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Again thanking our subscribers who have paid up and trusting we will have the pleasure of hearing from all that are in arrears, we are,

Respectfully, New Bern Daily and Semi-Weekly Journal.

WEALTH NOT ALL-IMPORTANT.

bassador from this country to England, and the subsequent decision of President Taft not to make an appointment of a successor to Mr. Reid have led to considerable discussion as to whom President-elect Woodrow Wilson will appoint to this very important post.

In this discussion we notice a very sensible observation by the Baltimore Sun, which says that whatever Dr. Wilson does he should get away from the notion that the man appointed must be of huge wealth. The Sun cites the example of the Bristish Ambassador to this country-James Bryce who has been conspicuous not for his of the scourges to which the human display of wealth but for his scholarship, tact and knowledge of diplomacy. The Sun does not say so in so many words, but we believe it is true that Mr. Bryce is a man of moderate for-

In high and low affairs this country can well afford to stop laying such Jersey wants the House to discontinue Every city ought to have its prin- that it pays to keep their employees bestow the laurel wreath first for He declares that his proposition is one ed. Visitors get their impression of a sanitary surroundings. Indeed, many Hancock and Miss Pauline Whitehurst cleanness of life and then for brains.

LAW ENFORCEMENT NEEDED.

Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, meeting held recently at Washington of valuable time." Continuing he says: merchants to put in store-fronts to better water and milk supplies, measunanimously adopted as the sense of the association as embracing the legislation needed to pave the way for the were dropped in calling the roll it would business streets? fishing industry in this State to get a mean that 832 syllables would be disnew start

There is greater need for law-enforce-ment in North Carolina than there is . The title is also for law-enhetment.

ong into a window is apt to cause some papers have wasted a hughe amount of money in needlessly using it.

Mr. Townsend's proposition should prevail. It will save time and time is st or make afraid and there make ur mind from the numerous gifts

ay from Besideet to be found.

Been ordered as a result

Much has been written and said of Arroy funincers, to pay high of this mistaken way of having fun is stipation,

to him. Not every city has High MacRae, but every city which d go forward needs one. Mr. ackar was the moving spirit in the lead of the cities of the entire countnpaign fund. A single live wire ad, that is.

CONGRATULATIONS

They interested capital in the entertaking through to success.

It will prove a paying proposition for an improvement." the owners and will be a strong factor in the upbuilding of the city. Again we felicitate the men who made it possible.

GIVING.

to you, counsels an exchange. It For he wants nothing. Give where Norfolk Virginian Pilot says: there is need and where disappointthe correct advice ,it seems to us.

REMARKABLE RECORD.

medical science is pursuing a campaign measure of substantial economy. that will eventually mean the wiping out of disease.

which includes the use of serum for carded . inoculation.

Typhoid fever is one of the greatest race is a prey. This achievement in the navy is an earnest that hereafter the disease will be much less formi-

TOO MUCH "MISTER"

Representative Townsend of New tenance of the lights." the use of "Mister" in calling the roll. cipal but

The Journal has received from Dr. "Mister" he asks. "It doesn't add at night is not apt to appear attractive worm, typhoid and diarrheal troubles. C. B. Bunting. any more dignity to a member, and to visitors nor is it a satisfaction to It will not be long before these same a copy of the bill which the North if the reading clerk were ordered to its own people. Besides, well lighted mills will go still further and pro-Carolina Fisheries Association in a drop it, it would save the House a lot business streets operate to force the vide visiting nurses, health leagues, damage was trivial.

pensed with in one calling of the roll. Without going into the details of This, I have figured, would mean a the matter, we will say that we are saving of twenty minutes on every roll forcement of existing laws affecting the floor during roll calls, where now which would have meant a prison commercial fish, it is to be welcomed. some of them go out the moment a sentence of twenty or thirty years or

The title is also much overused in gards human life too cheaply. the newspapers. A great many papers don't feel that they have done their duty in mentioning a man's name un-N. B. HERE'S A GOOD SUGGESless they begin it with a title. It might
just as well be left off for it aids not a
whit in identifying the person referred
for the appointment of postmasters. to. No right-thinking person is offend be problem of selecting a Christmas ed by the title being left off his name. Indeed we have never heard of a single cast in the nominating district would left of the appointment of postmasters. Under its provisions the candidate same to you. Indeed we have never heard of a single cast in the nominating district would left of the appointment of postmasters. Card or letter and I will promptly mail from strangernin distanttowns? There can be only or receiving the largest number of votes are to you.

