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The Navy has been licked by the Army. It is to be expected that foot soldiers can get over ground more easily and effectively than "plank walkers."

Owing to the advanced prices of everything, this will be the most expensive Christmas the country has ever seen. It will be well to take this fact into consideration before making purchases for the season. There has always been too much useless giving of presents. Love and tenderness for those whose hearts are saddened by misfortune are greater gifts than any money can buy, and will bring larger returns to the giver. Help the poor and needy and make the home glad with joy—then the blessed Christmas season will indeed be as it should.

### Barbarism in Mexico

No one will doubt that Sherman's estimate of war was and is true today. Since the world began there has been bloodshed—a thing inconsistent with a race which was made just a little lower than the angels, still there is animosity existing in the human breast and brother wars against brother. But with the advance of civilization, warfare has become more humane (if that paradoxical statement can be clearly understood), for every invention for the care and protection of the wounded and the capture has been used to ameliorate the dreadful scourge of blood-shedding. Yet it is stated that in this 20th. century on the Western Hemisphere, our own blessed land, men have gone back to days of ancient warfare when prisoners were executed because they remained true to their cause. The rebel leaders in Mexico have shot prisoners, and the world has looked on.

The people of the United States have approved the stand which President Wilson has taken on the civil war in Mexico. It has been "hands off" with other nations, and we have waited patiently for a peaceful settlement of affairs across the Rio Grande. The United States is the guardian of all peoples in the Western world, and yet we are permitting barbarism to go unmolested within a few miles of our border. Something should be done to check the murders of the inhuman Villa and his officers. These outrages should inflame the world and armed intervention, if necessary, be used to stop the murder of brave men like Gen. Jaurez and others.

### Country Dance

The largest crowd that ever attended a dance here, was seen last night at the Masonic Hall. People all over the country came and from neighboring towns, and the town people were present to help them enjoy the evening. Quadrilles were danced until a late hour, then the modern dances were enjoyed for a while. Two sets of musicians furnished the music. At 11:30 ice cream was served the entire crowd. It was a most delightful occasion, and Williamston was pleased to have so many visitors.

## FARM FOR SALE

Situated in Martin County seven miles from Williamston, only about one-fourth of a mile from shipping point. Contains about one hundred and fifty acres, seventy-five of which are cleared. Some good timber on farm. Land well adapted for raising tobacco. Has a good residence now occupied by a family of white people. Price \$3500.00.

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## Special Holiday Excursion To HAVANA, CUBA Rate from WILLIAMSTON \$49.20

Including meals and berth on steamship. CHILDREN: five years of age and under twelve HALF FARE. Tickets will be sold for all trains. SATURDAY, DEC. 20th, 1913

Limited returning to reach original starting point not later than January 6th, 1914. Proportionately low rates will be made from other points in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina. This will be an excellent opportunity for teachers and students to utilize their Christmas holidays in making an interesting educational trip to Cuba.

The Atlantic Coast Line operates through pullman cars to Key West and to Port Tampa connecting at both ports with steamships for Havana. Tickets good via either route.

Arrangements will be made to accommodate passengers leaving Jacksonville at 1:15 P. M. Sunday, December 21st via the Flagler System, the "Over-Sea Railroad", and steamship from Key West; and leaving Jacksonville at 1:30 P. M., via Atlantic Coast Line, thence by Port Tampa and steamship which touches at Key West; enroute to Havana.

F. M. Jolly, Traffic Agent of Atlantic Coast Line, who has resided in Havana, fourteen winters, will accompany the excursion, and render assistance to passengers enroute and in the matter of hotel accommodations, sightseeing, etc., in Cuba.

For schedules, reservations, descriptive booklets and any further information, apply to Ticket Agents of Atlantic Coast Line, or address,

W. J. Craig, Passenger Traffic Manager.  
T. C. White, General Passenger Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

### Auto Accident

Thursday, while motoring along through the Smithwick Creek section, Dr. W. E. Warren with a party of friends was thrown from the car and painfully bruised. The car with Mitchell driving, struck a hog in the road and the car went up against a phone pole and landed on one end. Dr. Warren's face was skinned and bruised and several others received scratches. The wonder is that no one was killed.

