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Dry Goods.



PATENTED JUNE 13, 1876. These gloves have been sold during the past few years... ALEXANDER & HARRIS.

Alexander & Harris.

OUR CARPET ROOM

Represents between \$20.00 AND \$30.00 IN CARPETS ALONE.

We can show a larger and better assorted stock than the combined stocks in the city... ALEXANDER & HARRIS.

Drugs and Medicines.

DR. J. H. McAden, DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST.

Now offers to the trade a full stock of

Lubin's Extracts and Colognes

English Soles

SPICES

Colgate, Honey and Glycerine Soaps.

TOOTH BRUSHES.

Carefully prepared at all hours, both night and day at

SECURITY,

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300 Barrels of

C. WEST & SONS

EXTRA No. 1 KEROSENE

AND

ALADDIN SECURITY OIL.

West's Extra No. 1 Kerosene Oil, from C. West & Sons, Baltimore.

Highest Medal awarded at Centennial Exposition, Crystal Palace, London, 1862.

For Sale by DR. J. H. McADEN, Sole Agent.

MISCELLANEOUS

J. T. ANTHONY, DEALER IN

Northern Ice, Coal & Lumber.

Having just received my supply of Coal for the ensuing season, I am prepared to sell at lowest prices.

I shall also continue the Lumber business and keep full stock on hand, together with Lathes, Shingles, &c.

LITHIA WATER, Appollinaris Water, Hunyadi Janus Water, Congress Water, Halthorne Water, just received.

SALEM ALMANACS For 1880, just received by WILSON & BURWELLS.

5 AND 10c. COUNTERS.

TO THE TRADE: The business men of the day are starting these counters. We are the originators and headquarters.

200 & 202 Randolph Street, Chicago, 26 & 28 Chesnut Street, Boston. Sept. 24--6608m.

Dry Goods, Clothing, &c

TO THE LADIES

PUBLIC GENERALLY.

We are now receiving our second stock of Black and Colored

CASHMERE AND FANCY

DRESSGOODS

For this season, notwithstanding the very large and varied stock we bought this season, we have found it necessary to buy a second one.

COLORED DRESSGOODS

Is beautiful and very cheap. Our new Flannels Waterproofs are also handsome and cheap.

SHAWLS

Is complete, including some handsome black Cashmere ones. We carry the handsomest and most varied stock of

SILKS AND SATINS

To be found in the city.

VELVETS.

Another lot of Ladies'

UNTRIMMED HATS

Just received. Remember we lead in Ladies' and Gents' Underwear. All are respectfully asked to examine our stock.

T. L. SEIGLE & CO., Opp. Charlotte Hotel, Tryon St., Charlotte, N. C. Oct. 19.

Liquors.

DURHAM WHISKEY.

ANALYZED BY DR. W. H. TAYLOR, STATE CHEMIST OF VIRGINIA, AND PRONOUNCED PURE, AND RECOMMENDED AS A BEVERAGE OR MEDICINE.

The attention of the citizens of Charlotte and the surrounding country is again called to this Pure Whiskey, now so popular both North and South.

Headquarters for Bottled Lager Beer, ALE AND PORTER.

In corner Trade and Boundary Avenue. Delivered to any part of the city, free of charge for \$1.00 per dozen.

F. C. MUNZLER.

All orders left at John Vogel's tailor shop will receive prompt attention.

LAGER BEER

HAPPY JOE FISCHESSER.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE ATLANTA BREWERY

"Let those who never drank Beer before, go to Joe Fischesser's and drink the more."

FRESH FROM THE ATLANTA BREWERY, ON ICE ALL THE WAY.

I have an arrangement with the Atlanta Brewery, by which I am able to keep on draught, and for sale by the glass.

PURE ICE-COLD LAGER BEER

Brought to my door from the refrigerator direct from the Brewery.

Persons in Charlotte, or at a distance, can buy beer from me at bottom rock prices, and warranted to be as pure and fresh as it just made.

My business this summer for the delivery of Beer and Bottled Lager Beer, and as the sole agent in Charlotte of the Atlanta Brewery, I respectfully solicit the patronage of the public.

Wines and the best Liquors on draught or for sale by the quantity all the time.

OYSTERS

On the half-shell or by the quart or gallon. Sold by the dozen at the following prices.

JOSEPH FISCHESSER.

HOTTELLER'S

CELEBRATED

STOMACH BITTERS

Disease, like thieves, attack the weak. Fortify your organization with the Bitters, and it will resist and battle with the virus of epidemic and the changes of temperature which disorder the constitution of the body.

