

GREETINGS!

To our numerous customers we Extend the greetings of the season.

We thank them for their liberal patronage and wish them a happy and prosperous **NEW YEAR.**

CAROLINA RACKET

Frank R. Brown, Gen. Mgr.

J. H. REID, Propr.

WALLACE.

Price on Our **CLOTHING,** Including **OVERCOATS,**

Reduced Now.

WALLACE.

The Prettiest Line of.....

Fruits and Candies

now in stock. Make your purchases early and avoid the rush.

ED. MARSH

A pipe for a Christmas gift. You had better smoke now than hereafter.

ED. H. MARSH.

TIME

waits on no man and it is short between now and

CHRISTMAS,

so we want to save you time in telling you that we have many desirable things for

PRESENTS

Durable, useful things APPRECIATIVE, Stylish and Cheap.

Just received a full stock of Overalls, all sizes. Boys' Overalls from 3 to 16 yrs. Large lot of the best Corduroy Pants ever in Salisbury. **GUARANTEED.**

Brown Clothing Co.

Premium Money.

J. T. Wyatt, of Faith, N. C., the director of Department of Historical Relics, &c., at the State fair, has commenced receiving premium money for the different people who sent down little articles with him to be entered for premiums. Among them is money for the young lady who sent down the Knox family tree and as her address has been misplaced he asks for it through the SUN so he can send her the money.

Oh, So Tired!

That is the way a business man feels when another business man sends his money away from the city where he lives, and does not give the home merchant a chance to bid on the article that he wishes to buy. If anything is said to him about it he says: Oh, well, you never tried to sell me So and So, and I bought it for a little less, I think than you could have sold it to me for. Oh, what talk. Did he expect a home merchant to call him up over the telephone at midnight and ask him if he did not want to buy a good porous plaster or a nice wig. The truth of the matter is he wanted to spend his money in some larger city while he makes his living out of the people where he lives. If such a man had been at the battle of Santiago he would have refused to fire a shot till he knew that his cartridges came from a large city.

W. L. Kestler Dead.

Mr. W. L. Kestler, of Cleveland township, died at his home near Cleveland, Dec. 22, 1898, of pernicious malarial poisoning, age 52 years, 11 months and 20 days. The interment was made at Christ church cemetery on December 24, at 12 o'clock, the service being conducted by Rev. Dr. Murdoch, of Salisbury.

Mr. Kestler leaves a wife and eight children, one a young babe of only two months. Mr. Kestler was a man who stood high in his community, being an old Confederate soldier and a good neighbor. He started in life at the bottom and has come up by degrees until he was considered among the first of our township. He was a loving husband and a kind father and generous neighbor. His familiar face is missed by his friends of which he had them numbered by scores which was shown by the crowd of people which followed his remains to their resting place. He was a personal friend to the writer and family.

The community join in with the writer in extending their heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved widow and children. Mr. Kestler was only sick about 24 hours. He ate a hearty dinner and that very night took sick and was unconscious almost at once and never rallied. Ed.

Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Salisbury, N. C., postoffice for the week ending Dec. 28th, 1898. Persons calling should ask for advertised letters and will be required to pay one cent for each letter.

Males—R. W. Flownoy, Peter Holt, Phil Pogons, Rev. J. B. Price, T. B. Monroe, Oscar Lampkins, John Harsains, Mr. Vail, Jim Elay, Geo. Cain, J. W. Wall, Henry Stayes, W. D. Mowery, J. M. Anderson, J. E. Webb, C. M. Cook.

Females—Mrs. Jas. Williams, Miss Josephene Larby, Miss Rosa Holmes, Mrs. S. E. Phlegan, Mrs. Amanda Smith, Miss Lizzie Green, Miss Hellen Gray, Miss Lula Holt, Miss Ida Moore, Miss Anna Saunders, col.

JAMES H. RAMSAY, P. M.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Klutz & Co., druggists.

Early yesterday morning a small store belonging to J. H. Lyon, in Durham, was burned down. It is thought robbers helped themselves to what they wanted and then fired the building.

