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Helpful Hints for the giver of practical gifts. A few more days left in which to select your Holiday Needs, those things that bring gladness to the hearts of the little folks in its fullest measure. Toys that educate the mind and strengthen the body, not the trashy little novelties that are taken and thrown away the second day. A Xmas surprise for everybody at the Practical Gift Store, where is to be seen the largest and the most elaborate array of Toys, Holiday Goods and Novelties ever exhibited in Greater Washington. Toys wholesale and retail.

Appropriate things for grandma or grandpa; presents for father, or mother; reminders for your best girl; remembrances for friends, gifts for the entire family. Some suggestions: Fountain Pens, Pipes, Box Paper, Kodaks, Pictures, Toys, Chocolate Sets, Purses, Jardinieres, Albums, China, Statuary, etc. We have a holiday stock that is first in variety and quality and fairest in prices--both pleasureable and beautiful.

An Exquisite Doll Free Now on exhibit in show window. With each 10c. purchase a coupon is given, enabling you to have a chance on the doll. Presented to the lucky one Christmas Eve night.

FIRECRACKERS AND OTHER COMBUSTIBLES

We have something for everybody, young and old. A hearty welcome is yours always, whether you come to see or buy. Polite and attentive employes. A Merry Christmas to all.

Harlie G. Sparrow

SANTA'S HEADQUARTERS

TOWN TALK

Mr. Alva Reives, of Idalia, is in the city attending court as a juror.

Mr. James Gray Weston, of Swan Quarter, is a Washington visitor.

Mrs. Lillian Weddell, of Atlanta, Ga., who has been visiting friends in the city for a few days, left yesterday for Williamston where she will stay for a while before returning home.

Mr. David Taylor has returned to the city from Ringham School, Mebane, to spend the holidays with his parents.

Miss Ella Raynor, of Leechville, is visiting Miss Virginia Sawyer for a few days.

Mrs. E. S. Credle, of Pantego, spent yesterday in the city shopping.

Mr. Walter Windley has arrived in

the city from Georgia to spend the holidays at home.

Mr. P. S. Wadley left yesterday for his home in Carthage, where he will spend a few days.

Little Miss Bezie Mae Howell, of Idalia, is visiting her cousin, Mr. G. P. Hill, in Chocowinity, and was in the city yesterday shopping for Christmas.

Mr. John Fulford left yesterday morning on the A. C. L. train for a three days' business trip.

Miss Mabel Watkins arrived last night from Norfolk to visit her brother, Mr. Stanley Watkins, and was accompanied by Miss Mattie Childs of Norfolk.

Mr. Frank Judson has gone to Belhaven for a week's business trip.

Miss Mildred Davis arrived last night to visit her aunt, Mrs. D. M. Carter on Bridge street, for the holidays.

Mrs. Mark Latham left Monday morning on the A. C. L. train for Washington City after spending several weeks in the city with friends

and relatives.

Mr. J. M. Robinson arrived in the city Saturday night from Florence, S. C., and will spend a few days at Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Moore's on West Second street.

Bishop Robert Strange passed through the city this morning en route to Plymouth.

Mrs. J. L. Phillips returned Monday from Dayboro.

Mr. J. L. Puleher arrived in the city yesterday from New Bern.

Mr. J. B. Whitehurst, of Aurora, spent Monday in the city.

Mrs. Agnes Rhodes, of Funchanock, Pa., is the guest of Miss Annie Bet Shelton for the holidays.

Col. W. B. Rodman spent yesterday on his plantation down the river and spent today in the city.

Mr. J. T. Lincoln, U. S. Deputy Marshal, was in the city Saturday, en route to his home from a business trip to Greenville.

Miss Sadie Patrick and Miss Hattie Wiggs returned to their homes in New Bern on Saturday after several days' visit in the city.

Mr. Charlie Moore has arrived in the city from Norfolk to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Moore.

