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We love 1909, but Oh you Ten.

Make your resolutions so strong that you help not with one stone in improving the Sheolie Speed.

A happy New Year to you and yours and may you try to make the year happy one for others.

LET US PRAY.

With 1910 the knockers will stop knocking and the kickers quit kicking against their town.

That fictional differences will be blotted out by each remembering and practicing the forbearance instead of being the surly bear.

That good feeling be established between every citizen by each remembering that there are two sides to every proposition and especially to every contention and in recognition of this fact, act accordingly.

That law and order will prevail by each one of us observing the one and respecting the other.

That we may make our county and town greater in wealth, intelligent progress and growth along all healthy lines by each and every one of us doing his or her part.

That each one of us may so act, and so do that that world in which we live shall be the better for our being here.

That 1910 will show greater efforts on our part individually and collectively to measure up to the full duty of a citizen.

That each and every one of us fully realize and properly appreciate the prime fact, the basis of all genuine progress.

That no one preys upon another.

1909.

The year, just closed, will be noted, more for the great strides made in navigating the air, than probably any other half a dozen achievements.

Next will be probably the discovery of the North Pole by Peary and the colossal imposition of Cook.

The year has been one of great activity, and so much progress has been made on the Panama Canal that it seems quite reasonable that the big ditch should be completed by January first, 1915.

But the year will be remembered by most people longest for the great advance in the cost of living.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent) Washington, D. C. Jan. 1, 1910.

The familiar play called "The Official New Year's Reception" was again enacted at the White House on January 1st, 1910. If it could be introduced into the moving picture shows, it would no doubt attract good houses.

At a fixed hour the President and his wife receive first the Diplomatic Corps, consisting of the ambassadors, ministers and attaches from foreign countries. These are quite numerous now, the more important powers being represented by six or seven persons. They all come in the uniforms of their several countries with gold lace and decorations, composing a belted regalia that our army and our naval officers cannot attain. The smallest South and Central American republics display an area of gold lace and decoration that outshines the uniforms of the representatives of Germany, Austria and Russia, although those countries are anything but simple in their full dress official clothes.

After the diplomatic corps has wished the President and Mrs. Taft a happy new year and received their greeting in kind, the members of the Cabinet followed by the Justices of the Supreme Court in the dark silk robes in which they sit in court and the Senators and Representatives in Congress or those who happen to be in Washington during the holidays, pass the President and his wife and exchange greetings.

Then come those in the Civil Service, chiefs of bureaus and the officials of the District of Columbia, followed finally by private citizens who have formed a long waiting line.

This scene has been enacted for fully a hundred years, every President of the United States taking part in it. It was Mrs. Cleveland who, in the midst of the reception, stated that she wanted to rest a moment and change her smile and many a President and his wife has had a swollen hand and a stiff arm for a week after the ordeal.

Congress will resume its sessions in a few days and it is expected that then the political situation will be interesting, for with the determination of the insurgents to make themselves heard and felt and with the imminent breach between the Speaker of the House and the President, there is promise of disclosure and matter of much interest in the coming months.

The question of the increased cost of everything that man and woman used internally, externally and eternally is being investigated by the women's Secretary of Agriculture the question is vital and widespread. It is generally conceded that the original producer does not get more for his products than he is entitled to and there is a strong suspicion that the last retailer has succeeded by

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Miss Emma Flaylayson, of Baltimore is visiting Miss Sue Baker. Miss Gretchen Parker of Clinton is visiting Miss Rata Dawson. Miss Annie Corbett, of Clayton, is spending a few days with relatives.

Miss Jane Kramble, of Graham, is the guest of Mrs. Mary Eliza Pitt. George Panitzgola is back from Raleigh.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. P. Pickett near Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox have returned to Raleigh. Prof. Kittrell is back from a visit to home people.

Mrs. Geo. J. Hiles, after spending several days with Mrs. A. Williams, has returned home.

Mrs. Mordant White announces the marriage of her sister Jeanie Lynn Ferrell to Mr. Leroy Fairchild Bell.

The most go was celebrated in Wilson. The bride is well known here and has many friends. The groom is one of the bright, energetic young men of the town. They will be at home at January 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoston Dawson of Coatesville are guests of Mrs. J. M. Dixon. C. M. Parks and wife are back from Baltimore.

