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WILMINGTON, N. C., MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1879. VOL.IV.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. P : HEINSBERGER-New Year Presents. Clyde's New York Steamship Line. HENRY SAVAGE-City Coupons. L MEGIGNEY-For Rent.

P L BRIDGERS & Co-Santa Claus. YATES' Book Store and Photo Rooms

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No City Court to day. The old year is in its last agonies.

For other lecals see fourth page. The line of beauty is not the crincline

Joy and misery are never so plainly seen as at Christmas times.

Window Glass -- alı sizes at Altaffer & Turkeys are said to be roosting high

but they must come down. An African proverb says the idle are dead, but cannot be buried.

Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives &c., Carpets. for the Children at JACOBI'S.

> Seal sacks are pronounced unhealthy by physicians This is good news. In your comforts and enjoyments, have

> a thought and a hand for the poor. Barque Frederick Scalla, (Ger) Buttner, hence, arrived at London on the 24th

A day or two of steady rain or a good six-inch snow would be acceptable in this JACOBI's.

latitude just now It is a malicious woman who will slyly put long hairs on a man's coat just to make his wife jealous.

Our neighbor's daughter knocked the bottom out of her mother's flour sieve, and wears the rim for a belt.

Schooner John Douglass, Parker, from Navassa for this port sailed from St. Thomas on the 12th inst.

Turner's Almanac promised us cold and high winds for to-day, but Turner's Almanac isn't always right, you know.

Schooner Brave, Googins, hence, for Navassa arrived at St. Pierre, Mart., on the 1st inst, and sailed again on the 8th

Brig Adelina, (Br.) Nicholson, from Rio Janeiro for this port, -arrived at St. on the 16th inst.

Save your money by tuying , our Build ng Supplies from Altaffer & Price.

The Border R view, published at Henlerson, N. C., one of our most valued exhanges, and one of the best edited newspapers in the State, has been enlarged and improved. Success to you, Capt. Amis.

Pocket Knives, Table Cutlery, Silver Plated Forks and Spoons; largest variety and lowest prices at JACHBI'S

The proprietors of the Charleston News & Courier are now publishing a Sunday edition of that paper which is separate and distinct from the regular issue. It is a very handsome paper and filled with nteresting matter Success to the venture.

Personal.

Capt. Jno. D. Cameron, of the Du ham Recorder, who has been in the city for a few days past, favored us with call this morning but, unfortunately for u we were not in at the time, a fact we sincerely regret.

Physicians' Wine. New York physicians say that they have been using Speer's Port Grape Wine and Wine Bitters in their practice for years, to the entire satisfaction of their patients and themselves, and take great pleasure in recommending them to the public as being all that is claimed for them, and, in fact the most reliable they can find. For sale by Green & Flanner, Jas. C. Munds and P. L. Bridgers & Co.

The State Journal.

We welcome back to the fold of public for thei very liberal patronage Hav- journalism in this State the venerable John Spelman, one of the oldest members of the ress gang in the State. He has SCHOOL BOOKS, BLANK BOOKS, resumed the publication by him of the Weekly State Journal, an excellent Democratic newspaper which was established in 1860. The first issue is before us and it is a handsome sheet of 28 columns, beautifully printed and ably make the impressive and effective speaker. edited. Long may it flourish.

A Monument to Dr. King.

of erecting a monument to the memory of pity-simple, sweet and full of pathosthe late Dr. J. Francis King, is being and were redered doubly affecting and carried around among the colored people impressive by the chaste and earnest of this city by some of the most respec- loquence of the distinguished divine who table and influential colored citizens. The ficiated. funds received will be added to the gener- After the services at the cemetery had al fund raised by the white citizens for pucluded, he procession was re-formed the same purpose. James H. Carraway ed, preceied by the Cernet Club, started the list with a handsome dona- surned to their Lodge room, where, tion.

In Distress.

From Sergeant J. M. Watson, Signal is at the Hall of St. John's Lodge at Officer at this station, we are indebted for 710'clock were they will egain form in the following information: The schooner Cherubim, Captain M. E. Lank, bound from Maringoma. Hayti, for New York, put in at Smithville yesterday (Sunday) morning in distress the Captain and mate having died on the way from yellow fever. The mate died on the 24th inst., and the captain three days later, on the 27th, and were both buried at sea. The vessel was built at Baltimore and was owned by the eig N. C. captain and mate, who must have been related, as they bore the same surname. Captain Lank bailed from Seaford, Delaware. The vessel is now quarantined at the regular station a few miles this side of Smithville. One man who was sick has been sent to the hospital. This is all the information we can gather in regard or ling baremeter, warmer southerly to the unfortunate vessel and crew, except that the man now in charge of the schooner is Svena Paulsen, and is no doubt, we presume, the second mate of the

Christmas Fire Dogs and Fire Irons Fluting Machines and every sort of Hardware at lowest sort of cash prices at

St. John's Day in Wilmington, St. John's Day, the 27th of December, falling upon Saturday, the Masonic fraternity postponed its celebration until Monday (to-day) the 29th. At 10 e'clock this morning the members of St. Jehn's Lodge in this city formed in procession in front of their hall on Market street and headed by the Cornet Concert Club, marched up Market to Fifth street, then counter-marched to Fourth, out Fourth to Campbell and out Campbell to Oakdale Cemetery. Arriving at the Cemetery they proceeded to consecrate the place selected as a burial ground for members of the Masonic fraternity.