Miss Alice Bright arrived Monday from Graham to spend a fortnight with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Har-

vey Bright, on East Main street.

Mrs. W. P. Clark and daughter, Augusta Simmons, spent Sunday and Monday at Pactolus, the guest of friends.

SUPERIOR COURT.

This Week the Criminal Docket is to Be Tried.

This is the last week of court for the criminal cases. The criminal docket was called Monday morning by His Honor, Judge Ward. There are about 25 cases on the docket for disposal. Court will probably adjourn sometime during the middle part of the week.

MR. A. M. DUMAY GETS TURKEY.

is successful at the Gaiety Theater last evening.

Mr. A. M. Dumay was the winner of the turkey at the Gaiety theater last night, holding the lucky coupon. Another turkey will be given away this evening.

HOME FROM WEST.

Mr. B. L. Szesman, president of the Washington Horse Exchange, returned home last Saturday from Western markets where he purchased a car load of horses and one car load of mules. They are expected to arrive here Tuesday.

DR. GALLAGHER WINS.

Dr. Rhodes T. Gallagher held the

lucky coupon at the Gem theater last night, winning the half dozen Japanese cups and saucers.

TURKEY EACH NIGHT.

Given Away at the Gaiety Theater This Week.

The patrons of the Gaiety theater this week will have the opportunity of securing a turkey for their Sunday dinner provided they hold the lucky coupon. Beginning last night a turkey was given to the one holding the lucky number. This will be repeated each night up until Saturday night. In addition to witnessing a first-class performance, a turkey is thrown in, for the small admission price of 10 cents. No doubt this will be appreciated by the citizens, and large crowds will attend this popular playhouse each evening during the present week.

Last Saturday night Mr. B. W. Taylor held the lucky coupon, winning the \$5 in gold.

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.

All Bay Horses

are not of the same value nor are all remedies called Croup & Pneumonia Cures of the same value. We know Vick's Croup & Pneumonia Salve does the work more quickly and sure than any on the market and is the original and largest. Take no chances. Get the original, Vick's.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE PROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

CAPDINE for That Headache.

Out last night? Headache and nervous this morning? Hicks' Capdine just the thing to fit you for business. Clears the head—braces the nerves. Try it. At drug stores.

FREE! FREE!

Ten dollar box candy given away. Who will hold lucky number? With every cash purchase a coupon will be given. The one holding the lucky number will receive the \$10 box of candy on display in the case in front of our store. See it and try for it. We will also give a second prize if a lady holds second prize coupon a bottle of Hudnut's toilet water, if a gentleman, a box of cigars.

HARDY'S DRUG STORE.
Under Hotel Louise.

One box cigars free. See Hardy's Drug Store ad.

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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DIXIE FRUIT CAKE

we are going to bake POUND CAKE of the genuine kind. They are going to be sold at prices in reach of all. Do not miss our Mince Pies. They will give you a pleasant surprise. Phone 189.

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Send Me Your Order Now for Your Christmas Whiskey

And get it in your home—ready for the day. I will send you some of the purest, best, well-aged whiskey you ever put to your lips, made in the good old honest way. And if you wish I will send you some wines and brandies for flavoring the mince pies and cake. Read these prices; they are low:

Gibson Rye, 8 years old, gal.	\$4.50
Quaker-Fine, 6 years old, gal.	\$4.00
Burgardner Mt. Rye, 6 years old, gal.	\$4.50
Savage Mt. Rye, 5 years old, gal.	\$3.50
Highpire Rye, 6 years old, gal.	\$3.50
Certified Rye, 3 years old, gal.	\$3.75
Nelson Bourbon, 7 years old, gal.	\$3.50
Country Club's Blend, gal.	\$2.50
N. C. Corn, gal.	\$3.00
Mountain Corn, gal.	\$2.50
Old N. C. Apple Brandy, 5 years old, gal.	\$4.00
Old Virginia Apple Brandy, gal.	\$3.00

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