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WE WOULD ANNOUNCE THAT we have opened in connection with our Dress Goods Department, over 150 pieces of Worsted Dress Goods, which we are offering at

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These goods are selected with a view to the wants of this market, and embrace many Novelties. Having purchased in the months of October, November and December, anticipating the advance which has r cently taken place, and as far as possible will give the benefit to our patrons.

Black Cashmeres,

We are making a specialty of our Mourning Department and have always on hand a full assortment of all the Novelties in this particular branch of our busi-

Black Crapes.

We have by far the largest assortmen of Black Crapes you can find, and are the Sole Agents of

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For the deepest mourning.

2 Button Kid Gloves. 25c a Pair

In Opera, Spring and Dark Shades. They need no comments.

Calicoes!

From 6 Cents Up!

We will be receiving large additions every day now, as our buyer is in the Northern markets at the present time. The way to secure Bargains is to keep

BROWN & RODDICK,

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Snuff! Snuff! RAILROAD MILLS,

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Agents wanted in every county in the State JNO. W. GORDON & BRO., meh 9-mon-fri General Agents.

The Magic Photograph.

VERY WONDERFUL DISCOVERY A By holding the Photograph for a short time before you, so that your f ce may make a strong impression on it, then breathe gently upon the glass and your correct likeness will appear. For sale at THE LIVE BOOK STORE.

Croquet.

A F IMMENSE STOCK, and great Variety of Styles, &c., of Field Oroquet, at HEINSBERGER'S,

New Home.

39 and 41 Market st.

A POTHER LOT OF THOSE JUSTLY popular, Light Bunning, New Home Sewing Machines, just arrived and opening out. Letter are invited to call and see them.

J. B. PARRAR. meh 36-3t 24 Market Street.

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LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. See ad. Hostetter's Bitters. CHAS D MYSRS. Chm'n-The Executive Committee of the Democratic Party. J W Gospon & Bro-Agricultural Ins-

'YATHS .- Croquet P Hainsannean-The Magic Photograph Window Glass-all sizes at Altaffer &

Flattery is like champagne-it soon gets nto the head.

Air is about \$26 times lighter than common water.

Every dog has his day, but the nights belongs to the cats

Politicians are preparing and unusual amount of crow for fall eating.

Some of the dearest 'spots' on earth are the aces held in another man's hand.

At least have grace enough to be polite,

even if you haven't sufficient wit to be The 26th of this month is the 65th an-

niversary of Odd Fellowship in the Unifed States.

Everybody can get suited with a Pocket Knife, also Table Cutlery, at JACOBI's Hardware Depot.

When he sighs for her and she sighs for him, the sighin's of the times may be considered auspicious for a wedding.

It is said that the only way in which oleomargarine takes the place of butter is when it catches a fly and holdshim down

Mr. Thos. O. Bunting has been defi nitely appointed an enumerator of the census for the First Ward in this city. A good appointment.

There is yet a plenty of water in the Cape Fear, although the water was slowly falling off when the steamers Wave and Worth left Fayetteville yes terday morning.

Life is but short, and we should do all we can to prolong it. Check a Cough or Cold at once by using an old and reliable remedy such as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Price only 25 cents a bettle.

The very interesting paper read by Col. Jas. G. Burr before the Historical and Scientific Society on Wednesday evening, is published in full on the third page of this issue.

We noticed on the streets yesterday some handsome suits of Spring Clothing, which were bought at the well-known Clothing House of Messrs. SHRIER's, 28 and 34 Market street.

Don't forget the meeting which is to be held at the Library Rrooms this evening, for considering the plan of an excursion on the railroads leading into this city. It is important.

Mr. Nath'l Jacobi having been appointed agent for the Atlas Plow, parties in want of this celebrated Plow can now have their orders filled at JACOBI's Hardware Depot, No. 10 S. Front st. tf.

'Fullness under the eye denotes lans guage,' we are told. So it does, and we fear bad language, too, at times. In s recent instance a fullness under the eye denoted that that the possessor had called

Col. John R. Winston, chairman of the North Carolina National Greenback party, has called a State Convention, to meet at Greensboro on May 5th, to appoin delegates to Chicago and otherwise or-TNSURES NOTHING BUT Dwellings and ganize a party in this State.

For the South Atlantic States warmer partly cloudy weather, winds mostly southerly, stationary or falling barometer.

Vnmailable.

