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THE BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT

GOOD AND BEAUTIFUL BOOK

ALWAYS IN GOOD TASTE.
ALWAYS APPRECIATED
AND IS A JOY FOREVER.

Our elegant line of the best and newest
Books for the Holidays is now
displayed and we can furnish
just what you want.

Make your selections early before the
stock is too much picked over,
because many of the choicest
books we cannot duplicate
this season.

We will carefully store your purchase
and deliver at any time and place
you desire. Come and exam-
ine the thousands of new
and beautiful things
and make your-
self at home
in our
store.

ALFRED WILLIAMS & CO.

MILLINERY!

MISS MAGGIE REESE.

Winter

Millinery

OF ALL KINDS.

A FULL LINE OF

CHILDREN'S CAPS

AT ALL PRICES.

NOVELTIES IN FANCY GOODS.

Zephyr, 7 cents.
Wool, 18 cents.

SLIPPER SOLES 25-cs., at

Miss Maggie Reese's.

PERMIT US

To show you our stock of sweet meats for Christmas. Every
article new.

We have the best CITRON, CURRANTS, MINCE MEAT,
ALMONDS, WALNUTS, &c.

Our PURITAN OATFLAKES in 2-lb. cartons or in bulk are not
excelled by any brand.

Don't forget also that we keep constantly on hand ALL PORK
FRESH SAUSAGE put up for our trade especially. Only 12 1-2
cents per pound.

We offer today a small lot of sugar cured hams for 11 1-2 cents
per pound. Don't postpone your purchase as we have only about
300 pounds of them left.

J. G. BALL & CO.

SHERWOOD'S.

THE ETHICS OF

CHRISTMAS

Love is the underlying law of Christmas time, just as justice is, or ought
to be, of all the times. Cynics call the interchange of the season "The
Annual Game of Swap." We give because we love, and are glad to give be-
cause we can. We can because at our store, at least, everybody can afford
to buy.

TO SOLVE THE ANNUAL QUERY WHAT TO BUY

WE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

FOR WOMEN.

Tailor-made Coats, Capes, Fur Capes, Black
or Fancy Dresses, Kid Gloves (all colors),
wool and silk Gloves, Gossamers, white and colored hemstitched Handker-
chiefs, Initial Handkerchiefs in silk, Silk Mufflers, Embroidered Lawn and
Linen Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Hair Pins and
Combs, Hair Brushes, Garter and Dress Buckles, Feathered Fans, Painted,
Gauze and Silk Fans, all-wool Skirts, Umbrellas, all-wool Vests, any size and
price; small wares and notions, Pocket Books and Purses, and a pair of Sher-
wood's Solid Service Shoes.

FOR MEN.

White Dress Shirts, White, Gray, Red and Camel's
Hair Underwear, Half Hose, in cotton and wool;
Collars and Cuffs, Silk Straps, Ties and Four-in-Hands, Suspenders, Canes,
Umbrellas, plain and trimmed Sticks, white and colored bordered Hemstitched
Handkerchief, Gloves in wool, kid, castor and dogskin, Silk Hemstitched and
Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, Black Bows, Silk Mufflers, and a pair of Sherwood's
Solid Service Shoes.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Handkerchiefs, Suspenders,
Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs, Capes, Tam O'Shanter's, a box of Misses' or
Boy's Hermsdoff's Hosiery, Misses' Jackets and Long Garments, Gloves, in
wool and kid, a school Umbrella, Hoods, Pocket Books, Combs, Hair Brushes,
and a pair of Sherwood's Solid Service Shoes.

SPECIAL.

Dress Patterns, Trunks, Blankets, and a pair of Sher-
wood's Solid Service Shoes.

OPEN EVENINGS

C A SHERWOOD & COMPANY.

Sisters to Wed.

