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#### LOCAL NEWS.

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A & I SHRIER-Clothing and Furnishing Goods

The skating rink is still in full blast. The cotton receipts at this port to-day foot up 446 bales.

Mr. Donald McRae has so far improved as to be able to sit up.

The market is poorly supplied with country produce, fish and oysters.

You can now buy Improved Heating and Cook Stoves at factory prices at Jacobi's. † You must shake a five-dollar bill at a

dealer now if you want a cord of good There is an unmailable letter in the

Postoffice for T. H. Smith, Arlington, N. C. Alternate cloudy and clear weather

to-day, with a little rain, and a little-a very little-snow. Gold was first discovered in California

in 1848. Dr. Ball commenced to pre-

scribe his Cough Syrup in the same year and now it is the leading cough remedy projected by persons in Norfolk, Va., throughout the country. There will be a dearth of amusement for the balance of the season. Nothing

is booked for the Opera House, and so far, only one inquiry for dates in, Feb. And now they tell us that, stimulated

by the example set by Mr. Dukes, the junior clerk at the Purcell is about to follow the path tread by the Duke. Oh!

We advise our friends to call at JACOBI'S for Household Hardware of every description. There you get the lowest prices.

Steamship Regulator, Capt. Doane, artived here this afternoon from New York, after an absence of a month or more, during which time she has been running between New York and Philadelphia.

Tinney McIlhenny the colored lunatic escaped again from the Insane department at the Poor House and was arrested by the police last night. He was returned to his old quarters again this morning.

The Charlotte Observer tells us that work on the third wire of the American Union to Columbia is still being prosecuted, but the swamp being overflowed on the lower end of the Carolina Central it has been necessary to discontinue work at present on the Wilmington wire on account of the difficulty of getting posts.

#### Indications.

For the South Atlantic States threatening weather and rain, northerly to east erly winds, stationary or a slight rise in temperature and during the rest of Tuesday slight changes and followed on Wednesday by falling barometer.

#### Down the River.

Gen. J. B. Imboden and Mr. E. K. Hyndman, the gentlemen of whom we spoke vesterday at length in connection with their visit to this city, went down the river this morning on the steam tug Woodburry, accompanied by Mr. Henry Nutt, Gen. M. P. Taylor and Mr. Bacon, the engineer in charge of the government works. Thay will visit Smithville and the works at the mouth of the river and will return to the city late this afternoon.

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#### Mr. Bill's Condition.

The news from Abbottsburg to-day relative to Mr. W. E. Hill's condition, is very sad. His injuries are now said to be tatal. No hopes are entertained of his recovery and his death this noon was expected at any moment. It was thought to be impossible for him to live throughout the day and we fear that ere this reaches the eyes of our readers his kindly spirit will have winged its flight, The family physician from this city, the same who went up to Abbottsburg and Shoe Heel last Saturday, is with him teday and we know that all that care and skill could accomplish has been done.

How to be your own painter : Buy the Y. Enamel Paint, ready mixed and warranted at Jagoni's.

The Great Atlantic Coast Inland Canal

The idea of a continuous line of inland navigation along our Atlantic scaboard is almost as old as our Government. Our first President (George Washington) manifested his faith in its desirability, by taking an active part, and investing liberally in the Dismal Swamp Canal. As early as the year 1807, the Secretary of the Treasury urged the matter upon Congress. He says: "Should this great work be accomplished, a sea vessel entering the first canal in the harbor of Boston would, through the Bay of Rhode Island, Long Island Sound and wick, on the Raritan; thence pass through the second canal to Trenton, ou the Delaware, down that river to Christiana or Newcastle, and through the third canal to Eik river and the Chesapeake ; whence sailing down River, it would, through the fourth canal, enter Albemarle Sound, and by Pamlico, Core and Bogue Sounds, reach Beaufort and Swansborough in North Carolina. The first of these canals across Cape Cod is now being constructed. The three last mentioned have been in successful operation many years, and more than twenty five years since a formidable rival to the Dismal Swamp Canal was and so wonderful has been the increase of traffic through them that during the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1880, four craft were passed through the Al bemarle and Chesapeake Canal, yielding a revenue from tolls of \$86,138.99.