### "VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE"

This farm contains 250 acres with 100 cleared, and in good state of cultivation; the balance is well timbered. The land is well suited for raising cotton, tobacco, and peanuts. The farm is situated on the main road from Hamilton to Palmyra, N. C. and known as the "Moore Farm". The farm is offered for 5,000—1/2 Cash and balance on easy terms. Also all the corn, fodder, hay, two mules, hogs, and farming implements will be sold to the highest bidder at the farm Wednesday, Dec. 17th, 1913. For further information apply to T. W. Whitehurst, Greenville, N. C. or W. E. Moore, Hamilton, N. C.

## USE ELECTRIC LIGHTS

## For Sale

By authority of Chapter 44, of the Public Local Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1911, as amended by Chapter 537, of the Public Local Laws, Session of 1913, the undersigned hereby offers for sale, Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) worth of Williamston Township Road Bonds; said Bonds to be in denominations of not less than Five Hundred Dollars and not more than One Thousand Dollars, bearing interest from the date of issue at 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to be due and payable twenty or thirty years from date, at the option of the purchaser. Sealed bids for same will be received by the undersigned, chairman of the Board of Road Trustees, at his office in the town of Williamston, N. C., until Saturday the 22nd day of November 1913, at twelve o'clock noon. These bonds constitute the remainder of a \$20,000.00 issue, authorized by the Act above referred to. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$250.00, and no bid below par will be considered, and the right is reserved to reject any and all bids. This 31st day of Oct. 1913. J. C. STATON, Chm. Board of Road Trustees. B. F. GODWIN, Sec'y Board of Road Trustees.

"Forget It!" If any desire becomes insatiable—and the desire to succeed may become so—there may result the most exhausting emotions. Frequent despair and depression, irritability and unreasonable anger may be frequent with a man who is unduly anxious to attain what he calls success. He will think too much about his mistakes unless some one dares to say to him, "Forget it!"

No Such Simplicity. And yet there was never such a thing as "Jeffersonian simplicity." Mr. Jefferson was not a man of simple life, but of a full and expensive life. He was an aristocrat in all his personal tastes and indulged himself. He had traveled in Europe and observed how the trick was turned there. And both as secretary of state and as president he lived at the top of his time.—Washington Star.

Mrs. Mattie Speller Dealer in GENERAL MERCHANDISE Phone 35 Williamston, N. C.

## Public Sale!

On December 15th of 1913

I will sell to the highest bidder FOR CASH my farm in Poplar Point Township, known as the Fleming Place, and bounded by the lands of J. A. Everett, J. A. Leggett and others. All of my Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Utensils, and Live Stock. Between 15 or 20 bales of cotton, about 500 or 600 bags of peanuts, 100 barrels of corn, 300 bales of hay, about 400 bushels of cotton seed.

Sale of Farm subject to an option held by Hyman Warren for \$10,000.

All persons holding claims against me are requested to present them to me for payment on or before the 20th day of December 1913. All persons indebted to me will please make immediate payment.

This 24th day of Oct. 1913.

J. W. ALLEN

Williamston, N. C.

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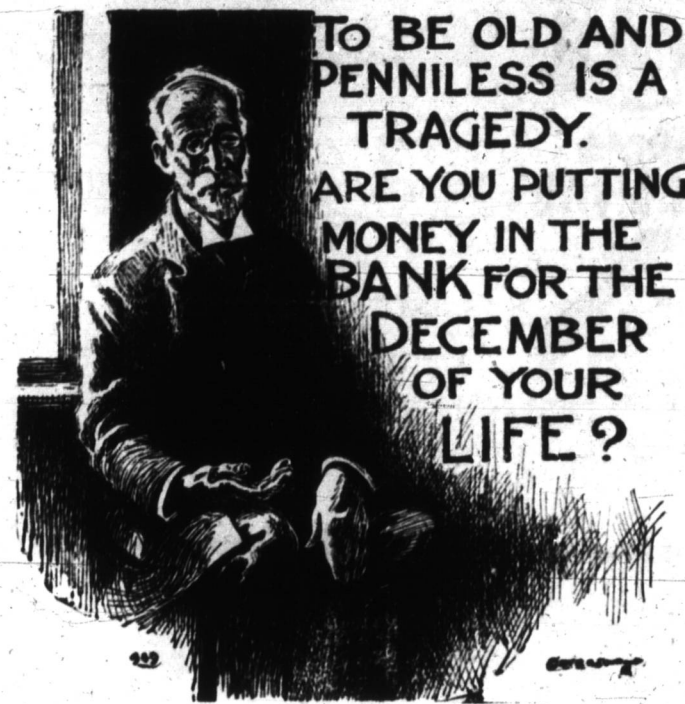
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