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known by these marked peculiarities A feeling of weariness and pains in the

Embs.

End breath, bad taste in the mouth and furred tongue.

Constipation, with occasional attack of diarrices. Headache, in the front of the head nausea, dizziness, and yellowness skin. Heartburn, loss of appetite. Distention of the stonnech and bowel-

www. Depression of spirits, and great melan choly, with lassitude and a disposition to leave everything for to-morrow. A natural flow of Bile from the Live essential to good health. When the obstructed it results in

BILIOUSNESS

which, if neglected, soon leads to serio telleitous influence over every L housness, It restores the Liver oper working order, regulates they w on of bile and puts the digestive ore a such condition that they can do the st work. After taking this medicine i ane will say, "I am billous,"

"I have been subject to severe spells of Country of the Liver, and have been in the bid taking from 15 to 20 grains of calomel which easily laid me up for three or four days. Live have been taking Simmons Liver Real which gave me relief without any interruption business."—J. Hugg, Middleport, Ohio.

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The wife of Senator Edmunds o Vermont, who is in poor health, wil spend the winter in Aiken, S. C.

Parts of Iowa, have been flooded with counterfeit dollars made of cast iron heavily plated with silver. Or dinary acids fail to affect them and they can only be detected by their ring.

The proper thing in neckwear among the swells of San Antonio, Tex., is a scarf made of snake's rattles. The skins are prepared by a Texan, who has a snake ranch near the city.

A released convict from the Nebraska State Prison has brought suit against the attorney who defended him, for \$30,000 damages. He claims that he was convicted through the lawyer's malpractice.

The first underground railway in London was opened, in 1863, from Farringdon street to Paddington. The system is now so extended that 136,000,000 passengers are carried on the underground railroads every

William C. Heaton, of South Carolina, while at a hotel in Philadelphia in 1865 was robbed of a valuable gold watch. He settled in Glassboro', N. J., and on Tuesday, the twenty-second anniversary of the robbery, found a package on the floor of a shed adjoining his house. Inside was a costly gold watch and a card bearing the following inscription: "In this box you will find a gold watch to be recognized as a substitute for the one adults. taken from your room in Philadelphia in 1865.

The New York Herald has of late years become the best friend that the people of the South have, North of Mason & Dixon's line. Always independent, it is at the same time always fearless, and it has a way of speaking right out in meeting that meets with much favor at the hands of progressive men. It is always ready to defend the South whenever any unjust aspersions have been made against this section, and when it speaks its voice is heard all over Bennett is its prophet.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Petersburg Index-Appeal evidently thinks that John Nicholls will be the Republican nominee for Governor and it may be that he is right.

He says: That there is a quiet movement among a few of the Republican leaders in this State to obtain the con-sent of Judge Thomas Settle, to again allow the use of his name for he gubernatorial nomination at the that he will, in any event, accept. Though Judge Settle is an able man, and would in some respects make as available a candidate asany Republican who could be placed in the field, there is no good reason to suppose that he would yield the lucra-

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the case in this State. Besides, he goods, and the general state of his michael. health has not been such of late years as to warrant him in undergoing the ardnous task that a guber- up the walls for the four story of the weather the attendance at the Opera natorial campaign would impose, addition to the Orton House, and House this afternoon was not so The salary of Governor of North after these are completed the roof large as the merits of the company and he would, of course, have no will be put on and the building will and the play demanded. opportunity to increase his income be covered in. It bids fair to be a by way of practicing his profession. splendid edifice when completed. For the last few years the Republithe most prominent men of the can, therefore, be safely predicted and it is said they average 1,000 that the nominee will be some of the make the race. It is still more than likely that Nichols will be the man, and his candidacy will be based upon his supposed ability to carry with warmer with rain, light to fresh him a good portion of the independent workingmen of the state by virtue of his position as one of the on the coast. chief members of the Knights of Labor. Indeed it would seem that he is preparing the way for the candidacy, as in the vote for the attendance at the funeral services speakership of the house of representatives on Monday last he did not identify himself with either of the great parties. This, of course, terday afternoon: Revs. E. A. Yates rents here during nearly all of last would not affect his vote in the D. D., T. Page Ricaud, F. A. Bishop, nominating convention of the Republican party, because it will be understood as a master-piece of Pritchard, D. D. political tactics, and is in pursuance of the same rule by which he received first the nomination of the labor party for Congress, with the distinct understanding that this was to be followed by an emphatic endorsement of the Republican convention. It can be thus summed up that the chances are largely in favor of the nomination of Nichols, and the re-enactment of the rame old rule of a labor nomination with a 'Republican annex.'

LOCAL NEWS.

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C W YATES-Don't Wait Until Christmas

Best shoes for boys at French & Sons,

Day's length 9 hours and 46 min

The "halcyon days" begin o Wednesday next.

Sunset to-morrow afternoon at 46 minutes past 4 o'clock. The receipts of cotton at this port

to-day foot up 839 bales. Eggs were sold at 25 cents per

dozen in some of the stores to-day. Br steamship Helmsley, Race

hence arrived at Liverpool Dec. 8th There was one interment-an adult-in Bellevue Cemetery this week.

There were two interments in Oakdale Cemetery this week; both ham follow this good man and his star appears to be about one-

There were six interments in Pine Forest Cemetery this week; five adults and one child.

Ger. barque Ceres, March, sailed from St. Vincent, Cape Verde, for this port Nov. 23rd.

The Register of Deeds issued two marriage licenses this week; both for colored couples.

The streets were shockingly mud dy this morning, in consequence the heavy rains of last night.

Br. steamship Berncliffe, Pawley, the world. Well, there is but one hence, for Sydney and Liverpool, New York Herald and James Gordon passed Low Point, Cape Breton, Dec. 5th.

Rev. Dr. Yates on next Sunday morning week will preach his last sermon to the congregation of Grace M. E. Church.

Rev. Frank A. Bishop will preach at Fifth Street M. E. Church at 11 o'clock to-morrow forenoon, and the pastor, Rev. D. H. Tuttle, ill preach there at night at the usual hour.

The "Jahrmarkt" closed last night with a most successful result. The hands of that party, is generally be-lieved, but those best acquainted next receipts amounted to about with that gentleman do not believe \$1,000 in cash and the amount of good solid enjoyment cannot be

500 pair heavy Canton flannel drawers, just the thing for cold weather, from 35 cents and upwards, tive life-long office of Judge of the at the Wilmington Shirt Factory, United States District Court of Florida, which he now holds, to enter the very uncertain arena of politics, Prop. Drawers made to order. No 27 Market street, J. Elsbuch,

the sacrifice incurred by running. It There were thirty head on the car to be seen in nearly all the stores. that Judge Settle will not run, and pounds a piece. This beef will be lesser lights to whom honor would offered for sale by Mr. Garrell every the city on Thursday, the 15th inst.,

Indications.

The Ministers Present.

The following ministers were in of Capt. W. M. Parker, at the residence of Mr. W. E. Springer, ves-D. H. Tuttle, J. R. Sawyer, T. H.

Literary Entertainment.

We are requested to state that Hon. A. M. Waddell will deliver a lecture sometime during the next week for the benefit of St. Agnes' Guild, on subjects humorous, historical and literary in matters pertainining to local interests. time for the delivery of the lecture has not yet been fixed, but it will be

The First Shipment.

Schr Belle Brown, Perry, is load ing in this city for San Domingo with lumber and ice. One half o the ice which is being shipped i manufactured by Messrs. W. H. Worth & Co., at their ice factory in this city, and it will be the first in voice of ice ever made here and shipped to a foreign port. We hope that it may be the forerunner of many shipments to follow.

Rev. W. S. Creasy.

The Durham Plant says of this distinguised divine who has been appointed by Conference to take charge of Grace M. E. Church in with the birth of Christ, and was this city for the following Confer- for a long time regarded by many as ence year:

to her new pastor, Rev. Dr. E. A. Yates, a cordial and hearty welcome, That this is the veritable star so she will give up her former pastor, Rev. W. S. Creasy, with many regrets. Mr. Creasy has done more for the astronomers say that toward building up and strengthen-ing Methodism in Durham than any 314 or 315 years. Taking the average preacher who has preceded him. The members of the church love him, and the people of Durham all the result is 1887, the exact number like him. He is a fluent talker, a of years since the birth of Christ, fine preacher, and best of all thorougly consecrated to his Master's work. The best wishes of all Durfamily. Wilmington is to be congratulated.

Finest shoes for ladies wear in the city at French & Sons.

The Opera House.

Miss Marion Fleming, one of the most charming comediennes that has visited Wilmington for a long time, made her appearance at the Opera House last night, in "The Brook," a mirth-provoking musical extravaganza. She was supported by a good company, and although the weather was about as unpropritious as it well could be, there was a fair attendance, and to say they were delighted is but giving their sentiments a tame expression. They were convulsed with llaughter. In fact "The Brook" had its rise in a spring of happy thoughts which flows bubbling and joyous to a river of genuine mirth and finally empties in a sea of uproarious jollity. Miss Fleming as Rose Dimplecheek, was full of life, vivacity and music. She has a good and well-trained voice and her songs were rendered in her happiest vein. They gave a matinee this afternoon which was well attended considering the threatening aspect of the weather, and they will conclude their engagement here to-night, when it is hoped that they may be greeted with a crowded

In two weeks from to-night it will be Christmas Eve. We say this for the benefit of the young boys and girls, fearing that they may forget

especially with the chances so large- | Services in St. John's Church to- Steamboatmen report about five ly against him, as is undoubtedly morrow, at 7.30 and 11 a. ur. and 7.30 feet of water on the shoals in the is not overstocked with worldly p. m. by the Rector, Rev. Dr. Car- Cape Fear with the river slowly from Dec. 1st, 1887, to Dec. 10th, rising.

Workmen are engaged in putting Owing to the inclemency of the

The number of strangers from the country who are here to lay in their can nomination for Governor in this Mr. John F. Garrell, of the Front supply of Christmas goods does not State has "gone begging," none of street market, got in a load of fine seem to be much diminished on acparty being willing to make mountain beef cattle yesterday, count of the bad weather. They are

At St. James'.

Rev. Robert Strange will arrive in ceipts. and will take charge of St. James' Church on the following Sunday. For North Carolina, slightly Rev. Dr. Flagg, who has filled the pulpit of St. James' for several weeks variable winds, except fresh to brisk n a highly satisfactory manner, will conclude his service with that church on Sunday next, after which he will return to his home in New York.

The Rain.

The storm of rain which fell in tornight, extended well into the upper Cape Fear section, but the fall was gentle and light to what we experienced. The rainfail in this city from 9 a. m. yesterday, to 3 p. m. to-dayamounted to 1.68 inches. During the same hours the rainfall at Southport amounted to 3.70 inches. We have no reports from other points. but hear that the rain was general throughout this section.

Death of An Old Citizen.

Mr. James Orrell, for many years made known to the public in due a well-known lighterman of this city, died at his residence, No. 624 North Fourth street, at 4 o'clock this morning at the advanced age of 80 years. He had been failing for several days, and owing to his great age, it was impossible for him to re cuperate. He had been a resident of Wilmington ever since his young manhood and had always been known as an honest, hard-working man, who, to use the expression of one who knew him well, was "as true as steel." His wife and several children survive him.

The Star of Bethlehem.

This celestial body, which has always borne part in rhyme and story purely mythical, is, after an absence While Trinity church will extend of 315 years, visible in the Eastern skies between 4 a. m. and daylight. often referred to admits of no doubt, 3141 years and multiplying by six, This proof is absolute and admits of no denial. To the naked eye the eighth the size of the moon. Its position is about east by south.

City Court.

The first case for the Mayor's consideration this morning was that of James Debois, colored, who was arrested on suspicion. His case was ontinucd.

Hamilton Jones, colored, drunk and disorderly. The judgment of the Court was that the defendant pay a fine of \$20 or work in the chain gang for 30 days.

James Monroe Wilkins, colored, disorderly conduct, \$10 or 20 days in we display at the above corner for the chain gang.

John Nixon, colored, the English tramp, who was ordered to leave town vesterday, returned and was arrested. He said that he had been after a cart and had returned for his chest. He was told to get his things at once and leave the city.

James Chambers and Willie Robinson, two colored boys were arrested for fighting at Front street market. Chambers was discharged and it was ordered that Robinson be locked up until Monday morn-

Rock Crystal Spectacles and Eyeglasses Advice to old and young: In setious not to take more magnifying power than has been lost to the eye as in the same proportion that you you further injury to the eye. Using glasses of stronger power than is necessary is the daily cause of prema-ture old age to the sight. You can get tate of the Delinquent Taxpayers to liquidate amount due the city, (see Machinery Act, page 49, Sec 55, Session 1871. Pay promptly and ture old age to the sight. You can get ture old age to the sight. You can get the best at Heinsberger's.

Cotton.

The receipts of cotton at this port 1887, foot up 10,159 bales, as against 9,681 bales for the corresponding time last year; an increase of 478 bales. The receipts for the crop year to date foot up 134,339 bales against 98,864 bales for the corresponding period last year; an increase of 35,475 bales. The receipts for the entire crop year which closed September 1st., 1887, foot up 134,307 bales, which is 32 bales less than we have received up to the present time this year, so that we are already 39 bales ahead of last year's total re-

The cheapest place to buy your Specialties this Week: school books and school stationery is at Heinsberger's.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

CHOIR ROOM ST. JAMES' CHURCH, December 6, 1887. The following tribute of respect was passed by the Vestry of St. James' Church: WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in His wise providence to take out of this world the soul of our deceased brother, EDWIN J. THORPE, a communicant and for five years past the faithful and efficient organist of this Church, therefore,

Resolved. That we deeply regret the loss which this parish has sustained as well as this community, of which he was a valued and respected citizen, by his removal from among us in the prime of his life and in the midst of a career of remarkable usefulness and promise Resolved, That we tender to his widow and tamily our sincere sympathy in their sorrow praying that our Heavenly Father will remember them in mercy and give them comfort and

NEW IDVERTISENT

H. L. Fennell, THE HORSE MILLINER, IS STILL HEAD

quarters for Harness and Saddlery Goods,

Trunks and Bags. A job lot of Toy Trunks and Zinc Packers at cost for cash. 10 So. Front Street. Sign of the Horse. Another Lot.

