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The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, SYRUP OF FIGS, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinal in their action and presenting them in the form most refreshing to taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strong cleansing laxative, cleansing the system, softening the bowels, relieving the head, and preventing the formation of biliousness, constipation, indigestion, and its acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, without weakening or irritating them, making it the ideal laxative.

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Business Locals.
JAMES B. DAWSON will have some nice oysters for the trade today, 108 Middle Street. Phone 200.

FOR SALE—A fine Mare 3 years old, well broke and gentle. Will sell at a bargain. J. E. Latham & Co.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. J. W. Rawls of Arapahoe, was in the city yesterday.
Capt. W. R. Hinnant is spending a few days in the city.
Miss Hattie Davis has accepted a position at Ennett's Book Store.
Miss Lida T. Rodman of Washington, N. C., is in the city, visiting her sister, Mrs. Owen H. Guton.
Mrs. J. T. H. Moore has returned from Riddickville, Hertford county, where she has been visiting for several months.
Rev. A. W. Seizer of Morehead, passed through the city last night, returning home from the Baptist state Convention.
Rev. R. D. Carroll arrived here last night, and will conduct the service at the Tabernacle Baptist Church today.
Mr. Thomas Daniels, who has been at Baltimore for several weeks, receiving treatment for his eyes, is expected home today.
Mr. J. S. Hawk of Mauch Chunk, Pa. who has been spending several days in the city with his son, Mr. J. R. Hawk, left last night, returning home.

The Best Prescription for Malaria.

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Snow's TANNIN CHINA TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

Santa Claus Claims Everything.

During the next three weeks to come we offer really good values in both playthings and wearables, especially do we make the most attractive playthings on our dolls, toys, cut-glass, go-carts, etc., and bring the little ones to see what Santa is in our window. BARFOOT.

The Spinster Tea.

All who wish to enjoy an evening of fun and amusement should attend the Spinster Tea on Monday night.
The spinsters will have with them pictures of the men they have refused and will tell why they prefer a life of single blessedness. An admission of one cent will be charged. Tickets may be found at Mr. D. H. Davis' and Mr. A. E. Hinnant's.

CAPUDINE
Does not effect the heart.

It's different from other Headache Remedies.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Friday Night's Play.

At the Masonic Opera House, Friday night, December 13th, a play called Diamonds and Hearts will be given by local amateurs. It will be a "comedy drama" in three acts and is sure to be highly entertaining. A pretty feature of the play will be three songs to be given in its progress and also several dances. Among the latter will be a "Tambourine Dance" by Miss Cammie Lord, of Wilmington.

The cast of "Diamonds and Hearts" is given below; it will show the character of the play and the parts assumed by the amateurs.

The admission will be 50 cents, no extra charge for reserved seats. The day of sale will be announced later. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the Naval Reserve.

Barnes Halstead—A young lady of eighteen, with an affection of the heart, a love of fun and a hatred of arithmetic—Mrs. J. E. Latham.

Amy Halstead—Her sister, two years younger. Fond of frolic—Miss Sadie Moore.

Inez Gray—A young lady visitor, willing to share in the fun—Miss Cammie Lord.

Mrs. Halstead—A widow, and step-mother to the Halstead girls—Miss Isabel Bryan.

Hannah Mary Barnes, or "Sis"—A maiden lady who keeps house for her brother—Mrs. D. Congdon.

Dwight Bradley—A fortune-hunter, and Mrs. Halstead's son by a former marriage—Mr. C. Gordon Tansley.

Dr. Barton—A young physician—Mr. George Henderson, Jr.

Sammy—The darkey ball-boy in the Halstead house—Mr. Clarence Crapon.

Abraham Barnes, or "Bub"—A Yankee farmer still unmarried at forty. A diamond in the rough—Mr. J. E. Benton.

Attorney—Mr. T. C. Daniels.
Sheriff—J. J. Tolson, Jr.

A Country Party.

