MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Before THE RECORD again smeets its readers another Christwas will have come and gone. We are now approaching the happiest season of the year—the joyous Christmas tide-when is combistory, when the Angelic Hosts ginia. proclaimed "Peace on earth, good-will to all mankind."

The birth of Christ is not only the era by which the world dates all its events and marks its time, est day of the year to many mil- road, which was running as sec-Nons. What a flood of happy tion No. 2 of the "Columbian memories come to the old as they recall their past Christmases, and what happy hopes delight the young as they look forward feet into the sleeper, but the to the future!

The appropriate observance of Christmas is more general now than formerly, when so many professing Christians observed the occasion only as a social holiday and abstained from any religious exercises. It is the day when man's noblest impulses are in the ascendant, and when his better nature asserts itself. It is the day above all other days when is felt not only the fatherbood of God but the brotherhood perate lung trouble, hemorrhages, laof man.

you can have at Christmas is that experienced in making others serson and try to make it the happiest Christmas of his or her

Christmas is the greatest occhange of gifts, and indeed a most beautiful custom has almost degenerated into a nuisdegenerated into a nuis-While the exchange of gifts is a most appropriate cus- Pilkington's. tem for the day when is commemorated God's great gift of tom is now so greatly abused has 500 more to haul. The apand diverted from its original ples bring \$1 per bushel. purpose that it has lost much of its beauty.

Christmas!

HON. ASHLEY HORNE has given \$10,000 for the erection on Capitol Square at Raleigh of a monument to the women of the The Bank of Merry Oaks Confederacy. Efforts have been erection of such a monument at the capital of every Southern State. Our House of Representatives in 1909 passed a bill appropriating \$10,000 for such a monument at Raleigh but the Senate defeated it by a small majority. All efforts failed to get the last Legislature to pass such a bill, and now the generous gift of a private citizen will wipe out this disgrace to our State.

Such a gift will be not only a monument to the women of the Cenfederacy but also to the public spirited and patriotic citizen, who has served his State so well both in war and in peace, and who his many friends hope may be spared for many more years of useful- that the above statement is true to the

THOSE Democrats who voted last week with the Republicans for the Sherwood pension bill cannot be too severely censured. We regret that even one out of eur ten Representatives should have voted for it. He so voted because there are many Federal pensioners in his district (the teath) who had been Union solders and bushwhackers during the war, but we hope such a vote will not increase his popularity, as expected.

If the Senate should pass this bill of course Taft will not veto it, as Cleveland would do. A Caskets always on hand and reasonable pension ought to be paid to all deserving soldiers, sold at all prices. All kinds but under this bill a grievous burden is laid upon the country and sizes. and among the recipents of its bounty will be such cowards (who never smelt gunpowder) as those Union soldiers who insisted upon their discharge, be-

cause their three-months' enlistment had expired, on the eve of the battle of Bull Run.

WE are much pleased to note the victory of our State University last Friday night in the debate with the University of Pennsylvania. This is the fifth annual debate between those two universities, and the fourth victory won by our University. This should be more than full commemorated the anniversary of pensation for the defeat in footthat greatest event in the world's ball by the University of Vir-

Killed in Railroad Wreck

Odesfa, Minn., Dec. 18.-Ter are dead and nearly a score are more or less seriously injured as the result of a silk train on the but each anniversay is the great- Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Pau flyer" crashing into the rear sleeper of the flyer at the station here today. The engine of the silk special ploughed for five greatest loss of life was in the front end of the sleeper which was telescoped by the dining car just ahead.

Saved His Wife's Lite.

"My wife would have been in her grave today," writes O. H. Brown, of Museadine, Alabama, "If it had not Indebtedness on General County Fun been for Dr. King's New Discovery She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and she soon began to mend and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for des-

Thirty ex-Confederate soldiers happy. If you doubt this, just died at the Soldiers' Home in try it and be convinced. Seek Raleigh during the year drawing some forlorn child or afflicted to a close and there are now 130 veterans being cared for at this institution.

Ends Winter Troubles

vinces. Greatest healer of burns. boils, piles, cuts, sores, bruises, eczema and sprains. Only 25e at G. R.

The Lenoir News states that Mr. J. F. Coffey, of Watauga his only son for man's redemp- county, has taken to market this tion, yet this time honored cus- fall 1,150 bushels of apples and

A Terrible Blunder

To each and all its readers to neglect liver trouble. Never do it. THE RECORD extends the greet- first sign of constipation, billousness or inactive bowels and prevent viruings of this joyous occasion and lent indigestion, jaundice or gall wishes for them a very merry stones. They regulate liver, stomach and bowels and build up your health. Only 25c et G. R. Pilkington's.

