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THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Heinsberger's [illegible] street—Religious [illegible], Pianos, Organs and Melodeons.

Wm. Larkins, Clerk—Notices in Bankruptcy.

Munson & Co., City Clothiers—[illegible] a small advance.

H. Burkhimer—A large lot of common tobacco.

Heide Bros.—Canadian Garden Peas, Fancy Groceries, &c.

F. W. Kerchner—Coffee, Flour, Sugar, Lard, &c.

Wm. L. Harlow—Meeting of Eclectic Soiree Club.

To Book Binders.

A competent Book Binder, who understands the use of a Ruling Machine, is wanted at the Star Book Bindery and Blank Book Manufactory.

Printing Inks.

A full supply of Robinson's Printing Inks kept constantly on hand at the office of the Morning Star. These inks are equal, if not superior, to any manufactured in this country. Kegs of 25 lbs kept in stock for the special benefit of weekly papers. Cash orders solicited. tf

Eclectic Soiree Club.

There will be an important meeting of the Eclectic Soiree Club at Lippitt's Hall to-night, when arrangements will be made for the last grand "hop" of the season, to take place on Friday evening next. A full attendance is desired.

Chamber of Commerce.

There was no meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, as announced, there not being a quorum of the members present, but an important special meeting will be held at the Commercial Exchange this morning, at 11 o'clock, when a full and punctual attendance is desired.

The Concert Monday Night.

Remember the grand concert to come off at the Theatre on Monday night and go to Heinsberger's and secure your seat. It will be a splendid musical treat, and one richly worth the price of admission. Many of the reserved seats, we learn, have already been engaged, and the cry is, still they come.

A Fugitive.

A dispatch was received from W. H. Brinkley, Special Deputy Sheriff of Halifax county, yesterday, directed to Chief of Police of this city, requesting the arrest of one [illegible] Tillery, a bright looking colored man, wearing a snuff-colored plush hat. He is a fugitive from Halifax, but his crime is not mentioned in the dispatch.

Unmailable Letters.

The following is a list of unmailable letters remaining in the postoffice in this city: Bennett Asville, care Col. Dudley, no address; Wm. M. Johnson, Harrell's Store, N. C.; A. B. Horrell, Point Caswell, N. C.; James Egerton, Mars Bluff, S. C.; A. M. Welch, Cardenas, Cuba, Schooner *Nellie Starr*; H. C. Rockwell, Whiteville, N. C.; W. B. Larkins, Wilmington, N. C.

Grand Skating Festival.

The first Award Night Skating Festival of the Wilmington Skating Association comes off at City Hall this evening. Several accomplished skaters from abroad are expected to be present, and altogether it will doubtless be a grand gala evening—one of the most enjoyable, in fact, in the history of Roller Skating in Wilmington. For full particulars, see the printed programme which have been issued for the occasion.

La Rue's Minstrels.

Mr. [illegible], the advance agent of the celebrated La Rue's Minstrels, arrived in this city last night and informs us that this splendid troupe will be in our city on Thursday morning next and remain three days. The La Rue's visited our city last Winter, and their performances were largely attended and highly appreciated by our people. Since then many attractions, we are informed, have been added to the troupe.

To Those Interested.

The contractors for the erection of the new building for the Wilmington Hook and Ladder Company have notified the authorities that on the site where the structure is to be raised there are several stones erected to the memory of deceased persons who have been buried there. The friends of the parties are requested to take immediate steps for the removal of the bodies to some other place. The building is to be erected near the corner of Fourth and Dock streets, next East of Mr. W. A. Wright's stables, on ground belonging to the city.

Appointment.

Mr. A. Pope has recently been appointed General Freight and Ticket Agent for the Wilmington and Weldon and the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Railroads, to whom all matters of correspondence, claims and tariffs pertaining to the freight and passenger departments of those roads will hereafter be confided. Mr. Pope has had a great deal of experience in Railroad matters [illegible] native State and is a recognized courteous, attentive and efficient officer. Mr. P. has entered upon the discharge of his duties.

Rev. Dr. Deems.

