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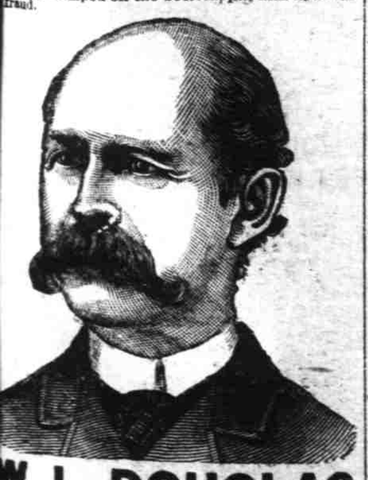

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Indications.

For North Carolina, fair weather, and warmer.

There was an alarm of fire last night at 8 o'clock, but it was a false one. The alarm wrs turned in from box 31.

If you want a picture framed go to Heinsberger's. He has a large assortment of Mouldings to select from. †

The Wilmington Cotillion Club will give a reception and supper at the Orton House on Wednesday evening.

In accordance with our usual custom at Christmas the REVIEW will not be issued again until Thursday afternoon.

We have knives for your boys and scissors for your girls. What wil please them more for presents? N Jacobi Hardware Co. †

The Goldsboro Fox Club, with 50 hounds, will be here to morrow for a big hunt, in connection with the Wilmington Club.

Thanks to Messrs. Brunhild, Simon & Co. for kindly recollecting us in a manner that will add to the pleasures of our Christmas Day.

The REVIEW sends forth to-day to its friends its most cordial wishes for a happy, MERRY CHRISTMAS, and "many returns of the same."

Do you use loaded shells? You will find that they will save you time, trouble and expense. For sale by the N. Jacobi Hardware Co. †

The D. Q. I's will parade to-morrow afternoon and it is said that they will turn out 100 strong. They will leave the City Hall at 3 o'clock.

The Produce Exchange has been closed all day and there are therefore no market reports. Many of the business houses on the wharf have also been closed to-day.

The hose reel of the Howard Relief Company ran into the gutter at the corner of Fourth and Orange streets, on Saturday night, and was capsized and badly smashed. The horse was also slightly injured.

A special schedule will run tomorrow on the Seacoast Railroad. There will be four trains, leaving here at 7:35, 10, 3 and 6 o'clock and leaving on the return at 8:10, 2, 5:10 and 8 o'clock.

Do not for a moment let your confidence betray you into supposing yourself incapable of mistake; therefore, be happy, by securing a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and you can successfully fight off any cough or cold however severe.

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Notwithstanding that Tuesday is Christmas, the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular devotional meeting on that night. A full attendance of young men (whether members or not) is desired, and an interesting meeting is expected. Place, over Bank of New Hanover.

One of the most interesting letters our kind friend and correspondent at Washington City has ever favored us with is published on the fourth page of this issue, forced over by the press of advertising matter. We thank our friend for his kind words.

Portable fire-place grates. Just the thing for our climate. Are sold by the N. Jacobi Hdw. Co. †

The Postoffice will be closed to morrow but the general delivery and the carrier's delivery will be open from 9 to 10 a. m. The carriers will make but one delivery, the early one.

Non-resident members of the Masonic fraternity in good standing, who may be in the city, are invited to apply to Mr. E. S. Martin or Mr. Jno. C. Chase, for cards of admission to the installation of officers on St. John's Day, Dec. 27th.

Christmas Services in the Lutheran Church.

English services will be held in St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church on Christmas morning at 11 o'clock, preaching by the pastor, Rev. F. W. E. Peschau. The choir has made special preparation for the musical part in the services. All are welcome.

Rock Crystal Spectacles and Eyeglasses

Advice to old and young: In selecting spectacles you should be cautious not to take more *magnifying power* than has been lost to the eye as in the same proportion that you pass that point of increase, will cause you further injury to the eye. Using glasses of stronger power than is necessary is the daily cause of *premature old age to the sight.* You can get the best at Heinsberger's.

Cherry Ripe To-Night.

The Cora Van Tassel troupe are all in the city and will open their short season here to-night with the pretty little realistic drama of "Cherry Ripe," a piece which is said to carry some strong situations, some pathetic scenes and a plot full of action and vivacity. The troupe need no introduction to a Wilmington audience. They have been with us more than once previously and they are favorites with our people. Only, in this instance, they have added strength to their ranks and are in better trim than ever before. The popular prices still prevail. Reserved seats may be had at Heinsberger's.

Synopsis of the Juvenile Operetta.

Following is a synopsis of the beautiful little juvenile operetta, "King Winter's Court," which is to be presented at the St. John's School House on Wednesday night:

King Winter's Court opens with a proposal from the King to the members of his court, "to decide what we shall do to make mankind happy this Christmas tide." He tells them that everywhere the gifts of King Winter are expected and asks what they will do to help in this noble want. All promise to lend their aid "in largest Christmas measure," and call in song, for Joy, Sweet Hope, Love and Mirth, who enter with the Christmas tree, and tell the sweet story of the long ago Mirth suggests that the King will call in the help of Old Santa Claus who has for ages been the joy of the little folks. Old Santa enters the Court, and agrees readily unto King Winter's proposal, promising to do all in his power for the happiness of mankind and the little folks in particular.