Mrs. C. Pennington, 27 East Front St. in the advertising columns of instance where the omission gave the Journal. Particularly is this so offense. It is in the South principally you find it a little hard to make up where the fashion clings and even here ur mind what to give. To look too it is going out. Not, however, till the

NEW YEAR'S EVE.

New York proposes to have a new Cure. New Yera's eve. The one it has had tofore has disgusted a consider ble number of the people of the Greater CHE LIVE ONE."

Control be had or at least if some way cannot be had or at least if some way cannot be had or at least if some way of celebrating New Yera's eve except

> Much has been written and sale Weshington given a about New York's way of unhering in the New York way of unhering in the New Year and purhaps it has active of these was been raide to appear more attractive of these knowledge of than it really is The New York World monitals sent free, Price 75 cents per than it really is The New York World monitals sent free, Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
>
> Take Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally.
>
> And take your children to the minimum and the comfortable monitals sent free, Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
>
> Take Hall's Pamily Pills for contribution that it leaves some.
>
> Take Hall's Pamily Pills for contribution (Adv.)
>
> The Old Reliable Drug Store.

sign "Nothing to drink but champagne" patrons of a postoffice are the on

prise and in the face of obstacles and of New York people who do not share there is no office that affects the whole discouragements have fought the under- Broadway's sorrowful pleasures. We people so much as does that of postwe have heard misgivings expressed rescue of the Great White Way. In-Entered at the Postoffice, New Bern, as to whether New Bern is large enough cidentally, they propose to stop rowdyto support a street car system. These ism on the streets and to substitute for doubters haven't as good a line on roistering in taverns good music for New Bern's present size and prospec- such as care to listen, or even to take tive development as the promoters of part in singing. But never mind the the street railway have. The street details. The plans are approved in days. At least our life insurance comcar system is no ill-advised venture. advance. Anything different will be panies seem to think so. But there is

SALARY PLAN BEST. newspapers are working to overthrow the fee system of compensating county strikes us that that is not good advice. gressive a State as North Carolina. The well-to-do person, needing nothing Its people are considerably more under specially and getting his satisfaction the thumb of the politicians, or they to out own interest to five out our out of the things that he already has, are less responsive to argument. In allotted time. We have more at stake under this advice would give nothing. advocating the reform mentioned, the than the insurance company.

"In Virginia the need for such a rement will be keen if you do not give and form is crying, and we believe that a last few years, but it has been found surprise and delight equally keen if fair test of popular sentiment would to be such a profitable investment that you do give—this comes nearer being show the electorate to be decisively nearly all the companies are begin-the correct advice it seems to us. in favor of it; but so far the influence of the placemen has been strong enough to block all affirmative legislation on One of the most interesting and the subject; and it is evident that provide visiting nurses to go about significant announcements made in nothing will be done unless the demorecent times is that not a single case cratic voters prior to the primary of them how to live, cook, cat and sleep. The death of Whitelaw Reid, Am- of typhoid fever has developed among next year shall demand of all candithe 64,000 men in the United States dates for the General Assembly positive Navy in eleven months. Interesting and explicit pledges. We have no because it is a state of allairs that doubt that an equitable adjustment on would not have been expected, and a salary basis would give to all officials significant because it is one more in- ample pecuniary returns for the work dication, and a striking one, that they do and at the same time prove a

Several counties in North Carolina are on a salary basis and there is pro-The remarkable record in the navy bably not a one of them which would was directly attributable to the adop- consider for a moment going back to tion of the new anti-typhoid treatment, the outworn plan which they dis-

LIGHT UP THE STREETS! This from the Raleigh Times:

