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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Christmas this year falls on the 25th day of December, exactly a year from last Christmas.

Mr. Jas. G. Blaine, is to be Secretary of State in the new Cabinet. This is the news—supposed to be reliable. Later—In doubt.

Mr. W. F. Bowman, with Mrs. Bowman and the baby, are here today. He says the factory at Mt. Pleasant is running on full time.

In our notice on Saturday of the recital at G. F. College we made Prof. Sullivan play a violin solo. It should have been a piano solo.

Messrs. Ernest Thacker and Watson Smith have returned from Davidson College and will spend their Christmas holidays at home.

Rev. R. P. Troy writes that he has removed his family from Reidsville to Ruffin, and is much pleased with his new home. He will preach at Ruffin on Christmas day.

Mr. W. F. Waggomon has taken a position in the new family grocery store of Messrs. Moody & Co., under the Central Hotel, where he will be pleased to see his old friends and customers.

It rained last night and rained today—and would you believe it—useless work of informing us that "we are having a damp day." It is always damp when it rains rain.

The big elephant "Chief," who is credited with having taken the lives of three persons, has become such a terror to his owners, that they think of having him killed by electricity, with the double view of a scientific test and to get rid of a menace to human life.

HORRIBLE.—Little Irene, the second daughter of Hawes, the murderer, was found in the lake at Lake View, on Saturday morning last. The body was weighted down and was found at the bottom of the lake, badly decomposed, but was identified as the body of Irene by a brother of the murderer.

Mrs. Annie Hicks, who has spent some time in Newberne, but is again at her old home in Greensboro, is one of those tried and true friends of the DAILY WORKMAN who never forgets us. It matters not where her home is, her attachment to Greensboro and its people never wanes. We are always glad to see her and hear of her prosperity.

Mr. John E. O'Sullivan, who has been long well known in Greensboro as proprietor of a tinning establishment on South Elm street, died yesterday morning at 1 o'clock, a. m. The Greensboro Cornet Band, of which he was a member, accompanied the remains to the grave, discoursing appropriate music.

The services at the house were conducted by Rev. Mr. Smith, the former pastor of Centenary Methodist Church, and his successor, Rev. Mr. Stamey, and the burial service at the grave was performed by Rev. Mr. Stamey.

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A Love Letter.

A friend has brought to this office a genuine love-letter, which, it is thought, might be of some service to the public as showing how some young girls spend their time. It is by no means a model of composition, however, but is chiefly remarkable as a specimen of girlish imprudence and recklessness. The parties are unknown to us, and do not live in this locality. The girl is evidently not in great favor with the young man to whom she writes, and seems to be nursing what might be termed a forlorn hope. It is not improbable, either, that this girl, by her over much anxiety to win the affections of the young man had disgusted him and he had withdrawn from her society. A few sentences from the letter will serve to show the "true inwardness" of the love struck lass.

The letter opens thus:

"DEAR—, I recon you think i have forgotten you all to gather but i am thinking of you evry day of my life. I have dreamed about you seven nights. I havent got any swea heart a tall now. Since i got acquainted with you i have thought of the sweet good old times that we yous to have. i havent had now good times since you left. Of Sundays when i am by myself i wished that you was down hear with me to talk to me and keep me company. They was a young man said that they thought that i was the pretty girl they ever saw is that so. You think so dont you. I have dreamed some of the sweetest dreams about you that you ever heard in your life. . . . i expect that you have got a nother sweat heart now and you dont care nothing for me but i care something for you. I never will forgit you not as long as i live i all ways will remember you as long as i live i am thinking about you all the time and i love you too with all my heart. i cant help it to saye my life when i come once to love a boy i love um all the time. The first time that i seed you i loved you and i have ben loyin you ever sense. Some times i get right hungry for canday and i think when you yous to give me canday. you are sweeter then any cancaiy. i love you i just cant help it and i dont want to make you. but i does love you and i will come to a close by a saying good by my dear little Darling, bless your old heart you are just as sweet as you can be, mayby you dont think so but i doe and i mean it. frome your dear little darring good by hun."

