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Oh, Mr. ex-Speaker Kiefer! What in the deuce did you try for? When your chances grew weaker and weaker? Beside the votes that were lacking. You had no sure backing. For the Rads didn't want you for Speaker. They elected you once. When they needed a dunce to do as they wanted in ruling. But the party is busted. And the people, disgusted, Won't have any more of such fooling. So often you blundered. The people all wondered What you'd do next, Speaker Kiefer. But now, your own party Have resolved, strong and hearty, You shall never be sought but a cipher! Pere Hyacinthe arrived in Boston, Friday evening, and will thence come Southward. Mr. Tennyson's elevation to the peerage certainly is to be made, according to the London News of a recent date. Wheeling dispatches report a gigantic deal in West Virginia "wild cat" land, manipulated by certain parties in Washington City. Owing to fears engendered by recent incendiarism in Milwaukee, insurance is being placed upon every vessel laid up there for the winter. T. B. Harris, a stock raiser of Tom Green county, Texas, reports that 30 miles of his fences have recently been destroyed by fence cutters. Hon. Alexander Henry, who was mayor of Philadelphia during the exciting times of the late war, died in Germantown Thursday after a short illness. The lower house of the legislature of British Columbia, has passed a resolution instructing the government to introduce a bill restricting Chinese immigration. It is reported that four Mexicans, engaged with the murder of Domingo Polomo, near Fort Davis, Texas, about four weeks ago have been taken from the authorities and lynched. A notice was issued to the coal operators of Schuylkill county, Pa., Thursday, announcing that the anthracite coal interests have agreed to a stoppage of coal mining from December 2 to 26. With the completion of the new artesian well at Charleston, S. C., probably by the 1st of January, the daily water supply of that city will be increased to about 800,000 gallons, or four times what it is now. Holland, in the last three centuries, has recovered from the sea at least 90,000 acres. The Lake of Harlem became terra firma between 1640 and 1832, and the Zuyder Zee is in process of transformation into 500,000 valuable acres. Kate, Louise, Emma and Josephine, the four daughters of Joseph W. Drexel, of New York, were honored in the naming of the German colony in Worcester county, Maryland. The new town is called Klej Grange, the "Klej" being the initial letters of the four daughters. But three persons were saved from the steamer *Manitico*, which foundered recently on Lake Superior. Nine persons left the steamer in a lifeboat, and six of them died or were drowned before they reached land. The crew, captain and ten or twelve passengers went down with the steamer. By a recent decision of the Supreme Court at Reading, Pa., the heirs of deceased poor people who were insured for large amounts are enabled to bring suit and recover the money paid on the insurance policies to speculators to whom the policies had been transferred. On Thursday three cases were decided, involving \$12,000, which is now to be paid to the heirs of the deceased. In Chicago, Friday, John Fleming and Frank L. Loring were convicted for participation in what are known as the "Fund W" frauds. A firm known as Fleming and Merriam advertised to do a commission business on the Chicago board of trade, and induced a great many people to invest in "Fund W." It is estimated that they collected more than \$1,000,000, which they pretended to be using in speculation on the board of trade.

Mr. Samuel Mackey, of New South Wales, has a farm of 5,000,000 acres.

Mr. W. S. Chamberlain, of Cleveland, Ohio, father of Miss Jennie Chamberlain, the young lady whose beauty has attracted much notice in Europe, seeing a published statement that it is proposed to place photographs of his daughter on sale in New York, requests that the announcement be made that no photographer at home or abroad has permission to sell her photographs, and that any one found selling them will be prosecuted.

The Farmers Congress at Louisville, Ky., adopted a constitution and by-laws last week. The object of the organization is the advance of the agricultural interests of the country. The organization is to be composed of the same number of members as the Nation at Congress. Resolutions were adopted demanding that the commissioner of agriculture shall be made a cabinet officer. Col. Robert Beyerly, of Virginia, was elected President for the ensuing year.