Miss Lucy Thomas has returned to Rocky Mount, after a visit to Miss Maude Fly. Ben Burn and wife, of Rocky Mt. spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

House Entered. The dwelling of W. J. Lancaster in No. 13 townally, was entered Sunday at 11 and robbed of several suits of clothes and a handbag dress suit case.

Mr. Gorcey's Dog. Mr. Gorcey with his dog was called for to endeavor to find the burglar who entered Monday night. Gorcey's photograph gallery in Rocky Mount, one hundred dollars in money being stolen.

Monday his dog was called for near Hamlet to trail the supposed secondary of the barn on Arrington Kitchin's Corn Farm. The dog ran the trail for a mile and then lost it.

AT THE PUB "THE PUB" AT THE PUB. FREE! Hand Decorated \$10.00 DINNER SETS.

Given Away Also 'tis FREE to Our Customers.

A Large Check, which is on exhibition at our store, will be wound up—the face of this check is covered—and it will be allowed to run down and stop.

With Every Purchase of a certain amount we will give a card—this card will be stamped with a special time of day. The card also states a certain time when you are to present it in our store. On the time specified all persons holding cards for this date will present their cards at the time indicated, and the person holding a card which time is nearest to that of the time when the clock stops, gets a beautiful complete dinner set absolutely free.

Remember, You Must Be In The Store when the clock is uncovered as the dinner set will be given to the person present with the nearest time card.

We Will Give Away a great many dinner sets, so if your clock does not win at the first uncovering of clock, do not throw it away; save it. You may win it the next time, or the 3, 4, 5, 6, or some future time. Save your cards.

Our Prices will remain as heretofore, the lowest—our quality is always, will be the best. The purpose of this dinner set distribution will be to please our old trade and we hope will enable us to have some of you who never dealt with us to give us a trial. It is simply a profit sharing idea—that's all.

Will be Kept up Their High Standard. Soliciting your Future Kind Favors. I am Yours truly,

JAS. H. JOHNSTON Agent Imperial Company.

NEXT COTTON CROP.

This Year's Short Yield May Be Followed by Bumper Planting. Memphis, Jan. 1.—The 10,000,000 bbl. cotton crop of 1909 caused talk of small facilities for production, but the 11,000,000 bbl. crop of the next year breaks all records. It is pretty early to talk of next year's crop, but it is being done, because of the unusual price level and widespread talk of a cotton famine.

Generally speaking, it is safe to predict a record acreage, though conditions will be placed by the question of labor, spread of the boll weevil, attention to other crops and the matter of seed. This latter question is one that needs consideration, and some of the wise cotton people are not unmindful of the danger likely to be incurred through the high prices now being paid for seed and the expense to get it.

Should there come a spring when planting would have to be done several times—and such seasons are common—seed would be a big factor in fixing acreage.

High cost of grain, masts and other necessities have added impetus to the movement for diversified farming, and make less likely a very great increase in acreage.

The Central States are looked to for the greater part of the acreage increase. The Atlantic States have shown small increase for several years.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Many Matters Considered and Important Action Taken. The county commissioners Monday grappled with the most listless of solvent credits and other matters. They ordered a penalty of 25 percent on all who had failed to list their property.

The request to do before to meet the board and clerk and explain their apparent failure to list, was not responded to by all. The clerk will be ordered to notify those failing to appear before the board on the 15th, or the board would order property

GIRLS AND BOYS WANTED We want Girls and Boys to work in the TARBORO KNITTING MILLS. At Tarboro, N. C. and in the RUNNYMEDE MILLS. Near Tarboro, N. C.

The work is light, no dust or dirt and the pay is good; We can furnish you a house in the town of Runnymede or West Tarboro. We have good schools at Tarboro, and Runnymede.

A Free Education for Your Small Children. We have had steady work all the year. Do not fear a shut down, we will have work for you every day. Come and See the Work or Write to C. W. JEFFREYS, Tarboro, N. C. Gen'l. Manager.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Take your Share of CHICHESTER'S PILLS. A full stock of Fancy Groceries, Fruits, Nuts, etc., for holiday trade. Visit our store or phone us for good things. To bat, remember, to, that we carry a Full Line at all times from our own bakery. We will deliver the goods just when you want them. To avoid the rush and disappointment give us your orders now.

Will you call at our store and see the dishes and get further particulars. Yours to serve, The Hub Grocery Co. P. A. Lewis, Proprietor. Staple and Fancy Groceries, Soda Fountain Refreshments. The Pure Food People. Phone 136.