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It is presumed that this letter came into the hands of the one for whom it was intended, and that he carelessly dropped it where it was picked up.

The Horror at Birmingham.

Nothing, it would seem, could be more to be deprecated than the late happenings at Birmingham, Ala. A man by the name of Hawes, tired of his wife and two children, drowns them, or has them drowned, in a lake close by; then goes to a neighboring State and marries and brings to his home a beautiful young wife, who is presumed to be ignorant of his enormous crimes. But soon suspicion that wife and children have been foully dealt with is aroused, Hawes

is arrested and placed in jail; an attempt is made to take him from the jail and lynch him; the citizens collected together for the purpose, including, perhaps, a number of people who are innocent of any purpose of a mob, are fired upon by the order of the sheriff; nine are killed and a number wounded. An investigation is ordered, in which the mayor testifies that he did not consider the crowd a mob, though many of them wanted to lynch Hawes. He thought many were present out of curiosity. The testimony of the mayor, in conclusion, is that he thought twenty-five determined officers could have driven back the crowd without bloodshed, and that the officers fired first, and he was not sure that any shots were fired by the crowd.

The county commissioners have notified the coroner and jury that they will not pay the cost of the investigation, and it was decided to continue it by private subscription.

TAKE NOTICE.—There will be a called meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at their rooms over Sample Brown's store, at 7 o'clock p. m., on Monday, December 17th, 1888, to consider a proposition to provide permanent rooms, and other subjects, important to all. By order of the President, O. W. CARR, Secretary.

MASONIC.—There will be a special communication of Greensboro Lodge No. 76, A. F. and A. M., to night at 7 o'clock, to decide upon the time for holding the annual election and for work in second degree. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

The London correspondent of the New York Times refers to the rumor prevalent that the Pope intends quitting Rome for a more congenial asylum.

For Rent. A six room, two-story house on Asheboro st., S. Greensboro. Good neighborhood, water convenient. Apply at this office or to del7-1r A. G. NEWELL.

Christmas Times. are now making everybody feel glad. Come to the Racket Store where a little money will buy lots of things and let us all be glad together. Since the street improvement our big red sign is too big for the front, and with mutual consent with the town authorities we moved it to the rear. Now we have for our sign a red flag, lettered THE RACKET STORE. First store South of the Meadcoo House, on Westside of street.

J. H. PHINNS, Manager, Greensboro, N. C.

Wanted to Rent. A conveniently arranged and pleasantly located house, in South Greensboro, containing five or six rooms, is wanted by a desirable renter. Apply at this office. d15-3t

For Christmas presents, such as a fine silk or linen handkerchief, mufflers, gold-headed umbrellas or walking cane, latest style puff scarfs, socks, cuffs and collars, "coon" brand swanion suspenders, or anything in furnishing call at Cartland's, under Central House.

Like Meek Co. Xmas goods in great variety. Imported bric-a-brac, pictures in "realistic framing," and other styles. Artotype etchings, artotypes, halftypes and photographs unframed. Fine assortment of art books, booklets and Xmas cards. Come early and make selections before the rush begins. del4-1w

Notice. The Harvest Workers of the First Presbyterian Church will hold their annual festival at Bogart's Hall on Friday, Dec. 21st. Oysters, Meats, Ice Cream and Cakes and many good things will be served. The public cordially invited to attend. 28-3w.

Try the "Grand Republic"—the best cigar on earth for 5 cents a box. Take Lee's drug store. 28-3w.

THE STEAMER SANTA CLAUS.



Has Arrived from the East Indies with a cargo of oranges, coconuts, lemons, raisins, prunes, currants, jellies, mince meat, sweet pickles, preserves, cigars and other nice goods for the Christmas holidays, at del4-1w E. M. CANNON & BRO'S.

