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not keep open on Bundays, therefore these
who wish to purchase my goods will have to do so during the week, WALTER CONEY,

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LOCAL NEWS.

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termeanur & Co-Burgies, Harness, &c. P HEINABBRURE-The Place to Buy. teko. Mysas, Agent-For Smithville.

res ad le cture A & L. SHRIER Selling Off!

For other locals see fourth page. Wie dow Glass - al. sizes at Altaffer & 'rice's.

The atmosphere of a beer shop is apt o be muggy.

Breadmaking comes under the head of doughmestic recipes.

Barque Expedit Rustad, hence, arrived at Flushing on the 3-1 inst

Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives &c., for the Children at JAC BIS.

It is a fact in natural history that pigheaded men are always bores.

She is 'as pretty as a picture,' so the

Schooner Fannie Kinny, Wolfe, hence arrived at Pensacola on the 13th inst.

Ger. barque Anna, Siwerts, cleared at Condon on the 16th inst, for this port Barque Resolute Lawrence, sailed from Liverpool on the 4th inst. for this port.

Satins showing clear cream hues and pomegrapite tints form admirable combinations by strong gaslight.

Save your money by buying your Building Supplies from Altaffer & Price.

Striped velvets combined with silk or satin form very elegant full dress toilets; the garniture should be lace.

Very handsome ball dresses are arranged in crepe lisse, imported especially for costumes. There are various colors.

A man is always wanting some one to tell how handsome he looks. A woman will just stand before a glass and see for

Don't worry, Dr. Hammond, ex-surgeon general United States army, says

It has been demonstrated by actual experiment that the wide belts now worn by the ladies are exactly the width of a man's coat sleeve.

The barque Silo, Molland, from Liverpool with salt, for this port, put into Falmouth on the 8th inst, with the cap-

tain sick. Barque Freidig, Bie, from Rotterdam for this port put into Portland, Eng., on the 4th inst, and proceeded again on her

Here is the choicest conundrum of the season: What is the difference between a pumpkin pie and a muzzle? One is good on dogs, and the other is dog-on-

varage on the 5th inst.

The world is now set down to come to an end next July. Set it down for the fifth day and then about one-half the male population will feel mean enough to have anything happen.

Mr. J. D.ck on Munds, of this city, is in New York taking lectures in pharmacy. The first course will be completed about the 1st of April when he is expected home to spend his vacation.

kiss, told her temale friend that she never knew how it happe ed. The last thing she remembered was a sensation of fighting for her breath in a hot-house full of violets, with ventilation checked by blush roses

Christmas Fire Dogs and Fire Irons Fluting Machines and every sort of H rdware at lowest sort of cash prices at JAC BIS.

Indications. For the South Atlantic States, slightly warmer, partly cloudy weather, light local rains i, the southern portion, winds

slowly falling barometer. Nerve.

generally from northeast to southeast and

It is a great thing to have what is called nerce, and nothing contributes more to the power of physical control thus named than Warner's Safe Nervine. It those he may meet. also relieves all kinds of pain, and cures headache and neuralgia,

Mr A. G. Conoley, of this city, a very clever young friend of ours, invested a short time since in two half tickets in / Le Louisiana lottery and to-day received notice that he had drawn a prize of \$500 which is to be paid over to his order at once. Lucky Alec

A Tramp's Answer.

A tramp who had paid his morning's devotions to Bacchus was discovered in the backyard of a dwelling on Market street His condition being unmistakable the lady of the house told him to be off before see but the dog on him, when he replied "be jabbers, your dog is more of a Christain than you be " and departed.

t harity Quilt,

A very handsome quilt has been preseuted to the Ladies Benevolent Association and is now on exhibition at Heins. berger s Art Room. It will be sold to morrow night to the highest bidder I is decidedly the prettiest patch-work quilt we have ever seen and should simply on account of its own beauty bring a good price, but we trust that many times its in trinsic value will be paid for it as the money thus raised will be devoted to a sudable purpose.

Household Hints.

Apply a little soap to the binges to prevent the doors creaking.

New linen may be embroidered more easily by rubbing it over with fine white soap; it prevents the threads from crack-

If brooms are wet in boiling suds once week they will become very tough, wil not cut the carpet, will last much longer and always sweep like a new broom.

Boiled starch is much improved by the addition of a little sperm, or a little gum arabic dissolved.

Bogus Gold Coins.