Mr. S. F. Pool, of Mount Airy,
passed through today on his way to
Henderson where tomorrow at 1 o'clock
he will wed Miss Sallie Wyche, a
charming young lady of that place.
Tomorrow afternoon they will go to
Greensboro where they will make their
home. Miss Wyche is a sister of Dr.
Wyche, Greensboro's leading dentist.
A novel and, at the same time, a
pleasant feature of their marriage is
that they will reach their future home
just in time to be present at the nuptials
of Miss Wyche's sister, Miss Martha
Wyche, of Greensboro female college,
to Mr. Craddock, of Virginia. Both
the Misses Wyche are popular young
ladies, well known throughout the
state and many friends will wish them
a happy and prosperous journey
through life.

If any dealer in Raleigh will equal
in size and flavor the oysters we sell
at 25 and 35c per quart, we will give
the soldier's home five gallons Xmas.
G. N. Ives & Co., city market.

Perfumery in cut glass or plain
bottles is the most generally accepta-
ble gift for Xmas you can buy any
kind by the gallon, quart or pint in
bottles or in your own bottles at
SRELLING & HICKS, drugstore.

Don't listen to the "oyster bed"
story so often told you, but come to us
and you will get good oysters.
G. N. Ives & Co., city market.

We have fine oysters at 25 and 35c.
at D. Bell & Co.'s dec-31f

Don't forget to try our 25 and 35c.
oysters at D. Bell & Co.'s dec-31f

Bring your orders to us for select
oysters and you will not complain of
size, flavor or measure.
G. N. Ives & Co., city market.

We will sell you for Christmas, best
French candles at 40c per pound.
dec-14 St North-Side Drug Store.

Our new oyster refrigerator makes
customers among people who prefer
the market flavor to ice water. Come
and see it. G. N. Ives & Co.,
dec-18 4t City market.

For Christmas presents go to the
North-Side Drug Store.

If you want solid measure oysters
at 25 and 35c, a quart go to D. Bell &
Co.'s stall in the market house.

DOTS AND DASHES

MADE ABOUT TODAY'S HAPPEN- INGS.

Items Gathered in and Around
the City.

The farmers want to see some cold
weather, so they can kill hogs.

Travel on the railroads is picking
up. There is already a good deal of
travel.

Mr. W. H. Moore is building three
cottages on East Martin street, in the
Womble addition.

Today the legislative joint commit-
tee is at work on the books in the
state auditor's office.

So far as can be learned there will
be a Christmas tree at each of the
Sunday schools in this city.

The cotton receipts today were very
heavy. It was worth one's life almost
to walk through the exchange.

At the Park hotel this afternoon
Miss Myrta Laura Mason of Chicago,
lectured on psycho-physical culture.

The Raleigh boys at college at
Chapel Hill will come home for their
Christmas holidays tomorrow, Thurs-
day and Friday.

The holiday trade here appears to
be quite up to the average. The coun-
try people, low as is the price of cot-
ton, all appear to have money.

Raleigh, when the Caucasian and
the Lodge make their appearance, will
have seventeen daily, weekly and
monthly publications.

There are intimations of some other
changes in the personnel of the offi-
cials of the S. A. L. changes that
will by no means please the people in
this state.

Why don't the fair management
have that editorial prize awarded?
There has been delay enough and
many of the state's brilliant editors
are in "centerhooks."

There is only one of the three to-
bacco warehouses open this season,
this being the Farmers'. Last Fri-
day there were heavy breaks and to-
day these were again large. Over
\$2,000 worth of leaf was sold each
day.

Royster, Park & Co., today began
work on two extensions of the power
house of the street railway; one be-
ing 50x23 feet and the other 18x30
feet. In these the engines, boilers
and dynamos will be placed, and more
room for cars will be afforded.

The Carolina cotillion club will
give its holiday dance on the 26th in-
stant, instead of on Christmas. The
Capitol club will also give a dance
during the holidays. That of the
cotillion club will be given at the Yar-
boro or the Park.