There will be a "Country party" at the home of Mrs. Dudley Burkholder, No. 28 Craven St., Saturday, Dec. 14th from 4 to 6 p. m., for the benefit of the Junior Auxiliary of Christ church.

Many novel features will be shown for the amusement of all who attend. Admission will be a package of some article either fancy or eatables valued at 10c. These packages will be auctioneered off during the afternoon. Old and young are cordially invited.

Fun Assured.

The public are invited to attend a "Country party" at the home of Mrs. Dudley Burkholder, No. 28 Craven St., Saturday Dec. 14th, 4 p. m. given by the Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church. Refreshments at city prices. Admission, a package of some article, either fancy or eatable, valued at 10c. Fun assured.

Is It Another Bestment?

For several weeks, a party of Northern Capitalists have been quietly at work near this city, and in Craven county, making preparations to bore for oil.

The "aligns" showed the possibilities for oil, and the parties now at work are so confident of success, that everything is fast approaching the time when active boring will begin, derricks, machinery, etc., being now erected.

It would transform this city's commerce, if the parties now seeking oil, should make a successful "strike."

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

In Arizona there are 1,700 Indians his own farms.
"Ethnography" is the name advanced by a writer in The Telegraph Age for Marconi's great invention, wireless telegraphy.
The largest duck farm in Virginia is that of Mr. S. H. Hanabrough, near Winchester, whence 80,000 pounds of ducks have been shipped so far this year.

The paper and pulp industry of this country has increased in the past ten years from 649 plants, employing 488,000,000, to 728, with a combined capital of \$1,677,000,000.

The old Liberty bell is to make yet another trip from Philadelphia. Since its return from the Chicago World's fair it has been quietly at rest. But in the latter part of December, probably, it will be taken to the exposition at Charleston, S. C.

Among the native family names traced to royal ancestry by a recent American book on this subject are Davis, Talliferro, Dixon, Nelson, Robinson, Thackerston, Vernon, Goodwin, Smith, Lewis, Martin, Foster, Hoode, Chisoom, Washington and Wellington.

Services Today.

Christiana Church, M. S. Spear, pastor, preaching today at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor. At 7:30 p. m., the Auxiliary to the Christian Women's Board of Missions will observe their annual G. W. D. M. day. The program will consist of special music and instructive selections on the purpose and principles of the Christian Women's Board of Missions. Sunday School at 3 p. m. E. Taylor Superintendent. All are cordially invited to these services.

Rev. R. D. Carroll will preach today, morning and night, at the Tabernacle Baptist Church.

Owing to the absence of the pastor, the pulpit of the First Baptist Church will be supplied by Rev. J. Paul Spence at the morning and evening services.

Presbyterian Church—Preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. E. S. Bradshaw. Sabbath School at 1:30 p. m. Visitors and strangers are cordially invited.

Services at St. Mary's Free Will Baptist Church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Eld. W. H. Frost. Sunday School at 3:30 p. m. The public is invited to attend these services.

Christian Science Church Services—Sunday 10:45 a. m. Bible Lesson Sermon today Subject: "Sacrament." Matthew, 23:23. Testimony services Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Reading room open daily. All are cordially invited to attend.

Five Shipment of Lettuce.

The steamer Neuse last Friday night had a fine cargo of lettuce for Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York. There were about one hundred packages in the lot, which were shipped by Messrs Ray and Clark.

Marriage Announcement.

Next Tuesday, Dec 10th, Rev. Wardie M. Lewis and Miss Kate Simpson will be united in marriage at Riverdale, N. C. at 8:30 o'clock. Miss Simpson is the daughter of Mr. Clifford Simpson of Riverdale. The wedding will take place at the Methodist church.

Choral Society Prospects.

The Armory Choral Society has been so fortunate as to engage the services of Miss Alma Speight as conductor of its musical exercises. Miss Speight comes among us with the highest credentials as an accomplished musician and especially capable as a director of chorals and part singing.

Besides being an "eldest" of the most eminent musical conservatory of Boston and having had the advantage of hearing frequently the greatest singers and studying their methods, she is an enthusiastic musician and devoted to her art.