How the hearts of a crowd swell and throb with pitiless hatred against the man who coughs during the performance at a theatre, when they know he is too stingy to invest twenty-five cents in a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

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Silver Plated Spoons and Forks, low prices, at JACOB'S.

The receipts of cotton at this port today foot up 745 bales.

There was one case of drunk and down before the Mayor this morning, which was discharged.

A tramp was notified this morning by the Mayor not to let to-morrow's sun shine upon him in Wilmington.

The Black Dwarf Combination arrived on this morning's train from the South, and registered at the Purcell House.

The weather begins to assume a wintry appearance, and this morning's atmosphere felt decidedly like a snow storm was approaching.

The family of Rev. Dr. Pritchard have arrived in the city and have commenced housekeeping. Their residence is at No. 511 Orange street. We bid them a hearty welcome to our city and hope that they will find their new home happy and agreeable.

The Goldsboro Messenger says: A most enjoyable reception was given by Col. George W. Collier, at his residence in this city last Thursday, to his niece, Mrs. Martin S. Willard, nee Miss Elizabeth Oliver, of Newbern, and her bride, al party, who spent the day here en route for Wilmington, her future home.

Dangerous.
There have been several attempts recently to break into some of the dwellings in the vicinity of Second and Walnut streets. We are firmly of the opinion that these attempts are dangerous, and will result in dire disaster one of these nights, and we do not care how soon it may happen.

The Orchestra
Prof. Smith has at last succeeded in his efforts to secure an orchestra of four pieces, consisting of violin, cornet, flute and piano, and it is expected that they will play to night. Should they fail to appear to-night, it is certain that they will play on Thursday night, as the cornet player is sure to be here by that time.

Typhoid Fever.
Mr. Charles B. Willson, who has been seriously sick with typhoid fever for several weeks, has so far recovered as to be able to be out again, and on the street for a short time to day, although yet quite feeble.

Mr. James E. Willson, brother to the above, is dangerously sick with the same disease, and has been confined to his room for several days.

The Rajah.
There will be one more performance at the Opera House this week, that of the "Rajah," by the Madison Square Company, on Thursday night, the 13th inst. This play has had a protracted run on the Madison Square stage, and is one of the most popular plays now on the road. It will be rendered here by a strong company and will undoubtedly draw a crowded house.

Returned to the City.

Mr. J. M. Hardwick, who was formerly a merchant in this city, but who for the past four or five years has been engaged in the trucking business a few miles from the city, has returned and resumed his former business, although in a different locality. He is now on Princess, between Eighth and Ninth streets, where he has established a retail grocery business.

Art Life.

We paid a brief visit this morning to Mr. Orrin Thomas' studio, on the third floor, directly above Yates' bookstore, and were much pleased with what we saw in the shape of art work. There were several specimens in crayon of Mr. Thomas' skill, all of which were very fine and lifelike. There was also a pastel of a little Italian girl which was very pretty and artistic in appearance. This picture is for sale.

Tragedy and Comedy.

Next week our theatre goes with have an opportunity of hearing both tragedy and comedy as represented by leading and eminent men in their respective lines. On Tuesday, the 18th inst., Mr. Thomas W. Keene, the eminent tragedian, will appear in the Shakespearian tragedy of Richard III, and on Friday, 21st inst., Mr. C. B. Bishop, the comedian, who is well known to Wilmington audiences as the personification of fun, will appear as P. P. Phillips, in "Strictly Business."

Severe Accident.

Yesterday afternoon the little son of Mr. L. Dryfoos was visiting at Mr. S. Sternberger's, on Ann, between Front and Second streets, and while there amused himself by sliding down the banisters from the second to the first floor. While engaged in this sport he lost his balance and fell from near the top to the bottom of the stairs, striking heavily upon his head. For a considerable time after the lad was entirely unconscious, and concussion of the brain was feared by the physicians. He finally recovered consciousness, however, and this morning was able to be up and about, although his head is quite badly bruised.