Unmailable matter, addressed as foli ews, remains in the postoffice in this city: Fred. A. Overfield, Meshappar Penn: Luther Terry, Thomaston, N. C .: Ida Applegate, Mathawan, N. C.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Heir Renewer will positively restore gray hair to ts original color, Give it a trial.

Grateful Women. None receive so much benefit, and none are so profoundly grateful and show such an interest in recommending Hop Bitters as women. It is the only remedy peculiarly adapted to the many ills the sex is most universally subject to. Chills and fever, indigestion or deranged liver, constant or periodical sick headaches, weakness in the back or kidneys, pain in the shoulders and different parts of the body, a feeling of lass tude and despondency, are all readily removed by these Bitters.

An Excellent Opportunity.

As will be seen by advertisement puba lished elsewhere, Dr. M. J. DeRosset will remain in the city for a short time on his return from Texas to New York, and these who may require his services in the special branches of his profession -- the eye and the ear-will have an excellent oppor tunity for consulting him. We hovestly believe that there is no better oculist or aurist in the United States, and those hereabouts who are afflicted should not neglect this excellent opportunity.

Window Glass of an sizes, Doors, Sash and Blinds, Builders' Bardware, &c Low st pireees at JASOBI's.

Failed to Pass.

A bill to incorporate the Wilmington Telegraph Company is one of the bil which was introduced at the called session of the Legislature, and which failed to become a law. It passed the House and was probably pigeon-holed in the Senate, as it seems to have been lost somewhere thereabouts. Its incorporators are gentlemen residing in this city, and the object of the company is to facilitate the erection of telegraph lines in this State.

Likewise, the bill to incorporate the Wilmington Market Company failed. This bill passed the Senate, but did not get not included in the above. through in the House.

Full Metal and Walnut Show Cases, all styles and sizes, at ALTAFFER, PRICE & Co's.

Democratic Executive Committee. The following is a list of the members of the Democratic Executive Committee of this the (8d) Congressional District: Moore County-W F Stewart.

Harnett County-M V Prince. Cumberland County-Jas B Smith. Bladen County-D H Ray. Duplin County-James Kenan. Onslow County-J W Shackelford. Carteret County-W D Howland. Pender County-W T Ennett.

Columbus County-V V Richardson. Brunswick County-W G Curtis. Sampson County-D & Morrisey. New Hanover County-Chas D Myers, Chairman.

Plows, Shovels, Pitchforks, Spdaes Rakes, Trace Chains, Plow Lines, &c. For the lewest prices, go to JACOBI's.

Counterfeits.

Dve's Government Detective for March gives minute descriptions of two new and dollar bill on the National Exchange ten on the new Treasury issue, series of 1875 (Webster head), letter C. There has also recently appeared a five dollar counterfeit of the same issue (Jackson head), letter C. Against all these business men should be on their gua d. Dye's method of detecting counterfeits is novel one. All gennine bills are printed, four bills at a time, attached together in a sheet, each bill containing one of the four letters, A, B, C, D. The counterfeiter thus counterfeiting but one of the four letters. Then the redemption agency retires the genuine bills of the letter connferfeited on any bank. He then refuses al bills having on them that letter, and takes with impunity all bills having on them any of the other three letters.

Ready mixed Paints, strictly pure White Lead, Colors, Brushes, Window Glass &c., at JACOBI'S.

Transfer of Real Estate.

The Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company have long felt the necessity for mere yard room, and for better accommodations for their workshops, and in Gordon & Bro, on the dwelling bouse, these two particulars have been so much circumscribed that they have labored under many disadvantages. Recently, however, we learn that they have been negotiating for the purchase of real estate on the north side of the railroad, and have purchased all the property on the south side of Hanover street, between Second and Third streets, with the exception of one lot, and negotiations have so far progressed towards that remaining lot that the purchase will probably be consummas tod within a day or two, if it has not . ! ready been accomplished. Some years age the company purchased a pertion o nearly all these lots, which border on the railroad, for the purpose of increasing their facilities, but found that this ac quisition did not meet all their requirements. The purchase now about completed will give ample room to supply al their present nee s and will relieve them from the cramped condition in which they have heretofore been compelled to carry on their mechanical operations.

Personal.

We were pleased to receive a call yesterday from Mr. A. L. Henkel, of the firm of Henkel & Co., proprietors of the Shenandoah Valley, published at New market, Shenandoah county, Va, a sectien rendered classic, for all time come, as the scene of some of the most terrible events of the late war.

