper or profane language or disorderly conduct is strictly prohibited in the Club rooms.
- The Club rooms shall at all times be in charge of members of the Board of Governors.
- Ladies will be admitted to the Club rooms on Fridays, and ladies in company with a member of the Club will be admitted to the reception room and cafe from 8 to 12 p. m., every day.
- Members who have played three games of billiards or pool consecutively shall resign the table to others who shall desire to play and who may have written their names on the board.
- All games shall be suspended during meetings of the Club and on Sunday.
- All complaints must be made to the Board of Governors in writing signed by the party complaining.
- The janitor and other employes of the Club are forbidden to accept any tips from members or visitors, and members are forbidden to give any tips.
- No children or boys under eighteen years of age shall be permitted to enter the Club rooms.
- No intoxicating drinks shall be drunk or brought in the Club rooms.
- No member or visitor under the influence of intoxicating drinks shall be permitted to enter or remain in Club rooms.
- No form of gambling, betting or wagering shall be permitted in the Club rooms.
- No person shall sit on the Billiard or Pool tables and those playing Billiards or pool shall keep one foot on the floor in making all shots.
- The Tickets collected for sales of cigar and cigarette stand and at the cafe and for games of Billiard and Pool shall each be deposited in separate boxes kept for that purpose.
- The secretary shall count the cigars and cigarettes and charge the janitor with the same at the beginning of each month. At the end of the month he shall count the Tickets and the cash together with the cigars and cigarettes and charge the janitor with any deficit, which said tickets may not cover.
- It shall be the duty of each and every member who sees or knows of any violation of any of the above rules to report them in writing to the Board of Governors.
- Any member violating any of the above rules or permitting any visitor whom he introduces to do so in his presence shall pay a fine of 25 cents for each and every violation.
- The President of the Club or any member of the Board of Governors may issue tickets of admission to the Club Room.

By order of the Board of Governors this 19th day of December, 1904,
DR. D. L. JAMES,
PRESIDENT,
J. S. MOORING,
SECRETARY.

Change of Constitution and By Laws.
23. Twelve members shall constitute a quorum.
24. 18 years of age required for membership.
25. No dancing permitted in the reception room.

OFFICERS
DR. D. L. JAMES, PRESIDENT.
FRANK WILSON, Vice-President.
J. S. MOORING, SECRETARY.
W. G. WARD, TREASURER.
Board of Governors:
PROF. W. H. RAGSDALE,
COL. I. A. SUGG,
H. McCLELLAN,
C. W. HARVEY,
D. C. MOORE,
L. C. ARTHUR

Bright eyes are an infallible index to youth, windows from which Cupid shoots his arrows. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes bright eyes, rosy cheeks. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.
Wooten's Drug Store.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TO HAVANA, CUBA.

Do not miss this opportunity to visit beautiful and attractive Havana, as it will afford, not only the opportunity for you to make a delightful trip but, to the manufacturer of the South, will offer the additional opportunity to investigate the possibilities of Cuba with the view of developing their business in that country.

A personally conducted, special excursion to Havana, Cuba, January 4th, 1905, from Washington, D. C. Richmond and Norfolk, Va., and intermediate points in the states of Virginia, North and South Carolina, will connect with the Peninsular and Occidental Steamship Company's steamer leaving Port Tampa, Fla., on the night of January 5th, 1905.

The party will be limited to 150 persons, therefore reservations should be made promptly, in order to secure proper accommodations on the Steamer "Olivette," the most comfortable ship of the Peninsular and Occidental Steamship Company, which will convey the party to Havana.

Tickets will be limited for return passage on any steamer leaving Havana until January 19th, 1905, with privilege of stopovers at any point in the State of Florida, south of Jacksonville, within final limit of ticket, which will be January 22nd, 1905.

The rate, \$48.25 from Greenville, N. C., for the round trip includes meals and staterooms on the steamer.

Mr. A. W. Frit will meet the party in Jacksonville and accompany them to Havana. Mr. Frit speaks Spanish fluently and will place himself at the disposal of the party, furnishing any information desired.

Trans for which tickets for this excursion will be sold will leave Greenville, N. C., 8:30 a. m., Jan. 4th, 1905.