At Exchange Corner.

Miss E. Karrer is in receipt of many novelties for the Christmas holidays and more are coming. Her store, at Exchange corner, presents a very handsome and attractive scene on both floors and the ladies are thronging there every day now in search of many of the articles required for the festive season. A glance through the establishment is, of course, bewildering to the masculine mind, but the fairer half of creation know just how to appreciate the many pretty things displayed there.

The New Comet.

To-morrow night, if any one is disposed to look with a good pair of opera glasses at the region just within the Milky Way and on a straight line between Alpha Lyrae and Alpha Cygni, half way from either, an early view of the comet will be obtained. The comet will cross the Milky Way, and the 20th inst. will be found emerging from that shining region and entering constellation Cygnus, and will on the 23rd pass close to the third magnitude star Epsilon, thence across the region devoted to that constellation until, on December 30th, it enters Pegasus, passing to the west and south of the well-known square in Pegasus. Of course, long before that time it will be bright enough to attract the attention of any one in the habit of observing the sky, and many will then be interested in verifying for themselves the predictions now made of its future course.

We must not look for a brilliant comet, like the magnificent specter in the Eastern sky which was the reward of the early riser a little more than a year ago, since the comet, as can be seen from the above elements, does not at its perihelion approach the sun very closely, 73,000,000 miles being its distance at that time, on the night of January 24. But it will present a much finer appearance than the faint nebulous object upon which astronomers have been for months engaged, and which at first required a trained eye to detect at all. It is now about 116,000,000 miles from the earth, and this distance is being diminished at the rate of 15,500,000 miles daily by the mutual movements of the earth and its celestial neighbor.

To Builders and others—Go to JACOBS for Sash, Blinds and Doors, Glass, &c. You can get all sizes and at the lowest prices.

For the Holidays

The proximity of Christmas has imbued our merchants with renewed energy, and has set their minds to work in framing and manipulating new devices for attracting attention. In every store on Market and Front streets the eager and hasty steps of the proprietors and salesmen, and their rapid manoeuvres in opening and arranging pretty holiday goods, readily acquaint us with their determination to make the finest display, and to sell the most Christmas goods. Mr. P. Heinsberger has been very successful in his efforts to make his establishment attractive for the holidays, and we know that his long business experience and well known vim, and the nicety and newness of his goods, are sufficient to guarantee him a success of the season. One of the principal and loveliest features to which our attention was at once attracted by the immense crowd collected in front of his window, is a most exquisite Persian doll, imported direct from France, in the richest of costumes. The doll is of very superior mould and is certainly creditable to the most superb finish—Mr. H. will give to every purchaser of goods to the amount of \$2 and upward, a ticket containing a number; duplicates of these numbers will be dropped in a box to remain until the first of January 1884, when the number drawn by an unconcerned party will decide the ownership of the doll. The magnificent display of holiday presents at the Live Book & Music Store is sufficiently fascinating to invite a liberal patronage and to satisfy the most fastidious. The Art Gallery, as well as all the other departments, has been newly replenished, and is deserving of much credit. On the whole, the Live Book & Music Store is in full trim for the holidays.

Esthetic Stationery.

