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**THE LEADING CONTESTANTS FOR THE AUTOMOBILE GIVEN AWAY** CHRISTMAS DAY BY J. K. HOYT. ANY OF THIS LIST CAN WIN OUT BY GETTING DOWN TO WORK:

- Miss Ada Rhodes.
- Miss Rosalie Hill.
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- Miss Naomi Mayo.
- Geo. T. Leach, Jr.
- McQuire Overton.
- Frank Mixon.
- Geo. Taylor.
- Reginald Fulford.

Contest closes Dec. 24th, 12 p. m.

**BALANCE, 15c per pound; 2 pounds 35c; 5 pounds and over 15c per pound.** Phone No. 6, H. N. Blount's Farm. 19-40 e

**NORFOLK-SOUTHERN RAILROAD**

Greatly improved schedules. Nos. 11 and 13 now operate Sunday on Raleigh District.

Beginning Sunday December 18th, Raleigh District, trains Nos. 11 and 13 will be operated daily, except Sunday between Raleigh and New Bern, via Washington, and on Sunday between Raleigh and Washington.

Beaufort District, Train No. 16, Night Express with Pullman sleeping car for Norfolk will leave Goldsboro, at 8:45 p. m., leave Kingston 9:40 p. m., leave New Bern 11:05 p. m.; arrive Washington 12:35 p. m., arrive Norfolk 3:40.

Train No. 15 "Night Express" will leave Washington 4:15 a. m., leave New Bern 5:40 a. m.; arrive Kingston 6:55 a. m., arrive Goldsboro 8:05 a. m.

No change in schedule of Night Express, trains 5 and 4 on the Raleigh District.

Suffolk District—Train No. 20 will leave at 7:00 a. m., come as at present, and arrive Suffolk at 9:20 a. m.

Additional Trains on Belhaven Branch—Leave Belhaven 6:10 a. m. and 11:00 a. m., returning leave Mackays 8:30 a. m. and 2:15 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Columbia Branch—Leave Columbia 7:00 a. m., arrive Plymouth 8:22 a. m., leave Plymouth 9:58 a. m., arrive Mackays 11:30 a. m., leave Mackays 1:30 p. m., arrive Columbia 3:45 p. m.

Night Express—Train No. 8 will leave Edenton 4:45 a. m., leave Hertford 5:04 a. m., leave Elizabeth City 5:56 and arrive Norfolk 8:00 a. m.

Motor Car Pylon on Currituck Branch—Leave Menden 7:30 a. m., daily, arrive Norfolk 9:55 a. m., leave Norfolk, daily, except Sunday 10:00 a. m., leave Menden 12:40 p. m., arrive Norfolk 3:00 p. m., leave Norfolk daily 4:40 p. m., arrive Menden 4:48 p. m.

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If her China, her silver, her jewelry and her clothes, her silver and her perfume, are well insured. Lots of fire going; everybody out shopping—the house might burn. Could you stand the loss? Bragaw's Insurance will help you do it. Think about it and act.

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Book on patents. "Hints to inventors." "Inventions needed." "Why some inventors fail." Send rough sketch or model for search of Patent Office records. Our Mr. Greeley was formerly Acting Commissioner of Patents, and as such had full charge of the U. S. Patent Office.

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**Personal Mentions**

Miss Clara Hoyt of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Moore on W. Second street. She expects to spend the month of December in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Wolfe recently married in this city, arrived in Orangeburg, N. C., the home of the groom, last Saturday from their bridal tour. Their future home will be Rocky Mount after February 1, 1911.

Miss Ruth Credle of Pantego arrived in the city Saturday evening en route to her home from Salem Female Academy and College, Winston-Salem, where she expects to spend the holidays with her parents.

Master Charlie McKel of Columbia, N. C., arrived in the city Saturday from Warrenton High School on his way home to spend Christmas with his parents.

Mr. David T. Taylor, Jr., is home from the Hingham school, Mebane, to spend Christmas with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. T. Taylor.

Captain Wesley Peebles of Bath, is in the city.

Mrs. May Belle Moore who has been the guest of Mrs. Margaret Hoyt left for her home in Norfolk, Va., today.

Masters William and Seth Baughman are home from the Warrenton High School to spend Christmas.

Mr. Heber Wilkinson who has been attending the A. & M. College at Raleigh passed through the city Saturday en route to his home at Belhaven to spend Christmas.

Miss Catherine Small who has been attending St. Mary's School at Raleigh is home to spend the holidays with her parents Hon. and Mrs. John H. Small.

County Commissioner Fred Von Eberstein of Chocowinity, was a Washington visitor this morning.

Mr. C. H. Fuller and family and friends left yesterday morning on the Atlantic Coast Line for their home in Rhode Island to spend Christmas.

Mr. Lee Davenport who is attending the state university is in the city. He is to spend Christmas with his parents at Pactolus.

Mr. Claud Carrow is in the city from a business trip.

Mr. C. Foster returned from New Bern last night where he spent Sunday.

Misses Kaeheline Bragaw and Mary Fowler are home from St. Mary's for the holidays.

Mrs. C. B. McKel and son, Charlie left for their home in Columbia, today.

**THE LAST WEEK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT**

The third and last week of Beaufort county superior court opened this morning. His Honor Judge Asa H. Ashville is presiding and Solicitor L. S. Ward of this city, prosecuting the criminal docket. This is Solicitor Ward's last term of court before he is succeeded by Mr. Eriughouse of Elizabeth City.

The entire time of the court this week will be taken up in the trial of criminal cases.