The papers announce that a well-exccuted bogus half-eagle, or five-dollar gold piece, has just been put in circulation. The officers of the United States Mint state that it is by far the best counterfeit that has ever come under their observation, and some of them have examined not a few. The genuine \$5 gold piece weighs 129 grains; the spurious coin, when carefully tested at the mint, showed a weight of 1271 grains-11 grains light by the most delicately adjusted scales. Therefore the lightness of weight is not likely to be detected by the general public. To make anxiety kills more people than anything the matter worse, the coating of gold on the imitation coin is thick enough to resist the tests of acids usually employed for the

By Telephone.

We understand that there are now nearly one hundred and thirty subscribers to the Telephone Exchange, in this city. So popular has this means of communication proved since its recent introduction here that there are generally orders ahead which are received faster than the telephones, the manufacture of which is limited, can be supplied. In addition to the number reported above there are others who will subscribe just as soon as those who are now waiting for telephones can be supplied. The instruments are on the way and are expected daily and will be placed in position just as soon as received

We no ice that our neighbors in Charlotte are talking telephon pretty st:ong just at this time. The Observer says that an experimental wire was put up on Saturday and the instrument attached and that the result was highly satisfactory, an incident which goes to preve that the telephone, literally, as well as metaphorically, speaks for itself.

There is one item of the benefit corr ferred by the telephone, as illustrated here, which is sometimes lost sight of in A country damsel, describing her first the general use of the instrument, and that is its efficancy as a fire alarm. We have seen them thoroughly tested here. The alarm is located so promptly and so directly that in a few moments after a fire is discovered it can be known everywhere where there is telephonic communication, and the scene of the fire promptly located. This is an especial benefit and convenience to the business man as he can, by communicating with the City Hall or the Exchange, learn in 6500 Facks a moment not only the direction and the district of the alarm but the exact spot so that, if it should be anywhere near his own residence he is at once advised of the fact and can rush off immediately to the scene. If it is not in his neighborho d he loses no time in running up street on the chance of finding the location from

There are eleven telept onic fire alarms !

in this city and as a matter of general interest we publish he ewith the various locations, which are as follows: At the residence of Col. Roger Moore, Chief of the Fire Department, on Chestnut, between Front and Second streets; City Hall; Little Grant Engine House ; Adrian En gine House ; Cape Fear Engine House ; Gas House; Castle street, corner Seventh; Market street corner Seventh; Red Cross street corner Sixta; Fourth street, corner is ... ; M. rket street, corner Front.

Father is Getting Well. M. langbter says, "How much better other is since he used Hop Bitters,' Le s gesting well after his long suffering rom a disease declared incurable, and we res glad that he used your Bitters -A ide of Rochester, N. Y.

The best boy in school occasionally lanke s to throw a paper wad.

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REOPENING OF THE SKATING RINK.

ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC that I L have secured the large and commocious Hall on the corner of highth a d Princess streets, and will open to-morrow, (Tuesday siternoon). Prices and hours as usual. Ladies can avail themselves of the opportunity or a private class in the morning.

E. M. CUBHING,

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THE STEAMER PASS-

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tion, will be represented by the Steamer OR ANDO, as for above. Leave Wilmington 2 P M daily. For Freight or Passage apply on board, or of jan 19 GRO. MYERS, Agmt.

Lecture.

COL. D. K. MACRAE WILL DELIVER a Lecture for the benefit of the Library ! s sociation, in the Opera House, Friday, January 23d, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Subject Postry. Admission, 25 cents.

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(HON. W. F. CODY.)

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GENUINE INDIAN CHIEFS! AND HIS OWN Military Brass Band and Orchestra!

A BAND OF

Who will, on this occasior, appear in the Melodrama, in 4 acts, written for BUFFALO Bill. by Col. Prentiss Ingraham, entitled

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Which has distinguished him as one of the greatest marksmen the world has ever

Also, I DDIE BURGESS, the Boy Chief of the Pawnees, a stolen white child, who was made a chief at the age of thirte'n, and C. A. Burgess, Scout, Guide and Interpreter, will appear in the Wolf, Forse and other dances and camp scenes.

Popular prices. Reserved Seats to be had at HFINSBERGER'S Book Store. Look out for the street parade by the Indians on horseback, headed by Buffalo Bill's Mill' tary Band, on the above date.

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COL. PRENTISS INGRAHAM, Treas'r.

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