Naming the Baby.

They gathered in solemn council The chiefs in the household band.

They sit in the council hall, And each with one voice exclaim: "A conclude proud and grand; They peer in the curtained cradle And point at the new found treasure, "The baby must have a name!"

They bring forth the names by dozens, With many an anxious look; They scan all the tables and novels, They search through the good old book; Till the happy mother, young mother, Now urging her prior claim, Cries out in the fondest accents: "Oh give him a pretty name!"

"His grandpa was Ebenezer— "Long buried and gone, dear soul," Says the trembling voice of grandma, "As the quiet tear-drops roll. "On call him Eugene Augustus," Cries the youngest of the throng— "Plain John," says the happy father, "Is an honest name and strong."

And thus is the embryo statesman Perhaps, or the soldier bold, Respecting his future title, Left utterly out in the cold; And yet, it can matter but little To him who is heedless of fame— For no name will honor the mortal, If the mortal dishonors his name.

STATE NEWS.

There is not an empty house in Reidsville.

Ten boxes of contraband tobacco were seized in Greensboro a few nights ago.

A Forsythe county man has already this season caught and sold forty-two 'possums.

A vicious horse kicked Mr. J. H. Hornaday, of Milton, in the stomach, and came mightily near killing him.

Mr. T. B. Kivaburn, of the Wilmington Star, was invited to deliver the address on "University Day" at Chapel Hill, but had to decline.

The Star thinks that a recent excursion from South Carolina to Wilmington left from \$6,000 to \$8,000 with the merchants of that city.

The Milton Chronicle says that at a colored exhibition in Caswell county, one Payne, an Indian doctor, lifted 450 pounds with his teeth.

Mrs. Bettie Ratliffe, of Rockingham, is the mother of one hundred and twelve children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They are all living.

The Fool-Killer reports to the Milton Chronicle that he has recently mauled the gun-powder tea out of a young lark in person county who drank it to give him "brass" to face the girls.

Wm. Trotter, aged 92 years, a native of Person county, and a member of the Methodist church, died recently in Franklin, Macon county, to which county he removed many years ago.

In the Methodist church of Greensboro, Wednesday evening, Mr. Robt. G. Glenn was married to Miss Helen, daughter of Rev. Dr. M. Jones, president of Greensboro Female College.

Father Evans sends up a plaintive plea for that wood. "Bring it in," says he, "we need it. Please don't put it off until next summer—it will do us no good after we freeze to death and our carcasses lie six feet under mother earth."

The Messenger says a little son of Mr. Wm. Sullivan, a shoe-maker in Goldsboro, drank a glassful of a solution of potash, which had been mixed by a member of the family and left carelessly within reach, and died within two days.

Salem Press: Thad. Butler, while out shooting at a few days since, managed to pepper Will. McGehee, employed in picking peas for Adam Butler. Fortunately the injuries were not severe, one of the shot going nearly through his lip, another grazing his neck, and his hat was riddled. Of course, it was accidental.

THE HINDS-JAMES MURDER CASE.

Acquittal of the Hinds Brothers of the Charge.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 22.—In the circuit court at Towson town, Baltimore county, to-day, the case of Denwood C. Hinds, as principal, and his brother, Harry Hinds, as accessories, in the murder of Isaac James in this city on the 16th of April last, came up for trial, and after the examination of a number of witnesses the State Attorney abandoned the prosecution, and consented to and accepted a plea of self-defense by the accused, and the prisoners were discharged. When the parties were indicted for the murder ball was refused, and they remained for some months in the city jail.

Application by the counsel was then made for the removal of the case from the criminal court of this city to the circuit court, Baltimore county, which was granted. The prisoners were then admitted to bail, and the trial coming on to-day, resulted as above stated. When Mr. James was shot by young Hinds, the deepest indignation was felt by the entire public at the act. It was alleged that Denwood Hinds had, while an accepted suitor, seduced a daughter of James, an accomplished and highly respected young lady. In December last a brother of the young lady sought Hinds at his place of employment and charging him with the seduction of his sister, commenced firing on him. Hinds immediately drew his revolver and shot the young lady. Several shots were exchanged on each side, and both young men were wounded. Hinds left the city. Shortly after, Miss James died, it was said, in child-bed. Subsequently Hinds returned to the city, and while walking on the street, in company with his brother, early in the morning they were met by Isaac James, the father of the young lady. An encounter with pistols immediately occurred, and James was killed.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

The Boston police commissioners have refused to license a juvenile performance of Uncle Tom's Cabin, which proposed to employ a large number of children.