Much feeling was excited in the community yesterday afternoon, by a report in the Baltimore *Gazette* to the effect that Rev. Dr. Deems and his wife were among the victims of the terrible accident on the Hudson River Railroad on Monday last. It was reported as a fact in two distinct paragraphs, while in another it was contradicted, which left a doubt, and his friends knew not what to believe. Last night we received the *Herald* of Wednesday, which gives full particulars of the accident, with a list of the killed, in which no mention is made of Dr. Deems. Besides this, we have the best reason, otherwise, for stating that the report is *certainly untrue*.

Local Dots.

— Pistols are now correctly termed wearables.

— New Murphy potatoes, sliced, are said to cure the most chronic case of intoxication.

— Daniel [illegible], colored, was sent to the Work House yesterday to serve out the sentence of the City Court.

— The sun's genial rays were as welcome as a long absent friend, yesterday, and all nature assumed a bright and cheerful aspect under their influence.

— Gen. R. B. Vance has been elected Superintendent of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, at Raleigh, in place of John Nichols, Esq., resigned.

— A man who loves his family, and who has regard for their mental culture as well as physical wants, will always take a newspaper, and a man who respects his family will pay for it.

— A warrant was issued yesterday for Ben. Line, colored, charged with creating a disturbance. He was arrested by officer Van Soulen and recognized for his appearance before the City Court this morning.

— The pavement on the Southwest corner of Fifth and Mulberry streets is represented to be in a terrible condition, the hogs in some places having rooted large holes in it. Our "City Fathers" must "mend their ways."

— Woolen satins as dress material have become popular; they are not only handsome but durable, as they free themselves from dust. Water proof goods in plaids are now much worn, especially by misses for a school dress.

— Isaac Williams, colored, was arraigned before the City Court, yesterday morning, on the charge of disorderly conduct. He was found guilty and required to pay the penalty and costs. There was one other trifling case, which was appropriately disposed of.

Another Musical Treat Ahead.

Lalla: an operetta in three parts, in which all the characters are sustained by children will be rendered by the pupils of Misses Burr and James' school, in the Theatre, on Tuesday evening next, supported by a competent and efficient volunteer orchestra. The plot of the piece selected is beautiful and exceedingly chaste and perfect in its details. The ladies named above, with Mrs. M. Cushing, have personal direction of its preparation and arrangement. It is something comparatively new, and only equalled by the Juvenile Cantatas which have been arranged and performed by children under the direction of these ladies during and since the war.

Fire and Heavy Loss.

Intelligence was received here yesterday of a destructive fire at Mr. Wilkes Morris' plantation, on the Federal Point road, about thirteen and a half miles from the city and known as "Sedgeley Hill." The fire occurred between 10 and 11 o'clock on Wednesday night. Mr. Morris' brother, who was in charge of the plantation, had retired to rest in the dwelling near by, when he heard a roaring sound, and upon going out discovered that the Pea House was in a complete sheet of flame, and although all hands were immediately aroused, the fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to save any portion of the building or its contents, all of which in a brief space of time were a heap of smouldering ruins. By this sad calamity Mr. Morris loses his entire crop of ground peas, about seven hundred bushels, and all his forage, including about eight hundred bales of pea vines. In one end of the pea house was a sort of stall in which he usually kept a number of fine milch cows, but fortunately on this particular night, there was but one shut up, and consequently she was the only one that perished in the flames.

Mr. Morris estimates the loss at from $3,500 to $4,000. There was an insurance of $2,000 on the crop and $500 on the house, the latter of which cannot be replaced for less than $800 or $900, it having been a very commodious building.

Fatal Accident.

Yesterday afternoon three young colored men, named respectively Henry Sampson, James Southmayd and Isham Thompson, all belonging in this city, went out on a gunning excursion. The party had proceeded about two miles up the plank road East of the city, and opposite a place known as Mosquito Hall, when they stopped and commenced firing at a hawk. They had fired several shots without success and were indulging in some sportive conversation in relation to the number of shots each had fired, when Southmayd commenced reloading his gun, the three standing at the time in close proximity to each other. After loading, he placed the gun across his arm and was in the act of putting a cap on the tube when it fired, the whole charge entering the temple of Henry Sampson, who fell to the ground and instantly expired.

