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Celadoid Bows for Gent's wear in Black and White, 5c, worth 25c, The above when soiled can be cleansed with a damp cloth.

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New and Desirable Goods. They have just been received and consis

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WILMINGTON, N. C., THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1879. VOL. IV.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. P. HBINSBERGER'S-Henry Greville's Great

J. B. FARRAR-Light Bunning "New Home."

SHRIER'S-Keep Cool.

When a poor man contracts the gout he feels that nature has simply added insult to injury.

The Shelby excursionists leave us this afternoon en route for their various homes ia the interior.

Carolina Lodge No 434, Knights of Honor, meet to night for the purpose of conferring degrees.

The boys are coming out of water in undressed uniform these days They get 'dressed' when they get home.

No matter how bad and destructive a boy may be, he never becomes so degraded or loses his self-respect sufficiently as to throw mud on a circus pester.

One of the disagreeable features about being near sighted is that a man is in danger of mistaking his wife for another woman, and being polite to her.

Johnny says his mother makes a great cry if his little sister goes out without her shade hat. She don't want her to get freckled, but she doesn't seem to care a bit how much his father tans him.

Sorrows gather around great souls as storms do around mountains; but like Lawns--Linen Finish, 6c. them, they break the storm and purify the air of the plain beneath.

> Knowledge is the right bower, and one of the showiest cards in the pack, yet in the game of life cheek is the little joker that is oftentimes the winner.

We have heard of a young lady in this city who refused to dance with her lover because he was bow-legged, saying "she didn't like to waltz in brackets."

With sandles on her feet, a close fitting bathing suit, and an oilskin cap for her head, a woman can enjoy surf bathing without getting wet in the least.

Taken as a whole, this has not been a remarkably favorable year for mosqui-

"A positive benefit to young children and lutants" is the popular verdict for Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Sold everywhere dom of Leaders; differs from Mr. Hamer at 25 cents a bottle

Indications. WAR DEPARTMENT, Office of the Chief Signal Officer.

Washington, D. C., July 24, 1879. For the South Atlantic States warm South to West winds, falling barometer, followed in the Northern portions by cooler North to East winds, rising barometer and areas of rains.

More Clouds than Rain.

We had a slight rain here to day which made us all feel good for about three seconds, but as has so often been the case of late the clouds then gave us the go by It was evident, however, that our friends in Brunswick must have had some refreshing showers, as the clouds passed over to them.

No Mayor's Court.

There was one arrest for drunkeness by the police last night, but the Mayor being upon was that the three should surround still confined to his house from sickness, the the house last night. Each man was case was continued and the party recog- given a stand and strict injunctions were nized for a future hearing, which was the case also with the two colored female giving some signs or warning. Jones for belligerents who were lodged in the Guard some reason left his stand and ran down House yesterday and day before.

On His Own Hook.

Mr. Jacob Greenewald, who has been engaged in business in this city for a number of years past, has left us for Baltimore where he purgoses to establish a business for himself. He will often visit Wilmington and will offer for sale to the merchants of this city goods in his line. Mr. G is a clever young man, has thorough business education and wish him that success which his energy deserves.

The Obstruction . We suggest that the Chamber Commerce, through its regular river and harbor committee, or a special committee, take steps to urge upon the government authorities an examination of the channel through which the Regulator passed on her inward trip this week, with a view to locating and removing the obstruction on which she struck. It is possible that some portion of a blockade wreck has been washed, or settled, into the channel and if so it should be raised at once and this obstruction to navigation permanently removed.

A Happy Family.

There is a gentleman living in this city who is the happy possessor of a female cat which is the proud mother of a litter of kittens, just newly born, and in the same building and compartment where this happy family exists, is an old hen who is setting upon a nest of eggs. Now it so happens in the course of cat or kitten nature, that the mother occasionally gets hungry like other creatures of the earth and goes out in search of food, leaving her young to them selves, barring the company of the old hen, and our informant states that no spouer do the kittens begin to ory and mew after their maternal's departure than the aforesaid old hen assumes a sort of motherly protectorate over them, and leaving her nest goes to the kitten bed and spreads her wings over them, just as she would over her own brood of chicken:. This is a new kind of step mother or mother-in-law, that we never heard of betore. Considering the natural antipathy which exists on the part of birds or fowls towards cats generally, the ncident related above seems a little remarkable.