Scene 2nd discloses a sitting room with several children chatting and writing letters to Santa Claus, while stockings are hung round the chimney with care, in hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there. Dream Fairy and attendants enter, and with their magic wands transfer the drowsy children to the Court of Slumberland. Meantime St. Nick comes in, laden with toys, and fills the stockings, while the unconscious children dream the sweet illusion of innocent, happy childhood.

Scene 3d. The little ones are wide awake and dancing around the Christmas tree. In comes jolly St. Nick, joins the merry group in their sport and after giving presents to each, he invites them to go with him to the Courts of King Winter and Slumberland. After a welcome song to the little strangers and winter's regalia placed upon them, making them members of King Winter's Court, a final chorus of thanksgiving to the "Kind Father who hast blest us," is sung by the full opera and closes the performance.

While the operetta is simple and childish, those who have witnessed the rehearsals say that it is a little gem of beauty, both in music and plot.

A Healthy Corpse.

The town was rife this afternoon with rumors of a murder near Kidder's mill. The murdered man appeared in court with a bruised eye but otherwise ripe for Christmas. John Geyer hit Samuel Brown, both colored, with a fence paling. Both will interview the Mayor on Wednesday.

St. Mark's—Christmas Eve.

Full Evensong will be sung at St. Mark's Christmas Eve, beginning at 8 o'clock. There will be no sermon. The music, under the charge of Wm. H. Norwood and his wife, promises to be exceptionally fine, the former accompanying the organ with the cornet.

The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated and full services will be held Christmas Day at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m., with sermon at the morning service only, the music being conducted by both organ and cornet.

During the octave of Christmas, on the festivals of St. Stephen the Martyr, St. John the Evangelist and Holy Innocent's Day, the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated daily at 11 a. m.

The Veterans in Pender.

At a meeting of the pensioners (disabled Confederate soldiers) of Pender county, held at Burgaw on Saturday last, Mr. I. H. Brown was called to the chair and Mr. W. D. Holly was requested to act as secretary.

On motion Messrs. Robt. T. Rivenbark, I. H. Brown and J. N. Mashburn were elected delegates to attend the convention of disabled soldiers to be held in Raleigh on 22d of January, 1889.

The veterans were kindly treated by the citizens of Burgaw and we are requested to express their thanks here for the courtesies and hospitalities shown them by the good people of that town.

Christmas.

The observation of Christmas as a festival is well nigh universal among all of the Christian nations. In the United States within the memory of a generation, it has come into much prominence, so that all have come to celebrate it both in its religious and social aspects.

The general manner of its observance in America is the result of the blending of the customs of the various European nations. The institution of the Christmas tree, the giving of presents, and the legends of St. Nicholas, Kriss Krinkle, or Santa Klaus, together with the hanging of the stockings on Christmas Eve, and other attendant ceremonies associated with these legends, we derive from the Germans and Dutch, among whose descendants in the New World these customs long existed before they were incorporated in their present modified form in the general manners of the community. The custom of the Christmas dinner is an inheritance from Old England, as are many of the games, sports and pastimes in the line of public and private entertainments that are common at this season. The European customs in connection with Christmas are readily traced back to old Roman, Saxon, Druidical, or other religious and social ceremonials of the ancient ancestry. Thus the English customs in regard to the mistletoe and the yule log are survivals of old British rites practiced by the Druids, and the boisterous fun and license allowed in many of the continental European countries in connection with the Christmas holidays have been claimed by scholars to be directly descended from the Roman Saturnalia, or those of ancient German and Norse mythologies.

No matter what may be the opinions of individual critics as to the symbolic and commemorative character of Christmas as a religious holiday, the fact that it has come to represent beneficence, good will, helpfulness, sympathy, and a host of social virtues, which are inculcated in a very vital manner by the customs of the day, has tended to disarm captious objections. Men of all creeds and of no creeds unite in the cooperative social sympathy and helpfulness that seems at this season to pervade the air, and the indulgence of small, mean, and selfish traits of character in the social sense is rebuked by the very condition of the vitalized and electrified social atmosphere.

The Charlotte Amateurs.

The Charlotte Amateur Opera Company will pay their promised visit to this city this week and will present Queen Esther at the Opera House on next Friday night. The box sheet will be opened at Heinsberger's on Friday morning. The company are 40 strong and there will also be many visitors with them. The proceeds are for the Ladies' Benevolent Society, of this city. There is no doubt of an enthusiastic reception here a and large house.

DIED.

DUNBIBIN—At the residence of her nephew, Mr. Samuel C. Potts, at Lake Waccamaw, Columbus County, N. C., on Sunday morning, Dec. 23d, 1888, Miss ELIZA S. DUNBIBIN, in the 70th year of her age

POWELL—In this city, on Sunday, Dec 23d, 1888, at the residence of Mr. A. J. Yopp, Mrs. SARAH E. POWELL, aged 65 years, 1 month and 20 days.

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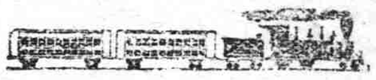

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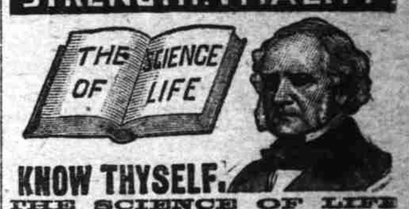

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