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**No Paper Next Week.**

After this issue the Dispatch is going to hang up its stocking for Santa Claus' annual Christmas journey. So we have decided that there will be no issue of the Dispatch on December 30th, the next issue being January 6th, 1909. This arrangement is made so that our printers may take a week's vacation with friends and relatives and drink in the glories of Christmas times.

We are laying aside the pencil for a week so that the office force may wander back home and gather around the yulelog with father and mother, brother and sister and rehearse the days of youth and live again in the budding days of life. Go back home where mothers love is supreme, where the cold and chilling blasts of an unkind world dare not enter.

Unto our friends and foes, if there be any of the last class, we are thinking of you today and wishing for you happiness and pure joy. At our Saviours knee without pretense or vain words, but with a heart full of good will and a soul inspired to do nobler things, we mean to enter into the spirit of Christmas and join the thousands of the world in proclaiming unto man, "peace on earth and good will to men."

We trust that as you seal life's record for the present years work that you will be able to say well done, but more especially would we remind you of the fact as is the beginning, generally, so is the end. Hence our advice, if you term it such, is to begin well the duties handed you by opportunity from the new year. Let not a day pass but what you have added something to the world, some honor to your mother, some glory the God who created you. With these words we cast pencil from us and turn our face homeward for the reception, such, as can only be given by mother.

There has been issued by the commission of Internal Revenue an order which will move from North Carolina after January 1st, 1909, the majority of the U. S. Internal Revenue officers. This verifies a prognostication made by the Dispatch six months ago, when we further said that it was up to the incoming legislature to devise the means where with our state shall be policed so that our citizenship may be daily protected from ungentleman acts of maudlin men.

The subscription list of the Dispatch continues to grow. Let the good work go on boys. We want to reach the 3000 mark before March the 4th. Who will be next?

**County Exhibit for 1908.**

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**BURLINGTON TOWNSHIP.**

G W Bright by work on roads	18 50
A Long by work on roads	2 00
W C Smith by work on roads	11 95
D R Ingle by work on roads	2 60
	<b>\$489 63</b>

APRIL 6, 1908.

Jas. P Harden Supt. by one months salary and pay for labor	51 25
W P Murray by lumber and shovels	17 70
Ed Shanks by 32 1/2 day work on roads at 60c	19 50
Geo. McCommick by 3 days work on roads at 60c	1 50
Blanch Vaughn by 4 days work on roads at 60c	2 40
Jesse Mebane by 23 1/2 days work on roads at 60c	14 10
Dex Shields by 5 days work on roads at 60c	3 75
Ed Benton by 27 1/2 days work on roads at 60c	17 87
Will Richmond by 29 1/2 day swork on roads at 60c	19 17
H T Watkins by 17 days work on roads at 60c	17 00
Will Turner by 27 1/2 days work on roads at 60c	17 87
Eran Griffin by 20 days work on roads at 60c	13 00
Geo. Hobs by 21 days work on roads at 60c	12 60

**PATERSON TOWNSHIP.**

W H Ingold by work on roads	17 00
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**COBLES TOWNSHIP.**

A C Isley by work on roads	7 00
J R Shepherd by work on roads	12 53
A C Isley by work on roads	3 00
J M Shoffner by work on roads	5 87
J F Coble by work on roads	15 99

**BOONE STATION TOWNSHIP.**

A G Faucette by 45 yards stone at 40c	18 00
W E Loy by work roads	18 10

**MORTONS TOWNSHIP.**

P H Boone by work on roads	11 75
L D Rippey by amount paid for cutting out road	6 90
Holt & May by shovels, picks and handles, etc.	6 40
A T Isley by work on roads	13 35

**FAUCETTE TOWNSHIP.**

E L King by work on roads	21 88
A Lee King by work on roads	3 50
W J Turner by work on roads	16 67
W J Cantrell by work on roads	27 55
William Boone by work on roads	19 72
G A Daniely by work on roads	4 98
Levi H McAuley by work on roads	1 65

**GRAHAM TOWNSHIP.**

E A Noah by work on roads	9 25
Handy Woods by work on roads	15 12

**ALBRIGHT TOWNSHIP.**

A G Thompson by work on roads	30 25
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**NEWLIN TOWNSHIP.**

