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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR WEEK

WE ARE NOT ALONE: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world.—Matt. 28:20.

WE'RE TRYING TO SAY "BUY AT HOME"

Let's not kid ourselves this Christmas. Let's not convince our saner selves (for the sake of a motor trip, or an exclusive label, or to impress the Joneses) that the grass is greener and the merchandise is keener on the other side of the State line, or even the county line, for that matter. It's not a slogan. It's a fact, that "you can buy it in Hertford"—and probably at a saving.

Don't take The Weekly's word for it. The Weekly, of all things, is not an authority on ladies' wear, but it does know a likely-looking gift when it sees one . . . and the local gift shops are crowded to the doors with seasonable nick-nacks.

Gone forever are the horse and buggy days, gone with bustles and button shoes are the days when Hertford and Perquimans County were forced to look to foreign markets for the little oddities that spelled "style" and "class."

Local store owners who operate their establishments personally, aye, even the sales people, today are well-versed in the ever-changing trend. Several business houses here employ "buyers," whose sole duty it is to keep track of the styles, and to buy that which will be in popular demand tomorrow.

The Weekly views it as a glaring slur on this community, that many people claim as "home" the section which they must leave in order to procure the little Christmas goodies that make for a joyful Yuletide.

Let's take our Christmas shopping in stride this year. Instead of a one-day orgy of helter-skelter buying in some so-called seaport style-center, let's make the pleasure last. Shopping, especially Christmas shopping, really is a pleasure if it's handled leisurely.

Let's spread the shopping over a period of several days so as not to present daughter with a Mother Hubbard shawl on Christmas morning, and grandma with a case of beer. Let's spend a whole afternoon in selecting presents for two or three persons and repeat the process tomorrow, or whenever we feel like it.

"You can buy it in Hertford; local stores have it," so let's start shopping early and take our time about it.

JUST AROUND THE CORNER

The gay holiday season is really underway when stores and streets begin putting on their Christmas tinsel and colored lights, and when wreaths and Christmas trees appear in private homes, it's right around the next corner, ready to jump out at us.

The street lights in Hertford, according to Mayor Darden, will be installed late next week, and who are we to disagree with the city council, but Elizabeth City is "Christmas lighted" before tomorrow night, and Edenton lights will be turned on Friday night.

When the boys and girls begin returning from college, there's no time left, it's here, and all the good-natured grumbling we do about Christmas shopping and our "Be-glad-when-it's-over" talk is a lot of hokey . . . and all of us know it!

RIVER VIEW NEWS

Mrs. W. N. Perry, of Center Hill, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Byrum.

Mr. and Mrs. John White, of Cowpen Neck, were guests of Mrs. W. J. Bunch on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Perry visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Byrum Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ward and their daughter, Lelia Faye, of Ryland, called on Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Byrum Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lane, Roy Peele and Linwood Lane spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Byrum.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hollowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Eason.

Mrs. D. C. Davidson and her two daughters spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Eason.

Arnold Pearce and little daughter visited Mrs. Pearce at Duke Hospital, Durham, recently.

J. W. and G. E. Nixon visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Nixon Sunday afternoon.

SHOWER FOR GUESTS

Mesdames Cecil Winslow, Irvin White, Linwood Winslow, Adrien Smith and Lindsey Winslow delightfully entertained at an informal shower on Thursday night at the home of Mrs. A. N. Winslow in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Winslow, of Winston-Salem.

Those present and presenting gifts were Misses Mabel, Marian and Doris Lane, Merrill, Leland, Fentress, Leslie and Alva Winslow, Archie White, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winslow, Savage and Guthrie Jolliff, Nelson and Madge Lane, Misses Jessie Belle and Marie Spivey, Helen, Myrtle and Sybil Winslow, Harold and Elmer Lassiter, Lucille and Clyde Lane, Mavis Winslow, Frances and Katherine White, Barbara Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Winslow, Lena and Edna Winslow, Mrs. Roy Lane, Winnie Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Winslow, William Winslow, Rollo White, Mae Edla and Merle Asbell, Wilma Nanola Jolliff, Johnnie White, Onella Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Winslow, Russell Baker, Kenneth Winslow, Hazel White, Hazel Mayes, Marshall Owens, George Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Winslow, Mrs. Irvin White and Mrs. Lindsey Winslow.

ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. T. B. Sumner charmingly entertained the members of her bridge club and a few other friends at her home on Tuesday evening.

After several progressions, prizes were awarded to Miss Esther Evans for high score and Mrs. Trim Wilson for low score.

At the conclusion of the game the hostess served dainty refreshments.

The guests included Mesdames Herman Winslow, J. O. Felton, Durwood Reed, W. G. Wright, B. G. Koonce, Ellis Broughton, H. A. Whitley, J. G. Roberson, Charles Whedbee, V. N. Darden and T. W. Wilson, and Miss Esther Evans.

BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Miss Hilda Knowles charmingly entertained members of her bridge club and a few friends at her home on Wednesday evening.

After several progressions, the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Guests included Misses Mary Wood Koonce, Ruth Nachman, Bernice White, Patricia Stephens, Virginia White, Grace Knowles, Helene Nixon, Elizabeth Knowles, Lillian Blanchard, Mary Onella Relfe, and Mrs. Herbert Nixon.