Appleton's Journal For August has several excellent papers. A very fresh and interesting article, entitled 'Moose-Hunting in Canada,' by the Earl of Dunraven, is likely to be widely read in this country, and to greatly stimulate the zest for this sport. A wholly different kind of paper is Matthew Arnold's 'Wordsworth,' which is full of suggestion and admirable criticism. From Mr. Grundy's 'Pictures of the Past' at selected 'Reminiscences of Patrick Branwell Bronte,' and 'Leigh Hunt and his Family;' there is a paper on 'The Come. die-Franciase, just now so generally discussed; also an article on 'The Mirabeaus; then follow some capital Wanderi Thoughts about Germany; 'A Cornish Saunter,' full of entertaining description of a strange country; a New England story, by S. G. W. Benjamin, entitled Out of the Depths;' suggestive extracts from the writings of the German philoso per Schopenhauer, under the title of Schopenhauer on Men, Books and Music; and translations by Swinburne and others of a number of poems by Gautier. The editor discusses 'Patriots abroad,' rebuking certain Americans who misrepresent their country in Europe; denies the 'Wiston as to the common perception of the 'Poetry of Distance;' and glorifies Fenimore Cooper in some remarks upon 'The Objective Novel.' There is a long review of Trollope's Thackerary, and notices of other 'Books of the Day.'

Accidental shooting of an Innocent

Man. On Saturday last Randall Jordan, colored, escaped from Mr. H. E. Schrive-Constable of Cape Fear Township, who had him under arrest on the charge of assault and battery. Since that time the escaped prisoner has successfully evaded the law. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Schriver heard that Jordan was at his house, a short distance from Castle Hayne, and summoned Wm. Jones and Jno. Dulley, both colored, to assist in the capture of Jordan. The course of proceedure agreed given that neither should leave without the road towards Mr. Schriver's. Jones had his pistel in his hand and Mr. S., thinking it was the escaped prisoner bearing down on him for the purpose of a fight, ordered him four times to stop. Jones made no reply, but kept on his course when Mr. S. took aim at his legs and fired. He then hallooed for Jones telling him he had shot Jordan and ran a shot distance to a house nea by for a lamp. Upon his return Dud ley sang out, "We have killed Jones. Mr. S. was so much surprised and grieved that he would not look at the dead man but went to his father's house and sent assistance to Dadley. This morning he came into town, reported the case and gave himself up to the authorities. He is now under arrest awaiting the decision of the Coroner's jury. The unfortunate man, Jones, was shot through the side and died in less than five minutes, He was about 47 years old and leaves wife. During the excitement which followed the sheting Jordan made goed his

Some think if poverty is a disgrace, mended stockings are a darned shame,

escape and is now at large.

Released and Rearrested.

Maria Wortham, colored, was released from the Guard House this morning at the expiration of her sentence of five days imprisonment and in one hour's time was arrested again up in the same old charge viz. disorderly conduct. An officer was then sent with her as escort out of the limits of the city. The Regulator.

The steamship Regulator, which, as reported by us yesterday, went ashore on Main Bar, on Tuesday evening, has dischrged all of her cargo at her wharf in this city, and it is found that not even a grain of corn was wet. The leak was immediately under the engine room, and consequently readily got at without disturbing the cargo. By dint of keeping the pumps going, and by plugging the leaks, the water was kept down. The ship will go on the ways here at Messrs. Cassidey & Ross' vard, where the necessary repairs will be at once made. In the meantime the steam. ship Tybee, Capt. Crowell, will take the place of the Regulator on the line, so that there will be no detention to freights or interference with the regular trips.

Facts About the Human Body.

The average man measures about five feet three and one-half inches. The weight of the average male adult is one hundred and forty pounds. The human skeleton consists of more than two hundred distinct bones. There are more than five hundred separate muscles in the body and an equal number of nerves and blood vessels. The skin contains more than two million openings, which are the fourth of an inch in length, which will make the aggregate length of the whole about nine miles. Every adult man has fourteen hundred square feet of lungs; or, rather the mucous membra e lining the air cells of his lungs, if spread upon a smooth, plain surface, would cover an extent of fourteen hundred square feet .-About two-thirds of a pint of air is inhaled at each breath in ordinary respiration. The full capacity of the lungs about 320 cubic inches. A man breathes 18 times a minute, and uses three thousand cubic feet or about three hundred and seventy-five hogsheads of air per hour. The weight of the heart is frem eight to twelve ounces. It beats one hundred thousand times in twenty-four hours. An amount of blood equal to the whole quuntity of the body passes through the heart every, minute. The stomach daily produces about 9 pounds of gastric juice for the digestion of the food; its capacity is about five pints.