Make up your party and go and should you desire any other information, books, pamphlets etc., on Cuba, or "What to say in Spanish and how to say it," address,
H. M. EMERSON, T. M. W. J. CRAIG, G. P. A.
Wilmington, N. C.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PITT COUNTY, N. C.

The following is a statement of the number of meetings of said Board and number of days each member hath attended and number of miles traveled by each and the amounts allowed each member as commissioner for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1904.

Name	Days Attended	Amount Allowed	Miles Traveled	Amount Allowed
J. J. Elks	11	\$28.00	14	\$28.00
J. R. Parnhill	"	"	"	"
J. W. Page	"	"	"	"
J. R. Spier	"	"	"	"
W. R. Horne	"	"	"	"
Amount allowed J. J. Elks for 14 days as commissioner at 2.00 \$28.00				
For 8 days as com'tee at 2.00 16.00				
For 374 miles traveled at 5 cts. 18.70 \$63.80				
Amount allowed J. R. Parnhill for 14 days as commissioner at 2.00 \$28.00				
For 7 days as com'tee at 2.00 14.00				
For 322 miles travelled at 5 cts. 16.10 \$58.10				
Amount allowed J. W. Page for 14 days as commissioner at 2.00 \$28.00				
For 7 days as com'tee at 2.00 14.00				
For 616 miles traveled at 5 cts. 30.80 \$67.80				
Amount allowed J. R. Spier for 14 days as commissioner at 2.00 \$28.00				
For 11 days as com'tee at 2.00 22.00				
For 652 miles travelled at 5 cts. 32.60 \$82.60				
Amount allowed W. R. Horne for 14 days as commissioner at 2.00 \$28.00				
For 4 days as com'tee at 2.00 8.00				
For 298 miles travelled at 5 cts. 14.90 \$55.90				
Total amount allowed Board \$328.20				

I, Richard Williams, clerk ex-officio of the Board of commissioners for the aforesaid county, hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement as doth appear of record in my office. Given under my hand and seal, this November 22nd, 1904
R. WILLIAMS,
Clerk B'd com for Pitt Co

Christmas WILL SOON BE HERE

We are ready for it with a splendid line of everything in nice groceries, Fruits and confectioneries. Fruit Cakes, all sizes, 35c per pound. Pound Cakes, Citron Cake and Raisin Cake 25c per pound. In canned goods and pickles we have only the best. Olives in 32, 50 and 100 ounce bottles a specialty. Plum Pudding and Mince Meats and all kinds of cereals. Best Butter and Cheese. Send to us for anything want-d.

B. E. PATRICK & CO.
Goods delivered in town.
Phone 67. d & w l m.

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DON'T LET THE YEAR 1904 pass away without Providing adequate protection for those dependent upon you.

THE PENN MUTUAL issues the most attractive Contracts.

CAN YOU AFFORD TO WAIT?
H. A. WHITE,
Insurance Greenville, N. C.

THE BEST VALUE FOR THE LEAST MONEY:

Jas. F. Davenport.

Our Regina and Antohav Shoes, for Ladies and Children, are the best leather that can be obtained for the price. Well made, they fit well, wear long and look well.

Have everything in the very latest Dress Goods and Trimmings. We also carry a full line of staple Dry Goods and Fancy Notions.

JAS. F. DAVENPORT,
Greenville, N. C.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF GREENVILLE, GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOVEMBER 10th, 1904.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans and Discounts \$199,603.67	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
Overdrafts 5,123.36	Surplus 25,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc. 5,000.00	Undivided Profits less
Furniture & Fixtures 3,657.32	Expenses Paid 4,664.32
Due from Banks 68,841.50	Bills payable 45,900.00
Cash item 7,030.39	Deposit subject to check 226,336.72
Gold Coin 1,393.00	Cashier's checks outstanding 683.08
Silver Coin 2,701.88	
N't'nl Bk & other US notes 31,943.00	
\$824,684.12	\$824,684.12

State North Carolina, County of Pitt,
I, James L. Little, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JAMES L. LITTLE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22nd day of Nov., 1904.
C. S. CARR,
Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
J. A. ANDREWS,
R. W. KING,
W. B. WILSON,
Directors

BENSONIZER LUNG CURE NO SCARCITY

NO MORE EXILE FOR CONSUMPTIVES.
A Cure at Last Obtained, After a Searching Investigation, by St. Louis Inter-sts.

A few months ago the attention of a few scientific and philanthropic gentlemen of St. Louis was directed to an entirely new method of combating that most dreadful of all diseases, tuberculosis, commonly called consumption. Out of 115 test cases, 77 were completely cured and 28 have shown such improvement that their ultimate recovery is but a question of a few weeks.
So astonishing have been the results and absolute cures in cases pronounced incurable by all old methods that a company has been formed and is now prepared to furnish at a normal cost this cure to all sufferers of the "White Plague." One of its chief features is that patients can remain at home, surrounded by friends and relatives, and in a great many instances, especially the incipient or early stages of the disease, pursue their daily vocations and still become completely cured.
Patients receiving the same treatment here in St. Louis have completely recovered as rapidly as those in Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. The wonderful results in question have been accomplished by the Bensonizer, and the company which controls this marvelous medical device have located their main office at 417 North Seventh street, St. Louis. They have also located a factory on Easton avenue and a laboratory has been built at Hillside, Mo. The cure will be known as the Bensonizer-Lung Cure, and Mr. C. P. Benson, the discoverer of the fluid inhalants which are used, will personally have charge of the affairs of the company. Mr. Benson will personally meet all who call at the office of the company on Seventh street, and will answer all communications from sufferers who are unable to make a personal call.—From the St. Louis Globe Democrat.

THE NEW GREENVILLE BAKERY

Bread, Cakes and Fruit Cakes A Specialty.
The house-wives of this city will do well to call at the corner of 9th and South Pitt streets and see that if we can satisfy them.
All orders promptly attended to.
Thanksgiving and Xmas Cakes can be made upon short order. Our first thought is cleanliness.
EDWARD BLOUNT,
The I. X. L. Baker.

NOTICE

After July 1st I will be prepared to furnish private conveyance to and from depot for persons in town at 25c for each person. The bus will then only run from hotels to depot and wharf and fare on that will also be 25c. Phone 4.
W. J. TURNAGE

SUGGESTION

FOR

Christmas Shoppers.

With pleasure we invite you to visit

GREENVILLE'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

before making your purchases for Christmas as we offer you an opportunity to select from an unusually splendid and varied stock.

We Suggest That You See Our

IMPORTED CHINA, CUT GLASS, STERLING SILVER, Bric-a-Brac, etc.

Mexican and Japanese

DRAWN WORK

in a Full Line of BUREAU SCARFS, TABLECOVERS, CENTER PIECES and DOILIES.

FUR SETS AND MUFFS

FUR SETS, JACKETS, SKIRTS AND SWEATERS.

SILK NECKWEAR, LACE AND JET BERTHAS, AND SHOPPING BAGS.

KID GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS AND HOSE.

BED ROOM SLIPPERS

FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

OPERA BAGS

In evening shades of Brocade Silks.

BEAUTIFUL IMPORTED FANS With Ivory Sticks.

ELEGANT ALL-WOOL BED BLANKETS, EIDERDOWN QUILTS AND MARSAILLES QUILTS.

TABLE LINEN, NAPKINS, DOILIES AND TOWELS.

STAMPED LINEN, STAMPED PILLOW TOPS, EMBROIDERY SILKS.

RUGS, PORTIERES AND LACE CURTAINS.

Visit our different Departments and You will be pleased with our stock and prices.

J. B. Cherry & Co.

GREENVILLE'S GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Christmas eve.
Up go the stockings tonight.
Popular salutation—Christmas.

The stores will be closed Monday, observing holiday.

All kinds of pickles, sweet or sour, mixed and stuffed at Johnston Bros.

Currants, seeded raisins and package dates at Johnston Bros. 8 w 4 t.

Fay stockings wear guaranteed. C. L. Wilkinson & Co. have exclusive sale.

Everything necessary to prepare your Christmas dinner can be had at Johnston Bros.

For Rent—House on Greene street, convenient location. Apply Miss A. M. Perkins.

A large assortment of raisins, candies, and nuts for the holiday trade, at Johnston Bros.

