

XMAS GREETING.

At this time, when all is push and stir, we stop for a few moments and turn from the cares and toils of business to thank our many friends and customers for their patronage, and wish you all a

MERRY XMAS

AND

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

We are sure that many homes will be brightened by the nice presents purchased from us, and may they be a joy to all, and a Xmas Greeting we now extend.

Respectfully,

HARRY BROS.

On Account of Xmas, Read This:

We know that you are all busy at your own business, but as it is more for your own benefit we will tell you a few words only, that we want to remind you that when you are going to buy your goods it will pay you to walk up stairs and look at our goods before you buy. We will save you money by buying goods from us. Capes, Jackets, Dresses, Etc., up-to-date. Xmas goods just received. Goods sold for cash or credit. Our salesman will be found at our place of business regularly from now until Xmas. Rooms 5 and 6, second floor, Bell Block.

Respectfully,

COHEN BROS.

NOTICE

To All Bread Eaters

Beginning August 22, 1898, I will sell

50 Loaves Bread for \$1 until further notice. Look out for wagon, or call and get your tickets early and avoid the rush.

Respectfully,
T. L. SWINK.

American Union Life Insurance Company, New York.

IN THE BUSINESS:

Cash capital the largest ever put up.
Ratio of assets to liabilities the highest.
Board of directors reputed the strongest.
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R. E. JONES, GENERAL AGENT FOR N. C. Res. Salisbury.

We guarantee rates.

THE SOUTHERN STOCK MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.,

offers insurance at SOUTHEASTERN TARIFF ASSOCIATION RATES

and pays back a dividend of 20 per cent. Take advantage of this offer and don't be hereafter regretting the lost opportunity.

T. B. MARSH, AGENT.

Office in old bank building.

FRUITCAKES

Everything required in making a first-class Fruit Cake can be had at

D. M. MILLER'S.

GO TO

House, Stoudemire & Co.,

And let them sell you your

Furniture Clocks, Pictures, Stoves, Trunks, &c

They will sell you

CHEAPER

Than you can buy elsewhere. Don't take our word, but come and see. We have got what you want.

HOUSE, STODEMIRE & CO., SALISBURY, N. C. Next Door to Central Hotel.

JAPANESE PILE CURE

A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of SUPPOSITORIES, Capsules of Ointment and two Boxes of Ointment. A never-failing cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It makes an operation with the knife, which is painful, and often results in death, unnecessary. Why endure this terrible disease? We pack a Written Guarantee in each \$1 Box. No Cure, No Pay. 50c. and \$1 a box, 6 for \$5. Sent by mail. Samples free.

CONSTIPATION Cured. Piles Prevented, by great LIVER and STOMACH REGULATOR and BLOOD PURIFIER. Small, mild and pleasant to take; especially adapted for children's use. 50 doses 95 cents.

FREE.—A vial of these famous little Pellets will be given with a \$1 box or more of Pile Cure. NOTICE—THE GENUINE MORE JAPANESE PILE CURE for sale only by J. H. Enniss, druggist.

Lynching in Indiana.

The lynching habit, as has been frequently pointed out, is not confined to any particular section of this country, an observation that is once more rendered appropriate by the hanging of Marion Tyler Saturday morning at Scottsburg, Ind., by a mob, which took him out of jail and suspended him from a tree in the court house yard. He begged the mob as a special favor to hang him in the jail, but no attention was paid to this expression of preference. Tyler, on November 3rd, shot and seriously wounded his wife, to whom he had been married less than a year, because she refused to live with him again. His trial had been set for January 13th. In the South lynchings in the great majority of cases are for one crime. In other sections mob law asserts itself frequently in regard to other offenses.—Baltimore Sun.

How to Solve the Race Question.

Washington Post.
"I have a brother down in North Carolina," said Henry Hardy, a well-known and intelligent colored man, who was waiting to see a member of Congress at the Ebbitt, "that has solved the race question, so far as he is individually concerned. He owns two good farms and has quite a number of horses, mules and cows. All this property he earned by steady attention to business. He takes no interest in politics. The best white people of the county are his friends, and his note for a considerable sum is as good at the bank as any man's."

"My observation is that the better class of whites and the respectable portion of black people who mind their own business and have no time to loaf about, get on well together in the South. A certain class of white men, generally the sort we call poor trash, are responsible for all the cruelties that have been inflicted on innocent negroes, and I must admit, also, that there are a good many worthless negroes who commit vile deeds and bring reproach on the whole race."



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Buying Your

Xmas Groceries

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Means Saving of Dollars.

It means satisfaction. It is a guarantee that you are getting the best things to eat. "There is nothing better than the best." We have said these same things before. We shall keep on saying them as long as we are in business.

"The Truth is Mighty and it will Prevail."

Lichtenstein & Teiser,

Phone 104.

BELL BLOCK.

Eighteen Months for Miscegenation.

John W. Bowling, colored, and Martha Craven, the white woman he married, were each sentenced at Cumberland, Md., Saturday to eighteen months in the penitentiary, the minimum penalty for miscegenation. When the judge asked if they had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced, Bowling said he believed the girl had colored blood in her veins. The girl said nothing. It was the first prosecution of the kind in Maryland.

President McKinley asks: "Who will haul down the flag?" As we understand it the United States flag has been raised in Cuba. Mr. McKinley assures us that as soon as Cubans have established a stable government they will be given control in Cuba. Who will haul down the flag in Cuba, and why, is it any more serious to haul down the flag at Manila than at Havana?—Augusta Chronicle.