Lost. Pass book of H. E. Tate and C. W. Irvin. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to H. E. Tate. no14-1f

Light for All. Red "O" Safety Oil. We have just received two car loads kerosene oil (120 bbls) from the well known "Red O Oil Co.," Baltimore, Md., which we offer at close figures to our wholesale customers. J. W. Scott & Co.

Valley of Virginia Buckwheat Flour. If you want to weigh a ton come and get some of our Virginia buckwheat flour and Vermont maple Syrup, at Scott & Co's.

For Rent After January 1st. A good two story house with seven rooms, a kitchen with two rooms, also stable on premises. Apply to YATES BROS. d7-1f

Boneless Cod Fish. The celebrated "Sea King" brand put up in 2 lb bricks, and the finest of the fine, at Scott & Co's.

Just In. A general assortment of fresh Candy, Florida Oranges and Lemons, Pickles, Apples, Figs, Raisins, Nuts, Jelly, &c. Bread and Cakes always understood. Respectfully, J. E. THOM.

Three Dwelling Houses For Rent. (1) A commodious frame dwelling on Asheboro street, in front of Judge Settle's. (2) A conveniently arranged and well situated frame dwelling on corner of King and Gornell streets. (3) A large brick dwelling conveniently situated and arranged, on King street. n27-1f Apply to Mrs. McADOO-KING.

Pure Vermont maple Syrup, also maple sugar in 1 lb casks, at Scott & Co's. If you want the finest Oysters and Oyster Crackers in Greensboro send your orders to L. H. West, Bally building, only 35 cents per quart. n28-1f

Splendid Business Opening. The rooms occupied for so long a time by J. E. Thom, as a confectionery and bakery, will be for rent after Jan. 1, 1889. The bake-oven and baker's fixtures—all complete—for sale. Apply to J. E. THOM, East Market st., or to JAS. W. ALBRIGHT, at North State office. d1-1f

Look Here, Young Man. You ought to be ashamed of yourself not to send your best girl a nice box of candy, when you can buy them at any price from 12 1/2 cts up to 2.50, at Irvin's candy store. no14-1f

Shaggy and Wood Business. E. M. & C. A. Hendrix have established themselves in the business of drayage and fire wood supply for the accommodation of citizens. Their drays will meet all in-coming trains, and trunks and other baggage will be conveyed to and fro at all hours, day or night, in any part of the city. Their woodyard will be supplied with wood of all descriptions desired, at reasonable rates, whether the weather be fair or foul. No advantage taken of the weather. Orders left at the store of Hendrix & Pearce, East Market street will have attention. 281-1f

Lost Money and lots of it, by not buying candy and fruit at Irvin's Candy Store. We claim to sell candy and put it cheaper than any other house in the city. Call and be convinced. n14-1f

Boys' shirt waists 15c, at M. Strauss'. Children's woolen hoods, hand made at M. Strauss'. Ladies' sewed pebble lace or buston shoes, only 85c, at M. Strauss'. Good bleached table Tamark, worth 75c, only 50c, at M. Strauss'. Ladies, vests, 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c and \$1, at M. Strauss'. Children's vests, 15, 20, 25 and 30 cts, at M. Strauss'. Good workman's pants, 50, 75 and \$1, at M. Strauss'. Good Casimere pants, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50, at M. Strauss'. Woolen over shirts, from 50c up, at M. Strauss'. Men's boys' and children's suits and over coats cheaper than the cheapest at M. Strauss'. Ladies' shoes from fifty cents up. Men's boots from 1.00 to 3.00, at M. Strauss'. One-day and 5 day stocks at a very low price 281-1w M. Strauss'.

IS A PICTURE in Greensboro and being consulted daily by a sort of business men, is a splendid advertising medium. The condition is very

COLUMNS, shows what advertisers think. Office under Benbow Hall, South Main street.

