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BEACON FLASHES.

 Those who have friends visiting them, or who intends leaving home themselves, will please let it be known at this office, so the fact may be mentioned. It does not matter whether you are a subscriber or not. All we ask is—let us know it.

5 or 6 doses of "666" will cure any case of Quills and Fever. Price 25c.

 Xmas draweth near.
 Mr. E. R. Spruill, of Shinnersville, was here Tuesday.
 Mr. W. L. Sharrod, of Hamilton, was here yesterday.
 The plate-glass front has been replaced in Hotel Brinkley this week.
 Fresh Rolls, hot for breakfast, can be had at the bakery.
 We only counted six ex-Sheriff's of this county at one sight Monday.
 Mr. B. F. Gurganus and friend Mr. Tanager, of Batu, were here yesterday.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burrell returned on Monday from Richmond, Va., where they had been visiting relatives and friends.
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 We will be glad to have a copy of THE BEACON dated Nov. 6 and 27. Any one having same will please send to this office and oblige.
 Santa Claus has just unpacked his wares at the Drug store; Doll babies, Cunnings, &c., &c. Call and see this great display. P. E. DAVENPORT.
 Hon. C. W. Snell, our Representative, honored this office with a short call while here on Monday. His many friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Snell's health is improving.
 Nearly everybody knows DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made. They are small, pleasant, sure Little Liver pills. Sold by P. E. Davenport. 1m
 Rt. Rev. Robt. Strange, Bishop of the East Carolina Diocese, will make his annual visitation to Grace Episcopal Church in this town on Sunday next services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
 The Naval Reserves, 4th Division, were out for annual inspection yesterday. From the way we saw the boys handling themselves on dress parade, we are sure they passed good inspection.
 Christmas Presents—anything from a cheap toy to a handsome present, can be found at P. E. Davenport's Drug Store. Call now and make your selection.
 Mr. L. P. Hornthal has been in Baltimore this week buying another drove of horses and mules, which will be unloaded here to day. If you need a team of any kind call on friend Louis.
CABBAGE PLANTS—I now have ready for transplanting, a large lot of fine Jersey Wakefield Cabbage Plants for sale; Shipping prices, \$1.25 per M. In lots of 5,000 or more, \$1.00 per M. Send orders at once. W. F. LUGAS, Plymouth, N. C. 11-12
 We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Ange & Jackson in this issue. They are offering bargains in many things, especially shoes. They also have a nice stock of groceries. Call on them they will treat you right.
 While here last week Mr. L. H. Hornthal sold his brick post-office block to Mr. J. C. Spruill, the purchase price being \$5,000. We understand that Mr. Spruill, who is occupying one of the stores in this block, will build another story on part, if not all of the block, and make other improvements in the property.
 Have you been down to hear the Edison and Victor Talking Machines at Mr. O. R. Leggett's? Mr. Leggett is agent for the above machines also the Columbia which he invites the public to hear. He has quite a number of records which consist of the latest music. fe 28-1f
 Only one more issue of this paper be issued the New Year. No paper will be issued Christmas week, but we hope to greet our readers again on the first day of 1909, at least all of them whose subscriptions are paid up. Of course those who do not pay up can not expect us to send them the paper, because the postal law says we must not, unless we put stamps on them, this we could not afford to do, hence if you want the paper continued you will see that it is paid up. It will be unpleasant for us to have to cut off a single name, but for twenty years we have been running this paper and our subscribers have been paying for it at their convenience, a few not paying at all, and the paper is still going, but the law says we must stop this credit business, and we must!
 Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup stops the cough by allaying inflammation of the throat and lungs, and it drives the cold from the system by gently moving the bowels. Children like it for it tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. Sold by P. E. Davenport. 1m
 Every case of headache, weak back, bladder inflammation and rheumatic pains is dangerous if neglected, for such troubles are nearly always due to weak kidneys. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are antiseptic and soothe the pain quickly. Just upon DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Regular size 50c. Sold here by P. E. Davenport. 1m
 Remember to say "Please" and "Thank you" when it is often courted. Do not forget to

Another Fire at Jamesville.
 On Monday about noon the town of Jamesville was thrown into a state of wild excitement by the alarm of fire. The cause of the alarm proved to be the large barn of Mr. S. L. Wallace. The building, together with a large quantity of hay, peas, corn, etc., was totally destroyed and the residence was only saved by hard work and the fact that the wind was blowing hard in opposite direction at the time.
 It has only been about ten days since Jamesville was visited by a destructive fire which swept a large part of the business houses, in that fire Mr. Wallace was one of the heaviest losers.

