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# Holiday Gifts

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# EXTRAORDINARY

# Brown & Roddick,

K. E. CORRER OF MARKET AND SECOND STREETS.

WILL GIVE TO ALL PARTIES PURCHASING GOODS AT RETAIL TO the amount of \$2 and upwards, a ticket duly numbered and recorded each ling the more to a chance for one of the following beautiful and eastly gifts :

ist-A Silver Plated Tea Urn Manufactured bythe Meridian Silver Plate Co. Valued at \$30.

2d-A Large Wax Pol! Valued at \$15.

3d-An Elegant Medel Dell Valued at \$5.

4th-1 Pair Large Silvered Vases Valued at \$1.

The value of these erticles is not fictitious on it would avail us nothing to dessive the public. The grifts will shortly be on exhibition and can be seen by all. After Christmen the numbers will be drawn under the experintendence of two well known ud responsible gentlemen of this city.

We submit the following list and would add that it would be a meral impessibilie ly to give a full and complete investory of articles in our sumblishment, as we are idding daily to each department.

# Wholesale Buyers!

Will do well to call early as our lines are Mable to be broken bear in the seasons.

Velocipedes, Doll Carriages, Wheel Barrows, Wagons. I'mnks,

Chromos. Frames, Wax Flowers, Vases Rocking Horses, Rocking Onairs, Call Beils.

Japanese Ware, Metalephones, Pienos. Cornets, Shell Boxes, Harps, Chimes, Work Boxes, Rattles, Writing Deske, Horns, Photo. Albums, Watches. Clocks,

Droms. Tops, lin Carts, Tin Stores, Tin Kuchena, Tin Tea Bets. Pewter Tan Sets. Unina Tea Sets,

Caps and Saucers

Swords, Xmas Books. lia florres. Macke, Beliows Toys, Birde. Cats. Lions, Dogs,

Cigar Holders, Oigarette " Watch Chains Memorandum Books, Music Boxes. Jewelry, Banks. Toilet Bets, Nine Pins,

Lead Pencils,

Envelopes, Note Paper,

Ink Stands,

Harmonicas,

Backets,

Marb.es, Mugs. Innerated Bruke. Castors, Wire Bankers. Treasure Bexes. Firm Yar's, Farniture Bets, Marbles, Arks, Acrobats Flates, A. B. C Blocke, Tool Obests. Buiding Blaks, &c., &c., &c., &c.

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FANCY GOODS BAZAAR,

E. Corner Market and Second Sts. goods and be rewarded for their good

### LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. JRO L DUDLEY, Seet'y-Sec 221, Endew-

meat Rank, K of P WP OLDEAM -- Douse, Douse, Douse OPERA House-Fanny Devenport JOHN W GORDON & BRO, Agents-Local ds-Union Mutual Life Insurance Co

MEINSDERGER-Grand Display C W YATES-To-day

& Jawary-The Rush A SHRINE-Boots and Shees

ing at \$1 apiece.

Koopers! Christmas!

Coel and bracing to-day. Window Glass-all sizes at Altaffer &

Live turkeys were plentiful this morn-

There seems to be a freshet in the Northwest river.

There were a large numbe of carts in market this merning.

formance are going like hot cakes. Ladies, the best fits and the easiest shoes for the little ones are at Bosma-

The choice seats for Davenport's per-

STAL'S. Christmas is coming that is; we judge so from the number of hen roosts that are being robbed. This time it was a twolegged mink.

How to be your own painter. Just buy the W. Y. Enamel Paint, ready mixed and warranted at JACOBI's.

Nice weather for the Sampson County Fair now being held at Clinton. We hope our friends are having a happy and prosperous time.

If the gentleman whose lips pressed the lady's snowy brow and thus caught a nearly all the stock being represented. severe cold had but used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, no decter's bill would have been necessary.

#### Indications.

For the South Atlantic States higher barometer, cooler northerly winds, and clear or partly cloudy weather.

For thirty years the Union Mutual has proven that an honestly managed life insurance company is among the noblest institutions of modern times. With no tarnish on its name, it is better prepared than ever to offer insurance to those who desire to secure a policy in a company absolutely safe.

tfl Jro. W. Gordon & Bro., Agts. their rice planting interests.