REPORT

of the condition of

at Merry Oaks, in the State of North made for several years for the Carolina, at the close of business

December 5, 1911.		
RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts \$	12,822	73
Overdrafts	848	
Banking houses, furniture		
and fixtures	2,451	25
Due from banks and bankers	4,567	
Gold coin	65	00
Silver coin, including all mi-		
nor coin currency	250	42
National bank notes and		
other U.S. notes	2,004	
Current expenses	1,044	47
Interest on time deposits	51	
	24,105	

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Total	24,105	41
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in	6,000	00
Notes and bills rediscounted	2.848	50
Time certificates of deposit.	2,525	80
Deposits subject to check	11.592	92
Exchange	451	46
Discounts and interest	686	
Total	24.105	41
State of North Carolina, C	ounty	of

best of my knowledge and belief. WALTER L NORRIS. Subscribed and sworn to before methis 12th day of December, 1911.

I, Walter L. Norris, Cashier of the

Chatham, sa:

J. D. McIVER, Notary Public. Correct-Attest.

THOMAS G. ROLLINS, J. R. BOOTHE, W. H. MIMS,

Coffins and

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A full stock of Coffins and

B. Nooe,

Pittsborc, N. C.

Office Bd County Commissioners,

November 30, 1911. In accordance with Section 1.- T. W. Hobby 388, of the Revisal, I herewith Bascom Hackney submit the following statement Auburn Bland of the finances of Chatham coun- L. P. Council ty for the fiscal year ending Nov. E. E. Walden 30th, 1911, together with the John D. White names of all persons who re- C. C. Hamlet ceived county orders, the amount Tyson & Dismukes of each and on what account. JOHN W. JOHNSON, Ex-officio Clerk to the Board of Jas. Taylor

Commissioners.

	Assets on General Coun	ty Funds.	7
nes	Tax list for the year 1911 Marriage license tax Amount due from Lee	\$16,646 100	76
e 1	county for support of paupers Livery license Hotel keeper tax Lightning rod agents. Coffin dealers	288 23 2 25	00 00 00
fee	Circus and side shows tax Near-beer license Peddlers tax J. R. Milliken Court-house, tin roof'g	22 3 50 2,735	50 34 00 92
	Amount received from Lee county on bond- ed indebtness		76

\$17,001 Bonded Indebtedness.

Expenditures.

Orders outstanding \$12,487

Amount of orders is-

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grippe, asthma, hay fever, eroup and whooping cough. 50c, \$1. Trial botthe truest and best joy that

grippe, asthma, hay fever, eroup and Contracted Mch 10, 1905 \$20,00
Contracted April 1, 1909 25,00
Contracted April 1, 1910 5,00 Contracted April 1, 1910 5,00 \$2,000 of the 1905 bonds wi be due in 1915, and \$2,000 there after annually until paid.

\$2,000 of the 1909 bonds wi be due in 1919 and \$2,000 annu ally thereafter to April 1st, 1933 when the remaining \$1,000 wi

\$1,000 of the 1910 bonds will be due April 1st, 1931, and \$2, son of trou- 000 annually thereafter until the

All interest on these bonds paid when due.

perd when due.		
On Account of Court-Hou	se.	
Victor Johnson \$	20	0
The Art Metal Construc-		100
tion Company	300	0
G. R. Pilkington	5	3
Edwards & Broughton		
Printing Co	29	6
Chatham Record	21	0
W. L. London & Son	68	3
Hatch & Glenn	11	
Cole Printing Co	3	1
National Office Supply Co.	16	6
R. A. Richards & Co	4	0
L. N. Womble	1	8
Chicago House Wrecking	120	
Co	56	
W. B. Harper	52	
Dryan & Snipes	40	1.00
Geo. D. Barnard	12	100
Sanford Sash & Blind Co.	3	7
June T. Johnson	2	0
L. H. Sanders		
Jas. L. Griffin		
Brooke & Fuhanles	70	11.12

Jas. L. Griffin Brooks & Eubanks	10	(
Total\$	662	2
On Account of Tax List		
C. P. Farrell \$ S. D. Gilmore	100 105	0

3	On Account of Tax Lis	t.	
	C. P. Farrell \$	100	00
0	S D Gilmore	105	00
3	I.I.G. Norwood	100	00
5	W. M. Lindsey	75	00
3	J. R. MOOFE		00
9	O. M. Poe	82	1,753,751
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)	J. B. Burke	105	10.00
	J. B Council	272	0.775
	J. W. Brewer	85	
	O. A. Hanner	110	1200
	W. B. Teague	70	
1	John W. Johnson	465.	
1	Edwards & Broughton.	32	
	Total \$1	,861	45