Headquarters for Fine Candy. The ladies are especially invited to call at Irvin's Candy Store and inspect not only the largest but the finest and freshest line of candy ever brought to this market. Don't forget the place—middle door Trogdon building, W. Market street—red flag at entrance n14-1f

For Rent. One of the best store rooms in town. Apply no12-1f to E. M. HENDRIX.

For Sale. A buggy, at Vanstory's stables. Also one good milch cow. L. A. BAILEY. 02-1f

Go and See for Yourself. At D. B. Yancey's, stall No. 5, situated at lower end of city market, you will see the finest beef, mutton, pork, and sausage of both kinds—pan and link—that has been seen since Greensboro has had a market. Yancey is determined to keep constantly on hand something nice to please his customers. Don't fail to call before buying your Sunday supply. 02-1f

Fresh Oysters On Ice. At railroad eating house. These oysters are extra large, and from the Nansemond river or beds. A limited quantity sold families. Send in your orders early, please. s15-1f A. T. VERNON.

Have You Seen It? The big red sign at the racket store. Note paper 3c quire, Thomas' black ink 3c, 5c lead pencils 3 for 5c. Lace window curtains 7c worth \$1.00. s14-1f

New Goods. If you want something new call on nov3-1f W. T. CHESTER.

For Rent. Store room formerly occupied by E. A. Fleming & Co. Apply to C. G. WRIGHT.

A Situation. Is wanted by a young lady to teach Drawing, Painting and Music, with other branches if desired. Apply to the editor of the Daily Workman. a16-1f

I am determined to close out a big lot of Men's women's and children's low cut snoots at some price. Come early and get your pick. July 23-1f G. WILLIAMS.

Ask for 15c water white kerosene oil from your grocer. July 19-2m

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"Pillsbury's Best" takes the premium wherever exhibited. It makes more pounds of bread to the bush than any flour in the world.

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"Pillsbury's Best" Flour is used by Queen Victoria on the "Royal Table."

Try Pillsbury's Best. Call for Pillsbury's Best. J. W. Scott & Co., Wholesale agents for the Old Virginia Cheroots, five for ten cents. Try them. July 19-2m

No Poetry. But a fact, that I have just received a large lot of those Ladies' Oxford ties at prices to suit everybody. Also a lot of Home low cut shoes and children's wigwag slippers at half cost. Come and see them for yourself. July 19-1f G. WILLIAMS.

Call on all dealers and smoke the Old Virginia Cheroots. Five for ten cents.

Pillsbury's Best. Old Virginia Cheroots are as good as any five cent cigar in the world. Five for 10 cents.

For Sale or Rent. Dwelling house on East Washington street, containing seven rooms, pleasantly and conveniently located, is for sale on accommodating terms. Apply to D. F. CALDWELL. unel1-1f

A cheap smoke. Those Old Virginia Cheroots. Five for a dime, at Scott & Co's.

We have just received a nice line of toilet sets. Call and examine our stock. July 19-1f Yours truly, W. T. CHESTER.

For Rent. One dwelling house on Oak Street, contains four rooms, two porches and a pantry. The house is new. See D. H. M. ALFORD. Feb. 27-1f

Just Received. A large lot of banjo and violin strings at 02-1f TATE BROS.

Any person or persons wishing to purchase a large brick dwelling house, 15 rooms with three porches, that has been for years used as a boarding house, or a best cottage of four rooms, or nice building lots cheap, can be accommodated on the most reasonable terms by applying to D. F. CALDWELL. 28-1f

The Cornet Lot. To get cool, to become cool, to cool off, to keep cool after you get cool, to cool yourself, to cool your friends, and at the same time gratify your taste, apply at the Soda Fountain of G. W. FINNMOON. (28-1-1f)

Good people all, if you need your furniture repaired or repaired, carpets laid shades or screens hung, or any work done in the house-furnishing line, please call on or send for W. E. McWILLIAMS, Tabernacle Building. Upholstering a specialty.

For Rent. Some nice offices, including Main street over E. A. Brown's Store. Apply to 28-1f W. E. McWILLIAMS.