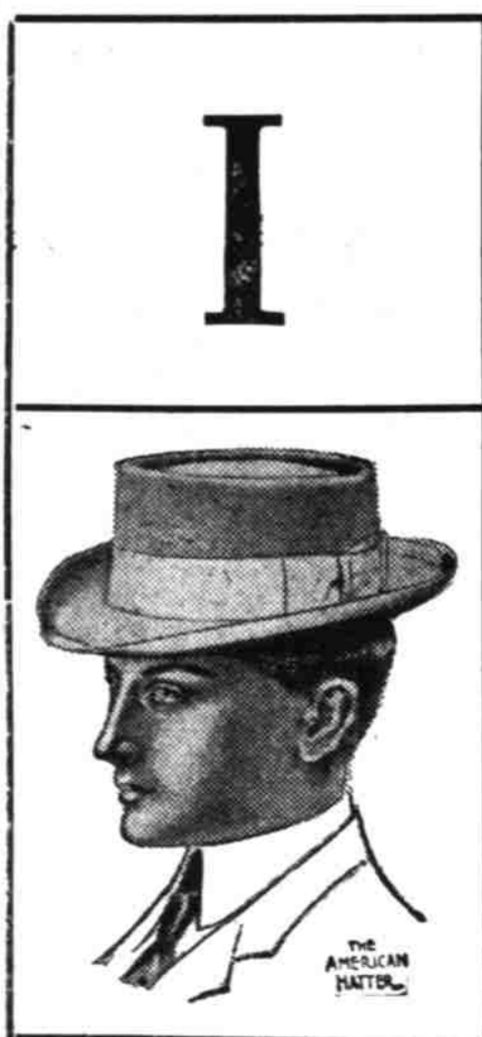
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**THOMPSON TOWNSHIP.**

W A Madder by work on roads	1 50
H G Paris by work on roads	3 12
W R Coble by work on roads	18 27
R F Lashley by work on roads	15 00

(To be continued in next issue.)

**THE GIFT SEASON.**



**I**n giving Christmas Presents don't forget your feet; they are entitled to consideration for their faithful efforts in behalf during the past year. The purchase of a pair of our new shoes is not only a recognition of unselfish service, but it is a wise investment, considered as a business proposition. Other suitable gifts are Hats, Gloves, Ties, House Slippers etc. Hats \$1.50 to \$3.50. Shoes \$1.50 to \$5. House Slippers, Men's 1.50, Ladies \$1.00 to 2.00, Children's 50c to \$1.00.

**Notice!** Our Store will be closed ALL Christmas Day.



Buy Your Goods Now.

## A PAGE OF SUGGESTIONS FROM SANTA CLAUS

Now is the time to save Money

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---SPECIAL---

# Christmas Bargains!

### MEN! MEN!! MEN!!!

Watch our Clothing Department, 300 Mens' Suits; a large variety of Fancy Worsteds, Plaids, Black, Blue, Brown, etc. Latest patterns and fit guarantee made by our own Manufactory in Baltimore.

Prices were from . . . . \$8.50 TO \$22.00

Now special offerings from - - \$7.00 TO \$15.00

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Our Big Line of Boys Suits.

250 boys suits, a large variety of fancy collors, black, blue, and fancy worsteds, also made by our own Manufactory, and fit guaranteed.

Prices were \$1.75 TO \$7.50 Now special offerings from \$1.25 TO \$4.50

## FOR LADIES!

Commencing Thursday the 17th of December until Christmas Eve, we have a half yearly clearance of our

### Womens' Suits

Every suit we have is assembled in the four following lots at deeply cut prices. There is no reservation. Most Burlington women ought to know the hugeness of the Fleishman stock of suits, the correctness of the styles we show, the character of the material and tailoring in our suits, and the great variety of styles always to be found here—so when we say ALL our suits are offered at the following cut prices for choice, it is hardly necessary to go into details.

\$9.00	\$11.95	\$14.50	\$16.50
Regular Value	Regular Value	Regular Value	Regular Value
\$14.00	\$17.00	\$19.00	\$20.00

Our Big Line of Ladies Handkerchief's.

SPECIAL FOR CHRITMAS GIFTS.

50c line handkerchiefs	35c
20c " " "	15c
10c " " "	5c

### Our Lace Curtains.

\$1.50 Net Curtains at 98c.

Good looking Ruffled Net Curtains with Battenberg insertion and edge. They are nicely made of a good quality net, and sell in most stores for \$1.50. Special underselling 98c

### Lace Curtains, Scotch

Thread and Madress Lace Curtains 3 1-2 yards long, fine weaves in new designs, furnished with outlook \$1.29 edge. Underselling price

### Face Curtains,

Resaisance and Irish point affects 3 1-2 yards long and 60 inches wide. Underselling price 1.49

### Dress Gingham, Muslin, Etc.

Fruit of the loom, bl. Muslin	1 1-2c
Amoskeag Apron Gingham	5c
12 1-2c Dress Gingham	8c

### Special sale of Bed Sheets and Pillow Cases.

72-90 bleached sheets worth 65c, now	45c
80x90 "Utica" bleached sheets worth \$1.00, now	75c
42x36 bleached pillow cases worth 25c, now	15c

\$1.00 Taffeta Silk 69c.

Imported silks in handsome collors of black, blue, sky blue, pink, gray, green etc., special 69c

In connection with our line of clothing, etc. we have a large line of

### Dry Goods, Ladies and Mens' Shoes and Hats.

### Boys Overcoats.

Fine novelty boys overcoats in gray herring bone mixture also in black and blue. Sizes from 3 to 10. Prices were from \$3.00 to \$8.00, now from \$1.65 to \$4.00.

# H. Fleishman's

Underselling Store,  
Cor. Main and Davis Sts.  
**BURLINGTON, N. CAROLINA.**