"Raleigh's 'Great White Way' has been one of the prime reasons for the remodeling of so many store fronts on Fayetteville street. The increase in values far exceeds cost of main- will not be long before the leaven will their united journey.

of economical importance and one of city more perhaps from what they see cotton mills are already providing sanimoment to the health of the members. at night than from what they see in the tary privies for their employees. They "What's the use of prefacing the day-time. They have more leisure find that their operatives do more and Delaware, has returned to her home names of members of the House with then . A city that is dark and gloomy better work when protected from hook: after a two weeks' visit with Mrs "In the next Congress there will be match. Why shouldn't New Bern get ures to suppress flies, mosquitoes and 131 members. If the word 'mister' to work and brightly illuminate its preventable diseases, and then mill

THE BLAIR VERDICT.

The verdict in the Blair case at glad to note that the bill begins "for call, which would be considerable Greensboro looks to us like a miscarthe purpose of enforcing the laws re- when it is considered that some days riage of justice. There was a remote lating to all commercial fich". We a dozen roll calls or more are had. I chance that Blair acted in self-defence believe the trouble with most of our don't know whether my computation but it was very remote. While the laws is that they are not enforced. It is correct, but, offhand, I should say that doubt was sufficient, we think, to is an old saying that a horse can be the government might save \$500,000 in make a verdict of murder in the first led to water but he can't be made one Congress. Then, too, it would re- degree unwarranted, for we do not beto drink. In the same way a law can lieve a lot of the members of a good lieve capital punishment ought ever nurses in every home and medical incasily enough be passed, but to get deal of nerve tension, and might save to be imposed when there is doubt of spectio of school children? Can any emebody to enforce it is a very dif- them in doctors' bills a couple of mil- a capital crime having been comlion dollars. Indeed, I believe it would mitted. But the circumstances fully If this new law will reslut in the en- have the effect of keeping members on warranted, it seems to us, a verdict perhaps for life. North Carolina re-

ELECTING POSTMASTERS. bill providing for a preference primary cast in the nominating district would be appointed by the Postmaster General and would serve for a term of five years. Only after full hearing on written charges could a postmaster

HOW'S THIS.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-ward for any case of Cartarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and be-lieve him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken intere

"Of all sorry delusions that flourish inder the name of "rejoicing" and its for renomination. Some such prebe removed and in such a contingency the postmaster would not be eligible outraged synonyme, that of New Year's position as that advocated by Mr. revelry" is the saddest. Immature Bristow should be enacted into law podlums to toot horas on Broadway and though is it possible that a majority onstrue liberty as license to insult vote rather than a mere plurality should women. Hotel-keepers hang out the be necessary for the election. The ritizen in a community is of untold and supposedly free Americans sub-who should decide the question of value. The rank and file are ready mit to the impudent imposition. Dreary who shall be postmaster. They are for conquest everywhere if only a hours are spent by some thousands of the ones most concerned, besides, if leader can be found—a leader who can people in eating and drinking more they did the choosing politicians would people in eating and drinking more they did the choosing politicians would than is good for them, "to hold the have fewer rewards to give and politics table" in the hope of seeing, as the would be cleaner, involving more of dramatic climax of the evening's en- principles and less of office-jobbing. Congratulations to Dr. Armstrong ertainment, some respectable women in seven or eight cases out of ten, perand Mayor McCarthy! That New Bern carried from the room, overcome by haps, the patrons of the postuffice would his a full-fledged street car system the heat and unaccustomed wine, select the least deserving of the candiputting it in line with other progressive The old year dies in dreariness, the dates, but that is their look out and fities is due to the energy and enter- New Year wakes in disgust-so far, if they make a mistake they will not prise of the two gentlemen named, at least, as the Tenderloin is concerned, be the ones to cry over spilt milk. "Of sourse there are some millions This is a government by the people and

MONEY IN HEALTH WORK

Wherein Our Health is Profitable to Others

It must be worth while to live these a reason for their interest in our living. They have an ax to grind, i. e., they are anxious to postpone the day of A number of influential Virginia settlement and increase their treasury A rather low motive you say. Well, so it is, but the point is this: If it Give as you would that it be given officials. But they are facing a difficult pays an insurance company to see to you, counsels an exchange. It proposition. Virginia is not so pro years longer, in order to collect premiums, it is surely a great deal more

> Health work has been taken up by insurance companies only during the Many companies issue health bulletins to their policyholders. Others among their industrial risks and teach Still others provide a free medical ex- Miss Ruth Dixon and Mr. James amination each year for their policy. ho.ders, the idea being that if a medical examination shows something go- fairly begun about Bellair. ing wrong, the examiner will call attention to what might otherwise esgerous disease.

