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That Bromo-Seltzer feeling was quite prevalent this morning.

The turkeys feel all cut up over the Christmas dinner.

The Pope has closed the jubilee doors of St. Peter's. He evidently doesn't believe in the "open door" policy.

New Orleans may have its Mardi Gras, but Raleigh has its "John O' Conah's" and "D. Q. T'S."

Now that the fire-works have all been exploded, we may be able to make up an accurate list of the dead and wounded.

Atlanta's Mayor refuses to resign. If they get him to take a resignation it will have to be served up in a cocktail.

A year ago there was great discussion as to when the Twentieth Century began. Now that we know it is about to begin, we hear little about it.

The newspapers that worked as usual yesterday might have felt more entertaining than their esteemed contemporaries, but they didn't have half as much fun.

In an Indiana town a few nights ago an old man shot two young fellows because they were calling on his daughters. Courting must be dangerous business in that section of Indiana.

The Times' special holiday offer of free wedding ceremonies holds good all during this week. This reduces the cost of getting married to getting the license and getting the girl. Remember, this unparalleled offer holds good one week only.

Mr. Bryan is to reply to Mr. Cleveland's article on the re-organization of the Democracy. It is said that his reply will be made in the annual oration to the W. J. Bryan League of Chicago, which takes place January 8th. The debate between the leaders is being watched with interest by people of every party.

Col. Smith Clayton does not look like a man who could get Mr. Cleveland to talk freely.

With Mr. Bryan running a newspaper, and Mr. Cleveland contributing articles by the page to the Philadelphia Saturday Post, it does seem that the Democratic party will be "long" on advice.

Of all the rot that is perpetrated in the name of poetry, the Christmas rhymes are the worst. If you will read the illustrated poems in the Christmas supplements, you will find the veriest nonsense that ever was liked by rhyme. There is nothing new in the Christmas pictures of Santa Claus, or the poems about the Mistletoe Bough and the Holly.

The Charlotte News announces that it has made a flattering offer to Mr. William Jennings Bryan to become associate editor of that paper. The Times is not to be out-done. It offered President Oom Paul Kruger, Esq., P. G. D., a handsome sum to come to this town and act as Santa Claus for the force, but on account of his having an engagement for Christmas dinner with the Queen of Holland, he was compelled to decline.

Since the recent Boer victories, it is reported that President Kruger is stiff-necked, and refuses to begin negotiations for peace. In this he shows the Boer doggedness and not a little of the Boer ignorance. They are a brave and noble people, but they are fighting the greatest power in the world, and cannot hope to succeed against such great odds. The best thing for them to do would be to seek peace on the most advantageous terms. Intervention is a dream, as no European power, however much it sympathized with the Boers, would risk the enmity of England by attempting intervention. The Boers have been doomed to defeat from the beginning. They have fought as few others have since the world began, and are enrolled high on the list of heroes. But the contest is now only a fruitless sacrifice of human life.

"McDONOUGH" LAUNCHED.
WEYMOUTH, MASS., Dec. 24.—The torpedo destroyer "McDonough" was successfully launched here this morning. The christening was performed by Mrs. McDonough Reede, of Philadelphia, a usual descendant of Commodore McDonough, for whom the vessel is named. The boat will have 30 knots speed, twin screws and engines 8,400 horse power.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Capital Club Construction Company for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting will be held in the reading rooms of the Capital Club at 9 o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, January 9, 1901.

HENRY E. LITCHFORD, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mutual Savings and Deposit Company will be held in the office of Mr. T. Gray, on Tuesday, January 8, 1901, at 1 o'clock, a. m.

HENRY E. LITCHFORD, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Visitor-Press Company for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting, will be held at the office of said company at No. 409, Fayetteville street, at 8 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, the 31st day of December, 1900.

H. E. LITCHFORD, Sec.

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NOTICE.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

By authority of a mortgage from J. W. Price and wife, recorded in Book 155, page 784, Register of Deeds of Wake county, I will, on Monday, the 24th day of December, 1900, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House of Wake county, Raleigh, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash a lot of land in the city of Raleigh, which belongs to the estate of the late John H. Moore, and is situated on the east side of North East street, and runs north with said street 8 feet to a stake, corner of I. A. Bridgers, thence east with his lot 2 1/2 feet to a stake; thence north 2 1/2 feet to a stake; thence east 156 feet to a stake; thence south 48 feet to a stake; thence west 156 feet to a stake; hence north 19 1/2 feet to a stake; thence 210 feet to the beginning, and returning same lot conveyed to mortgagee by J. A. Bridgers and others, Book 155, page 645, said Register's office.

W. N. JONES,
Attorney.

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SALE OF VALUABLE LOT.
By virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Wake County, N. C., made and entered at the October Term, 1900, of said Court in the case of Lizzie Daniels et al vs. W. H. Moore et al, being number 5533, upon the Civil Issue Docket of said Court, I will offer for sale at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder at the Court House door in the city of Raleigh, N. C., on Monday, the 17th day of December, 1900, at 12 o'clock M., the following described lot of land, viz: Situated and lying, and being in the city of Raleigh, said county and State, and bounded on the north by the lot of E. Upperman, on the east by the lot of Betsy Bryan, on the south by South street, and on the west by the lot of J. H. J. Goodwin, being one-half of the lot bought by Marcelinus Upperman of W. H. J. Goodwin, deed registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county, in Book 65, page 529, and the same that was mortgaged by Cherry Jones to W. H. Moore, see book 105, page 21, in Register's office of said county.
ARMISTEAD JONES,
Commissioner.
Nov. 14, 1900. tds.

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NOTICE OF SALE.
By authority of a judgment of the Superior Court for Wake county entered at October Term, 1900, in an action for the foreclosure of a mortgage, entitled Thos. C. Ennis vs. P. C. Ennis and others, I will, on Monday, 7th day of January, 1901, at the Court House door of Wake county, Raleigh, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash that certain lot or parcel of land with improvements thereon, situate on North Salisbury street, in the city of Raleigh, beginning at the northeast corner of the lot of J. H. Alford, and runs North with said street 80 feet, thence west 210 feet to the west line of said lot, thence south along said line 80 feet to the line of lot No. 212 in the plan of said city, thence east with the line of said lot 210 feet to the beginning, being portion of lot No. 228 in the plan of Raleigh.
W. N. JONES,
Commissioner.
Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 3, 1900. tds.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina at its Session in January 1901: 1. For a private act amending the Charter of the City of Raleigh, and 2. For a private act to authorize the City of Raleigh to submit to the voters therein the question of issuing bonds for Public Improvements, and to issue same should the election so decide.
This 12th day of December, 1900.
W. L. WATSON, Attorney
for the City of Raleigh.

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