P. T. A. MEETS AT WINFALL

The Parent-Teachers Association of Perquimans Central Grammar School met Monday evening in regular monthly session. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 o'clock and a large attendance was present. The president, Mrs. John Symons, presided. The Belvidere people put on the program. Mrs. Sylvia Winslow led the devotional. F. C. White rendered several enjoyable musical selections on the auto-harp. Mrs. Bertha V. S. Smith made an interesting and inspiring talk on Thanksgiving, and the Rev. Mr. Trivette rendered a solo.

Missionary Society Of Mt. Sinai Meets

The Woman's Missionary Society of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. U. Morgan. The watchword for the year was repeated in concert. The opening hymn, "What a Friend We Have In Jesus," was followed by a sentence prayer. Mrs. Charlie Umphlett led the devotional, after which Mrs. E. U. Morgan offered prayer.

During the business session, a committee was named to elect officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Charlie Umphlett, was in charge of a very interesting program and was assisted by Mrs. Effie Miller. Mrs. T. E. Madre gave a reading on Thanksgiving.

The hostess served fruit salad and cake.

Those present were: Mesdames C. A. Bagley, Harold Hurdle, Hubert Hurdle, E. C. Hollowell, B. F. Jordan, T. E. Madre, Warner Madre, E. U. Morgan, T. E. Morgan, David Miller, Effie Miller, George Roach, Ernest Stallings, Charlie Umphlett, Harvey Stallings, W. D. Rogerson and Junior Miller.

WHITESTON NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Trivette, of Belvidere, Murray Johnson, of Greensboro, and Nathan Andrews, of High Point, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Winslow on Saturday.

Miss Miriam Lane, of Norfolk, Va., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lane, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Furman, of Media, Pa., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arba Winslow. Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winslow on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Worth Winslow, of Norfolk, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Winslow.

Miss Lena Winslow, of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Roy Lane, of Hertford, spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Winslow.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Winslow on Thanksgiving Day were Miss Winnie Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Winslow, of Winston-Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Winslow and children, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin White and children, of Hertford, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Winslow and children, of Belvidere.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stallings and son, Tommy, of Trotville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Stallings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eason.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. John Teaster and William Lassiter, of Aulander, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lassiter on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Winslow and daughter, Gloria, of Norfolk, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Winslow on Saturday.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—4 LD. HIGH GRADE T. B. tested cows 3 to 7 years old. Bred to registered bulls, 2 ld. springer heifers, 120 yrl. steers, 200 Hereford calves. Howard Sullivan, Fairfield, Iowa. 1tp.

Don't MISS Anyone



FOR A MORE... ENJOYABLE CHRISTMAS

JOIN OUR... 1939 CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB!

Christmas is a wonderful time of year. It's a shame to let financial worries spoil it. And you don't need to! Join one of our Christmas Clubs. There's one to suit your individual needs. You save for Christmas and other end-of-the-year expenses in specified weekly amounts. It's simple saving system that pays very real dividends in convenience and happiness at the end of fifty weeks!

Clubs from 10c to \$5.00 a week for 50 weeks pay from \$5.00 to \$250 with interest for Christmas Gifts and other needs.

HERTFORD BANKING CO.
HERTFORD, N. C.

BUY IN HERTFORD... LOCAL STORES HAVE IT!

J. C. Blanchard & Co., Inc.
Week-End Specials
In All Winter Merchandise

Outstanding values in Ready-to-Wear Department for Friday and Saturday only! Come early and get your share of these very special bargains. While our stocks are complete, we have your style and size!

Ladies' Sport and Dress Coats

Sizes 12 to 20 and 38 to 44
\$10.95 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$8.95
\$16.95 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$13.95
\$26.95 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$19.95

Ladies' Sport Dresses

Silk, Crepe and Woolen. Sizes 12 to 20 and 38 to 50
\$4.98 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$3.88
\$6.98 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$4.88
\$9.98 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$7.88

Fall and Winter Hats

98c values. Fri. and Sat. only 79c
\$1.98 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$1.49
\$2.98 values. Fri. and Sat. only \$2.19

We Have One Lot of Ladies' Coats

Sport and Dress Styles
Sizes 14 to 20
\$6.95 values for
\$4.98

We Have One Lot of Children's Coats

Regular \$5.95 values.
Sizes 6 to 14
\$3.98



Friday and Saturday Suit Specials

All Suits and Overcoats will be offered at a 10% reduction for these two days only. We have your size and particular style.



We have 30 dozen men's regular 69c Overalls. Sizes 30 to 38. Friday and Saturday only **49c**

We have 15 dozen boys' regular 49c Overalls. Sizes 4 to 18. Friday and Saturday only **44c**

We have 25 dozen men's regular 59c heavy weight Work Shirts. Sizes 14 to 17. Fri. and Sat. only **48c**

We have 12 dozen men's Flannel Shirts. Brown and grey. Regular 98c values. Fri. and Sat. only **79c**

We have one lot of boys' Corduroy Pants. Sizes 8 to 16. Regular \$1.98 value **\$1.29**

We have one lot of Boys' 50% Wool Lumberjackets. Values to \$2.98. Sizes 8 to 18. Fri. and Sat. only **\$1.98**

We have 20 dozen Boys' Part Wool Sweaters. Sizes 30 to 36. Friday and Saturday only **49c**

Men's Boot Socks Part wool **22c**

Men's Horse Hide Coats **\$7.95**

We have 25 dozen Men's Union Suits. Sizes 36 to 46. Fri. and Saturday only **49c**

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ATTRACTIVE PATTERNS
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SPECIAL DRUID "LL" SHEETING
6c per yard