Lines to Genigetown.

We understand that an agreement ba been entered into between the citizens o Georgetown, S. C., and the American Union Telegraph Company, by which the lines of this Company are to be extended from Kingstree, S. O., to George. town, the latter town paying the company \$5,000 towards the undertaking.

Harbor Master's Report.

Capt. Joseph Price, Harbor Master at this port, reports a total arrival, during the month of March, of 41 vessels, aggregating 14,964 tons; of these 33 were American and 8 foreign. Of the former 7 were steamers, tonnage 6,225, and 26 were schooners, tounage 5 948. Of the

The Festival Last Night. The rooms were well filled and that, toes cussed. by those who went to buy as well as to see. The tables were filled with things good to est as well as good to see and the demand for refreshments was so steady throughout the entire evening that but little was left at the close. There were many pretty fancy articles displayed for sale and the Gipsy Tent, presided over by two beautiful young maidens, was centre of attraction throughout the evening. The receipts were roughly estimated as somewhere in the neighborhood of

Save your money and buy your Build ing Supplies from Altaffer & Price.

The Fire This Morning.

The premises owned and occupied by Mr. John R. Melton, on Seventh, between Bladen and Harnett streets, were discovered to be on fire at about 4 o'clock this morning. The alarm was immedangerous counterfeits, one a hundred diately given, and the Fire Department was premptly on hand, but the flames Bank, of Pittsburg, letter A, and one a had gotten under such headway before the engines could become effective, that the dwelling house, stable, sausage house, smokehouse and all the other louthcuses were totally destroyed, with all their contents, save the furniture in the dwelling house, which was nearly all saved. The property was insured in companies represented by Messrs. Gordon & Bro. as follows: Dwelling house, \$1,000; sausage house, \$350; machinery for making sausages, \$425; smokehouse, \$50; stable, prints but one; makes but a single plate; \$50; other outhouses and fencing, \$70total \$1,945.

Mrs. Dudley, caught fire and was considerably damaged upon the roof. Insured for \$150 by a company represented by Messrs, Gordon & Bro. There was also an insurance on the furniture of Mr. Bowden, which was nearly all saved, to the amount of \$200, in a company repremented by the same firm.

A small frame house, just south of Mr. Melton's, was also ignited on the roof, but the loss was inconsiderable. Insurance in a company represented by Messra. \$125; on the smckehouse, \$25.

The house situated northwest from M Meltor's, and owned by Dr. W. J. Bellamy, was also ignited and badly scorched on the roof and one end. Loss fully covered by insurance in a company represented by Messrs. DeRosset & North-

The fire is supposed to have originated by a spark from one of the torches of the butchers falling among some hay. They had started at about 2 o'clock to slaughter beeves for the market; and as the fire during the remainder of this year. was discovered about an hour afterwards there are reasonable grounds for this sup-

The Doctors Yielding.

Ever since Prof. Green wrote to the Medical Record advising physicians every-where to use the Safe Kidney and Liver Cure with their practice, it has been gaining in favor with the profession. They can find nothing which is a substitute for it. R. Caulkins, M. D., of Rochester, N. Y., says he would now prescribe is to all afflicted with any serious kidney and liver

Political.

By notices published elsewhere in this issue it will be seen that the County Executive Committee has called a Convention of the Democractic party in this county, to meet at the Court House in this city, on the 17th inst. The various wards will vote for delegates on next Friday evening, the 9th inst.

Capt. C. D. Myers, Chairman of the Executive Committee of this. the Third. Congressional District, has issued a call for a meeting of the Committee to be held at the Parcell House in this city, on Wednesday, the 21st inst. A list of the member of this Committee is published elsewhere.

Ham't Arrived Yet.

The Charlotte papers tell us that Mr W. J. Best, the new proprietor of the Wes ern N. C. R. R., was in that city on Wednesday, and left there night before last, accompanied by his Secretary, Mr. Caddigan, en route for Wilmington. If such were indeed the case we fear that Mr. Best has got lost somewhere on the inforeign arrivals 5 were harques, tonnage tricate network of railway between the 1,821, and 3 were brigs, tennage 970. two cities as he has not turned up here as Vessels of less than 60 tons burthen are yet. There is a rumor affoat on the streets here, however, to the effect that Mr. Best is to be in Newbern this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, for a conference with the The Festival given last night by the directors of the A. & N. C. R. R. when it Mite Society of St. James' Church is said that a preposition looking to the was a desided success in every respect. sale of that road will be made and dis-

New Advertisements.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 2, 1880. THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of the

Democratic Party for this (Third) Congressional District, will meet at the Purcel House, in Wilmington, on Wednesday, the 21st of April, at 11 o'clock, A. M. A full at endance is earnestly requested. Those unable to attend will please notify the Chairman and send proxies.