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THE BIG STORE

Don't Buy Your CHRISTMAS PRESENTS until you have seen our line of goods, and especially CHAIRS.

To Make Ideas into PRESENTS FOR father, son, mother or daughter, and we have chairs that are both useful and necessary.

THE BIG STORE F. M. & S. Q. CARRILE, Furniture Dealers.

WE THANK YOU At we have received many favors from the people of this community in the way of good will and patronage during the past twelve months we believe it fitting at this season to express our appreciation. We hope to merit a continuance of your patronage. We shall endeavor during the coming year to serve you still better if possible, and shall neglect no means that may contribute to that end. To All Our Friends and Patrons we Extend Best Wishes for a Prosperous and Happy 1910.

STATION & ZOELLER DRUGGISTS Corner Opposite Court House, Phone No. Four Two.

AN OPPORTUNE TIME The beginning of a New Year is a good time to start your business on a systematic basis. We would suggest that you deposit your money with this bank subject to check. By passing all your bills and obligations by checks you will be enabled to keep an account record of all your transactions. Bills paid check stay paid.

THE BANK OF TARBORO CAPITAL \$25,000 RESERVE \$20,000 J. F. Shalkford, Pres., J. T. Howard, V. Pres., L. V. Hart, Cashier, R. R. Hussey, Asst. Cashier. Safety lock boxes for rent.

Failed in Health "My mother died six years ago," writes Miss Ruth Ward, of Jerseyville, Ill., "and left me to care for six children. I had never been strong; and this, with the shock of her death, was too much for me. I failed in health. I was tired all the time and did not want to go anywhere, nor care for company. I had the headache all the time and such bearing-down pains. A very dear friend advised me to take Cardui, as it had done her so much good, so I commenced to use it and now I am in good health."

Take CARDUI The Woman's Tonic Women's pains are relieved or prevented and women's strength is quickly restored, by Cardui, the woman's tonic. You yourself know best if you need it, or not. If you do need it, do not delay, but commence to use it at once. Every day's delay only lets you slide further down the hill. Don't wait, then, but begin to take Cardui today, for its use, no matter how prolonged, cannot harm you and will surely do you good.

While at Ladies' Specialty Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. See Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free.

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We will continue business at the same stand during the year 1910 and will be glad to have your patronage for Cash or on Time. Thanking you for past favors and hoping you a Joyous Christmas and Happy New Year.

Yours truly, FRANK HART, J. K. NEWTON, Sec'y and Treas., Manager

THE TARBORO SUPPLY CO.

had paid and those who had not. He was also notified that the property of Frank Hart was involved, and that the law imposing these taxes, would be enforced. One of the reasons for the official bond \$1,000, which was for the reduction was that the property was not now existing anything. The treasurer was ordered to pay \$2,500 and tax on same or report first of each month of the amount of the tax. The Attorney General holds that it is not liable for taxes because of the school on the premises, of Rocky Mount. The matter has been referred to the Supreme Court.

ATTENTION YOU CHRISTMAS BUYERS You can save money by buying at this store.

SOLID GOLD CUFF BUTTONS, worth \$2.50, for \$1.40 per pair. SOLID GOLD CUFF PINS, worth \$1.75, for \$1.00 per pair. SOLID GOLD HAND/OME HAT PINS, worth \$1.75, for \$1.00 each. SOLID GOLD NEAT SCARF, worth \$1.50, for 75c each. SOLID SILVER THIMBLE, for 25c each. SOLID SILVER HAT PINS, for 25c each.

Ladies' Watches worth \$11.00 for \$6.25 each. Men's Watches worth \$10.00 for \$6.25 each. Boys' Watches worth \$2.50 for \$1.50 each.

All goods in my store will be sold at rock bottom prices, so call at once and get what you wish.

BELL THE JEWELER

Not an Experiment. We have passed "the law test stage" do not experiment with our business nor with your business. We are not incorporated for the purpose of carrying auxiliary enterprises. We enjoy the distinction of top not quality "that time endures it."

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answering every requirement. It is distilled, aged and bottled with special care and for the express purpose of being good as a healthful stimulant of tonic in the home. SUNNY BROOK, distilled in Bond by U. S. Government standard (40% proof) and every bottle bears the "Sunny Brook" label, showing the correct age and quality. Do not get the cheap, inferior, unwholesome, and unhealthful. SUNNY BROOK DISTILLERY CO., Jefferson Co., Ky.

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