A rustic passenger who was await-
ing a train at the union depot today
had evidently been making extensive
Christmas preparations during his
stay in the city, having on the seat
beside him two immense "jimmy-
johns" of pure old rye and two bottles
of rock candy.

The official list of members-elect of
the legislature, as prepared by Capt.
C. M. Roberts, keeper of the capitol,
showing their seats, shows 8 demo-
crats, 17 republicans and 35 populists
in the senate, and 46 democrats, 38
republicans and 36 populists in the
house.

The Visitor welcomes to the city G. S.
Coggeshall, who has recently remov-
ed here from Oxford, and who has
opened an office in room No. 2, Pullen
building and will engage in the prac-
tice of medicine in the community. He
is said by the Public Ledger of his
former home to be a skillful surgeon
and eminent physician.

This evening at the chapel of the
blind institution the Raleigh musical
association will give its first regular
rehearsal. Among the singers will be
Mrs. H. H. Chandler, now of Raleigh,
late of Nebraska, and Miss M. L. Ma-
son of Chicago. The new amateur
orchestra will furnish the music. The
concert begins at 8 o'clock and admis-
sion is only upon invitation.

In conversation with Mr. Len. H.
Royster today the latter said to a re-
porter that in the will of the late
John Rex, the giver of Rex hospital,
two springs in this city were set aside
for the permanent use of the people
of Raleigh, a quarter of an acre being
set aside at each place. One of these
springs is in a few yards of the Mills
wagon factory and the other near the
Seaboard Air Line shops. This is
a queer piece of news. Can any one
give more of the facts.

Deputy "Charlie" Walters left this
morning for Goldsboro carrying with
him Mary Horton, the colored woman
who has been confined at the county
home for over two months. She will be
placed in the Goldsboro Asylum, a
vacancy having been made at that
much crowded institution. Mary, it
will be remembered, is the woman who
nearly caused a stampede among the
prisoners in jail a month or so ago by
her wild "taking on."

THE WEATHER.

The Conditions and the Fore-
cast.

For North Carolina: Fair and
cooler in eastern portion to-night,
warmer in western portion Wednes-
day.

Local forecast for Raleigh and
vicinity: Wednesday, cooler tonight,
fair and slightly warmer Wednesday.
Local data for 24 hours ending at 8 a.
m. today: Maximum temperature 63;
minimum temperature 33; rainfall
0.00.

The high area extends from Mem-
phis to Buffalo, with a barometer of
30.50 inches. The weather is clear
and cool everywhere except in upper
Mississippi valley, where it is cloudy,
due to the approach of another storm
in the northwest, as indicated by
southerly winds and rising tempera-
ture north of St. Louis. The tempera-
ture has fallen considerably over the
states bordering the Atlantic.

As to the Streets.

The street question is a vexing one.
That Raleigh the capital city and natu-
rally the prettiest place in the state,
should be defaced by such thorough-
fares as it has is indeed hard. Mr.
Stronach, the chairman of the street
committee certainly has the good of the
city at heart. He is handicapped by
the action of the aldermen, and that
he has done the best he could under
great disadvantages; and should not
get the blame. But Raleigh is away
behind on street improvements, com-
plaints are not groundless. Somebody
is to blame. Who is it?

Although an ordinance was passed
months ago requiring the different
railroads to put flagmen at their
crossings nothing has been done. It
is said that the railroads have been
notified, but why have they not been
compelled to carry out the order? Mr.
Stronach was asked why the ordinance
was ignored and could not answer.
This matter seems to be gross negli-
gence on somebody's part. The neglect
to guard the crossings is a nuisance
to the public safety. The Fayetteville
street crossing is especially dangerous
and Mr. Stronach says that he himself
had narrowly escaped being run over
there.

Illicit Stills Captured.