The first information of the accident was brought to the city by Isham Thompson, who says that [illegible] when the gun fired and that on hearing the report he turned and saw Sampson extended on the ground and Southmayd in the act of trying to [illegible] almost out of [illegible] he ran for town as fast as he could [illegible] the station house, where he lodged information of what had occurred. He was thereupon accompanied to the scene of the accident by a policeman, where the body of Sampson was found lying against a pine tree with his gun by his side.

Southmayd, as soon as he ascertained that the unfortunate man was certainly dead, came to the city and, upon failure to find the Sheriff, went to the jail and surrendered himself to S. W. Nash, the jailor, by whom he was locked up to await an investigation. He was apparently in great distress, and, judging from his version of the melancholy occurrence, which is corroborated in every particular by Isham Thompson, the killing was purely accidental.

The deceased was about 20 years old and bears the reputation of having been an honest, upright young man. Coroner Hewlett has been notified and will hold an inquest over the body early this morning.

Our Chip Basket.

— Slip knots—Divorces.

— A grate nuisance—Bad coal.

— The poor man's story—The garret.

— Vinnie Ream has caught about fifty degrees in masonry, so far.

— Seventy-two different words may be made from the word *strange*.

— A woman drives the vehicle of a prominent physician on Thirty-fourth street, New York.

— There is in a Western State a woman so cleanly that she rubs the dirt off the firewood before she puts it into the stove.

— Mrs Jessie H. Ropert, of New Market, Va., is lecturing on "The Shenandoah During the War."

— "What death would you prefer to die?" said one person to another. "I don't exactly know; I should like to try seven or eight before deciding the point."

— It was the idea of a minister down in Georgia, at the conclusion of a marriage ceremony, to use in his prayer for the bridal couple the sentence, "Suffer little children to come unto them."

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY.

We make up the following summary of the proceedings of the Legislature from the report in the *Sentinel*:

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 8 1871.

Mr. Albright introduced a bill to amend chapter 232, laws of 1867, referred.

Mr. Gilmer moved suspension of rules to take up bill relative to the band of outlaws in Robeson county. Being in favor of its passage, withdrew motion.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

was taken up, being a bill to encourage immigration, &c.

Mr. Olds offered an amendment that the president and officers shall receive no pay during the existence of this charter. He opposed the bill at length, was opposed to exclusive legislation.

Amendment to it and bill passed third reading 30 yeas and 3 nays. Ordered to be engrossed and sent to the House.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 8, 1871.

By Mr. Ashe: A bill regulating voting where county lines have been recently changed; referred.

By Mr. Shull: A resolution requesting the Finance Committee to report a Revenue bill as soon as possible; placed on calendar.

On motion of Mr. Jordan, his resolution concerning the Adjutant General was taken up. [The resolution orders the Adjutant General to send to this House, by noon on Friday next, the information requested by the House some time ago in regard to the names of Detectives and Spies, &c.]

The resolution was put to a vote and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Young, of Yancey, the bill to provide for the payment of the expenses of Agents in the pursuit of fugitives from justice, was taken up and passed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Ashe, the resolution asking our Congressmen to introduce a bill into Congress to repeal the special tax on brandy, whiskey and tobacco, &c., was taken up and passed its several readings.

CALENDAR.

Senate resolution in regard to the assets belonging to the State of North Carolina, was reached and adopted.

Senate resolution declaratory of the sense of the people in regard to the homestead, personal property exemption, rights of suffrage, and the mechanics and laborers' lien law, was taken up and adopted. [Resolution declares that the people of the State are opposed to any amendment to the Constitution whereby the above mentioned laws will be interfered with.]

Senate bill to amend certain subdivisions and sections of chapter 279, laws of 1868-'69, was taken up, and the recommendation of the committee to have the bill printed was concurred in.

Senate resolution to raise a joint committee of five to inquire into the State's interest in the Cape Fear Navigation Company, was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Ashe, was postponed for a week.

Bill to define the duties of the several Judges of the Superior Courts of the State, &c. was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Justice, was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Bill to allow Justices of the Peace to take privy examinations of *femes covert*, was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Robinson, was indefinitely postponed.

Bill to amend the act to provide for a system of public instruction, was taken up, amended, and passed its several readings.