Edwards & Broughton	32
Total	\$1,861
On Account of Outside	Poor.
G. P. Elmore	\$ 26
Granville C. Perry	28
White Bros D. G. Fox	194
Wm.Pendergrass	24 (
W. L. Johnson	12 (

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	David L. Eubanks	16	DU
1	C I Andrews	26	00
_	G. L. Andrews	.13	00
	Geo. H. Brooks Sam. W. Womble	200	00
	Coggins & Fitts	21	00
	Ernest Farrell	10	00
	Dock Tuck	10	50
-	Dock Tuck Robt. H. White	-22	
	W. E. Griffin	10 48	
1	G. W. Rives	40	
1	I. W. Clark	2	
.	J. B. Thompson	20	00
-	Jas. B. Atwater	77	55
1	T. B. Cole	13	00
1	Pete Dowdy	48	00
1	T. R. Green	19	00
	C. B. Philling	11	00
1	C. B. Phillips Mann-Tillman Co	10	90
1	Fletcher Mann	22	50
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Perry & Mann

O. C. Ellis

G. W. Perry

John Harris

J. H. Cotton

S. D. Gilmore

Henry Johnson

18 00 F. C. Straughan Jas. L. Griffin 45 00 H. P. Goldston Womble. 5 00 A. S. Fields 1 00 W. O. Farrell 16 00 R. J. Hough 6 00 L. N. Womble 7 00 S. J. Smith 12 50 10 00 Fearrington Merc. Co 7 99 8 45 50 C. D. Moore 12 00 3 00 Jas. L. Griffin 278 25 2 40 R. P. Johnson 12 60 14 00 J. R. Council 1 23 20 00 W. H. Ward 8 00 H. T. Chapin 7 50 R. M. Burns 8 60 8 00 G. W. Jones 2 00 W. L. London & Son. 40 50 J. J. Crump 4 00 A. Eubanks 6 00 W. L. London & Son 31 77 3 00 J. Leslie Abbott 102 50 Ben H. Hackney 52 00 \$1,420 37 John R. Milliken 93 57 W. J. Teague 7 60 On Account Conveying Prisoners to G. W. Riggsbee. 16 50 J. E. Marsh 20 00 S. H. Dunlap \$ 14 85 H. A. London 4 00 3 75 4 54

J. I. Wright	59 25	J
Ex. Fearrington	12 00	1
John Bowers	14 50	7
W. A. Marsh	22 90	
Leon T. Lane	29 90	
A. R. Ellis	9 00	
S. L. Lester	8 15	
Aver Farrell	4 00	
D. C. Roberts	15 15	Pilane
General Spruill	3 00	I
Total La Change	\$192 70	y
On Account of Cor	oner.	d
George H. Brooks	\$22 60	f
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	Dr. L. E. Farthing 466	00
	R. W. Palmer 23	80
24	J. W. Johnson 231	00
	Chatham Record 65	90

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	Dr. L. E. Farthing	466
	R. W. Palmer	23
24	J. W. Johnson	231
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11	J. J. Jenkins	41
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	I J II VV VV VIII		20	Hayes & Bynum, Attorneys.
11	J. J. Jenkins	41		
	Edwards & Broughton	33	65	ing qualified as executor of the
11	Durnam Book & Sta. Co		vv	last will and testament of James 1).
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e	_ Co	367		decedent to present the came to me on I
	Fred. W. Bynum	90	00	or before December 13, 1312
g	E. L. Stinson	2	45	Tals Dec. 13, 1911.
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15 15	ORTGAGE SALE.—By vir-
3 00	tue of a mortgage executed to Horace Jones by J. M. Maynard and
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\$192 70	and legistered on page 286, in Book I
	"EA," in the office of the register of
e99 en	deeds of Chatham county, we will sell for each at public auction at the court
\$22 60 31 90	house door of said county, on Natur-
. 31 30	day, the lath of January, 1911, the fol-
\$54 50	ship, in said county, lying on the wa-
. \$04 00	ters of New Hope creek and the Dur-
ous.	ham and South Catolina railroad
90 70	bounded by H. Sears on the south, by
9 10	The reduction on the east, and by
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65 90	Dec 13, 1911. Attorneys.
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53 90	Having qualified as administra-
13 00	tor of W. M. Gattis, deceased, I here- by notify all persons holding claims
50 07	by notify all persons holding claims
101 40	agai st said decedent to exhibit the
20 00	of December, 1912. This Dec. 13, 1911.
5 00	JOE W. GATTIS,
22 00	Administrator
5 20	Hayes & Bynum, Attorneys.
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33 65	EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as executor of the
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