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But we have not forgotten our duty to the older folks as well, and in this column we enumerate a few articles especially suitable for Christmas Gifts to grown foiks.

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Just Think, Lades extra beavy Black and Colored Hose, full, regular made for only twenty-five cents a pair, worth fifty

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Just Think, A Lace or Embroidere Handkerchief for only twenty-five cents.

Just Think, A Spanish Lace Fichus worth \$1.50 for only one dollar and thirty-nine

Just Think, Ribbon in all colors, No. 9 and 12, for fancy work, at fifteen cents

Just Think, A Boy's Polo Cap for only twenty-five cents.

Just Think, A good Muslin Chemise finely trimmed, for only fifty cents.

Just Think, A beautiful Album, a little soiled, former price one dollar, for only twenty-five cents.

on with seat for only one dollar and twentyfive cents.

Just Think, Children's Worster Caps in various colors, for seventy-five cents.

Just Think, Fancy Wax Candles and holder, for Christmas fixings, only fifty cent

Just Think, Men's Heavy Merino Shirts, in all sizes, 40 pr ct. wool, for only fifty

Just Think, Gent's linen Cambrie Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, 3 for twenty

Just Think, A Lady's fine Linen brought to Canada from England free. men, together with the pupils of Mr. Handkerchief, plain and colored bordered &

for fifty eents. Just Think, Extra heavy, double row, black Chenille Fringes, true value \$1.75,

Just Think, Ladies and Children's

Jersey Gloves, ten button length, all colors and sizes, for only thirty-seven cents per pair.

Just Think, The above, together

with a new stock, at equally low prices, of HATS. TRIMMINGS and a thousand other articles too numerous t

mention A call will convince you of the above fact

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR, 118 Market St WILMINGTON, N. C.

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The health of ex-President Davis is reported as failing very fast.

Canadian apples bring a higher price in England than those from the United

The term "demarried" is becoming very popular as a much pleasanter word than 'divorced."

A London publisher insists that Longfellow is not known as an American by more than hall of his readers in Eng-

A Chicago elevator burst on Sunday and 50,000 bushels of wheat were spread out on the prairie. But little of it was lost, however.

The Paris Petit Journal has reached a circulation of 825.000 copies, without doubt the largest newspaper circulation in the world.

The New York City Mission Society complains that there are 30,000 Protestants in one district of that city without a single Protestant church

A curiosity for the museums is said to have been produced in Nebraska by cutting off the ear of a calf and quickly adjusting a pair which had been removed from a mule.

An English journal calls one of our scientific publications to account because it "falls into the error, common in republics, of assigning the quality of nobility to the title Sir."

Cinderella dances are all the fashion now in London. Dancing ceases punctually at 113 in time for each pretty Cinderella to recover her lost slipper and find herself by 12.

Ben. Butler has sold his granite house in Washington to John Classells for \$75,000. It is said that the doughty son of toil has been pinched for hard cash since his campaign spree.

Dion Boucicault will make no con tracts with the actors of his companies. He says that such papers simply bind a responsible manager, while the pertormers rarely feel any obligations under them.

M. Pasteur is energetically at work again at, his establishment for mad dogs, now that the French Senate has voted him a grant of 80,000 francs to continue his search for a remedy for hydrophobia.

Mayor Martin, of Boston, was elected one year ago as the eandidate of the Reformers, by 27,494 votes. This year Hugh O'Brien has been elected to the same position as a straight Democrat Just Think, of a large Express Wag. by exactly the same number of yotes.

> Work is not yet finished on the New York State capitol, at Albany, which has already cost about \$16,400,000, and the expense of completing the vast structure is variously estimated at from \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

> John Davis, son-in-law of Secretary Foelinghuysen and now Assistant Secretary of State, is a candidate for a Judgeship in the Court of Alabama Claims. This is the place formerly assigned to Walker Blaine. Davis belongs to a family with strong officeholding powers.

The Toronto Globe says that Roland Kane, customs officer in Montreal, has earned a reward of \$60,000 from the United States Customs Department for giving information to the Collector locality and upon the invitation of Mr. at the border of diamonds and jewelry Murphy, a party of ladies and gentleand then surreptitionsly transferred McIntire's school, a few days since asover the border without paying duty.

There are now two mills at work making steel nails, and as soon as third is put in operation a drop in prices is expected which will rapidly drive for only one dollar and twenty-three cents per iron nails out of the market. It is fully demonstrated that the steel pails can be made cheaper than iron, but as yet they cost more in the market simply because they are a better nail and the supply is limited.

The-Philadelphia Times, in comment ing on the close re ationship between Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Bayard, says: Next to a Cabinet with Senator Bayard in it, the country would be glad to have a Cabinet such as Senator Bayard would advise, and those who care more for the general success of Cleveland's administration than for the control of the spoils, will be glad to know that Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Bayard have been in close conference."

Did you ever motice how surprised as each one had a small hole in it. The ou were when you put your foot on he next stair and found there wasn't

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A very handsome line of Holiday neck wear in new shapes is shown by Dyer they make a very desirable present for a gentleman.

There are a great many of our country triends in the city, who are here for the purpose of securing a good stock of Christmas goods.

substantial cook stove is an important necessity and our readers will find the Hardware Depot.

The beautiful weather of yesterday changed last night to rain, and this morning it was wet, the streets were muddy and there was a general disagreeableness in out of door work, especially in news gathering.

There is a plenty of wood on flats at the docks, and it is now being sold at very reasonable rates. This is very frequently the case in Christmas times, and it is no unfrequent thing for the wood to be sold at such seasons at prices far below those usually obtained.

Indications.

For the South Atlantic States, partly cloudy weather and local rains. Northerly winds, lower temperature and higher barometer.

Disastrous Fire.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the large three story rice barn of Messrs. Preston Cumming & Co., at the Clarendon plantation, situated four and a half miles below the city on the Brunswick side of the Cape Fear river. There were no appliances for extinguishing the flames, and very few persons in the vicinity so that the barn with all its contents, including rice, seed rice and all the machinery for cleaning and preparing the rice for market, were destroyed. Nearly all the crop had been sold and a portion of it delivered. Hands were at work there yesterday and the day before in bagging the remainder of the crop for market. and had it not been for the fire a large portion of it would have been delivered to-day. The barn was an excellent building and all the machinery was o the best and most approved kind. The fire was evidently the work of an in cendiary. The loss has not yet been fully ascertained, although we learn that it is fully covered by insurance.

An Indian Mound. On a high oak ridge on the planta. tion of Mr. R. H. Murphy, in Columbia township, Pender county, and about half a mile from Moore's Creek, there is a mound which has long been known as the "Indian Grave Yard," although until recently nothing has been definitely ascertained regarding its contents.' Sometime ago a man in the neighborhood had the curiosity to dig into the top of the mound, and before he had made much progress he found two human skulls. This aroused the interest of the people of that sembled at the mound to see what further explorations might develope. removing the earth human bones were found within a few inches of the surface, while others were found the depth of 3 leet. There were skeletons tound, some of which were in a remarkably good state of preservation; all the teeth being present in both upper and under jaws. The skeleions abonds called at a house and demanded were not placed in any regular order, but were scattered promiscuously prominent business men, and when through the mound. Some of the skulls were lying face downward while others him, he used such insulting language were face upwards. They were very small with the exception of one, which was large and quite singular in shape. Some of the bones had evidently been burned or charred. Some suppose that the originals of these skeletons were killed in battle, although there were no warlike instruments found to indicate that such was the fact. A few small conch-shaped shells were found that had been probably worn as ornaments

Vanilla Syrup.

We thank Mr. Geo M. Crapon for a supply of the vanilla syrup advertised by him in our columes. It is truly all It is sold by Mr. Crapon and at the same price as other fine syrups are retailed.

Elegant Oysters.