For rent or for sale—house and lot in West Greenville, apply to 12-21 1 w. A. J. Outerbridge.

Toys, dolls, fancy and plain candies, nuts, raisins, oranges, apples, bananas. Sam'l M. Schultz.

The finest apples and oranges that the market will afford at Johnston Bros.

The folks were here today and both buyers and sellers were happy.

Some children out after holly, Friday afternoon, lost an axe. Finder please return it to this office.

Sunday night in the Baptist church the children of the Sunday school will have Christmas exercises.

Capt Robson has just arrived with a nice load of oysters, selling for 25 cents qt 75 cents a bushel 12-24 1 t d.

See the display of Mahler's jewelry and silverware at the store of J. F. Davenport and make your selections for Christmas gifts. 12-7 t t Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

For Rent—Two 2 story and one 1 story dwelling houses in West Greenville, all necessary conveniences. Apply to W. M. Smith, Falkland, N. C. 1. f.

I have a beautiful line of Mahler's silverware and jewelry on display at the store of J. F. Davenport. Handsome and suitable for Christmas presents. Mrs. M. D. Higgs.

For Rent—House and lot on corner just opposite post office on Main st, in Winterville, N. C. 4 rooms, dining room and kitchen. For terms apply to C. A. Fair, Ayden, N. C. 12-13 t t

Lost—A lady's gray hand bag containing about \$7 in money, a post office money order, pair of gloves, handkerchief, &c. Finder please return to REFLECTOR office 12-24 1 t d

Is there anything that your friend will appreciate more than a box of

Keyler's
Candy? Christmas lot just received at
COWARD & WOOTEN'S.

THE WEATHER
Rain to-night and Sunday.

How the Vote Stands.

The voting contest at Evans' Book Store closes tonight at 12:00 o'clock sharp. The popular lady will get the Gibson pictures Christmas morning.

The contest at Evan's Book Store today stood: Miss Nina James 137; Miss Pattie Skinner 113; Miss Eiba Cotteu 121; Miss Hennie Ragsdale 63; Miss Glenn Forbes 38; Miss Mary Higgs 25; Miss Janie Tyson 27; Miss Janie Brown 23; Miss Sallie Cotteu 12; Miss Mary James 8; Miss Ethel Skinner 2; Miss Mary Shelburn 1; Miss Mary L. Smith 1; Miss Miss Lucille Cobb 1; Mrs Lillian Carr 6; Miss Ada Wooten 24; Miss Margaret Blow 10; Miss Susie Warren 4.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Having duly qualified before the Superior court clerk of Pitt county as Executor of last will and testament of Mrs. Ada Moore, wife of Rickey Moore, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate to present the same for payment on or before the 2nd of Dec., 1904, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. This 22nd day of Dec., 1904.
C. A. TUCKER,
Executor of Ada Moore.

PERSONALS AND SOCIAL.

W. J. Smith went to Bethel today.

Avon Cromartie left this morning for Dunn.

A. C. Monk left this morning for Durham.

Miss Clyde Cox left Friday evening for Ayden.

Rev. W. E. Cox left this morning for Hamilton.

Mrs. Pearl Evans left Friday evening for Kinston.

Mrs. G. J. Cherry went to Tarboro this morning.

W. I. Peel and family went to Bethel this morning.

Mrs. R. A. Forbes left Friday evening for Grifton.

W. S. Bernard came home from Capel Hill this morning.

John White came home Friday evening from Henderson.

Mrs. George Thomas of Tarboro is visiting Mrs. J. T. Abrams.

J. A. Askew and H. C. Fomes went to Kinston Friday evening.

Leon Pender came home Friday from Trinity College at Durham.

Jesse Perry of Scotland Neck, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Crinkley.

Miss Ethel Lincoln came home Friday from the Normal College at Greensboro.

Miss Irma Cobb came home Friday evening from Peace Institute, Raleigh.

A. J. Moore and J. B. James are home from the university at Chapel Hill.

Miss Carrie Gay came home Friday evening from Littleton Female College.

Miss May Draper, of Henderson, arrived Friday evening to visit Mrs. G. S. Prichard.

Mrs. Blanche Harris, of Richmond, came in Friday evening to visit Mrs. M. M. Harris.