Collector Simmons was today in-
formed of the seizure and destruction
of three illicit distilleries. Deputy
E. A. Moffitt reports the seizure and
destruction of a 70-gallon copper dis-
tillery and outfit, 1,500 gallons of
"moonlight" beer and two barrels of
corn liquor. The still was situated on
an island in the Pee Dee river, Rich-
mond county, and was owned and op-
erated by J. R. McRae.

Deputy A. F. Rhodes reports that he
has seized and destroyed an illicit dis-
tillery of 80-gallons capacity, 1,900
gallons of beer and three barrels of
whiskey in Caswell county. Dink
Bigelow was the owner.

Deputy Rhodes also reports the
seizure and destruction, at McRae's
postoffice, of an illicit still and outfit
owned by John and Will Page.

The State Lands Option.

The state board of education met
here today. The most important busi-
ness transacted was giving a new op-
tion on the large tract of state lands,
comprising three hundred and fifty
thousand acres. Many gentlemen made
application for the option but it was
renewed in favor of Hon. C. M. Stead-
man, of Asheville, who has held it for
years and who, it seems, has made ex-
tensive sales of the lands. A sale of a
small tract of state land was also
made.

Fell Far and Hard.

At Chapel Hill last evening Mr.
James Stevenson a university student,
fell over the low banister on the third
story of the south building to the
lower floor, thirty-five feet, but
strange to say, with the exception of a
shaking up and a sprained ankle was
not injured.

The accident occurred on account
of the utter darkness of the halls. A
little over year ago a Davidson student
fell, on the same account, and died
from his injuries.

Deputy collector E. A. Moffitt re-
ports to collector Simmons the seizure
of a double barrel shot gun. What
class of liquor the gun comes under,
however, is making clerk Steed scratch
his head thoughtfully.

Rev. Dr. R. H. Graves, who has
been a Baptist missionary to China for
thirty years and who only recently
returned home, is here. Last evening
the doctor delivered a very interesting
lecture at the first Baptist church.

Ladies' gold pens, pearl staff, \$1.25,
\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50; Gents'
gold pens, pearl staff, \$1.25, \$1.50,
\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. The above prices
are one-third less than ever sold in
this city. Raleigh Stationery Co.

PERSONAL POINTS.

ABOUT PROMINENT NORTH CARO- LINA PEOPLE.

Here And Elsewhere in the
State.

Mr. Aldrich returned to the city to-
day.

Judge and Mrs. Boykin, of Clinton,
arrived this afternoon.

Mrs. J. Ludlow Skinner left for a
short trip to Baltimore this morning.

Mr. Charles D. Benbow, of Greens-
boro, becomes chief clerk at the Park
hotel.

The supreme court will in a day or
two close up its work for the fall
term.

Capt. R. B. Peebles, of Jackson,
Northampton county, returned home
today.

Mr. C. F. Upchurch today qualified
as administrator of the estate of Asa
Edwards, deceased.

Dr. Chas. Baskerville, assistant pro-
fessor of chemistry at the university,
arrived today.

Mr. Brown Shepherd, who has been
attending the university, returned for
the holidays this afternoon.

Miss Isabel Fairly, of Manchester,
N. C., who has been visiting Misses
Bessie and Mary Dinwiddie, left for
home today.

Mr. John White, one of the oldest
and best known merchants of Warren-
ton, fell dead last evening, just after
reaching his home.

Mr. William H. Worth, state treas-
urer-elect, says Mr. J. W. Denmark,
now business manager of the Progress-
ive Farmer, will be the chief clerk at
the treasury. The other changes in
the clerical force are not yet an-
nounced.

To my Customers.

From Saturday night December 23d,
to Thursday morning, December 27th,
the Oak City Laundry will be closed
in order to repair and fit up the ma-
chinery for the coming year. Those
having work will please send in as
early this week as possible. I would
add that the work done now is equal
if not superior to any work ever sent
out.

Respectfully,
L. R. WYATT,
Proprietor.