We understand that a masquerade ball will be given in Smithville on Christmas Eve night and that extensive preparations are being made to make it the success of the decade.

Victims of wasted energies find sure relief in AYNR'S SARSAPARILLA. It is the most potent purifier and a fountain of health and strength.

Mr. Ahrens' new ice house is well under way. The rafters for the flooring have been placed in position and the brick work is being rapidly pushed for-

How to eatch 'em. Just buy the Delusion Rat and Mouse traps. Caught nearly forty one night. These traps are sold at Jaco

### Personal.

Col. Jno. W. Gerden, of this city and Richmond, but mostly of Richmond, where he is also a member of an insurance house, arrived here this morning, and is en route for Laurinburg, where he goes to look after policies held by Bulletin contains the following writing of losers in that town by the recent fire, in the postoffice department, as it is now companies represented by Messrs. Jno. amended, in relation to the return of let-W. Gerdon & Bro., in this city. He will ters in transit to senders. This is go up to Laurinburg this evening and matter of importance to the public : proposes to stop over with us a few days

Water street merchants will keep their feet dry in Winter by wearing ROSEN-THAL's boots and shoes,

Handsome-Good Opp ortunity. As Christmas is approaching many persons are casting around and exercising their minds as to what kind of a preseut to make to their wives, daughters, sons, or relatives. Just what to give is a hard problem for many persons to solve. It is their desire to give something useful as well as ornamental or something that will please. Maturally a prospective donor turns to a newspaper to see what wares, goods, etc., are advertised, in hopes of seeing something that would suggest to the troubled mind the article that he or she would like to present. Now is a good time for merchants in all branches of trade to advertise these

#### A Sad and Fatal Mistake.

Even the mort careful and anxious parents sometimes make fatal mistakes. We regret to learn of the death of a little child in this city a short time ago who came to its death by a mistake made by its doting maternal grandmother. The little one was sick and its grandparent thought she would give it a dose of case tor oil, but, alas! a fatal mistake was made. The wrong bottle was taken ap and the medicine poured out and given to the little sufferer which threw it into spasms immediately and caused its death two days after.

Stop your hair from falling out by ising Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, a sure preventiou.

#### Wilmington District.

The following appointments were made at the Methodist Conference for this (Wilmington) District, for the ensu ing year, viz :

Presiding Elder-L. S. Burkhead. Front Street-E. A. Yates. Fifth Street.T. P. Ricaud. Topsail-W. J. Hull. Duplin-A. D. Bette. Clinton-G. W. Ivey. Cokesbury-J. C. Crisp. Coharie Mission-To be supplied. Bladen-F. A. Bishep. Elizabeth Circuit-G. W. Hardison. Whiteville-J I Carden.

Waccamaw Mission-J. Johnston.

Smithville Station-T. L. Hoyle. Brusswick-T. J. Browning.

#### Ravassa Guano Company.

Onslow-J. T. Kendall.

The stockholders of the Navassa Guano Company met at the office of the Company in this city this forenoon, Mr R. E. Calder being selected as Chairman and Mr. Donald MacRae as Secretary,

The following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year:

President-Hon. R. R. Bridgers. Treasurer and Secretary-Donald Mc-

Superintendent-Col. C. L. Grafflin. Superintendent of Agencies-Colonel

Wm. L. DeRosset. Directors-R. R. Bridgers, Edward Kidder, Donald MacRae, Smilee A Gregg, John C. Grafflin, Walter E

Lawton, and Winfield S. Dunan. The Treasurer's report exhibited a f vorable condition of the business of the Company and satisfactory results from

We learn that the Company have doubled their capacity for the manufac ture of sulphuric acid, and are now ready to furnish a much larger supply of their justly popular fertilizers. It gives as much pleasure to chronicle the success of

the Company. It has done much to develop this city and revive the rice planting interest in this section. Rice birds are about played out. Not so with thos Soch solesat ROSENTBAL'S

They last for ever.

The Maine Non-Forfeiture Law carries more equity into life insurance than any State law under which companies are organized. The Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Maine embodies in its pelicy the detailed application of the law to individual contracts. Send for sample policy.

tf JNO. W. GORDON & BRO., Agts. Return of Letters in Transit to Menders.

