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To every person who pays One Dollar on their subscription from December 30th, 1915 to January 8th, 1916, inclusive, we will give away one of our complimentary purses.

Saturday, January 8th, Will be the Last Day of This Special Offer.

With Our Very Best Wishes For A Great 1916.

Hertford County Herald.
Ahoskie, N. C.



Get a pocketbook.
Greetings! Mr. 1916.
Mr. Sol Cherry was in town Wednesday.
Gives your town a boost for every day in the year.
Dewey Cherry spent Christmas with his parents in Lewiston.
Mr. J. W. Brown, of Woodland, was a visitor here last Friday.
Mr. Hugh Harrell has resigned as salesman for the Busy Store.
Miss Mae Taylor left Wednesday to visit relatives in Boykins.
Miss Venie Howard left Thursday to visit relatives in Portsmouth.
Mr. J. O. Carter spent the holidays with his parents in Gates County.
Messrs. Pembroke Baker and Eric Garrett spent Christmas in Norfolk.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd Parker spent Christmas day in Whaleyville, Va.
Mr. W. M. Corwin spent the holiday season with relatives in Philadelphia.
Mr. Will Myers was the guest of his parents in Colerain Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Pedro Mizell, of Windsor, was the guest of Mrs. W. R. Johnson Tuesday.
Mr. Clarence Blount was the guest of his parents in Plymouth during the holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Savage spent the holidays with relatives at Whaleyville, Va.
The Branning Mill has closed down for the holidays but will resume work next week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee Copeland spent several days this week with parents in Dendron, Va.
Insure in the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, and get Peace of Mind. A record of 70 years. Nothing to apologize for. No foreign entanglements.
Miss Esther Pierce, of Portsmouth, was the guest of Miss Mabel Pierce for a few days this week.
Misses Alice and Mary Grant Griffin, of Woodland, spent a few days this week with Miss Julia Odom.
Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Modlin, of Burdette, Va., spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Willoughby.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sykes, of Portsmouth, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Sykes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fetrell.
Misses Kate Gillam and Fannie Parker of Windsor are the guests of Miss Doris Jenkins in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jenkins.
WANTED—Experienced single or double entry book-keeper desires position for 1916. Address A. B. C., care Herald Office.
Mr. Stanley Leary, of Weldon, spent a few days with his mother here. He also officiated in a marriage in Colerain Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Best, of Whiteville, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holloman a few days this week.
Miss Irma Boyette, who has been teaching near Raleigh for the past two months, is at home to spend the holidays with her parents.
Mr. Cyril Pearce, who for the past few months has been electrician for the Ahoskie Light Company, left for his home in Winton Thursday.
Don't fail to see the play, "Fighting for Freedom," given by local talent Friday the 7th, at Newsom's Hall for benefit of Ahoskie Band.
Prof. F. Q. Barbee, accompanied by his brother, W. D. Barbee, of Seaboard, left last Saturday to spend a few days with their parents near Raleigh.
Mr. S. F. Bowers, who for the past two years has been salesman for E. J. Gerock, has resigned his position. Mr. Bowers has many friends in Ahoskie who regret to see him leave.
Mr. C. T. Jenkins, of Phoebes, Va., who has been spending holidays with relatives near Ahoskie, returned to his home Thursday. Mr. Jenkins called at our office while in town and took with him one of our purses.

Prof. J. L. White, wife and boy, of Nashville, are spending the holidays with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ward, of near Windsor, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Modlin.

Miss Clevan Hill, who has been teaching at Wendell, returned last Friday for the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. Phillip Boyette, who is in the tailoring business at Portsmouth, Va., spent Christmas day with relatives in town.

Mr. Q. F. Holloman and children, of Victoria, Va., visited in the home of their mother near Union a few days this week.

Prof. and Mrs. K. R. Curtis and little daughter, of Portsmouth, Va., are spending the holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. L. M. Curtis.

Miss Bessie Feldman will leave for Baltimore, Md., where she will resume her studies in the Peabody Conservatory of Music. Her sister, Miss Lillian Feldman, will accompany her as far as Norfolk.

Mr. John Gatling, of Windsor, was in town for a short while Tuesday morning. Mr. Gatling was on his way to Wake Forest College, where he is preparing for the approaching bar examination in February.

Miss Spire, of Rocky Mount, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brett for a few days last week. She left Monday for Murfreesboro, where she will visit relatives for a few days before returning to Ahoskie.

Mr. J. G. Perry, of Perrytown section in Bertie County, was a visitor at the Herald office last Thursday. Mr. Perry now has his name on our mailing list, and he also took with him one of our complimentary pocketbooks.

Messrs. C. H. Phaup and John C. Guode, former proprietors of the Basnight Warehouse, left last Friday for their homes in Richmond, Va. Both of these gentlemen have made a great many friends during their stay in our town, and it is the hope of our people that they return for the coming season.