Harvest paper is one of the newest and most fashionable kinds. It is fine linen paper, without lines, with large square envelopes. Each sheet is decorated in the left hand corner with an embossed or pretty painted pear, peach, pumpkin, sheaf of wheat, a bunch of grapes or some similar design, and the back of the envelope is ornamented in the same manner. Another pretty style is called "Heavenly" or Constellation paper and is sky-blue in color with stars and moon in silver, showing the Milky Way, the Dipper, Venus and many other heavenly bodies. This paper is much used by lovers. Autumn stationery shows sumac and maple leaves, terns, chestnuts, golden rod, wild asters, and many other equally pretty designs. In plain writing paper the most fashionable kind is cream white French paper, or Irish linen without lines. The most expensive stationery is entirely without lines, as it is considered unrefined to write upon them. A very tasteful design is plain ribbed paper, with the days of the week in the left hand corner. Sunday is in gold lettering, Monday in deep blue, Tuesday in pink, Wednesday in brown, Thursday in olive-green, Friday in scarlet and Saturday in light blue. Some new invitation cards for afternoon teas are in the form of a kettle, and have the name of the guest on the spout as a symbol that she will be served with tea, and the name of the hostess on the handle, to show that she will serve it. The invitation is on the body of the kettle. Many of the latest wedding cards and invitations are hand painted with a spray of orange or jasmine blossoms, and inclosed in a white satin case. The idea is a pretty one, but most people cling to the simple white cards tied with white ribbon, although many have adopted the white or gold lettering in lieu of the black. Ragged edged paper has been fashionable for some time, but is now going out. The rough torn edges were too unsightly for even fashionables to endure. Many fashionable girls have adopted the manuscript style of letter writing; that is, only one side of the paper and with a wide margin on both sides.

From Springfield, Md., Mr. Chas. G. Addison writes as follows: "I had a severe sprain in my right knee, compelling me to use crutches for several weeks. I found no relief in other remedies and finally tried St. Jacobs Oil. In a short time I could bend my knee and before using a bottle I laid aside my crutches and was able to walk as well as ever."

Unavailable.

The unavailable matter in the postoffice is as follows: John Beckton, Carteret, N. C.; John Humphrey, Southwest, N. C.; Robt. Bryant, North Virginia.

Dull Times.

Merchants doing business in the country represent trade, as being unprejudicially dull at this time. Short crops is the cause alleged for this prostration in business, and they see no chance of improvement until another year gives assurance of better crops and consequently better times.

Royal Arcanum.

At the regular meeting of Cornelius Harnett Council No. 231, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Regent—Roger Moore. Vice Regent—Joseph Price. Orator—J. G. Wright. Secretary—B. A. Hallett. Collector—Jacob Well. Treasurer—Wm. Larkins. Guide—J. C. Springer. Warden—E. Schaff. Sentry—W. W. Shaw. Trustees—M. M. Katz, Samuel Northrop, N. Jacob.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BAY VIEW BEER.

AT OLD NORTH STATE SALOON, No. 6 South Front St. Fine Old Glenner Whiskey, Fine Apple Eye, N. C. Corn and Apple Brandy. Finest selection of Cigars in the city. Good OYSTERS, &c., &c. Tar Heel still ahead. dec 11

Christmas Goods.

MISS E. KARRER WILL OPEN NEXT WEEK A NICE ASSORTMENT OF

Fancy Articles for Christmas

Have in a complete stock of

Millinery and Fancy Goods,

CROCHET SHAWLS and FASCINATORS, CAPS and SACQUES. All sizes, colors and prices in "JERSEYS."

HOLIDAY NOVELTIES,

IS NOW OFFERED BY

Munds Bros. and DeRosset,

Market and Second Streets.
Bronze and Gilt Ornaments, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Christmas Cards, Hand Painted, Ink Stands, unique designs, Gentlemen's Dressing Cases, Smokers Sets, very handsome, Munds Bros. Parlor Sachets, Cut Glass Cologne Bottles. dec 8

Rolling On! Rolling On!

GATHERING NEW PATRONS AT every move and cementing the confidence of our old friends in us.

The people—the working people of this city and through this State have stood by us. They have patronized us. They have said kind words of us. They have sympathized with us when we needed their sympathy, and now it is our duty and we shall see to it that the people can have clothing at least

25 per cent. Cheaper than can be bought elsewhere, and that the laboring men will receive honest value for their honestly earned money.

A. & I. SHRIER,

dec 10 Reliable Clothiers, 114 Market St.

Holiday Present

TO BE GIVEN AWAY EVERY PURCHASER OF

\$2 Worth of Goods,

will be entitled to receive a chance at a most beautiful, extravagant and richly costumed, imported DOLL, which has been arranged in the highest of fashion by one of Worth's Special Artists.