**NEW RESIDENCES.**

Rumor has it that several nice residences are to be erected in Nicholasville within the next few months.

2 or 3 doses of "666" will cure any case of chills and fever. Price 25c.

**JUDGE COUNCIL RETIRES; TEN YEARS' SERVICE**

Judge Council of Hickory, N. C., who has been holding court at Asheville for the past several weeks, with the present term of court, retires from the bench and is succeeded by Judge Cline of Hickory.

Judge Council is well and favorably known in Beaufort county, having presided over the superior court here for several terms. No man has ever occupied this high and exalted position with him more friends both among the members of the bar and amongst the people.

Judge Council will resume the practice of law in Hickory his present home.

**WARMING UP.**

Warming up, old boy!

The big oak logs ablazing high; What a circle of joy, The cat and dog and you and I!

Sitting all close up— The heat ain't yet spread all around; I cles on my back A-playing leap-frog up and down.

Awful cold, old boy, But it don't pay to stay in bed; Shivering now, its true, But those old logs will soon be red.

Lazy fire, that is, Throw on another lightwood knot; Logs blazing high, it's true, But mighty slow a-getting hot.

Look at Nero, there; See how he shakes and whines and begs, 'Most shook himself to pieces, His tail froze fast betwix his legs.

Another knot, old boy, A great big, fat one if you please; I'm burning on one side, But 'toher side about to freeze.

Pussy, over there, Seems to be thinking lots of things; Sitting mighty straight and tall, With eyes as big as finger rings.

Poker here, old boy, Give that front log a little turn; That is just what it needs, See now, it's started off to burn.

Warming up, old boy! Logs getting hot at last—Oh my! What a circle of joy, The cat and dog and you and O.

**WALKER DANIEL**  
Hills Point, N. C.

**ONE ADDITION**

There was one addition by baptism to the First Baptist church yesterday Rev. J. A. Sullivan, the pastor, baptised the candidate in Washington Park yesterday afternoon.

Mr. J. M. Barfield manager of the Free Will Baptist, of Ayden, is in the city today on business.

Mr. Stephen Fowler who is traveling for Atkins Saw Company is in the city to spend Christmas with his parents, Chief of Police and Mrs. M. J. Fowler.

**LABOR INSPECTOR**  
Commends Postum Plant

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 21.—The pure food factories of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich., which are visited by from 15,000 to 18,000 tourists annually, entertained an unexpected visitor the other day in the person of Sylvester Greusel, Michigan State Factory Inspector.

With practiced and unsparring eye this state official investigated the great group of factory buildings where Postum Cereal, Grape Nuts and Post Toasties are manufactured. The result of his visit was shown by the following special report which he made to the Michigan State Labor Commissioner:

Mr. Richard Fletcher, Commissioner of Labor and Statistics, Lansing, Mich.—Dear sir: I have this day (Sept. 20, 1910), carefully inspected every department of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich., and I think they are entitled to an especially complimentary report for the following reasons:

FIRST. All the mechanical appliances of this splendid factory are in perfect condition—everything safe guarded.

SECOND. The sanitary conditions are of the best. Everything is furnished employees—fresh water, wash-rooms, dressing and toilet rooms.

THIRD. With the large number of persons employed in the breakfast food department, there have been no accidents.

FOURTH. I find the statistics of the wages paid men and women the highest I have found in any factory I have inspected in Michigan.

FIFTH. They do not employ any child labor under 16 years of age.

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Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) Sylvester Greusel  
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Whether from malarious conditions, Colds or over-heating, try Fick's Capudine. It reduces the fever and relieves the aching. It is Liquid—V 25 and 50 cents at drug stores.

Some women can look swear words just as forcibly as some men can say them.

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"If my friends hadn't blundered in thinking I was a doomed victim of consumption, I might not be alive now," writes D. T. Sanders, of Harrodsburg, Ky., "but for years they say every attempt to cure a lung racking cough fail. At last I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. The effect was wonderful. It soon stopped the cough and I am now in better health than I have had for years. This wonderful life-saver is an unrivaled remedy for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhages, whooping cough or weak lungs. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all Druggists.

Be polite and kind to everybody, you can't tell who may be thinking of sending you a Christmas present.

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Women desiring beauty get wonderful help from Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It banishes pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils. It makes the skin soft and velvety. It glorifies the face. Cures sore eyes, cold sores, cracked lips, chapped hands, heat for burns, scalds, fever sores, cuts, bruises and piles. 25c at all Druggists.

Everybody ought to have fair notice as to whether December 26 is to be wet or dry.

**Saves an Iowa Man's Life.**

The very grave seemed to yawn before Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, when, after seven weeks in the hospital, four of the best physicians gave him up. Then was shown the marvelous curative power of Electric Bitters. For, after eight months of frightful suffering from liver trouble and yellow jaundice, getting no help from other remedies or doctors, five bottles of this marvelous medicine completely cured him. His positively guaranteed for Stomach, Liver or Kidney troubles and never disappoints. Only 50c at all Druggists.

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S. Hens . . . . . 1.70  
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Mixed Pears . . . . . 1.70  
Speckled Pears . . . . . 1.70  
Wonderful Pears . . . . . 1.70  
Black Pears . . . . . 1.60  
Clay Pears . . . . . 1.70  
B. E. Pears . . . . . \$2.10  
Green salt hides . . . . . 7 1/2c  
Green hides . . . . . 6 1/2c  
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Wool, free from burrs . . . . 50c  
Wool, burry . . . . . 10 to 14c  
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