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EMPTY STOCKINGS.

Oh, mothers in home that are happy Where Christmas comes laden with cheer...

-Ellen Manley

A VERY KIND OFFER.

The Wilmington Star has the following to say of our townsman, F. H. Busbee, Esq., and B. F. Long, Esq., of Statesville:

Very kind letter from B. F. Long, Esq., a prominent and influential attorney of Statesville, N. C. Mayor Waddell and the citizens of Wilmington at large very greatly appreciate these expressions of sympathy and kind offers of assistance...

THE OCCUPATION OF HAVANA.

General Lee's return to Havana at the head of his troops is significant of the altered political situation in Cuba. Spanish sovereignty is ended and American military domination takes its place...

ENCOURAGING MANUFACTURES.

The Alabama Legislature has just passed a bill exempting from taxation for a period of ten years all manufacturing establishments planted in that State during the next five years.

Concerted action by the Presbyterian and Methodist denominations is being had with a view to petitioning Congress to reject the Mormon member, Brigham H. Roberts.

THE PRESIDENT AT ATLANTA.

The reception given Mr. McKinley, as Chief Executive of the United States, by the Atlantans today will no doubt be a very cordial and grand one, as the South heartily rejoices at the return of peace and hope no new war will disturb the remainder of Mr. McKinley's administration.

WILMINGTON ENTERTAINERS.

Wilmington's good people are today doing honor to her distinguished townsman, Lieutenant Edwin A. Anderson, commander of the Spanish prize ship, Sandoval, and Lieutenant Victor Blue, commander of the Alvarado, another Spanish prize ship.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Located in One of the Most Desirable Portions of Raleigh. In pursuance of an order made in a certain petition for the sale of land for partition in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Wake county, North Carolina...

HOBSON AT HIS OLD HOME.

Had a Narrow Escape from Railroad Wreck. Special to the Baltimore Sun. Greensboro, Ala., Dec. 12.—Lieutenant Richmond Pearson Hobson narrowly escaped being in a serious wreck on the Southern Railway, just outside of Greensboro, his home, yesterday morning.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at all drug stores.

WOUND NO MAN'S FEELINGS UNNECESSARILY.

There are thorns enough in the path of human life. If you suffer from sores, boils, pimples, or if your nerves are weak and your system run down, you should take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Humanity educates itself continuously by the circle of thoughts which it begets.

Liver Ills

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work easily and thoroughly.

Hood's Pills

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

COLLECTING RECORDS OF CONFEDERACY.

In his annual report to Congress Librarian Young, of the Congressional Library, states that special attention was given by the library to the collection of the literature and music of the Southern Confederacy.

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE.

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches.

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"NOTICE REMOVAL."

The New River Fish AND OYSTER COMPANY,

No. 12 EAST HARGETT ST.,

Will open up a fine lot of those selected fine New River Oysters, on tomorrow morning. Boarding Houses and Hotels would do well to place their orders early for the Xmas Holidays.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Bobbitt-Wynne Drug Company,

The "Bobbitt-Wynne Drug Company" having purchased the stocks, business and good will of J. Hal Bobbitt, druggist on the corner of Fayetteville street and Exchange Place and of the Northside Drug Store, on Halifax street, near Johnston street, will continue the retail drug and prescription business at the respective stands.

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Wake County—J. H. Cooper and others, Against Mary Hill, Robert Hill, Letitia Hill, Earl Hill, Sidney House and wife, House, Eli Hill, or his heirs-at-law.

SPECIAL RATES VIA THE S. A. L. FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

On account of the Christmas holidays the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets from all points South of the Ohio and Potomac and east of the Mississippi rivers, at rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip.



Christmas Shoes.

AN ELEGANT PRESENT. A Pair of Nice House or office Comfort Shoes or Slippers.

A Full Line at S. C. POOL'S.

FREE SHINES To all Customers, Ladies and Gent's Boot Blacks always on hand.

1898 Xmas. THE HOLIDAYS. New Year 1899.

Friend Remembers Friend —AND— Lover Remembers Lover. THE QUESTION—

'What Will I Give?'

CAN BE EASILY ANSWERED. 'GO TO THE STORE OF THE ROYAL AND BORDEN FURNITURE CO.,

Corner Wilmington and Hargett Streets. THERE YOU WILL FIND Rockers, Couches, Desks, Tabourettes, Jardinières, Pictures, Music Racks, Screens, Music Racks, Screens, Music Racks, Screens.

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Roses, Carnations and other choice Cut Flowers. Floral Designs tastefully arranged at Short Notice.

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Pans, Ferns and all other decorative plants for house culture. For ornamental gardening at lowest figure. All kinds of bedding plants: Roses, Geraniums, Heliotropes, Coleus, etc.

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Our stock of Underwear, Overcoats heavy Clothing, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Gloves, etc., is at your command, for such a small price, to protect you from the cold blasts of winter.



HARD TO ESCAPE

Hard to escape giving us an order for turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens after you have seen the cleanliness and order noticeable about our establishment, and witnessed the care with which every fowl is raised and handled.

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Do You Want the Best of all Remedies? A Prompt Cure? Ask Your Druggist for a Box of WATTS' Eczema Ointment.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

In pursuance of an order made in a certain petition for the sale of land to make assets in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, in and for Wake County, North Carolina, numbered 888, and entitled: R. M. Horton, administrator of Mary Horton, deceased, against W. H. Pollard et al., I will at the Court House door, in Raleigh, N. C., on Monday the 9th day of January, 1899, expose for sale the following described real estate:

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

On Monday, January 24, 1899, I will sell at auction at the court house door in Raleigh, N. C., a tract of land in White Oak township, Wake county, N. C., containing twenty-one acres, two rods and twenty poles, adjoining the lands of James Scott and Z. Council Scott, being lot No. 4, in the partition of the lands of Abram Scott, deceased, and fully described by metes and bounds in deed of trust to me, recorded in book 104, page 220, office of the Register of Deeds of Wake county.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of authority given me by a mortgage deed executed to me on the 3d day of March, 1887, by G. H. Rains and wife, Martha Rains, registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wake county, book 70, at page 256, I will sell at 12 o'clock m., on Wednesday the 28th day of December, 1898, at my store in Holly Springs, to the highest bidder for cash, the lands described in said mortgage deed containing 52 1/2 acres, more or less, situated in Swift Creek township, adjoining the lands of the original John Arent tract, James Sauls and others. This sale will be made subject to the first mortgage held by me, executed to me on the 19th day of January, 1880, by G. H. Rains on the same property, registered in the Register's office of Wake county, book 56, at page 872.

For 1899 will give you the latest NEWS from the late ELECTION, MEMBERS of the LEGISLATURE, COUNTY OFFICERS, etc., etc. Absolutely essential to all people. Order of LEVI BRANSON, Publisher, Raleigh, N. C.