Bill for the general relief of sheriffs was taken up and the Senate amendments were concurred in.

Bill to incorporate the North Carolina Railroad and Manufacturing Company was taken up, and the Senate amendments were concurred in.

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Bill regulating the salaries and fees of State officers.

Section 9, giving the Reporter of the Supreme Court the same pay and rights as are given by Section 8, Chapter 100, of the Revised Code, was adopted.

Section 10, paying all annual salaries allowed by this bill, quarterly out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, was adopted.

Section 11, allowing Solicitors $60 for each term, and the fees as prescribed in Section 13, Chapter 102, Revised Code, was adopted.

For section 12 of the bill Mr. Rankin offered a substitute which was adopted, and the section was then adopted.

Mr. Ashe moved to amend section 4 so as to give the Auditor a Clerk at $900 per year, which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Withers, the vote by which section 4, as amended, was stricken from the bill on yesterday, was reconsidered.

The question then recurred upon the motion to strike out. The yeas and nays were called and the motion was adopted by a vote of yeas 48, nays 36.

Mr. Waring moved to refer the bill to a special Committee of 3; lost.

Bill to prevent obstructions being placed in Little River, was taken and passed its several readings.

HIGH COURT OF IMPEACHMENT.

[Condensed from the Daily Telegram.]

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8.

The hour of 11 having arrived, the Chief Justice appeared and took the Chair.

Mr. Smith resumed his concluding remarks of yesterday in favor of the admission of the evidence, saying that if it was not admitted by the Court then they would be left without defence.

Mr. Smith was followed by Gov. Graham in an exhaustive and convincing argument, covering all points, declaring that the evidence should not be received, and closing by calling upon the Court to refuse its admission.

Mr. Jones moved that the question of which side should have the closing argument, be now decided, as the respondent claimed the right of the reply.

After statements by Manager Sparrow and Counsel Boyden, the Chief Justice decided that in his opinion, the closing of the argument was due to the defence.

A recess for five minutes was had, at the end of which Mr. Boyden proceeded to close the argument.

The admission or non-admission of the evidence will be determined on to-morrow.

After the conclusion of Mr. Boyden's argument the question arose as to how the Chief Justice should render his decisions on the various issues in the trial. Gov. Bragg stated that the Chief Justice as presiding officer, could render his rulings without giving any of the reasons by which he was influenced. While Mr. McCorkle argued that an opinion should be delivered on every question. After considerable debate it was the opinion of the Chief Justice himself that he should merely make his rulings and state the grounds upon which they were based, but without arriving at any vote upon the subject, the Court adjourned, at 5 P. M.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the City Post Office, February 8, 1871:

A—Henrietta Applewhite, D M Allen, A J Andrews.

B—Zilphia Bryant, care Charles Thornton, W W Banks, J M Brown, John G Batrough, J J Bockler, J R Bunting, Geo F Brekner, Erwin Blackman, F Butcheroff, F C Burnett, F L Burnett.

C—Miss Julia Canady, care Joel Hathley, John Clark, John Cox, J R Chadwick, Charles Cook.

D—Simon Davis, Stephen Daniel.

E—Carley Elwell, J H Ellis, Miss Fannie Edwards.

F—Frank Flowers.

G—Miss Cowan Grant 2, William Groves, William Gain 2, Robert Gore, Lizzie Gaskins, E D Green.

H—William Haskell, Mrs T W Howard, Jas M Harrell, John Hogan, Edward D Herring, Mrs Elizabeth Harriss, Alexander Horn, Alexander Halacy, Benjamin Hollis.

J—Allen B Jones 2, Enoch Jeffrey, Mrs. Fannie Johnson, James Johnson, Precilla Jurseley.

K—W R Keenan, Thomas Kelley 2, S B Kahnweiler, Miss Sarah Kelly.

L—Miss J Lydia Livingston, Matthew Levy, L Layruse.

M—Mrs M P McMannen, Mrs Mary F Martin, John Merrick, Israel Manley, Jas S Melvin, Herman M Myers, Messrs McLeod & Grady, Miss Georgia McCracken, Miss Catharine Mitchell, Capt Chas McGregor, Benjamin McCutcheon.

N—Martha Nixon 2, Dr A K Newkirk.