The administration program is to expend about \$60,000,000 within the next four years in building fifteen great war ships—three battleships, three armored cruisers three 6,000-ton protected cruisers and six 2,500-ton cruisers. The plans for these vessels have been drawn and are on file in the office of the Naval Bureau of Construction, and only the authorization of Congress is necessary in order that the work of naval increase may begin.

Original Observation.

The home stretch is trying to make both ends meet.

Hobson needs no mistletoe—he's kissed until his lips are sore.

The drops that overflow the business man's cup of sorrow are due drops.

It is a wonder that marriage doesn't come under the law prohibiting games of chance.

How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver is inactive you have a bilious look; if your stomach is disordered you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys are affected you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a Alterative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at Theo. F. Kluttz & Co's drug store. 50 cents per bottle.

INVENTORY SALE!

Prior to Inventory all

Ladies Coats

and Capes

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New York Cost

AT THE

LADIES' BAZAR.

I. LICHTENSTEIN, PROPRIETOR.

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Kluttz's Drug Store.

Our Line of Christmas Goods this year is the most elegant we have ever kept.

Just received a large lot of HARBUTS STATIONERY, the finest ever brought to this city. Call and examine for yourself.

T. F. Kluttz & Co.

Southern Railway.

IN EFFECT AUGUST 7, 1898.

This condensed schedule is published as information and is subject to change without notice to the public.

Trains leave Salisbury, N. C. 8:45 p. m.—No. 35, daily for Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line division and all points south and southwest; carries through Pullman drawing room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta and New Orleans; Charlotte and Birmingham. Pullman tourist car for San Francisco Wednesdays via New Orleans and Southern Pacific. 8:17 a. m.—No. 37, daily. Washington and Southwestern Limited for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans and all points South and Southwest; through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis; dining car, vestibule coach between Washington and Atlanta.

7:10 a. m.—No. 8, daily for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh, Goldsboro, Morehead City, Norfolk and Winston.

10:50 a. m.—No. 11, daily for Atlanta and all points South; solid trains Richmond to Atlanta; Pullman sleeping car Richmond to Greensboro; connects at Spartanburg for Asheville.

10:47 a. m.—No. 36, daily for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North; carries through Pullman drawing room buffet sleeper New Orleans to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Birmingham to Charlotte; Pullman tourist car from San Francisco Mondays via New Orleans and South Pacific; close connections at Greensboro for Raleigh Goldsboro and Morehead City.

9:34 p. m.—No. 28, daily. Washington and Southwestern Limited for Washington and all points North; Pullman sleeper Charlotte to Richmond; close connection at Greensboro with through sleeper for Norfolk.

8:00 p. m.—No. 12, daily for Richmond, Raleigh, Goldsboro and all points North; connects at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Nashville; connects at Greensboro with train carrying Pullman car for Norfolk.

6:05 a. m.—No. 11, W. N. C. leaves for Asheville and points West.

8:50 p. m.—No. 15, W. N. C. leaves for all points West.

12:30 p. m.—Yadkin train leaves for Norwood.

First sections of all scheduled freight trains carry passengers between points at which they are scheduled to stop. Your attention is called to Winter Tourist Tickets on sale to best resorts in Florida, Cuba, Mexico and other Southern points, at greatly reduced rates for the round trip. Parties holding tourist tickets purchased at Greensboro or points north or east thereof, can buy side trip tickets to Asheville, N. C. in the "Land of the Sky."

Frank S. Gannon, 3d V. P. and Gen. Mgr. Washington, D. C.
John M. Culp, Traffic Manager.
W. A. Turk, Gen. Passenger Agt.
S. H. Hardwick, Ass't Gen. Pass. Agt., Atlanta, Ga.
R. L. Vernon, Travelling Pass. Agt., South Tryon Street, Charlotte.



A GRATE—THANKSGIVING—FIRE

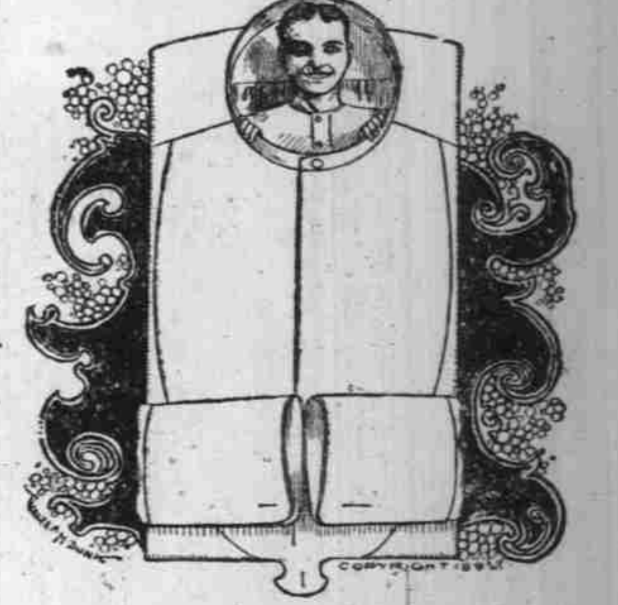
In your sitting room is eminently cheerful and comfortable, when your furnace isn't needed to keep the house warm. Our BLUE GEM JELICO will throw out more heat to the square inch from grate, than any other coal you can buy. It doesn't clinker and is free from dirt and slate. Car expected daily.

J. ALLEN BROWN.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the next General Assembly to amend the charter of the Town of Salisbury, N. C.

By order of the Board of Aldermen. Dec. 13, '98. T. C. LINN, Mayor



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