St Swithin's Day. The popular superstition concerning

St. Swithin's Day 18 well known-that according as the weather is wet or dry on that day it will be wet or dry for the succeeding forty days. Pains have been taken of late years to verify or impugn the popular belief, and as the 15th day of this month (St. Swithin's) was dry, and there is already something of a drought prevailing, it may be worth while to look at the result of the investigation. St Swithin's Day was wet in 1841, and there were twenty-three wet days in the forty succeeding it. It was dry in 1842, and twelve rainy days out of the ferty following it. It was wet in 1845, with twenty-six rainy days, and dry the next year, with twenty-one wet days. Wet in 1851, 1853 and 1854, with thirteen, eighteen and sixteen wet days respectively. Dry in 1850, 1852, and 1855, with seventeen, nineteen and eighteen rainy days, while in 1860, when St. Swithin's Day was dry, all the succeeding forty were wet but from 1840 to 1850 more rain fell in the forty days after St. Swithin, when July 15 was fair, than when it rained. But there is doubtless a general truth at the bottom of the superstition, for meteorolo gists tell us that the character of the summer is common'y determined by that of the spring preceding it, and that a change generally takes place about the middle of July. If the spring has been dry it is more likely July and August will be wet, and vice versa. Last. St. Swithin's was a dry day, followed by, month of exceptionally clear weather.

Wine and Cake for Evenings. Alfred Speer of New Jersey, it should be known, is one of the most extensive producers and dealers in Pure Wines and or kegs, by applying to Brandies in the United States. He makes a Superior Port Wine, which took the highest premium at the Centennial, known as Speer's Port Grape Wine. It is sold by J. C. Munds, P. L Bridgers & Co. and Green & Flanner. July 23-

Quarterly Meetings.

Wilmington District-3d Round. Brunswick at Bethel July 26-27 Wilmington Fifth Street July 26-27 Wilmington Front street Aug 2-8 Waccamaw Miss. BethelAug 8-4 Smithville Station Aug 5 6 The District Conference will convene at Geshen Church. Clinton Circuit, July 17th, 1879, at 9 o'clock A. M. Let all the pastors and delegates be present at the time appointed Brethren, let us meet in the name and Spirit of Christ. Rev John Tillitt will preach the opening ser-

L. S. BURKHEAD, P. E. Magnolia, N. C.

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Thermometrical.

From the United States Signal Office in

this place we obtain the following report of the thermometer, as taken this morning at 7:31 o'clock : Augusta, Ga.....79 Atlan.a, Ga......78 Montgomery Ala...79

Caifo, Ill..... 75 Charleston, S. C....81 Cincinnati.....80 Corsicana, Tex.....82 Fort Gibson, C. N.77 Galveston.....83 Indianola.....83 Jacksonville, Fla...81 Enoxville.....74

Nashville78 New Orleans.......82 Punta Rassa, Fla... 82 Savannah, Ga.....80 Shreveport......82 St. Louis Mo70 St. Marks, Fla.....78 Vicksburg, Miss....78 Washington.....76

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Communications must be written on only

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Respectfully, NEWBURY & CHASTEN.

Bracelet Lost.

ON FRIDAY EVENING LAST, between my residence on Market st., and the Castle street crossing on the Turnpike, a PLAIN GOLD BRACELET. Will pay its full value if returned to GEO. MYERS.

Superior Court, New Hanover County.

july 23-2t

Charles D. Hill, Charles B. Skinner and Charles Watkins,

Farmville Insurance and Banking Company

To Farmville Insurance and Banking Company-Take Notice.

THAT AN ACTION has been instituted as A above for the recovery of Seven Huadred Dollars, with interest thereon from July 1st, 1878, due the Plaintiffs as Assignees of J. R. Moore, that a Warrant of Attachment was taken out at the time of issuing the summons .n the above action and levied on certain bonds, the property of said defendant Company, in the hands of the Treasurer of the State of North Carolina, and that it is hereby required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint of said Plaintiff at a Court to be held for the County of New Hanover at the Court House in Wilmington, on the Thirteenth Monday after the First Monday of Sep'ember next, or the Plaintiff will apply to said Court for the relief demanded in the co-plaint.

This the 23d day of July, 1879. S. VANAMRINGE. Clerk Superior Court New Hanover Co. july 23 law6w

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