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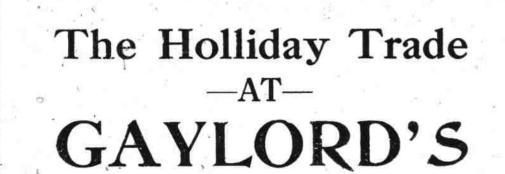
### Did You Ever Notice

That Sometime between Christmas and January 10th, of each year the Thermometer drops and we find ourselves in need of

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#### THE EVENING DISPATCH, JANUARY 2, 1911

# Around the State

the decrease, and the conditions gen erally were better. The Christmas drunks last Christmas were eleven in number. This year only seven were

pulled for being in an intoxicated coninston Free Press. dition on Christmas day. Though the Boats plying between New Bern celebration has at times been hilariand Seven Springs on Neuse river ous, there has been little disorder. pass Kinston daily now, taking advantage of the high water to freight

fertilizers up the river and return Charlotte Observer. with cotton seed and other articles. Owing to the so-called "wet" de

claion of the Supreme Court a few Greensboro Record. days ago in the case wherein the An Italian appeared at police head-Colonial Club of this city was defendquarters this morning and asked the ant and charged with the sale of beer, right to show his performing bear to it is understood that the prohibition the Greensboro public, and was much forces will make an effort at the comsurprised to find that he couldn't get ing session of the Legislature to put license to appear in the city limits. a ban on social clubs by a tax that will A few years ago a horse driven by be intended as prohibitive or a locker lady became frightened at a bear on tax that will be entirely prohibitive in the streets here, ran away, threw the lady from the carriage and severely the case of a vast majority of the members of these organizations. The deinjured her. Since then an ordinance cision of the Supreme Court was has been in force prohibiting these sweeping in its results in that with it waiderers from stopping in the city. there went the decree that there is no

method of preventing the exchange of Durham Herald. A comparison of the records of this beer by coupons in these cluds when and last year's records as to the num- the clubs do not make a profit, therber of cases before the recorder's efore passing from the pale of possible court on the day following Christmas sellers of beer. It is now proposed day shows that the celebrators, who that the Legislature shall pass a law were hilarious to the point of attract- putting a tax of about \$1,000 on all ing the special attention of the police tnese social clubs throughout the State were not so many as the year before. to the end that as many as possible Though the difference is only a mat- of them will have to abandon their ter of three, this is in favor of this places because of inability to pay year and is interesting in view of a the tax, or some law will be passed recent statement of one of the mem- whereby a locker tax will be imposed bers of the police fonce who was very upon the individual members of these positive in his statement that the con- clubs who maintain beer in the clubs ditions in the city were very much and have it issued to them by the mproved over what they were this means of a coupon book. This is now ime last year. This officer said that conceded to be the move of the ranker the blind tiger business was not in type of the prohibitionists in the such a flourishing condition as it was State who have shown their displeasone year ago. The drunks were on ure at the ruling of the Supreme Court