The last number of the postoffice "After a letter or any other article of

nail matter has passed from the mailing postoffice, the delivery of the same cannot be delayed or its return to writer secured, except upon the application of the sender to the Postmaster-General stating the imperative necessity therefor and identifying the matter. The application, with all the proof accompanying it should then be forwarded by the local postmaster, but only when he can endorse the application, and a sum has been de-posited with him sufficient to pay for the dispatch of the application and other necessary telegraphic messages, etc.; all expenses to be paid therefrom, whether the application be successful or not. It must be understood that such application will only be granted when the proof accompanying the application is conclusive of identity, and the emergency justifies the exercise of a reserved power, never to be resorted to where there is any other remedy; and also that the inter-

matter prepaid at letter rates." We advise all in need of Household Hardware to first go to Jacobi's. There you get PRICES. Reserved seats on sale at Heinsthe lowest prices.

ference of the Postmaster-General will

be absolutely restricted to letters, or

#### The Clay Clock.

We learn that the city clock is fast being ruined by exposure to the weather. Mr. Honnet, who has the contract to keep it in order, tells us that unless something is done to protect it from the rain, dews and dust it will soon be useless. He says that the works of the clock should be encased in a box as near air-tight as possible. He further says that the dews and rains which fall through the latticed windows in the tower of the church beat directly on the works and that he goes to the clock tower two or three times a week to oil it up in order to keep the rust from stopping it. His contract only requires him to go once a week. He further states that the clock is never wrong, either in time orstriking, except after a storm. It strikes us that it would be economy on the part of the city to adopt Mr. Honnet's suggestions.

The only Company that issues a policy at ordinary life rates, payable at death thi g desirable for FOOT WEAR, and at or age 85, is the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Maine.

1f JNO. W. GORDON & BRO., Agts.

#### Next Wednesday.

As we announced yesterday Miss Fanny Davenport will appear in this city on Wednesday evening next, the 15th inst., in her new play of "An American Girl," written by Anna Dickinson, supported by a company of rare merit. The piece has just finished a run of six weeks at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, where it has drawn enormous houses. It will be produced with great attention to detail both as regards scenery and costumes. The Tribune says Miss Davenport's rendering of the chief character brought out its contrasts in the strongest possible light, and her action, especially in the third act, was boldly dramatic.

Seeing is believing-without doubt you can buy Cooking and Heating Stoyes at al most any price at JACOBI'S.

### The Coon Club.

The Coon Club indulged in a hunt on Wednesday night. Owing to the scarcity of coons or, rather, to the fact that it was intimated in the hearing of the dogs that the president and their keeper had joine Mr. Bergh's society to prevent cruelty to animals, the sagacious canines refused to take the trail and the Coon Club came back minos game. Dunck said it wa'nt Wright and would catch a coon next hunt if it took a Carr load of dogs. The members Pat-ted and encored him and by a rising vote required the Secretary to spread the speech upon the minutes of the Club.

### DIED.

WILLIAMS-This morning, after a short illness, WILLIAM BALPH, infent son of Edgar D. and Ida J Williams.

The furneral will take place from the recidence of its parents, corner Nun and Fifth streets, to-morrow (Friday) morning, at 10 o'clock, thence to Cakdate Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to sttend.

GRIER-In Newbern, N. C., on the morning of the 6th inst., EARNEST LINWOOD, infant son of Jno. C. Grier.

### New Advertisements.

Sec. 221 Endowment Rank, K. of P. REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING, Section No. 221, Endowment Rank, K. of P., will be held at Castle Hall, to-morrow (Friday) evening, Dec. 10th, at 8 o'clock. JNO. L. DUDLEY, Secretary & Treas.

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Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1880.

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ne side of the paper.

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Fine line of Tobacco and Cigars.

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Consisting of many new and beautiful noveltles in Swiss carving, Oriental Ware, Japanese Goods, &c., &c.

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Book Store GRAND DISPLAY

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THE FIFTH INVOICE OF BLACK Cashmeres this season just in, at prices for all wool, ranging from 50 cents to \$1.25. 25 per cent cheaper than any other goods in the city, with the advantage of being new The largest and cheapest line of Silk Ties,

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By far the largest stock of Ludies and Gents' Handkerchiefs in the city, at prices from 3 cents each upwards.

A good supply of low priced Dress Goods. Also a full supply of Domestic Goods as cheap as the cheapest.

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