The lot is on the Northwest corner of the avenue leading up to the Confederate Monument, and is one of the finest and best locations in all that beautiful "city of the dead." A stand had been Thomas on the 10th inst, and sailed again erected on the lot for the speakers and others taking part in the exercises. The services, under the direction of W. M., W. R Kenan, of St John's Lodge, were conducted in the following order:

> Dirge-"Flee as a bird to the Mountain, by the Cornet Concert Club. Prayer by Reverend George Patterson.

D. D., Chaplain. Reading of Masonic Service of Conse-

cration by W. C. Kenan, W. M St. John's Prayer by the Chaplain with Responses

by the Order. Quartette-"Rest, Spirit, Rest," by Messrs Bradley, Rankin, Johnson and Myers, with organ accompeniment by

Mr. R C. Myers. Oration by Eugene S. Martin, Esq. Benediction by the Chaplain, Rev.

George Patterson D. D. The ceremonies throughout were impressive and interesting. The reading by Capt, Kenan was remarkably fine, with clear and perfect enunciation, although he labored, as did all the rest of the speakers and singers, under the disadvantage of having a strong breeze blowing in his face. The music of the band was well rendered and in excellent taste. The vocal quartette was admirable, and the blending of the well-balanced voices in the harmony was indeed beautiful. It is seldom we have had a sweeter compos sition more sweet'y and impressively

Mr. Martin, the orator of the occasion. was presented to the audience by Mr. J. I. Macks, in a few brief, but pertinent remarks. The address itself was a happy conception, abounding with the flowers of rhetoric and full of poetic beauty, delivered in a clear, graceful and impassioned manner. Mr. Martin has great natural gifts as an orator, to which may be added a remarkably clear voice and a commanding presence, which combined

The devotional exercises, conducted by

alluded to.

the Chaplait, Rev. Dr. Patterson, were A subscription paper, for the purpose such as are in use by the Masonic frater.

ger the ustal formalities, the Lodge ad-

This evening the Ledges will reassem. pecession, and march down Market to Fint, up Frint to Princess and up Prin ce street to he Opera House, where the follwing exertises will be held.

lusic-Bythe Cornet Concert Ciub. Payer-B Rev. E. A. Yates de-By the Glee Club.

troductor-By Rev. Dr. Patterson. Hdress-I Fab. H. Busbee, of Ral-

Jusic-ByCornet Concert Club. bu can buy No 1. Heating and Cool Stees at almet any price by going the Fabry Ageny, at JACOBI'S. adications.

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lew Advertisements. Offi Treasuer & Collector.

City of Wilmington, N. C., December 27th, 1879. City Coupons.

COUPOIS DUE JANUARY 1st 1880 rill be pad on presentation at the Bank f New Janever. All Coupons due

Not is herely given that no interest will be alleed on Coupons after January let, 1880. HENRY SAVAGE, dec 2tnac

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THE OLD GENT, on his travels round the world, with a sprained foot, delighted with his Cape Fear friends promises to come again next year. Perfectly carried away with Wil mington, but has an eye to business. ;

NEW YORK, Dec. 26th, 1879.

MY DEAR PRES:—Nothing I ever saw in Paris, Berlin or Amsterdam, where I have been in the habit of spending my Christmas of late, equalled the jollity and festivities of Wilmington. My reception at your

FRONT STREET,

Wilmington, N. C. was glerious. The illumination was superb ly successful; the sales there surpassed my highest expectations. The Banks and the Old Stockings poured out the crah as if they had all the small change in America. I got my f ot caught in a telephone, semewhere about the old Cape Fear Bank, next door to your magnificent store stopping there a moment to adjust your wires to connect with the Best and the Leading Grocery Houses of the World, in readiness for the

Spring Trade of 1880 Lamb's palmettos, and came near being caught sneezing, falling into one of your trucks, loaded to the driver's ears with the

DURHAM SMOKING TOBACCO! AND HAVANA CIGARS!

which in the crowded condition of the Store, had to be unleaded in the street, but a "we drop" of your splendid

STUART RYE. the best and cheapest in the world, which I tapped in the alley next your store, has re vived me.

Dear Pres, give my love to Old Wilming-ton and Young Wilmington, Black Wilming-ton and White Wilmington, high and low, rich and poor, and tell them while memory lasts I shall never forget their generous and magnificent response to my invitation to your reception.

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shall be rewarded for their liberal and intelligent efforts to improve the trade and ex-

tend the business of my favorite "City by the Your friend,

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e name of the writer must always no fasished to the Editor.

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one side of the paper. l'ersonalities must be avoided.

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