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

AN ENDLESS VARIETY, TOO NUMEROUS to mention. Fancy Extravaganzas, Imported Odities, Japanese Curiosities, and extensive collections of goods of every description imaginable, from nearly all the principal manufacturing cities in Europe and America.

HEINSBERGER'S,

dec 10 Live Book and Music Store

Xmas Oysters!

OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS wish Oysters for Xmas will please send in their orders as soon as possible, which will enable us to make arrangements so that all may be supplied and none disappointed. W. E. DAVIS & SON, Proprietors of the only regular established Fishery in this section. dec 6

PLEASE NOTICE. We will be glad to receive communication from our friends on any and all subjects of general interest. The name of the writer must always be furnished to the Editor. Communications must be written on one side of the paper. Personalities must be avoided. And it is especially and particularly understood that the Editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents unless so stated in the editorial columns.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE.

THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 13th.

ONLY REPRESENTATION IN THIS CITY of the latest and most notable success from the Madison Square Theatre

THE RAJAH.

Indicately Bright, Merry, and Charming Picture! Original Cast and Complete Scenery! THE GREAT GLADE SCENE, with its Brook of Real Water running across the Stage! Reserved Seats, \$1, at DIXIE'S, Tuesday, Dec. 11th, at 8 a. m. Admission, 75c, and 50c. Gallery, 25c. dec 10

HOLIDAY PRESENTS

IN EVERY VARIETY AND TOO NUMEROUS to be mentioned, can be found at the most reasonable prices, at F. C. MILLER'S, Drug Store, dec 10 324 South Fourth, Corner Nun at

5 and 10 Cents Cigars,

HAVANA FILLERS. Best in the city, are on sale. Drugs and Medicinal preparations of the highest grade at JNO. T. SCHONWALD'S, Drug and Prescript on Store dec 3

Cigars! Cigars!

NEW BRANDS OF UNEQUALLED STOCK, A luxury within reach of all. Toilet Soap, a new and elegant line. Tooth Brushes, cheapest and best at WILLIAM H. GREEN'S, 117 Market Street. nov 10

John C. Davis,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT-LAW. WILMINGTON, N. C. Office over the Bank of New Hanover. Practices in all the Courts of the State. Special attention paid to the collection of claims. nov 14 1m

Without Doubt

AT J. H. HARDIN'S DRUG AND SEED Store, 124 South Front St., New Market Building, you can see the most magnificent and attractive display of Christmas, Wedding and Holiday Presents ever brought to this city. They are too numerous to mention here. All I ask is an inspection of goods and even if you are not in need I am satisfied you will buy. It is a pleasure for me to show these goods. J. H. HARDIN, dec 3 124 South Front St., New Market

Something Entirely New

in this Market!

Venetian Crapes!

Venetian Crapes!

All Wool and Silk and Wool!

FULL LINE HENRIETTA CLOTHES FROM \$1 to \$1.75 per yard. FINEST LINE

HOLIDAY GOODS

IN THE CITY. Just received another lot

Silk Circulars and Dolmans,

Which we offer at a bargain.

JULIUS SAMSON,

No. 111 Market St. dec 5

Christmas Groceries.

50 BOXES RAISINS, best quality London Layers, very superior.

15 BOXES CITRONS.

1 TIERCE CURRANTS.

COMPLETE STOCK OF ORANGES, LEMONS, FIRE CRACKERS, CRANBERRIES, GELERY.

And all the Delicacies of the season.

50 PACKAGES OF MISCE MEAT, 50c, fresh APPLE BUTTER, just received, which I am reselling at 25c per pound.

All goods guaranteed best quality, and will be sold at LOWEST PRICES.

James C. Stevenson.

dec 4

Wanted.

A SERVANT TO DO THE WORK FOR A small family. Apply at No. 711 Doot street, between Seventh and Eighth. dec 10