Phone 87

Ladies' gold pens, pearl staff, \$1.25,
\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50; Gents'
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\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. The above prices
are one-third less than ever sold in
this city. Raleigh Stationery Co.

Express Wagons.

Your boy wants an express wagon.
Get him the wagon and anything
else he wants (if you can). He will
not be a boy long and will not pass
by this way again. He will soon be a
man and pass out from under your
care. The kindness you show him
now will be remembered by him
pleasantly all along life's journey.
So do all you can now for the boy.
One of those wagons from Swindell's
will not cost much. Swindell has two
hundred wagons and no room to
keep them, because the big stock
from Durham will soon be here. All
wagons have been marked down to
cost, at D. T. Swindell's.

Get a Suit of Clothes.

Right now you can get a nice suit
of clothes from D. T. Swindell's for a
very little money—almost no money
at all. Big stock and small prices, for
clothing, at D. T. Swindell's.

The legislature is to be asked to
create three new counties.

"It is a pleasure to sell Chamber-
lain's Cough Remedy," says Stickney
& Dentler, druggist, Republic, Ohio.
"Because a customer, after once us-
ing it, is almost certain to call for it
when again in need of such a medi-
cine. We sell more of it than of any
other cough medicine we handle, and
it always gives satisfaction." For
coughs, cold and croup, it is without
an equal. For sale by J. Hal Bob-
bitt, druggist.

Extra bargains in furniture at
Thomas & Maxwell. Bed lounges with
detachable mattresses a specialty.

For rheumatism I have found nothing
equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm.
It relieves the pain as soon as applied.
J. W. Young, West Liberty, W. Va.
The prompt relief it affords is alone
worth many times the cost, 50 cents.
Its continued use will effect a perma-
nent cure. For sale by J. Hal Bob-
bitt, druggist.

\$25.00 to \$50.00 per week using
and selling old Reliable
Plater. Every family has rusty, worn
knives, forks, spoons, etc. Quickly
plated by dipping in melted metal.
No experience or hard work; a good
situation. Address W. P. Harrison &
Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio.

THESE ARE

BARGAINS

ONLY A FEW LEFT.

FRESH NEW GOODS

—AT—

Exactly Cost,

To make room for other goods.

AT \$6 05 \$8 50 \$6 75 \$6 85

\$8 00 \$8 50 \$9 25

THOS. H. BRIGGS & SONS,
RALEIGH, N. C.

J. W. BARBER & SON,

MARTIN STREET,

RALEIGH, N. C.

FURNITURE,
BUGGIES

AND

WAGONS.

We desire to call special attention
to our line of FURNITURE. It can-
not be excelled by any in the city for
prices and quality. We have the
BEST, as well as the CHEAPER
grades, and can please the most
fastidious.

WE CARRY A LINE OF

BUGGIES and WAGONS,

Made by the best manufacturers of
the country, and invite you to
examine our stock before
BUYING.

We take pleasure in showing our
goods.

D. T. JOHNSON, AGENT.

New Crop

California Layer Raisins, in
whole and quarter boxes.
Cooking Raisins, 10c. pound.

Florida Oranges,

"Hurlbut's Brand." These are
among the sweetest grown, and
are sent to me direct from the
grove. I offer them by the box
or retail.

Fancy Red Apples

Arriving twice a week. These are
bought expressly for the Xmas
trade and are fine and sound.

New Crop Nuts.

Walnuts, Almonds, Pecans and
Brazil, mixed or separate.

COCOANUTS by the bag or at retail.
CANDY, Plain, Cream mixed and
fancy.

RITTER'S Pure Fruit Preserves and
Jellies, in glass and tins; small
packages.

D. T. JOHNSON, AGENT.

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DO NOT PUT OFF

Do not put off the
selection of your
Christmas Presents
until the last few
days before Xmas.

If a gift is wanted
for either a man, wo-
man or child, that
gift should not be
bought until a visit
has been made to

Tucker's.