CHAS. D. MYERS, Chm'n. Moore Index, Warsaw Brief Mention, Fayetteville Banner please copy.



The true antidote to the effects of miasma is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This medicine is one of the most popular remedies of an age of successful proprietary specifics, and is in immense demand The house just north of Mr. Melton's, wherever on this Continent fever and ague occuped by Mr. Bowden, and owned by exists. A wineglassful three times a day is the best possible preparative for encountering a matarious atmosphere, regulating the liver, and invigorating the stomach. For sale by all Druggists and Dealers

Eye and Ear Surgery.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY NEXT, 5th instant, Dr. M. J. DEROSSET will be in Wilmington, rea A SHORT TIME, on his return to New York from San Antonio, Texas.

While here, he will be ready to attend to any cases in the above special branches of his profession, in which his services may be required, and may be consulted at the residence of his father, corner of Second and Dock streets. apl 1-3t

Copartnership Notice.

HAVE THIS DAY ADMITTED TO HENRY B. HEIDE, and my Ship Broker and Commission Business will be continued un der the name and style of HEIDE & Co. All parties indebted to me are requested to sett'e with my Attorney, Mr. Alex. d. Heide, Any person holding claims or acceptances

against me will please present them for setwith thanks to my friends for their liberal patrenage in the past, and hoping they will confinue their favors with the new House, I am, very respectfully, R. E. HEIDE.

as stated above, and hope to merit the same confidence and favors shown the old House. Very respectfully, R. R. HEIDE, ALEX S. HEIDE, HENKY H. HEIDE.

Wimington, N. C., April 1st, 1880. 3t

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have this day formed a Copartnership,

PLEASE NOTICE.

We will be g'ad to receive communication from our friends on any and all sub-ect

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VISIT ICH AUGA

WOULD RESPECTICLLY announce t my friends and patrons that I have just re turned to the city from the Northern markets with the most complete and most de-

for the Spring and Summer that have ever had. This stock is now being unpacked and marked and my

Grand Opening

Will be announced in a few days. I have all of the latest and most desirable styles and many novelties.

A call and an inspection is respectfully The goods were bought to sell and so d

they will be at very low prices. The stock will be exhibited, with much pleasure, to all who may call, whether as tu-

tending purchases or otherwise. N. H. SPRUNT.

EXCHANGE CORNER. mch 31 SCISSORS

WE GIVE AWAY WITH FV TOY.

Five pounds of Jaya Colleg ronated by
Mulford's process, a pair of five Lady's clock Sci-sors and Pen-Knite combined single pounds 35 cents: tive paunds and one pair of Sciesors, \$1.75 The reserve and Knife are worth at heast ha cents. The Coffee is rossted in New York, expressly to our customers, in large quartifies, bud sout us every week, and the office non hetweet Coffee rossted by this Mulford machinery. recently invented, and supplied to us for ou customers, and the Coffee turned put at the smaller Groceries by toose little old faction. ed red-painted machineavou see in every shop now, is immense! We have a houster on hand for sale. It will still do for case of the little cheap groceries, or for country use. We don't want it now, since we have gotten Mulford's Roasted Java, only 35 cents per pound, or five pounds and a pair of scinors for \$1.75.

Three to Five Car Loads a Month. Each car load a hundred barrels of White Dove Flour. The immense increase in the sale of this splendid article of daily uselisimply astonishing. We commended on 20 to 25 barrels a month, and now average 300 to 500. This Flour sells itself, and the sales are

Springfield Hams.

About two weeks ago we got in a mal lot of this delightful Ham and introduced it to the market. Nothing equal to it in flavor and price has ever been seed in Wilmington. Now watch; in two weeks more you will too all the smaller groceries selling as a principle field Hams all the present varieties. If you want the genuine article call on more desa

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White and Red Tokay From Wharton Green's great Vintyard, near Fayetteville. The best and purest lab e Wine in the world ! Equal to the French Claret and Rhine Wines. Only \$1.50 per-

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The Czar of the Bussias do. do. Casar weeps in Paradise because had a too soon to taste this fruit of the N. C. vine.

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