

SMILES.

Said Thomas Jones in cheerful tones, 'Your nose's exact like mine's, fact, my son, I do declare!'

'Not quite so red,' Young hopeful said, '(At daddy's nose he quints). 'Some folks prefer their noses, sir, but I like sober little.'

How Queen Victoria Celebrates Christmas

The Prince Consort. During the reign of our Queen's immediate predecessors the observance of Christmas degenerated; but for some of the interest it now assumes, we have to thank the Prince Consort, who held it a most sacred time.

The first Christmas of their married life, just after the birth of the Princess Royal, was spent by the Queen and her husband at Windsor Castle; and we read in the 'Life of the Prince Consort' how Christmas trees were put up in the Queen and Prince's room; a custom which was continued in future years, when they were also set up in another room for the young princes, princesses, and in the Oak Room for the household.

Since her bereavement, her Majesty has generally spent Christmas at Osborne. Those seasons exceptionally passed at Windsor have been signalized by sorrow and anxiety, as when the Prince of Wales was dangerously ill in 1871, and the Princess Alice died in 1878.

On New Year's day, some £200 is distributed in gifts to 1,200 poor of the parishes of Windsor and Clewer, in the form of coals, meat and bread, the amount varying according to the size of the family of the recipient, and are recommended by the dean and vicar of Windsor and the rector of Holy Trinity.

On the tan flooring, all along the centre of the school, are a row of white covered tables, with joints of beef, varying from seven pounds to three pounds, replenished by sprigs of holly. The recipients, young and old, women and men and some young children, enter by ticket, carrying neatly folded cloths, and bags, and pass out by the east entrance, underneath the room whence the Prince records he and the rest of the royal family were wont to witness the ceremony.

In the Queen's absence, she is represented by court officials. Last year 814 joints were given away, weighing 3,221 pounds. Besides this, 1,203 cwt. of coals, in portions of 3 cwt. and 1 cwt., are delivered at the homes of the poor; and her Majesty makes liberal contributions to the Royal Clothing Club.

Christmas is kept at Sandringham by the Prince and Princess of Wales in thoroughly national style. On Christmas Eve beef is distributed to the laborers and workmen on the royal estate—prime joints, in proportion to the size of the family, reckoning two pounds to each adult, one pound for each child. It is given in the Royal Mews, in the presence of the Prince and Princess, their children, and their household. On Christmas morning the choristers assemble on the terrace to sing carols and anthems.

The school children receive new clothing and each a Christmas card. There are generally large shooting parties and plenty of fun prevails.

The Reason Why.

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CAROLINA CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY. OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec 12, 1880. CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. ON AND AFTER December 13, 1880, the following Schedule will be operated on this Railroad: