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WASHINGTON N. C MONDAY AFTERNOON DECEMBER 21, 1914

HRISTMAS EXERCISES SAINT PETER'S CHURCH **YESTERDAY AFTERNOON**

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ther column you are put ing a letter received this morn-from Mr. Henry Clews, New & Cliv, treasurer of the Dollar stmas Fund.

rations Fund. Piease allow me to supplement i letter by thanking again each the one hundred and sevenity odd lividuals, clubs, schools, and ota-organizations that make up that i which Mr. Clews rightly char which Mr. Clews rightly char

the which Mr. Clows rightly char-cherins as "remarkable." I wish to express particular ap-resistion of the services of the Bay-age and Trans Company and the lank of Washington, through whom any of the gifts reached me, and of be Dally News, whose liberal dona-tion of photo in every issue for siv-cells was no small factor in the suc-ess of the effort.

a of the effort. Since the check was forwarded to w York I have had three dollar canded me for the same purpose-one dollar each from Master S. C. Carty, Jr., J. H. Calloway and Mrs. and this will be sent

mptly. It has been suggested by severa that the Fund should be kept open, and as the needs of those for whom we have appealed will not cease at Christmas but will continue in dis reasing volume for many months, (shall be glad to receive further dosuch gifts will be acknowledged th your columns as heretoforc

JOHN G, BRAGAW, JR. Treastrer Dollar Christmas Swindell at her home on West Third

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Yours very truly.

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Washington Is Thanked For

this morning's mail, will be read fault of their own.

ohn G. Bragaw, Jr., Esq., Washington, N. C. . Dear Mr. Bragaw:-In behalf of WILL RESUME

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who took part in the gift sent from

Washington for the Dollar Christ-

John G. Bragaw, Jr., Esq.,

Fund for Homeless Belgians.

nas Fund and in my own name as

treasurer, I beg to acknowledge your valued donation of \$809.34 contrib

uted by the town of Washington in

The New Theatre



yon Hindenberg expects stern reals-tance which the strongly reinforced Russian army is certain to offer. They are protected by the Vistals river, which the Germans have not en able to cross

London, Dec. 29. The German

The Russians are continuing op-orations against East Prussia, a: though the capital of Poland were hot threatened and by counter at tacks are attempting to throw off the

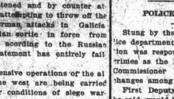
Austro-German, attaché in Galleis An' Austrian sortie in force from with an entire week's engagement of the "Southern Besutter Musica Councily Company." This troup-comes here with the very highest re-ommendation from every town that Przemysl; acording to the Russia mclal statement has entirely fail ed. they have played in. It is consider-The offensive operations of the al ed the best company on the road of its kind. This troupe travels under lies in the west are being carried out under conditions of slege war a strict guarantee to please every one. They will give an entire fare and are being stubbornly op posed by the Germans, who in the hange of program every night. Or ntr wire entanglements, make an ad vance of even a few yards very cost ly for the stracking force. 0

Along the coast the allies' warahing ontinualy are bombarding Germa ositions. nore marked from the Belgian bor-

They claim a slight advance. Think how far a photograph will go nies again have united after defeat BAKER'S STUDIO. of the Austrians who invaded Ser

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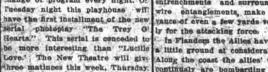


hments and surrounded by In Flanders the Allies have gained a little ground at considerable cost The advance has been

ler south to the river Oise, where the ground is not as wet as in the d regions of Flanders. Along the Alsne and in the cham

ow probably stronger than the Ger man, has been keeping on the move out in the Argonne region it is the Germans who are on the offensive The Servian and Montengrin an

Mr. Harvey Briley and son of Pa



Friday and Saturday. There is no doubt but that they will have capacity houses all of the week.

TEN THOUSAND PEOPLE In twenty miles of this city, who agno district the French artiller have relatives and friends you would like to visit this Christmas time. If you can't go, send them your photo graph, it is so personal in nature It will be almost like a visit to them

GUEST OF MRS. SWINDELL.

BREEZY NEWS FROM THE FIELD Sunday with his sister, Mrs. W. T.

decided relief to portray a char acter like Joe Lark in "The Black Sheep," declared Tom Moore. Kalem's popular leading man, recently. "For the last few months, "I have **Its Belgian Contributions** done nothing but light comedy work. Then came "The Black Sheep,' and the role of Joe Clark. I don't know The following letter, received in jreft of every comfort through no a single other role which afforded the such pleasure to portray. There was a double reason for this. The HENRY CLEWS. because it was wonderfully dra matic role. The second, because as Joe Clark, I was able to drive home with terrible force the fact that man

must suffer for his folly. The miral of this drama cannot be den I think that when photoplay patrons see it upon its release on Monday December 28th, they will vote 'The Black Sheep' one of the most power ful dramas ever told in motion plo

What is perhaps one of the most merciless exposures of the danger Kalem drams which is to be released Wednesday, December 30th. Miss Marin Sias, the charming

Anorth Carolins and vicinity. I noto with astisfaction that your gift is antirely roluntary and that there has been no personal soliciting. We are all very grateful to you for the prestical way in which you have obtain your sympathy for the cause of the distressed Belgians. Kalem leading actress, who enacts the role of the wife in this drama, had ample opportunity to abserve the results of the use of habit-form-ing remedies. When not engaged in ing remedies. When not engaged in working before the camera, Eliss Bais does settlement work and fre-quently finds wretches who contract-ed the drug habit by too frequent use of "catarrhal" powders and "headache cures."It is because the producing director subodied Mis-Bais's suggestions in "The Ders-lict," that photoplay patrons will field this drams of unusual realism.

shown y rout armpainly tor the cause of this distressed Balgians.
We are very glad to know that you have bad the assistance of this large plant you plaase thank the numerous contributors mentioned in the markable life you enclose, and as more than that their charity will as your considerably in the work of relief we have undertaken.
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New York, Dec 21...-Rev. A. J. Muste, left this clip today to become antor of the central Congregational church he failed to wate the present of the series have the become the failed to wate the present of the series have the present of the failed to make happy a people bet of the series have the series have the series have the series the series have the series have the series have the series have the failed to make happy a people bet the series have the series the series have the series the series have the series the G. L. Forbes of Greenville, N. C. na e passenger on the Norfolk Son-nern train yesierday.



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London. Dec. 20. The Germann advancing on Warsaw over a wice front netween the Vistala and the Pilink rivers have reached the new tite in protects. The Russians relified across the Baurs of cloved over a party hursed bridge, are waid to have been practi-rally annihilated, 56 surrivers be-ing taken prisoners. This is only the beginning of the great battle for Warsaw, from which the Germann now are not more than Invates ins congregation. As stated above it was a feast of good things. The speaker insde a most prefound and insting impression apple his hear ors. The music at the brening ser-vice was attractive. The soldista were Mrs. William Eley and Miss El-tis Buchmer their effort to secure boose grating for Christmas. There is no clue as to the guilty parties.

LACKAWANA'S EXTRA DIVIDEND ile Buckman. On next Sunday at this church the Scranton, Pa., Dec. 21 .--- An er-

new presiding elder, Rev. Mr. Read will fill the pulpit. tra dividend of 10 per cent was paid today by the Delaware, Lackawans and Western Railroad. Since 1901 the Lackawana has unfailingly de clared this extra dividend just be-

POLICE SHAKE-UP

Stung by the criticism of the po hese extra dividends were 20 per ce department that its demoralize cent. Since the organization of the company in 1849 it has paid 599 ion was responsible for such gang timies as the Baff murder. Police commissioner Woods made many per cent-to its shareholders. man

hanges among his deputies. First Deputy John McClintcock e said, would leave the department. During the prolonged absences of Commissioner Woods, First Deputy AcClintock has been the acting comthe city today are John W. Chapin

of Aurora, E. B. White and Thoma uissioner. He was in charge when Baff was killed. Under him the res Brautley of Edward, and Hebe Beacham of Small. They returned unt for the assassins was - made. to their home on the afternoon Was He was in charge, too, when Commis ington and Vandemere train. sioner Woods lectured, at Harvard on "How to Catch Gunmen.

NATIONAL GRANGE CLOSES SES- LIBRARY TO

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 21 .- The rst annual meeting of the national Grange to be held in this city was brought to close today and the delagates departed for their homes in all parts of the United States, Next ear's meeting will be held in San Francisco. About 2.500 delegates were present. During this week the

held.

After Wednesday of this week th delegates have visited every part of Public Library will close for two the "strawberry and peach tree" esweeks to allow the librarian her an tate, which is not a great deal larnual vacation. Patrons who wish to do so may on Tuesday or Wednesday ger than some of the large ranches the west represented at the of this week borrow two books or Grange. The meeting was pronound each card, these books to be due the

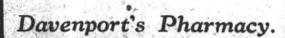
d one of the most successful eve first of re-opening of the library af ter the holidays.



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urday last, and practically all the teachers of the country schools and several of the city graded school teachers were present. By prear-rangement the school committeemen of the county met in joint session as should have been.

with the teachers. A good number were in attendance, but not as many The second book of the North Carolina Teachers' Reading Circle, "Country Life and the Country School" was the basis of discussio Three chapters bearing on the rela-

tion of the teacher to the rural prob lem were made special topics for critical study. Excellent papers were read by Misses Ava Jones, Mar garet Tuten, Ruby Stilley, Mamie Moses and Mr. Wilbur Ross. After

TEACHERS MEETING OF

paper the meeting was thrown ach discussion. Prof. N. C. Newbold, mote the interest of the schools former Superintendent of the Wash-

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parts assigned them or do anything to make the meetings a success. shows a most encouraging professional spirit among our teaching force. The next meeting will be held on the 13rd of January and every one

interested in the schools of the county are cordially invited to be with us. I am sure that if a large number of the committeemen and patty are cordially invited to be with the teachers and hear them discuss the various problems that arise in their work it would result in a much open for a few minutes round-table better understanding and would pro-W. G. PRIVETTE.

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phasized the committeemen's relation to his school and community.

The fact that practically every teacher in the county is a regula attendant at these monthly meetings

and they never refuse to take the

Schools, in an excellent addre

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NOW COSTS MAJ. BLOUNT YESTERDAY

The last sad tribute of love and It now costs ten cents extra spect was paid to the late Major fellow to secure his test girl and John G. Blount yesterday afterno skip off to some J. P. or minister the funeral took place at 3 and be made one. This extra busi-ness has been in vogue since Deo'clock from St. Peter's Episcopa Church. The floral offerings were cember 1, the result being that sevcoutiful being the handsomest seen eral of the local ministers have had to go down in their jeans for the The choir sang appropriate hymns stamp tax money as the groom has been in ignorance of the requirement As the remains entered the church Mrs. D. M. Carter sang most touchingly, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." The other selections used were "Abide With Me," "Near-er My God to Thee" and "Hark, Young women who enter the state of matrimony from now on can inform their husbands that they are worth just a little bit more than the cost of the license fee for the minister Hark My Soul." At the cemetery because it is a fact. Certificates of quite a number of appropriate se-lections were used. Thus passes to marriage now have to be plastered with a ten-cent stamp. All the would-be and prospective Benedicts are now given fair warning. the great beyond one of Washington's oldest and much beloved citi

SATURDAY VISITOR.

The condition of Mr. J. Sam Mr. W. M. Fife, formerly of Fayetteville, now representing the Frank H. Fleer Corporation of Phil-Hodges, who resides a few miles from this city on the Williamston adelphia, manufacturers of chewing ad, today is reported to be pregum, was a Washington visitor Saturday.

This chewing gum company is one of the largest concerns in Philadelphia and the president, Frank H. And bright new crisp \$1 and \$2 Fleer, is well known throughout this state. He has a large farm of 3,000 acres near Thomasville be-Fleer, bills for Christmas. The Savings ure in providing a supply for its sides other interests. The gum made by this company is enjoying COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO AID a large sale. Their special brands YOUNG MUSICIANS. Chicago, Dec. 21.—The third of are "Bobs" and Spring Root."

CAPITALS CHARITYBALL

rtists by the Music League of Amer-Washington, Dec. 21-The charity ica will be held at the Blackstone ball for the Children's Country Home will be held tonight. The mil tists Nikolal Sokloff, violinist; Robitary, navy and diplomatic circles will be generously present and the ert Cottschalk, tenor, and Florence Coursey, contralto. A notable affair will partake of an important society event. A group of the most prominent young matrons in the city list of patronesses have come for-ward to the musicians. The purcose of the league is to assist worpose of the league is to assist wor-have tonight's affair in charge and thy young artists in getting a hear-la large sum, it is estimated, will be realized.

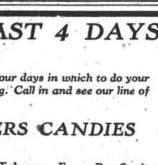
Attempt Was Made to Rob L. N. Williams Friday Night

Mr. L. N. Williams, the deaf and Jaware of the fact. dumb boot and shoe maker, who runs a shop on Market street on last Friday night while going to his home on West Third street was intercept-ed by two colored men masked, just a short distance from his home. Mr. Williams was asked for his money and he being not able to speak, the It is the safest and easiest way to pay for a home in small weekly installment—or to accumulate a fund, for a rainy day, or for Christmas. See us About It W. E. Swindell, Pres. Office in Saving & Trust Co., Building Jno. B. Sparrow, Sect'y Office in Saving & Trust Co., Building may on his person at the time and

+ 111 C. The While suffering from his wounds today he is still able to attend to his regular duties. Mr. Williams was unable to recognize the men. the surmise is that the negroes were

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