Eight prisoners, all negroes, made their escape from the jail at Louisburg by cutting off the hinges of a door. They got on the second floor and escaped from a window by means of blanket ropes.—Raleigh Times.

Sunday, Maggie Neal, a demented colored woman, an inmate of the county almshouse, was burned so severely that death resulted yesterday. The woman's clothing caught because of her standing too near the fire, and she was enveloped in flames before assistance reached her. She lived 12 hours in intense agony.—Asheville Citizen.

The Cristóbal Colon's cat, which was rescued from the sunken ship, died in Michigan a few days ago. It couldn't stand the Michigan climate.

TO CURE A COUGH IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

A cough is not like a fever. It does not have to run a certain course. Cure it quickly and effectually with One Minute Cough Cure, the best remedy for all ages and for the most severe cases. We recommend it because it's good. James Plummer.

Overcome evil with good. Overcome your coughs and colds with One Minute Cough Cure. It cures croup, bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and all throat and lung diseases. James Plummer.

FOR SALE.

One 6-room cottage on East Main Street, two 4-room cottages on Monroe Street, and several vacant lots. Also two houses, two stories high, with 6 rooms. It would be advisable to see me before renting store rooms or dwellings. R. L. SHAVEL.



New Years Cakes.

Is what the housewife is busy in preparing this week. High grade materials make the richest and finest cakes. We have on hand yet and expect to continue to keep nice citron, currants, raisins, pure spices, extra fine flour, best baking powder and fresh sweet butter. If there is anything else you can think of we have it. Many thanks to my customers for their liberal patronage. Wishing them all a Happy New Year. Theirs to serve,

T. M. McCULLOH.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of John H. Verble, deceased, the undersigned will expose to public auction to the highest bidder at the late residence of the testator on

Friday, the 30th Day of December, 1898, the personal property belonging to said estate, among which are the following articles, viz: 1 horse, 2 mules, 2 two-horse wagons, 1 one-horse wagon, 1 buggy and harness, 1 saddle, 14 hogs, about 200 bushels of corn, about 50 bushels wheat, interest in an Empire drill, several stacks hay and straw, several cords tan bark, bark mill and tannery tools and fixtures, 1 Ross feed cutter, a lot of farming tools, lot of lumber, cedar posts and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale cash. Dated this 8th day of Dec., 1898. H. N. WOODSON, Executor of Jno. H. Verble. By L. H. Clement, Atty.

Fruit Trees and Shrubbery. I am still representing the N. W. Craft Nursery, of Yadkin county, and will have a spring delivery in February. I would say: Any persons needing Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, Strawberry Plants or Ornamented Yard Shrubbery would do well to see me before buying, or drop me a postal at Salisbury, N. C. THOS. M. RICE, Agent.

OUR STOCK OF CANNED GOODS, PICKLES, CATSUPS, SAUCES, OLIVES, &c.,

Are up-to-date, both in price and quality. We have just opened up an elegant assortment of PLAIN AND FANCY

CAKES AND CRACKERS

which must be seen to be appreciated. In TEA and COFFEE we keep only the best. Try our "BOOT JACK," the best 5c. Cigar in the city.

We didn't say Heavy Groceries but we have them. The anything about prices are so low and the quality so high that we never miss a sale. COME TO SEE US. Yours anxious to please, RITCH & OUTLAW.

We Want Your Christmas Order for FRESH OYSTERS.

Everything at Cost

A partnership settlement makes it necessary for us to turn this stock into money. To do this quickly we offer the

Entire Stock at Cost.

The stock is composed of DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, and everything else usually sold in a general Dry Goods Store.

NOTICE!

No samples cut; no goods sent on approval; no goods delivered during this sale. No goods will be added to the stock during this sale, so come early and get FIRST CHOICE.

J. R. C. BROWN, JR.,

New Horah Block, 3rd door from corner Main and Fisher Sts., SALISBURY, N. C.

One of Our Looos



for your Christmas feast will give you a taste of something in the line of turkeys that you will remember for many a day. A nice, fat and juicy turkey has a flavor that you do not get with the skinny kind. We will have everything in the line of meats, poultry, game, oysters and fine sausage this week and during the holidays, in tempting array.

M. L. Jackson.