P—Mrs S J Pearson, S S Prather, J G Picket, R A Philyaw, J E Person, G. Patroni, George Patterson, Miss Ellen Patten, Mrs Elizabeth Paine, Richard Parker, Mrs Elizabeth Penny.

R—R M Ray, Col David Renno, Benjamin Robinson.

S—Samuel Sterling, Miss Annie Sessum, Robert Sisson, Joseph Salmon, Miss Tohama Steinberg, J L Sampson, John Stewart, Charlotte Stevens.

T—Miss Nora Thompson, Franklin Toomer.

W—Henry Whitehead, John B Williams, W C Wright, F W Walker, Miss Elmira West, C Wilson, Miss Cattie Williams.

Persons calling for letters in this List will please say "Advertised." Will be sent to Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C., in 30 days, if not called for.

ED. R. BRINK, P. M.

Wilmington, N. C., February 8, 1871.

DIED.

DEANS.—On the morning of the 9th inst., George Henry, youngest son of James and Ellen Deans, aged 2 years and 11 months.

The funeral will take place to-day (Friday, 10th) at 3 o'clock P. M., from their residence on Fifth, between Orange and Ann Sts., and from thence to Oakdale Cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bankrupt Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States, for the Cape Fear District of North Carolina, by Thomas Moore, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress, of March 2, 1867, for discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 1st day of March, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of William A. Guthrie, Register in Bankruptcy in Fayetteville, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Dated at Wilmington, N. C., on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1871.

WM. LARKINS, Clerk.

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Bankrupt Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States, for the Cape Fear District of North Carolina, by Archibald C. Freeman, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress, of March 2, 1867, for discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of March, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of William A. Guthrie, Register in Bankruptcy in Fayetteville, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Dated at Wilmington, N. C., on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1871.

WM. LARKINS, Clerk.

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Bankrupt Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States, for the Cape Fear District of North Carolina, by Ellis J. Gaddy, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress, of March 2, 1867, for discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of March, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of William A. Guthrie, Register in Bankruptcy in Fayetteville, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Dated at Wilmington, N. C., on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1871.

WM. LARKINS, Clerk.

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Bankrupt Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States, for the Cape Fear District of North Carolina, by Silvanus C. Barrett, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress, of March 2, 1867, for discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the [illegible] day of March, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of William A. Guthrie, Register in Bankruptcy in Fayetteville, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Dated at Wilmington, N. C., on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1871.

WM. LARKINS, Clerk.

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Bl'k Alpacca Umbrellas,

A SPLENDID ARTICLE.

Colored Kid Gloves Just Received!

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AT

A VERY SMALL ADVANCE

ON

COST!

MUNSON & CO., City Clothiers.

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Coffee and Sugar.

275 SACKS RIO, JAVA AND LAG. SUGAR

15 HHDS DEMARARA SUGAR,

10 " P. R. SUGAR,

150 BBLS SUGAR—all grades.

For sale by F. W. KERCHNER.

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Potatoes, Potatoes.

400 BBLS PLANTING POTATOES.

For sale by F. W. KERCHNER.

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Potash and Nails.

50 CASES POTASH,

150 KEGS NAILS,

For sale by F. W. KERCHNER, 27, 28 and 29 North Water St.

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Eclectic Soiree Club.

REGULAR SEMI-MONTHLY MEETING of the ECLECTIC SOIREE CLUB will be held at the Club Room this (Friday) evening at 7½ o'clock.

A full attendance is desired, as business of importance will be transacted.

WM. L. HARLOW, Secretary.

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A CARD.

WE RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION of the citizens of Wilmington and our country friends generally to the fact that we are now manufacturing

FLOUR OF CHOICE GRADES,

put up in packages as desired, which we offer them at prices as low as they can be supplied elsewhere, for the same grades of Flour.

We shall endeavor always to procure the

BEST QUALITY OF WHEAT,

and in doing so, hope to be able to supply the public with Flour that will give satisfaction. All Flour sold by us will be

GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED,

and if not satisfactory, the same can be returned and money refunded.

MITCHELL & HUGGINS, Proprietors Merchant's Flouring Mills, Nos. 8 and 10 North Water St.