Other companies have established in the same school. sanatoria, and still others issue health insurance representative called at the in honor of the occasion. office of the State Board of Health in Rev. J. M. Wright, our former pastor is that it pays to be healthy.

spread and manfacturers will find siness streets thoroughly light- well housed and provided with proper life will become more tolerable.

> If many insurance companies insist upon their policyholders being vaccinated before accepting them as good risks, are we not taking big chances by not availing ourselves of suc h protection?

If visting nurses and free medical examinations are profitable to insuradvance a good reason?

NOTICE TO OLD CON-FEDERATES.

I take pleasure to advise that your County Pension vouchers are now my office ready for delivery. The Commissioners have made sp cial effort to have them for you be

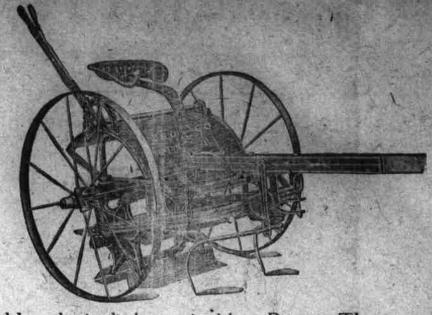
fore the Christmas holidays. If you cannot call at the office for same, please send your address by whom we knows and respect, or volumes

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MARRIAGE AT BELLAIR

A. Lancaster Wedded.

Bellair, Dec. 18.-Christmas has On the 18th at 7:30 o'clock, p. m.

Mr. Jas. A. Lancaster ,a member of cape notice. There is little question the Beech Grove Sunday school, drove about the policyholder's taking proper up to Mr. H. W. Dixon's and was steps when threatened with some dan- united in matrimony to Miss Ruth Dixon who is also a member and teacher

The bridal party went to the groom's magazines. Just a few days ago an home where a reception was tendered

quest of health literature to be issued officiated in making the twain ones and reprinted in a new insurance pub- The young couple have the best lication about to be issued. The lesson wishes of their friends and neighbors with the earnest hope, that another Christian home will be established in If life insurance companies are wak- our midst and temporal and spiritual ing up to the importance of health, it progress attend the young couple in

OLYMPIA.

spent Saturday in New Bern. Mrs. Layfield Long of Selbyville

A fire occured in Lebanon select school early Monday morning. The

Miss Mary Holton and Mrs. Carl Dixon spent Tuesday in New Bern.

The Methodist Sunday school will hold its Christmas entertainment Tuesday evening, Dec. 24, at 6 o'clock. Miss Carrie Whitehurst's arm improving rapidly.

Many a woman is blind to a man's faults because he threw gold dust in

Sometimes a young lawyer makes good because he has a wife who lays lown the law to him.

Santa Claus walks with a candy

NEW BERN'S REPLY.

New Bern Accepts the Evidence and Many Journal Readers Will Profit by It.

Which is the more weighty proof-a few words from a New Bern resident,

New Bern, N. C., says: "I suffered in-tensely from backache, and sharp, hooting pains across my loins. Often I was so lame that I could hardly straighten after stooping. I knew that my kidneys were disordered for the secretions were very unnatural. I used just one box of Doan's Kidney' Pills that I got from the Bradham Drug Co., and this was sufficient to remove my ache and pains. Doan's Kidney Pills have en of greater benefit to my than any ther kidney medicine I have ever taken." (Statement given January 24

THE BENEFIT LASTED

Mrs. Pennington was interviewed re-ntly andshe said: "I can still recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, for they gave me permalent relief. You may con-tinue to publish my former endorsement

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