liberal appropriations for surveys of routes to extend the Canal fur- most brittle of all substances, glass he can ther South. A line was sur- but stand in wonder and admirations of veved in 1837 by Col. James Kearney, of the U. S. Topographical Engineers, to connect the Neuse with the Cape Fear | entertainment were given away and to-River. In 1875 Col. Abert made another survey with the same object in number will be given to the audience. view, but so great were the obstacles en- The voting for the handsomest baby in countered, that Congress in 1878 made another appropriation for a third survey, which was made under the direction of Capt. C. B. Phillips, (see his report Senate Ex. Doc. No. 73, 46th Congress, to the entertainment. 2nd session. From his report we learn that he, like his predecessors, devoted much labor, and surveyed hundreds of miles, in the vain endeavor to discover a practicable route for a canal to consect with the Cape Fear River above Wilmington. He finally abandoned that idea, and recommends the route through the Sounds, connecting with the river three miles below Wilmington.

gentlemen, who were familiar with the Sounds on the Coast of North Carolina, of a trip through the province of Manibeing impressed with the importance of having the Inland Canal extended further South, applied to the Legislature for a charter, which was ratified March 12th 1877, granting unto them the "exclusive right for a term of thirty years to construct the canals." They immediately went to work reconnoiter ing and surveying, and finally succeeded in locating the same route that is now recommended by the report above mentioned. They estimate the cost of opening this route by thousands instead of the millions of dollars estimated by Women," by Wirt Sykes; a discussion, previous surveyors, but owing to the under the title of "Power-Centres," by general impecuniosity of our Southern an old journalist, of the various types of people they have as yet been unable to journals, and the why and the wherefore do more. So soon however as they can of their existence; an able criticism of succeed in finding a copartner who has a Sarah Bernhardt in her various characfew thousands to invest, they will rapidly ters, by M. G. Van Renssellaer; and proceed with their cherished enterprise. "Among the Cherokees," an account of

#### River News.

The river has fallen off since the last freshet, until now there is only a depth of twelve feet on the Shoals with the water still falling slowly. From the pilot of the steamer A. P. Hurt. in this morning from Fayetteville, we learn that the damage to the sunken steamer, Gov. Worth, is not so great as was at first feared. The hurricane deck has been swept away by the freshet, together with the pilot house and forward cabin of the promenade deck, but the after cabin and the frames of the state rooms on that part of the port, as well as the after part of the promenade deck, are still preserved, though in a damaged condition. The work of raising the sunken steamer. learn, will be commenced to-morrow.

Ladies, the best fits and the THAL S.

#### LITTLE GLANT HALL

There are but few, if any, of our citizens who have seen anything to equal the glass novelties made by the Bohemian Glass Blowers, who opened a short enganement in the Little Giant Hall last evening. The company, six in number, are polite, affable gentlemen, who are ever willing to answer questions and entertain their audiences. The descrip tive lecture with models is more than treble worth the price of admission. Apart from the novelty and uniqueness the harbor of New York, reach Brans of the entertainment given by the Bohemians, it is a very instructive one, and one in which a child, and a great many adults, could learn more from observation and oral instruction than could be attained by weeks of reading.

The Corliss engine is what is known as that bay and up Elizabeth a walking beam marine engine, and is a marvel of perfection, being made entirely of glass All the workings of the valves, machinery, etc., can be seen and much better understood than could be learned from text books. By means of this engine each valve or joint can be dissetted, so to speak. The flexible glass bonnets, slippers, tidies, crochet mats glass lace bandkerchiefs, and other specimens attracted much attention, wonder and admiration.