LOAD of that splendid MOUNTAIN BEEF Guaranteed to be the best lot of Beef, taken all together, received in this market in ten

DECEIVED YESTERDAY ANOTHER CAL

Also, Fine, Fat Mutton, Lamb, Pork, Veal Venison. Sausage, Sausage Meat and a few fine, fat TURKEYS every day.

Look out for our Christmas ad. JNO. F. GARRELL, Successor to W. E. Worth & Co., Front St. Market, South side.

HOLIDAY **NOVELTIES !!**

OPENING MONDAY A LARGE STOCK OF HOLIDAY GOODS ---AT---

Notice.

Every purchaser will be presented with a fine Embossed Silk Fringed Christmas Card. Please ask for one and it will be given you free up to Christmas at the Bazaar.

Remember bargain day MONDAY. As usual bargains in every depart ment. Our Toy Department is one of the largest selections in the city,

Corner Market and of Second Streets.

at the

As space is rather short we can only mention a few of the above articles contemplating purchasing Fall Clothing to young folks :

DOLLS, immense display of dressed and undressed Dolls, from a rag Doll to a modern French Doll. TOYS-Our Toy Department is unexcelled in the city.

Mechanical Toys, Wagons, Velocopedes, in fact everything in Toys at prices we defy competition, at corner Market and Second sts.

N. B.—Fairs, Churches, Sunday Schools supplied at liberal discount.

City Tax 8, 1887,

LAST NOTICE TO DELINQUENTS. THE new Tax Law governing the collection of Taxes for cities and towns, necessitates an earlier payment of the Taxes this year than formerly. lecting spectacles you should be cau- A list of the unpaid Taxes, for the year 1887 is required to be handed into the Sheriff of the County, on or before the 1st day of January pass that point of increase, will cause 1888, for the purpose of Selling the Real Es-

PLEASE NOTICE. We will be glad to receive communications

from our friends on any and all subjects of general interest, but The name of the writer must always be fur-

oished to the Editor.

Communications must be written 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.

Cash House.

M. Katz'

116 Market Street.

BESIDES THE MANY BARGAINS advertised so far this season, we

will offer the following

A lot of COLORED CASHMERES 5 cents per yard.

Three quarter FLANNEL DRESS GOODS, worth 30 cents for 15 cts. Extra heavy Reps, worth 20 cts. for 12-1-2c.

Great Reductions

WRAPS, NEW MARKETS, JA KETS.

We will give our patrons the benefit of LOW PRICES in season, and not wait till the season is over.

1,000 Jerseys from \$1 Up!

One lot Jerseys in Colors and Black worth \$2 50, only \$1 25.

BLANKETS, good value, from \$1

By steamer this week another lot years. For sale every day next week on my of those 40c ENGLISH CASH-MERES for 25 cents.

Many Novelties for the Holidays. HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, HOSIERY.

Fancy Articles at almost any price,

Market

OPERA HOUSE.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, DEC 9 AND 10, AND SATURDAY MATINEE. Carnival Nights of Fun!

MARION FLEMMING. In an elaborate revival of the musical and witty extravaganza, entitled,

THE BROOK

For Men may Gome and Men may Go, but I Flow on Forever.' Depicting the Pleasures of a Jolly Picnic. The Greatest Musical Comedy ever written. The Grandest and most Beautiful Extravagan-za ever produced. Produced in every particu-lar. Music, Songs, Dances, Scenes, &c., as originally done by the Salisbury's Troubadours. Box Sheet open at Heinsberger's Thursday

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-IN ALL THE-LATEST STYLES

Fashionable Patterns ! WE CORDIALLY INVITE ALL WHO ARE

visit our new store at

114 Market Street, To inspect our immense line.

Our prices are LOWER than any other Clothing House in this city, and only by calling on us can we satisfactorily explain and convince you what great BARGAINS we are offering in SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

A. SHRIER. 114 Market Street

Fruits. Nuts and Candy. S. WINSTEAD STILL TAKES THE lead. The freshest of FRUITS, NUTS AND CANDIES always on hand. Just what you want to please the children. Postage stamps in small quantities alway on hand. Respectfully,

N Front st., near Post Office. Piece Goods CAN BE BOUGHT BY THE SUIT OR BE

DICK & MEARES.

MADE TO ORDER, AT