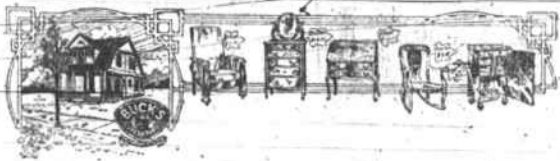


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SHERIFF'S CALL FOR TAXES.

The States taxes must be settled in full by 1st Monday in January. The school vouchers will be coming in daily. The people want their children educated and the teachers must be paid. The current expenses of the county must also be paid. Now it takes money to pay these bills and it has to be raised by taxation. Your taxes have been due since September 1st, and I will thank all, who have not paid, to come forward and settle at once. Your taxes are due and there is no better time to pay than when you have money.

Very respectfully,

GEO. E. RICKS,
Sheriff, Beaufort Co.

December 6, 1909.

WESTON HOUSE

227 East Main Street,
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Rates: \$1 Per Day.

TOWN TALK

Prof. W. A. Smith spent last night in Aurora instructing the new band there.

Mr. W. T. Hudnell, of Aurora, spent yesterday in the city, en route to Norfolk on a business trip.

Mrs. Guy Gabriel and Mrs. Mark Latham left yesterday on the afternoon train for Hassell, where they will visit for a short while.

Mrs. Bettie Harris, of Norfolk, arrived last evening to visit her niece, Mrs. George Hackney.

Mrs. M. C. Betts, of New Bern, and Mrs. F. T. Baynor, of Belhaven, spent yesterday in the city, the guests of Mrs. John Oden.

Miss Deas Conroy arrived last night on the A. C. L. train from Richmond, where she has been visiting Mrs. Live Blakely for a fortnight.

Mr. Jesse Mayo returned from a business trip to South Creek yesterday.

Mr. Charles Archbell spent yesterday in the city from Aurora.

Dr. H. W. Carter went to Norfolk this morning to attend the Staboard Medical Association.

Mrs. Bettie Warren, of Greenville, arrived last evening to visit her sister, Mrs. E. B. Moore, on West Second street.

If you want to enjoy a real carnival in comfort come to the Gem tonight. The great carnival of 1909 at Nice, France, will be shown in the pictures and it is certainly magnificent. The ladies of Washington will get a good object lesson in wearing large hats by seeing the big hat parade in the carnival, and the size is not exaggerated one bit. At least a hat just in front of you at a picture show looks every bit that large, and everyone will agree to this. There will be four other fine pictures tonight also, and double coupons for the fine prizes from Smother's, which will be drawn for Friday night. You simply cannot afford to miss this program at the Gem tonight.

"Along the Kennebec," a New England comedy drama, now in its third successful season, will be produced at the opera house Friday night, December 10. The play is moulded along the same idea as "The Old Homestead," "Shore Acres" and "York State Folks," and deals entirely with country life. Plays of this nature are deservedly popular, inasmuch as they are clean and wholesome and leave a good taste in the mouth. They usually illustrate some good moral principle without descending

♦♦♦♦♦ WE SERVE NOTICE TO ALL ♦♦♦♦♦ who want nice photographs ♦♦♦♦♦ of themselves for Christmas ♦♦♦♦♦ presents they must come by ♦♦♦♦♦ December 15th. Our trade ♦♦♦♦♦ has grown wonderfully, and ♦♦♦♦♦ as we cannot get any extra ♦♦♦♦♦ help just for a few days, we ♦♦♦♦♦ are calling your attention to ♦♦♦♦♦ the above.

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to the oft-times morbid sensationalism of the melodrama or the soul-harrowing incidents of the problem play. "Along the Kennebec" is said to have met with great favor wherever produced, and much interest will be taken in the presentation of the play in this city. All special scenery is carried for the production.

The Gaiety's pictures could not have been improved upon last night. They were simply great. Tonight there will be shown three reels of fine pictures, and coupons given for the fine prize next Saturday night. During Christmas week a turkey will be given away every night to the lucky coupon holder, and from now on every coupon will stand a chance of being the lucky one. Do not destroy your coupons after the drawing Saturday, as they may draw a turkey Christmas week. No person will be allowed to win a turkey twice during that week. This is done to give everyone a fair chance at the coveted prize. Be sure to come tonight, the pictures will please you.

CITY HORSE RECOVERING.

The big bay city horse, "Pete," has recovered from his recent attack of lockjaw and is able to eat, and will soon no doubt be none the worse for his narrow escape from death by this almost always fatal disease.

CITY MARKET.

Eggs	25c
Chickens, grown	25 to 30c
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Green hides	5c
Mixed wool	18 to 20c
Tallow	3 1/2c
Wool, free from burrs	20c
Sheepskins	5 to 10c
Lambskins	25 to 40c
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If true friendship plays any part when you have purchased your Christmas presents and on your way home passing Baker's Studio you will find you have made a mistake if your friend hadn't rather have a nice photograph of yourself than anything else you could imagine then I would think he is not worthy to be called your friend. Baker's Studio.

Another large batch of Fruit Cake

is now being baked at the Dixie Bakery. The 25 cent price is telling, for this high quality of cake. This is the third large batch and two more to be baked.

Dixie Bakery.
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This proposition will interest you, and it would be well to investigate before the approach of the cold Winter months.

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