Our clever friend, Mr. W. H. Yopp, 53 BBLs OF FINE APPLES JUST proprietor of the "Produce Exchange" on South Front street, near the new market, which is advertised in our columns, has presented us with a hucket of elegant New River oysters, ON THE EVENING OF 17th INST., a t ght season, as specimens of a large lot received by him to-day. Mr. Yopp has his line and can supply nearly any article needed by the housekeeper. He best at Factory prices at JACOBI's is located one door South of the Seaman's Home.

Death of a Good Man.

Capt. W. H. Brown, a well known and one of the most highly respected citizens of Bladen county, died at his home, near Carver's Creek, in that county, on the 12th inst He had been afflicted with a severe and excruciating. the following prices: y painful carbuncle upon the back o his neck for several weeks, but it had not been thought to be in the least alarming as to its consequences, but blood poisoning set in, which terminated his life. Capt. Brown was, we think, about 55 years of age, and leaves a wife and 4 children. In all the affairs and duties of life Capt. Brown was a man of irreproachable integrity and a kind-hearted neighbor and citizen.

New and Pretty.

We dropped in this morning at Mr. T C. Craft's furniture house, on South Front street, to take a look at a new line of goods he has just introduced. consisting of Wilton and velvet parlor chairs. They are very handsome, each of a separate design, with walnut frames and beautiful designs worked in the seats and backs. They are just the thing for a holiday gift. Mr. Craft has also a full line of Christmas goods of various designs, all useful as well as ornamental, to which he invites attention through advertisement in our

A New Programme.

In regard to the proposed entertainment to be given for the benefit of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, mention of which was made in our yesterday's is sue, we learn that while some of the most notable features of the recent entertalnment, for the benefit of the Library Association, will be retained, other new, novel and decidedly interesting features will be added, by which the attractiveness of the occasion wil be greatly enbanced. Those who will take part in these new features, the character of which will be announced in due season, are busily engaged in making the necessary preparation, so that they may be presented in proper shape. Care will be taken that everything shall be ready with promptitude. so that there will be no disagreeable 'waits" to annoy and weary the audi-

The recen' cyclones in the South and West have done terrible damage to ife and property, but there's one comfort left-the people clamor for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

The Tramp Nuisance.

The city is faily overrun with tramps, of all sizes, sorts and descriptions. They may be seen in every street, alley, highway and by-way. They have gotten to be most annoving nuisances .-They are as bold as if they were engaged in some proper and legitimate business, and when they make a demand for something to eat, it is often in a manner highly offensive and often grossly insulting. We hear of an instance where one of these strolling vag- ligious books suitable for presents, Auto and shonds called at a house and demanded dec 15 YATES' BOOK STORE. work of a lady, the wife of one of our she replied that she had no work for that she shut the door in his face and he went off muttering vengeance against her. The lady was considerably alarmed, as well she might be. These vagabonds take the opportunity to call when they are tolerably certain that there are MILLINERY, Hats, Bonnets, Hoods, Velve no men about the premises. We hope that something may be done to make Wilmington too hot to hold them, and that by a few wholesome lessons, they of every description. Crochet Hood Sacks may be warned to give our city a wide berth in the future.

DIED.

NO. 302

SOUTHERLAND—In this city yesterday. Dec 17, 1884, at 3 o'clock P M, JAMES W SOUTHERLAND. that is claimed for it; in fact it is a deli-cious syrup and fit for a royal palate. Funeral to-morrow, Dec. 19th, from First Presbyterian Church, at 9:30 o'clock A M, thence to Oakdale Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to at-

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Notice.

THE MEMBERS OF SECTION NO. 221, E. R. K. of P., are hereby notified that the regular annual election of Officers will be held to night, at Castle Hall of Germania Lodge No 4, K. of P. Fu'l attendance is requested. JOHN L. DUDLEY,

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ed to meet at the COURT HOUSE, on MON-DAY, 22d inst., at 10 30 o'clock, A.M., to con-sult with the COMMISSIONERS with refer-ence to the CRIMINAL COURT and other COUNTY matters. Citizens generally are in-vited. W. W. HARRISS, Chairman, &c

An adjourned meeting will be held at same PLACE and DATE, at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., for the consideration of matters connected

with the Criminal Court, to which ALL CITI-

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