The meeting room at the Armory will be painted, carpeted, curtained and otherwise made comfortable and suitable as the home of Art.

The Choral Society will no doubt now be able to fulfill its hopes and give the city a musical organization worthy of its history.

A Profitable Haul.

A remarkable catch of fish occurred last Friday and the result shows that fishing is a profitable industry, at times at least. A schooner brought in a load of fish, the result of one haul of a net. There were 7,000 pounds of fish in the lot and their value was about \$350. The fish were caught in the lower part of Neuse river.

For Holiday Buyers.

The columns of the JOURNAL today, present a fine list of advertisements, from which holiday buyers cannot fail to find what they want.

Remember the home merchant, he is worthy and entitled to your trade.

The Ladies Exchange.

The ladies exchange will reopen Monday, December 9th, and will be open every afternoon until Christmas, in the building near the Exchange's Printing establishment on Craven street.

Popular Priced Playthings.

The kind we are selling to many of the kind that everybody can buy, dolls, toys, games, books, doll furniture, trains, drums, guns, swords, tanks, horns, wagons, go-carts, carriages, the toys, iron and wood toys, dolls that go to sleep and dolls that cry, and everything at a little less than you have to pay anywhere else.

Tooth Brushes at Davis'.

Davis Prescription Pharmacy has just received a lot of tooth brushes from Chase Loomis, the well-known manufacturer of brushes in Paris. Each brush has "Davis Pharmacy" stamped on the handle, and is guaranteed to be perfect. If not in good condition, it may be returned. It is being made a leader at Davis' and the price is only 50 cents.

Walnut Taffy and Walnut Buttercup at Monday's.

We put on sale Wednesday, Dec. 11th, 500 pounds best yard wide bleaching, the best quality, consisting of Fruit of the loom and other good brands at the special price 75c. yd. BARFOOT.

Church at Davis'.

Davis Prescription Pharmacy has a special agency for the well-known Fruit Glass and the manufacturers will not sell to any other dealer in the South. You can get the right medicine in each case. Besides the special medicine other people have been using for years, we have a special medicine for the cure of the same.

JOLLY OLD UNCLE JOSE.

CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.
Joe, "and on this is the favorite paper of this section, I'll subscribe to it."

Being in a literary frame of mind Uncle Jose then piloted the couple across Middle Street to Ennett's Book Store and advised the purchase of a musical instrument, either a violin or a guitar and also a game board to have at hand for amusement during the long winter evenings. Some of the standard magazines were subscribed for, to be promptly delivered. Uncle Jose remarked that he had heard that the firm was noted for its promptness. Folly meantime was making a selection of prayer and hymn books and a fancy basket. Mr. Ennett showed his entire stock of these articles and they found it not such a difficult matter to choose even if the variety was so great.

At last the day's work was finished, so they repaired to the hotel, somewhat wearied, but a bottle of French Cognac Uncle Jose had ordered from M. L. Jacobs soon revived them into a cheery mood. While enjoying the exhilarating beverage, Uncle Jose warned the young folks against the evils of over-indulgence in drink of any kind, but vouchsafed the information, however, that on certain occasions, brandies would doubtless be necessary—also to have something strictly pure about the house for medicinal purposes like "Old Chastefield" and "Raleigh," that Mr. Jacobs was the proper person to apply to for these extras, and anyone could easily see that Uncle Jose had a friendly feeling for Mr. Jacobs. Charley, too, took a decided interest in this part of the old man's remarks.

Upon summing up the wonderful events of the day Polly began volubly to express her thanks "you have bought us everything," she exclaimed.

"Only one thing," replied Uncle Jose, "but I can remedy that. J. S. Miller, the furniture dealer, always has a nice line of them and you can get one whenever you want it; I'll pay for the best."

"W-h-y," exclaimed Polly with great surprise, "Uncle, what can it be?"

"Well, it's a baby carriage, and—" But Polly had fainted.