Mr. Singleton Goes to Conference at Durham.
 Rev. L. T. Singleton closed his second conference year as pastor of the M. E. Church in this town, on Sunday last and left Tuesday morning for the Annual Conference now in session at Durham.
 Though a young man of inexperience, Mr. Singleton has served his people faithfully during his two years as pastor of this church, and from his report, read before his congregation Sunday night, he goes to conference with a clean record, one of which he and his church has just cause to be proud. Every obligation of the church has been more than paid and the Church and Sunday School is in good, possibly better shape than for quite a while.
 Whether Mr. Singleton will be returned to this charge or not is not known at this writing, if he should be we believe the appointment would be most acceptable to his church as well as the people at large, for he is recognized as a power for good in the community and a most able young preacher.
 Go where he may the prayers and best wishes of a people whom he has so faithfully served for two years will go with him.

NOTICE.
 Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Joshua Lucas, deceased, late of Washington county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of November, 1909, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
 This Nov. 23, 1908.
 C. R. LUGAS, Adm'r.
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FEED AND LIVERY STABLES.
L. H. VAIL, Proprietor,
Plymouth, N. C.
 I wish to inform the people of the county and the public that I have opened the Livery Stables in Plymouth, N. C. and am prepared to care for their horses day or night.
 Passengers transferred to any point with good rigs and safe drivers.
 Horses boarded by week or month with careful attention.
 Prices Reasonable.
 L. H. VAIL.

R. F. D. No. 1, Increasing.
 Mr. Edlow G. Harrison, the very popular and efficient mail dispatcher on R. F. D. No. 1, informs us that the patronage on his route has so greatly increased that he has had to ask for more time in which to make the trip in order to serve his patrons.
 The first few months that this route was in operation there were about 600 packages delivered each month, with little stamp or register business. Now Mr. Harrison tells us that the delivery is something like 7000 packages monthly and that he often has an order business of four or five hundred dollars a day and the stamp and register business has increased in proportion.
 This is a wonderful increase in a Rural Route in a short time and it shows a rapid advancement in a people. It also forcibly illustrates the fact referred to in our last issue, that our people are sending money to mail order houses that should be kept at home and spent with home merchants, but the mail order house keeps its catalogue and other advertising matter in the homes of the patrons of this and every other route in this county, while the local merchant rests contented believing that he is well enough known by those people, when in fact there are people on Route No. 1 that don't know who the merchants of Plymouth are. They know what Sears & Roebuck, John Smith and other mail order houses ask for certain shoes, cloaks, clothing, etc.—they have the price before them all the time.

Marked For Death.
 "Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hops had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Buc, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the world's hearing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee by Spruill & Bro. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

W. Fletcher Ausbon has it.—The Insurance you need on life and property.
 Eat all the good food you like. Quit dieting. You don't have to diet to cure dyspepsia. In fact you can not cure dyspepsia or indigestion that way, but rather you must add strength to the weak stomach by taking something that will digest the food which the stomach can not digest. Kodol is the only thing known today that will do this, for Kodol is made of natural digestive juices found in a healthy stomach, and it digests all food completely. Kodol is pleasant to take, and is guaranteed to give relief in any case of stomach trouble. Sold by P. E. Davenport.

MORTGAGE SALE OF LAND.
 Under and by virtue of a Mortgage Deed executed to John H. Clark by Johnstone Mann and wife, dated January 1st, 1900, and recorded in Book 43, page 59; Register of Deeds office Washington County, N. C., and assigned to L. G. Roper by said John H. Clark on Nov. 11, 1900, I will offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at 12 o'clock M. on Monday December 21, 1908, that tract or parcel of land situated in Washington County, N. C., near the town of Roper, known as the William Harvey place, containing 15 acres, more or less. For fuller description see Book M, pages 761 and 762, Register of Deeds office of Washington County, N. C.
 This Nov. 19, 1908.
 JOHN H. CLARK, Mortgagee,
 L. G. ROOPER, Auctioneer,
 A-signees.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup
 Relieves Colds by working them out of the system through a copious and healthy action of the bowels.
 Relieves coughs by cleansing the mucous membranes of the throat, chest and bronchial tubes.
 "As pleasant to the taste as Maple Sugar"
Children Like It
 For BACKACHE—WEAK KIDNEYS Try DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills—Sure and Safe Sold by P. E. DAVENPORT.

EXTRA SPECIAL!
 Write to-day for particulars of our great inducements. We will make it easy for you to have A Piano for Christmas. If you contemplate ever having a piano, don't neglect this.
CHAS. M. STIEFF,
 J. C. STEELE, Mgr.,
 114 Granby St., - Norfolk, Va.
 "The Piano with the Sweet Tone."
 (Mention this paper.)
 Official Piano Jamestown Exposition.

