

RATES OF ADVERTISING. MISCELLANEOUS. BY CROOK & HOBBS.

Snow and sleet in New York. The Greely will cause drags its disagreeable length along. A family of circus performers murdered by Indians in Arizona.

General Schofield and Alexander have sailed from San Francisco for Honolulu. It is supposed on a mission connected with the Sandwich Island crisis.

St. Louis is alarmed for the safety of her bridge, in the event of an expected ice-break. Great rise in the Mississippi reported from Memphis.

Rochester amazons released, all except the Anthony, who on refusal to give bail was remanded to jail.

Missouri has had a half million fire. Missouri Legislature meets to-day. It elects Blair successor.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OLIVER DITSON & Co.—New Music. H. BURKSHAM.—Tobacco and Segars. ZIMMERMAN & WHITE.—Disolution.

The Masquerade Ball. The masquerade and fancy dress ball at City Hall last night was a grand and successful affair in every respect.

Business called us from the Hall before the unmaking took place, and we must confess that it was with no little reluctance we left a scene so freighted with enjoyment to that who witnessed it.

Much credit is due to the management for the great success which attended the ball, which we hope will not be the last of the kind to which the amusement-loving portion of the community shall be treated.

Business men will be glad to learn that the recent order of the Postmaster-General directing postmasters to collect double the amount unpaid on letters only partially prepaid, has been pronounced without warrant of law by the House Postoffice Committee.

Local News.

One white patient to the City Hospital yesterday. The schooner Donna Anna sailed from Havana for this port on the 18th ult.

The steam fire engine Cape Fear, which has been undergoing some necessary repairs, was on trial at the foot of Market street last evening.

The 41st regular meeting of the Mechanics' Building Association will be held at the rooms of the Wilmington Library Association this evening at 7 o'clock.

A full stock of News Ink of superior quality for sale at the office of THE MORNING STAR, Cash or C. O. D. orders will have prompt attention.

Dr. J. P. Watson's Compound Serravallo's seems to be extensively getting on public confidence, and promises to take the place of every other liquor in use, especially for medicinal use.

Business at Work.

Some thief prized open the rear door of Capt. W. M. Stevenson's store on Princess street, on Monday night, and emptied his money-drawer of its contents.

By a dispatch received yesterday from Mr. W. H. Gerkin, D. G. C., we learn that Athena Lodge No. 8, K. of P., of Newbern, was instituted on Monday evening last with great élan, a number of new members having connected themselves with the Lodge at the commencement.

By a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage was held yesterday to consider a dispute between one of the pilots and a master of one of the vessels in port.

It is rumored that Raleigh is to be lighted with kerosene oil. Three Randolph safe robbers, colored, were incarcerated in the penitentiary Monday.

Professor Daves' Second Lecture. The second and concluding lecture upon Palestine, of Professor Daves, was pronounced last evening at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Special Notice.

OUR BOOKS ARE CLOSED FROM THIS DATE, January 1st, 1873. AT COST FOR CASH. A Large number of New Year's Presents are in stock, open to the inspection of all who remember their friends or wish to be remembered.

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Spirits Turpentine.

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Some 400 immigrants from this State and South Carolina lately passed through Georgia on route for Texas. Mr. W. B. Glenn, of Yadkin county, left the Yarbrough Hotel, Washington City, bearing the election vote of North Carolina.

Fabius Dann, colored, who was stabbed two months ago at Rolesville, Wake county, by Wilson Bridgers, died from his injuries Sunday last. The Era learns that Charlie McCullers of Wake, fell while skating Sunday and came near getting killed. Concussion of brain. It is better.

The regular monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Agricultural Association will be held at the Yarbrough House to-morrow. The State officers elect will qualify to-day, and enter upon the discharge of the duties of their several offices.

H. & B. Emanuel, 45 MARKET STREET. RANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS, PHILADELPHIA-MADE SHOES, LADIES' UNDERWEAR, Etc., Etc., Etc. CLOTHING. OUR ENTIRE STOCK, TO WHICH RECENT ADDITIONS OF Fashionable Goods HAVE BEEN MADE, IS NOW BEING OFFERED At Greatly Reduced Prices. Buyers, before purchasing elsewhere, would do well to examine our Stock.

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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD. December 31, 1872. Time, Barometer, Ther. Therm., Wind, Weather.

Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT. Office of Chief Signal Officer, Washington, December 31.—1 30 P. M.

For New England, north westerly to northerly winds, rising temperature and partially cloudy weather. For Middle States, northwesterly to northerly winds and cloudy weather, with rising temperature and very probably rain over southern portion.