A reception was given to Mayor-elect Kallack, of San Francisco, at Metropolitan Temple, Tuesday night. One dollar admission was charged. The Temple was packed, and Kallack made a speech two hours in length.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars of Tennessee have adopted reports urging that the Legislature be petitioned to pass a stringent prohibition law making it a criminal offense to make, buy or sell intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage.

In his opening address at the Social Science Congress the Bishop of Manchester introduced the subject of cremation, and said that, though himself greatly preferring burial, which among other advantages, restores to the earth her fertility, he spoke of cremation as a system which might advantageously be adopted, and repudiated the notion that any Christian doctrine could be affected by the method in which the mortal body is disposed of.

The Statesville Democrat issues a call for the members of the Synod of the Presbyterian Synod in that place.

A BREACH OF PROMISE CASE.

Orangeburg, S. C., Has a Novel Sensation—A Jury Assesses a Woman's Honor at \$500.

ORANGEBURG, October 20.—Judge Aldrich commenced the trial of jury cases this morning, and the first case tried was of a nature that is seldom met with in this section of country. The case was an action for \$10,000 damages, brought by Miss Electra Griffin against Hanson M. A. Vinger, for breach of promise of marriage. The plaintiff, a passably good-looking lady of about 23 years, appeared as the prosecutrix, and told the story of her wrongs from the witness stand, in her "freak boy," the fruit of her amiable concessiveness, her arms. The defendant failed to appear to answer the complaint, and the case went to the jury with the understanding that the plaintiff admitted that if the defendant was present he would deny the charges made against him. The nature of the case and the effect made upon the court by the testimony cannot be better expressed than in the language of the judge in his charge to the jury. The judge said: "Gentlemen of the Jury: I charge you that where a man, under promise of marriage, betrays the confidence of a woman, and robs her of her chastity, thus destroying her position in society, depriving her of all social condition and preventing her from contracting a matrimonial alliance suitable to her situation in life, she is entitled to recover damages. So you have but two questions to consider: The first of these questions is, did this defendant, Avinger, under promise of marriage, seduce the plaintiff, Miss Griffin; and the second question, if you are satisfied as to the first, is, what are the damages? The proof here on the part of the plaintiff is that the defendant visited her, being her second cousin, and, while thus visiting her, he seduced her, and that he gained from her the promise of marriage, and, relying with confidence upon his promise to marry her, he induced her to surrender to him her virtue, and the result was that he abandoned her, and a bastard child is thus thrown upon her and her friends for support. That is the proof on the part of plaintiff.

"The defendant does not come here to meet this proof. He does not face this ruined woman and say that the charges are not true. Ordinarily in a criminal prosecution the defendant is not bound to take the stand, and it does not militate against him; but in a civil action for damages, where a woman accuses a man of ruining her and he is conscious of his innocence, he ought to be man enough and brave enough to face her and say: 'I did not. I am not the man.' It is in proof that the man promised to come and see the plaintiff, assuring her at the same time of his intention to marry her after the seduction, and it is in proof that a clergyman was selected to perform the ceremonies. This woman, when she saw that her shame was to be made public, was anxious to cover her disgrace, and she was willing and ready to be married to the defendant. There is no redress for an injured woman except to apply to a jury of her countrymen for damages. She must come to you, gentlemen of the jury, in her weakness and in her shame. She must come here and say, 'here I am, ruined in character and reputation, and I ask you to vindicate me as far as the law will allow. If you believe the plaintiff's story, the only limit to your verdict will be your consciences.'

The jury, after a brief consultation, returned a verdict for the plaintiff of \$500 with costs.

The defendant is said to be a man of some little property, and has married since this affair with Miss Griffin.

The case is of more than common interest from the fact of its novelty. The counsel for the defence, Mr. DeTreville, stated that there was in the records of the courts of South Carolina only one other case of a similar nature.

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BUT NOT READY FOR A FORMAL OPENING,

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Selected with great care. Our shelves and counters will be found replete with all the Novelties of the latest and most attractive designs.

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At 11—We have a special wagon for the use of our country friends.

Having become interested in the firm of SCHIFF & GRIER, I respectfully and cordially invite my old friends and customers to call and see me when they want goods in my line.

October 24, 1879

SCHIFF & GRIER, Trade Street, Charlotte, N. C.