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Necessaries to Please the Masses.

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Holiday

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closed yesterday and today, the officials by the pastor, Rev G T Adams. Sunday taking a two days holiday, this being school at 8 p m. T A Green, Superintendent. The public cordially invited for the first time, for two days. Gov-brnor Aycock was in his office and said music. Attentive usbers. Seats free. seven children began the enjoyment of the day. The Governor said that during this week he had issued about ten pard- at 11 a m, 7.30 p m by the pastor Rev S ons, mainly to penitentiary convicts, all W Jones, Sunday School at 2.80, B D these pardons getting to the prisoners Hamilton, Supt. in time for Christmas. All the pardons were specially recommended. He says 87 Craven street. Services Sunday 10:45 this disposes of all the meritorious

for Thomasville to deliver an address be fore the Masons.

There has been a great deal of comment on the noisy and disorderly Christ-mas observance here. Mayor Powell said today he was earnestly in favor of suppressing any such thing in the future and that he also favored imposing the highest sort of a tax on all sorts of fireworks, before and during the holidays. He says most of the damage done was by rockets and torpedoes, which were used with extreme carelessness.

Professor W F Massey of the Agricul tural and Mechanical College is to begin series of eleven lectures before farmers institutes in Maryland, beginning January 4th. That state appropriates \$4,000 a year for these institutes and also pays a salary of the director,

Raleigh will have two systems of telephones, the Bell and the Raleigh. It will be the only town in the state with an independent exchange.

Rev Dr Cave, who over a year ago was called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church here, is to arrive on the 7th of January.

Next week the auditorium directors and stockholders are to meet, About

place was packed, the lower floor being loads of Same. devoted to the children, some 600 in number, who got the presents. The saloon men devoted the remainder of their association to this good pur-

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F. C. TOEPLEMAN,

Notice of Special Term of Court.

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of civil tuniness in the Seperior Coup of Oraxen County, and in her of the regular term which would have begu-

And all other important and interme

G. H. Waters & Son,

Phone 185, 75 Broad St. Haw Russ, N C to a special term of the Superior court of Craven county for the trial of civil cases only, beginning on the Sth day of February 1904, and lasting one week. This term of court is ordered by Hon Charles B Ayrock, Governor of North Carolina, on account of the accommission

Owen G. Dunn,

Services Today. Services of Centenary M E Church South at 11 a m and 7:30 p m preaching

the had spent a very pleasant Christmas.

There was a Christmas tree at the Governor's mansion, and at six c'clock in S. Bradshaw. Sunday School at 8,30 p m the morning he and his wife and the We extend a cordial invitation to

Postponed Sale Timber, etc.

Attention is called to the change of day of sale of the valuable timber, tim-ber lands, saw mill, dry kiln and other property, James Redmond, trustee, which has been advertised to take place

Tuesday, Dec 29th.

The date of sale is now set for Mon-

day. February 1st, 1904, and due adver-tisement of this may be found in anoth-

er column of this paper.

First Church of Christ, Scientist. a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible Lesson Ser case. btate Auditor Dixon left this morning Paulm 118:27. Sunday School after morning service. Testimony service Wednesday 7:80 p m. Reading Room is open dally. All'are cordially invited

> First Baptist Church, Rev W H Rich, pastor. Preaching at 11 a m, subject, A Great Life in Three Sensational Acts." 7:80 p m, subject, "The foolishness of grieving, our greatest friend and Comforter." Sunday School at 3 p m. All are cordially invited to these servi-

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The defendent above named will take not named and replaced name of the statisfaction after being used. The defendent above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Craven County to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the special February term of Superior Court for said County to be held on the land and of February to be held on the land of the seather machine at work putting boils in old places.

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