Mr. Alpheus Lawrence Falls Dead.

Mr. Alpheus Lawrence went out to attend the Christmas exercises, at Green's Cross Church in Bertie County, Christmas day. While there he fell dead, without uttering a word, after falling. He was about seventy years old.—Reported.

Ahoskie Philatheas.

The Philatheas Class of the Ahoskie Baptist Church have found it necessary to begin a new roll next Sunday, and they urge that all old members be present and that each one bring with them at least one new member, and just as many more as possible.

Cotton Ginned in Hertford County.

There were 2916 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Hertford County, from the crop of 1915 prior to December 13, 1915, as compared with 4129 bales ginned prior to this date last year.

A. T. Newsome, Special Agent.

Receives Purse From Congregation.

On last Sunday morning the members of the Ahoskie Baptist Church presented their pastor, Rev. C. L. Dowell, with a handsome purse, containing about twenty-five dollars. Rev. Dowell wishes to express his sincere appreciation of the gift, and to thank all contributors for their kind and generous remembrance of him.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., O. contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Adv.

Fighting for Freedom.

A play, "Fighting for Freedom" in four acts will be given at Newsom's Hall, Ahoskie, by local talent Friday evening, January 7, for benefit of the band.

B. Y. P. U. Choir.

Every member of the B. Y. P. U. is urged to be present at the regular meeting on Monday night following the second Sunday in January to aid in the organization of a B. Y. P. U. choir. This choir will be separate and distinct from the regular church choir, and will be composed exclusively of Union members. This request is made by order of the President, Leader and Organist and they ask that every member be on hand.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the firm trading as Brown and Snipes, of Woodland, N. C., has this day dissolved partnership. All accounts due the said firm will be paid to J. L. Snipes, and all creditors will look to said Snipes for settlement, aforesaid Snipes having taken over the business.
This the 14th day of December, 1915.

Brown and Snipes,
Woodland, N. C.

Little Child Burned to Death.

The home of Mr. Geo. T. Dilday, who resides on route 3, Ahoskie, was filled with sadness on last Monday night, by the horrible death of their oldest boy Clarence, aged about three years. In some way unknown to any of the family, the boy's clothing caught fire and he burned to death.

Mr. Dilday was making preparations to move his family to Colerain, and had returned from that place, fed his team, and had gone into the living room before he found the dead body of the little child. Mrs. Dilday was in the kitchen preparing supper at the time of the fatality, and knew nothing of the burning till her husband returned and went into the room.

It is not known exactly how the little boy was burned, as there were only two younger children in the room at the time and they seem unable to give an account of the affair. When the body was found, it was lying in the middle of the floor lifeless.

The burial took place Tuesday afternoon at the burying ground near Hickory Chapel. Our sympathies go out to the bereaved parents.

FIRE AT-AHOSKIE.

The building used by the Ahoskie Variety Works was completely destroyed by fire on last Friday morning. The blaze started on the inside from a pile of dry shavings that were lying on the floor, and had gained such headway before it was detected that it was impossible to put it out. Mr. C. Greene, proprietor of the Variety Works, was busy on the outside of the building, and did not detect the blaze till too late. The fire took place about ten o'clock in the morning, and owing to the dry material on the inside soon burned to the ground. No other buildings were seriously threatened, owing to the great distance between the burned building and the nearest house.

The destroyed building was the property of Mrs. Mary Britton, of Elizabeth City, and was covered by insurance, the exact amount of which is unknown. The stock, which was the property of Mr. Claude Greene, was covered by insurance to the amount of three hundred dollars. Several hundred dollars worth of machinery was also destroyed by the fire.

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25c, 50c, \$1. At all Dealers.

The Premium HARNESS

that the Busy Store was to give away free to the person making the nearest guess. Will be awarded to the winner, January first, 1916, at 12 M. All person having made guesses can be present at this hour and see the Lucky Party. Would be glad to have all present.



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More wages are lost due to accident and illness than through lack of work. Put aside a small account each month to safeguard you in time of illness or accident. Inquire of

S. D. BURROUGHS, HOBGOOD, N. C.

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New Year Greetings

To all of our patrons we extend our sincere and appreciative thanks for the business you have so generously given us during the past year, and may we continue to be your headquarters for the year 1916.

May the coming three hundred and sixty-six, days be filled with bargains for the buyer, and may you enjoy the full benefits of every bargain.

Again Wishing You "All" the Greatest Year Ever.

Truly yours,
Baker & Sumner
Ahoskie, N. C.

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Your druggist will refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Swelling or Protruding Piles in 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest.
The Ointment That Does Not Affect The Blood because of its simple and inactive ingredients. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE.

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In appreciation of the liberal patronage we have enjoyed during the past year we wish to thank our many friends and Customers and extend to them the compliments of the season and our best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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