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FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE OR RENT—That large and valuable plantation on Middle Sound, 8 miles from the city, known as the Mott tract, will be rented or sold on reasonable terms. For particulars, apply to

C. W. OLDHAM, Ex.

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Just Received:

A LARGE LOT OF

COMMON TOBACCO

Suitable for Country Trade.

H. BURKHIMER, No. 6 Market Street, Sign of the "INDIAN CHIEF."

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HEIDE BROTHERS,

No. 6 South Water St.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE LOT OF

CANADIAN GARDEN PEAS.

ALSO, ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES OF

Fancy Groceries and Confectioneries, Fruits, Nuts, Cigars, Tobacco, Crackers, Champagne Cider and Vinegar, and other articles in their line.

Keep on hand everything to be found in a FIRST-CLASS JOBBING HOUSE.

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Trenton Crackers.

15 BBLS FANCY WINE CRACKERS,

20 " BUTTER,

10 " PLAIN WINE

For sale by F. W. KERCHNER.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

WE ARE RECEIVING FROM S. S. WM. P. CLYDE another shipment of those same

SUPERB TEAS,

Green, Black,

Natural Japan,

and English Breakfast.

We are truly proud of the favor given to our Teas, and will spare no effort to obtain

SUPERIOR TEAS ALWAYS.

At C. D. MYERS & CO'S, 7 North Front St.

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"Self-Washing" Soap.

WE ARE THE WHOLESALE AGENTS for the sale of the above CELEBRATED SOAP, manufactured by Dr. N. R. R. Mayer, of Baltimore.

"It washes in warm, cold, hard or soft water. It washes the finest or coarsest fabrics of all colors without the slightest injury to prints or texture. A large washing can be accomplished in an incredibly short time and clothes can be washed cleaner and whiter than by any other soap."

"IT IS AN EXCELLENT TOILET SOAP."

DeROSSET & CO.

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A SERIES OF

GRAND DIAMOND-GIFT CONCERTS,

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

VICTIMS OF THE FRENCH WAR,

WILL BE HELD IN

Washington, D. C., February 27, 1871.

190,000 Tickets, only, numbering from 1 to 190,000, will be sold for the entire series—amounting to $1,140,000.

$860,000 Worth of

DIAMONDS of the VERY FINEST QUALITY, All justly and fairly appraised, will be given to holders of Tickets, whether absent or present, without reservation.

THIS magnificent Catalogue, which is unquestionably the largest and most valuable collection of Diamond Jewelry in the World, comprises 9,650 setts, and separate articles, all in Diamonds, ranging in value from $55 to $60,000, each, which are catalogued as follows:

One Imperial Sett—Breastpin and Earrings—*warranted the finest in America*, worth $60,000

One Magnificent Full Sett—Breastpin, Earrings and Bracelets, worth $37,000

One Similar Sett, very superb, worth [illegible]

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One Beautiful Lady's Sett—Cluster, Breastpin, Earrings and Bracelets, worth $8,600

45 Setts and Separate Articles—Ladies' and Gentlemen's—consisting of Diamond Jewels, and of Cameos mounted in Diamonds and Pearls—worth from $800 to $1,200 each.

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Every Gem is warranted by a wholesale Diamond House, second to none in existence, to be genuine, and of the finest quality; the setting of each is warranted to be the best 18 carat gold, and all accurately described.

The proportion between the Gifts and Tickets is the most favorable, it is believed, ever presented.

No article will be issued without a specific warranty.

The names of the distinguished gentlemen who have consented to act as Commissioners and Officers, are a guarantee of the character and management of this operation, and a pledge of all that is fair and honorable. In addition to our personal references, our Agents will furnish satisfactory local guarantees.

Taken altogether, we confidently assert that a better, clearer and more attractive opportunity was never offered, in a financial sense; nor in a better cause, morally considered, for the profits are a great contribution to humanity.

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TICKETS $6 00.

Gen. ALBERT PIKE, Washington City; Hon. JNO. E. WARD, 59 Wall St., N. Y.; Com.

M. VICTOR PLACE, Consul-General of France, N. Y., Trustee.

J. L. ROBERTSON & CO., Agents, 319 Broadway.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28, 1870.

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