Don't Forget Presbyterian Bazaar.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual Bazaar in the lecture room next Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 10th. The doors will be opened at 8:30 o'clock p. m. A variety of fancy articles and refreshments, for sale. The public is most cordially invited.

THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co., New Born, N. C.

New York, Dec. 7.

Commodities	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	8.05	8.10	8.08	8.10
January	8.05	8.10	8.08	8.10
March	8.05	8.08	8.01	8.09
May	8.08	8.10	8.08	8.10

Chicago, Dec. 7.

Commodities	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	77 1/2	78 1/2	76 1/2	78 1/2
May	81 1/2	82 1/2	80 1/2	82 1/2

NEW BORN COTTON MARKET.

Commodities	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	70	70	70	70

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Commodities	Same week	Last week
Dec.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Jan.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Feb.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Mar.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Apr.	121 1/2	121 1/2
May	121 1/2	121 1/2
June	121 1/2	121 1/2
July	121 1/2	121 1/2
Aug.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Sept.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Oct.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Nov.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Dec.	121 1/2	121 1/2

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Your friends will remember you pleasantly if you present them with a WATERMAN'S IDEAL FOUNTAIN PEN for Christmas. It's a gift that grows in value daily. ENNETT'S BOOK STORE.

Millinery Hints.

Recent purchases have completed our broken stock of Millinery and we are now able to fill all orders. Prices are lower than ever. Get orders in before the final Christmas rush.



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The most practical, most sensible and most satisfactory Skirt ever placed before the public. It is adjustable on both sides to a fraction of an inch. It fits in the waist and over the hips like a corset, reduces the waist, avoids bulging over the abdomen. An easy skirt to walk in, an easy skirt to live in. Every skirt satisfactory or your money back. Price from \$1.50 to \$3.75.

IF YOU DON'T.

If you don't buy our Flower, Plants, etc., from us we'll tell you Why You Should Write and enquire what Our Special Inducements Are. We are now booking Xmas orders. American Beauties, Carnations and all the leading kinds.

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All Wool Blank Zebrinas, 50 inches wide, new weaves Special Price 50c. Entirely new.

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MIL TONIC.

67 Pollock Street.

Perfumery at Davis'.

Davis' Prescription Pharmacy has just received a lot of Perfumery in fancy packages for the holiday trade. Buy your perfumery at Davis'.

Peanut Candy, Coconut Candy Made Fresh Every Day, Lemon Taffy, Chocolate Taffy, Made the same way. Chocolate Cream and Nougatine can be seen.

At the Broad St. Ft. Store. Creams are something sweet And everybody should know it, And know where it is kept And where to get it.

At the Broad Street Fruit Store And try a piece for fivecent And you will never regret it.

Florida Oranges nice and sweet, Jamaica too they can't be beat And at our store, you, I would like to meet.

When you want nice fruit to eat, And you can please For our price can not be beat. Phone thirty-three.

DO YOU KNOW A GOOD THING WHEN YOU SEE IT?



For sale by J. C. Whitty & Co. Cor. So. Front & Craven St. King Heaters at \$1.40, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

McSorley's

LETTER FROM SANTA CLAUS. Santa's Letter. Dear Mr. McSorley—I write to let you know I will be at your store on Xmas Eve sure. I have just finished making the toys and pretty things for this year, and will send them all to you at once by a special reindeer express. Please tell the boys and girls that I will be with you so that they can tell their paper and mamma's where to find me. I wish you would also tell the children they must "every one be in bed and sound asleep by 8 o'clock Xmas Eve, for it makes me feel very small to have a bad boy or girl see me come down a chimney, or even worse—a crooked stove pipe! I send my love to all the good boys and girls—and bad ones too, for I love the mall silks!

Your old friend, Santa Claus. The above letter is on exhibition in McSorley's show window just as it was written by Mr. Claus. Let all the children come and see it.

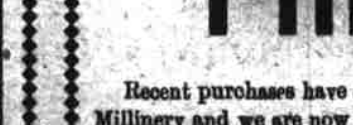
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