



....Father Time, Having....

acquired the fond habit of eating our ice cream, bids 1911 good morning with a wink and a smiling hint to go to the BURLINGTON DRUG CO. for palatable luxuries-Ice Cream Soda Water-Hot Drinks and candy as well as toilet articles and correctly compounded prescriptions.

Local and Personal.

Messrs John Lynch and Blake Isley returned to school at Chapel Hill Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. McCullom of New York was a business visitor in town last week.

Mrs. W. K. Hbit spent part of last week the guest of relatives in Greensboro.

Mr. Luther Isley of the Styx spent last week the guest of his uncle J. H. Isley.

Mr. Grady Cates has just returned from a visit of several days near Mebane.

Mr. J. H. Isley and Mrs. W. C. Isley were business visitors at Greensboro Monday.

Mr. M. B. Smith returned last week from a few days visit to relatives at Reidsville.

Mrs. Fred Smith of Salisbury spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gross.

Miss Mollie Ingle of Greensboro spent several days the past week the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vernon spent last week the guest of friends and relatives at Roxboro.

Miss Queen Ingle spent the past week at Spencer the guest of her sister Mrs. F. A. Jarrett.

Rev. A. F. Isley and daughter of Route 8 spent Thursday and Friday with his brother J. H. Isley.

Mr. Lester Gross of Goldsboro spent last week the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gross.

Mr. Walter Isley who spent the holidays with his parents returned to his work at Roanoke last Friday.

The six month old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Foster died Monday and was buried Tuesday at Pine Hill Cemetery.

Mr. J. S. Kagey who left here a year ago and has since been living at Harrisonburg Va. is the guest of his wife and family for a few days.

Miss Verna Cates of Meredith College Raleigh, who spent the holidays with her parents will leave Thursday to resume her course in music and bookkeeping.

Prof. J. B. Robertson and Miss Carrie Hornaday who spent their Christmas vacation the guest of their parents returned to their school at Randleman first of the week.

Rev. O. L. Springfield who travels in the interest of the Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville Ky. preached an interesting and able sermon at the Baptist Church this city Sunday.

Roney-Blanchard.

Mr. Chesey H. Roney and Miss Essie A. Blanchard were joined in marriage at the home of the brides mother in Faucette Township Sunday December 25th. Only a few intimate friends were present to witness the solemn ceremony. Rev. J. W. Holt officiated.

The Prize-Winning Letter to Santa Claus.

Burlington, N. C. Dec. 24th 1910 Dear Santa Claus: 5, 10 & 25 cent store, Burlington, We, the undersigned committee appointed to pass upon your letters, beg to report that they were all so excellent that we found it very difficult to decide which are the best two, but after the most careful consideration, we award the prizes as follows: For best letter written by a girl to Annie Dare Elder. For best letter written by boy to Frank Florence.

J. A. Hornaday
Corney D. Whitesell
E. S. W. Dameron

Committee

Burlington, N. C. Dec. 20, 1910 Dear Santa Claus:-Christmas is nearly here and I am looking for you to come and bring me a soldier suit and a hobby horse and some candy, apples, nuts and oranges and some building blocks.

I hope it will not be snowing so you can get around to see all the little boys and girls. If you don't have enough toys to give all the little boys you can give them some of mine.

You must excuse my writing as I am in the second grade.

Santa Clause if you want some cake when you get to my house just look in the sideboard and help yourself. I will close my letter now. You must be sure and come to see me Christmas.

Your little boy,
Frank Florence.

Burlington, N. C. Dec. 3rd 1910 Dear Santa Claus:- I will write you a few lines this evening to let you know I am well and feeling fine. I hope you are well and almost ready to start on your rounds. How is Mrs. Santa Clause and all the little Clauses. I hope you have lots of things on hand as I am expecting quite a lot of things. I want you to bring me a doll, a pair of gloves a ring and a story book, and any other toys you can spare. I also want some candy, oranges and every thing else that is good to eat. My mama will have you some good cake baked when you come around be sure and try it. I will have my hat sitting and my stocking hanging in the front room close to the chimney, my hat will be a red one be sure and make no mistake as I have other sisters and a brother that are looking for you too. Mama says where there are so many children you can not give so much to one, but you have always brought me just what I wanted, so I know you won't disappoint me this time.

I guess I have written enough for this time. I will wait patiently if I can until you come around. Good-bye dear old Santa Claus. Lovingly,
Annie Dare Elder.

Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Staley of High Point spent Christmas the guest of Mesdames Bowers and Staley's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mebane.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Remaining in Post Office at Burlington, N. C., Dec 24, 1910.

GENTLEMEN:

Grover Anderson, F. M. Cook, J. C. Isbel (2), Lester Lee, W. J. Phillips, C. D. Roach (2), Ken Sarratt, J. C. Somers, C. A. Tresler, Capt. S. C. Turrentine.

LADIES:

Mrs. Jane Corbett, Miss Mary Curtis, Mrs. Julia Foust, Special Delivery, Miss Judia Foust, Mrs. Harry Gillispie, Mrs. Pearl Graves, Mrs. Fast Thompson.

Persons calling for any of these letters will please say "Advertised and give date of advertised list."

J. ZEB WALLER,
Post Master.

McPherson-Norwood.

Mr. Lawson McPherson and Miss Francis Norwood the first of Snow Camp No 1 and the other of Siler City No 2 were married Sunday January the first at the home of Mr. F. W. Duncan who officiated. Mr. McPherson is a prosperous farmer of that section. Both are popular with their many friends.

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The number of people killed yearly by wild beasts don't approach the vast number killed by disease germs. No life is safe from their attacks. They're in air, water, dust, even food. But grand protection is afforded by Electric Bitters, which destroy and expel these deadly disease germs from the system. That's why chills, fever and ague, all malarial and many blood diseases yield promptly to this wonderful blood purifier. Try them, and enjoy the glorious health and new strength they'll give you. Money back, if not satisfied. Only 50c at Mebane Drug Co., Mebane North Carolina.

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FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. V. ALBASON,
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