Prof. Woodroffe, who is no stranger to our older citizens, he having paid Wilmington several visits in ante-bellum six thousand seven hundred and seventy- days, explains how every article is made as he is manufacturing them and by this means enables his audience to more fully comprehend what they see. The com Congress has from time to time made pany are thorough masters of their art and when one remembers that they work the their skill. The large number of ornaments which were made during the night we are assured that an additional the city was commenced and will be con tinued during the week. To morrow at ternoon a matinee will be given. We would advise our citizens to pay a visit

> Water street merchants will keep their feet dry in Winter by wearing Rosen-THAL'S boots and shoes.

#### Lippincott's Magazine.

Lippincott's Magazine for February improvements promised at the time of In the year 1876, three Wilmington the North," by Alice Ilgenfritz, is a sprightly and profusely illustrated sketch ic description is given of that part of Sau Francisco known as Chinatown. resented by the serial "Lilith," which is continued with increasing interest, and three capital short stories, viz., "Monsieur Paul's Heroism," by Louise S. Houghton; "The Kourasoffs," by Vera Lapoukhyn; and "A Midwinter Ro-

The more solid articles of the number are an analytical description of "Welsh that prominent tribe, with observations made during a visit, by A. M. Williams. A bright sketch, entitled "A Country NOW LANDING! Tavern in Winter," by Mary Dean : two striking poems, with the usual variety of "Monthly Gossip" and literary criticisms, form the balance of a choice number of this justly popular magazine.

#### Disapprove The Contract.

The Board of Audit and Finance met yesterday afternoon to take into consicontract was illegal,

#### Bohemian Glass Blowers.

is the second number of the new series, and gives satisfactory evidence of the the change. "Down the Red River of toba. In "A Celestial Colony" a graph-Fiction is attractively and liberally repmance," by L. K. Black.

deration the contract made by the Board of Aldermen with the Wilmington Market Company. After consideration it was decided that the Board of Audit and Finance do not approve of the contract, and a committee, consisting of the Chairman, Mr Norwood Giles. and Mr R. J. Jones, was appointed to draft in writing the reason for the disapproval. The opinion of the City Attorney, which was called for by the Board, was that the

### List of Leters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the City Postoffice Wednesday, Jan. 19th :

A-Thomas Ashford, J H Alexander. B-Jno Bennett, Jim Barlow, Willie Beasley, Capt Whitey Berry, David Bryant, Hannah Blunt, Maggie C Beneman. C-Emma Croom, Jane Cole, Willie Jane Carter, Irven Coston, Jas P Chapman, Julia Conner, Shade Couner, W C

Cowans. D-Hester Davis, Henry Day, Janie Davis, L W Davis.

E-Henry Evans. F-Haywood Faison, Fosdick, Juo Faison, Sarah Fagans. G-Hill Green, Philip Gleason, Nan-

cy E Green. H-Madam Hall, Hannuh Hicks, Henry M Hall, Joseph H Hall. J-Sallie Jones, Mamie Jones, Han-

nah Johnson, Emma Jones, N A Jackson, Alfred Johnson, Alfred Judge, Benjamine Judge. K-Vallie D Kerr, Thomas H Kent, W F Keith.

L-Linda Lepsicom, Wm Livingston, Albert J Lewis, Thos E Lord, Giles E Lennon, P Lineham, Jas Lenore, Har-

M-Maggie M'Miller, Lucy Mack, C P Majers, George Massey, Geo Morris. Ed Morris, J Metzger & Son, Jno E Morris, W B McRimmons, D W Mathews, Duncan McFadgen. N-Mary J Nixon.

P-Anna L Price, E L Pierce, Eddie Mrice, John Pridgen, N M Patterson, F P Petteway, Thos H Paul.

R-C A Rowell, Caroline Reets, Fanney Roberts, Harriet Russ, Jno H Rone. S-Addie B Southerland, Julia San ders, Sam Stewart, W D Smith, Daniel M Smith.

T-George Taylor, Glennie Treslyan, Thos L Tart, Rudolph Teith, Sallie R W-Patience Wrigght, Burgess Williams, G Wilson, Geo R White, Geo D Williams, Jno A Wilson, WF & S H

Persons calling for letters in above list will please say "advertised"; if not claim- GENTS, YOUTES, ed in 80 days will be sent to dead letter

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#### New Advertisements.

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