To The Farmers.
 Why pay fancy prices for commercial fertilizers—stuff that is here to-day and gone to-morrow, when you can, for about one-third the price, get the Fountain Rock Lime Co's, Composition Lims, which improves the land and you can see the effects for years?
 Its wonderful effects on all crops have never been equalled. Analysis, quality and conditions guaranteed at all times. Make money by using it. Don't risk your crops with common lime. This lime is manufactured by a process exclusively by the Fountain Rock Lime Co., of Woodsboro, Md., and they refer to buyers in all parts of the country, to customers who are using their goods and will gladly testify to its superior qualities. Give it a trial. It will tone up and sweeten your lands and make your farms blossom like a rose. J. D. McCONNICO, agent for this section, is prepared to take orders and will gladly furnish any information concerning it.
 Give us a trial order for a car-load and be convinced.
 J. D. McCONNICO,
 10-1 Plymouth, N. C.

DR. T. B. WOLFE,
 —DENTIST—
 The Latest Method for Painless Extraction.

W. Fletcher Ausbon has it.—The Insurance policy you need.

GROCERIES.
 Call and inspect my line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, before placing your order.
 I guarantee Quality and Price.
 All new, fresh stock.
 I will appreciate your business.
 Yours respectfully,
OLYDE CAHOON.

NOTICE.
 TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
 Pay your taxes on or before the 1st Monday in December 1908, and save cost as I shall proceed to levy after that date to close my tax-books as a matter of business.
 W. J. JACKSON, SHERIFF.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

BARGAINS! IN FRESH FAMILY GROCERIES,

We wish to inform the public that we have the most choice line of Staple and Fancy Groceries to be found in Plymouth. Every article from mess-pork to the most delicate cereals are sold under guarantee to satisfy the most fastidious house-wife.

OUR LINE CONSISTS OF
 Dry and pickled Meats and Fish, Flour, sugar, coffee meal, corn, hay, hominy, peas, beans, dried and evaporated fruits, canned meats, fruits and vegetables, foreign and domestic fruits, in fact everything to be found in a first-class Grocery Store, of which we make any hour
FREE AND PROMPT DELIVERY.

Our Line Of Shoes
 Must be seen to be appreciated. We have just opened a large stock, including men's, women's and children's. Every pair a bargain and a trade winner. The latest styles and the best quality at prices that will please you as well as the fit.

We have a few Odds and Ends
 In Notions, Millinery, Silks, Ribbons, etc., that are going at your own price. These goods are new, but we must get them out of the way to make room for more Shoes and they are going at a great sacrifice.

We invite you to come to see us and give us a share of your patronage, which we will more than appreciate.
 Yours very truly,
ANGE & JACKSON,
 Next Door to Bank, Plymouth, N. C.

Just For You!

As the new year approaches we know that every one of our good friends mean to renew his or her subscription. That goes without saying, doesn't it? We are glad to believe that not one of you will willingly miss the visits of THE BEACON.
 So, knowing that the renewals are SURE, we are going to ask a favor. We want you to renew early. DON'T PUT IT OFF. Sit right down NOW and send your subscription. It will be credited from the time now paid for, and it won't be a bit more trouble to send it to-day than next month. Then the glad feeling you will have every time you think, "There, my BEACON is paid for another year," will be worth a good deal to you—try it, and see. A subscription blank, which may be either copied or cut out, is printed below for your especial benefit.
 This seems a little thing to ask, we know, but it means a good deal to us. By commencing NOW to renew your subscriptions for next year, you will help us wonderfully in tiding over the great rush of business which comes during December and January, and which taxes our office force to the utmost. There will be less likelihood of mistakes. We shall be able to be prompt—to serve you better; and that, above all things, is what we desire.
 DON'T WAIT—PLEASE—Send the subscriptions right along. Think, "I am glad to do this for the paper which is so much to me." We know you will. We have so long worked in perfect harmony together that we haven't the fear you will fail us in this. And when forwarding your own subscriptions, don't forget to say to your neighbor, "I am sending my renewal to THE BEACON to-day—don't you want to come in, too?" We are sure you will find good words in plenty to say—we needn't suggest them to you. Again, can't you think of some one to whom the visits of "Our Paper" will be like gleams of sunshine? What would induce you to do without THE BEACON now that you know what the paper means to you? Could there be a more acceptable gift at many times the price? Just put in this friend's subscription with your own, and ask that one of our FREE TURNER'S NORTH CAROLINA ALMANACS be sent them also. You could not make a better investment.
 Renew your subscription NOW; ask your neighbor to send with you; put in a subscription for some one to whom you feel the paper will prove a blessing—and the blessing will return to many-fold.
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