Miss Virgil Hart, of Littleton, came in Friday evening to visit her brother, J. N. Hart.

Miss Annie Perkins came home Friday from Farmville where she teaches the graded school.

Miss Irene Hardison, of Beaufort county, came in Friday evening to visit Miss Iuez Pittman.

Miss Sudie Harding came home Friday evening from Washington where she teaches in the graded school.

Miss Bessie Harding came home Friday evening from Greensboro where she has been teaching in the graded school.

Miss Jessie Lee Sugg and brother Julius came home Friday evening from Elizabethtown where she had charge of a school.

W. F. Harding, of Charlotte, came in Friday evening to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harding.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fennell and children, of Wilmington, came in Friday evening to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. James.

Miss Hennie Brown, of Hamilton and Miss Johnson, of Virginia, who have been teaching at Ballard's, left this morning for their homes.

CHURCH SERVICE

Where You Can Worship Sunday.

Methodist church—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7: p. m. by Rev. J. A. Hornaday. The Epworth League will meet at 4 o'clock p. m.

Baptist church—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. A. T. King. The Baraca and Philanthia classes will meet at 9:30. Exercises by Sunday school children.

Episcopal church—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Presbyterian church—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by rev. F. G. Hartman.

Christian church—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. H. H. Moore. Services for Christmas with special program both morning and night.

Free Will Baptist church—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Holiday Gifts for Holiday Givers.

Every man woman and child is eagerly planning a CHRISTMAS present for their father, husband, wife or sweetheart, perhaps all. We anticipated your wants and what we have is "IT" for Christmas presents.

READ BELOW A FEW OF OUR SUGGESTIONS.

UMBRELLAS, for Men or Women in plain and fancy handles, all designs, \$2 to \$10.

SILK MUFFLERS, in scores of beautiful designs and colorings, 50c. to \$2.

KID GLOVES, for Men or Women, dressed or undressed, in browns, pearls, greys, white and black, \$1 to \$1.50.

MEN'S SHIRTS, in plain and fancy colors, narrow or wide stripes, stiff and soft bosoms, 50c. \$2.

MEN'S HALF HOSE, in plain and fancy effects, price range per pair from 10c. to 50c.

SWEATERS, excellent gift for a man or boy. We have 'em in plain and fancy colors at \$1.00, 1.50, \$2.00 & \$3 50

C. S. FORBES,

THE MAN'S OUTFITTER.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE

Greenville Banking & Trust Company

GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA,

At the close of business Nov. 10th, 1904.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	\$110,821.54	Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts, secured	11,971.19	Undivided profits, less	
Overdrafts, unsecured	117.20	expenses & taxes paid	5,823.01
Stocks, etc.	1,000.00	Bills payable	40,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,316.04	Time certificates of	
Due from Bank	37,868.94	deposit	10,050.00
Cash items	1,713.61	Deposits	
Gold coin	500.00	subject to check	98,811.18
Silver coin	820.81	Due to banks & bankers	25.00
National Bank notes and		Cashier's checks outstand	
other U. S. notes	12,790.00	ing	10.14
Total	\$179,719.33	Total,	\$179,719.33

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt, ss:
I, R. J. Cobb, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 23rd day of Nov. 1904.
C. S. CARR, Notary Public.

Correct - Attest:
J. L. WOOTEN,
CHAS. COBB,
C. T. MUNFORD,
Directors.

New Fall Goods.

PULLEY & BOWEN

Fancy Silks for shirt waist suits, latest styles in Dress Trimmings, Embroideries, Val. Laces, Torchon Laces with clusterings to match all edges.

A full line of ready made Skirts. Prices \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5 and \$6.

We are offering some special bargains in very wide Embroideries. Price 25c per yard.

We have a full line of Ladies' jackets and wraps. Newest in styles and prices that will convince you we are headquarters for Cloaks.

Infants and Childrens Shoes. In this line we are stronger this season than ever before. Be sure and see our line before you buy.

Within the next ten days we will have our new fall line of Ultra Shoes for your inspection. In finish, material and workmanship, we are proud to present to all lovers of good taste in footwear a shoe for which we have never yet had to make an apology.

We respectfully invite you to call and see our line.
PULLEY & BOWEN,
The Home of Fashions for Women.