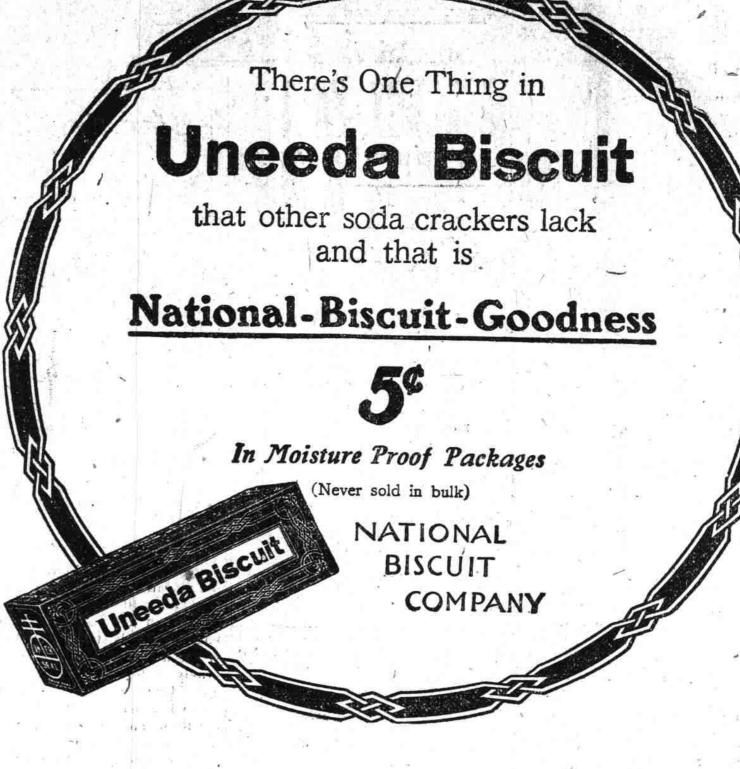
THEATRE

ment that a dramatization of "The Firing Line," Robert W. Chambers celebrated and widely read novel, will soon be presented in this city.

There is no more celebrated writer of fiction in the country today than Adademy management that "The Mr. Chambers. "The Firing Line," Merry Widow" will be the attraction "The Fighting Chance,""The Younger at matinee and night Saturday is de-Set," and "The Danger Mark" have tion. cidedly interesting for theatre goers, been read by more people in English for it is doubtful if every musical at speaking countries than any novels traction in the history of theatricals of their kind in modern times. In has scored the unqualified success addition to their publication in book that "The Merry Widow" has. It has form, these books reached millions of been called a musical duel of first readers through the columns of The love, full of music, scenery, gowns, Saturday Evening Post. girls, with love the keynote; for "The Many playwrights have submitted to Merry Widow" is a love story, ex- Mr. Chambers, dramatized versions quisite and tender, passionate and in , of his books, but Mr. Richard Walton perious at times, as true love ever is; Tully, noted as the co-author with the external struggle of sex with sex David Belasco of "The Rose of The attuned to limpid strains and the trip Rancho" who is responsible for the of dancing feet, lyric and dramatic in dramatization of "The Firing Line," its expression. Mr. Savage calls "The is awarded the distinction of being the Merry Widow" an operetta. It is first to meet the requirements and really an intoxication-the red wine reach the standard demanded by the to have me play? of first love regained after weary author. years, and the white wine of woman' To all who are familiar with the Transcript. vanishing wit. A musical duel it is characters in this stirring novel the of two old lovers that love too well dramatic opportunities will be readily to be easily won, but demand that appreciated. their courtship be sung into a drama. The presenting company will be of whose cumulative climaxes shall be a high order of merit and the scenic the lyric note that supplies the clue investiture everything desirable. to the character of both. This, with the gorgeous setting and Big Holiday Bill at the Grand. splendid company, headed by Ger Solky's "Theatre Beautiful" will trude Hutcheson and George Damerel gloriously celebrate the New Year is expected to set the heart of the with a big holiday bill today. Someheatre-goers aflame. thing "extra fine," so to speak, went **Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion** As to the music, the "Waltz" has on this morning and will be added to traveled around the world more quickthis afternoon and tonight. Mr. Morly, perhaps, than any melody ever writgan, the high priced baritone singer ten, yet this catchy "I Love You So" from New York city, arrived this selection is only one of the many that morning and went on duty this afterbreathes the very essence of voluptunoon at 2 o'clock. He has a splendid ous grace in this brilliant work. Othvoice and today in rendering the beauers are "Vilia," the delicious sextette tiful and popular song hit of Mme. 'Women," the gay "Maxim," cloying Sheery," entitled "Put Your Arms in its sweetness and recurring in Around Me Honey." Mr. Morgan's varied tempi throughout the operetta. singing will be one of the big features. The large orchestra accompanying this The picture subjects for today are organization will be under the direcdecidedly splendid ones, including tion of Mr. Alfred Roth. "When Lovers Part," "Big Medicine," Seats will go on sale at Plummer's Bertie's Elopement" and others. Con-TRADE.

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cial gala day selection of music for his



which, prominent prohibition lawyers of the city admit, could not have been decided under any other interpreta-

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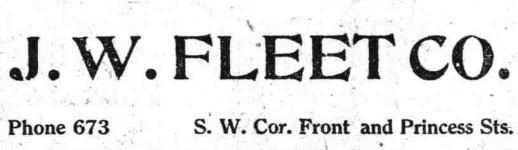
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