The Morning Star.

BETTER LUCK ANOTHER YEAR

W. GILMORE SIMMS.

Oh! never sink 'neath Fortune's frown,
But brave her with a shout of cheer,
And front her fairly—face her down—
She's only stern to those who fear!
Here's "better luck another year!"
Another year!

Aye, better luck another year!
We'll have her smile instead of sneer—
A thousand smiles for every tear,
With home made glad and goodly cheer,
And better luck another year—
Another year!

The damsel Fortune still denies
The plea that yet delights her ear;
'Tis but our manhood that she tries,
She's coy to those who doubt and fear,
She'll grant the suit another year!
Another year!

Here's "better luck another year,"
She now denies the golden prize;
But spite of frown and scorn and sneer,
Be firm, and we will win and wear
With home made glad and goodly cheer,
In better luck another year!
Another year! Another year!

POLITICAL POINTS.

— In Maine they do the thing without the powerful aid of visiting statesmen.—*Phil. Times, Ind.*

— It looks more than ever like Grant and Blaine. If the indications given out by the reorganization of the Republican National Committee amount to anything, and if Senator Blaine will accept the second place, this combination is a foregone conclusion.—*Washington National Republican.*

— First citizen—What do you think of the doings in Maine? Second citizen—I think we have been egregiously mistaken in regard to the Democrats. We have said they were Bourbons and never learned anything, but it appears to me they have learned a mighty sight in the counting out business.—*Concord Patriot, Dem*

— There are a lot of political "silly billies" who begin at once to call out for a strong man at the head of the government, and declare that now Maine Greenbackers and Republicans are misconducting themselves, Gen. Grant is the only candidate for the Republicans. Senator Hoar is one of these people.—*Wash. Dispatch to N. Y Herald.*

TWINKLINGS.

— A twelve foot vein of gold has been discovered near New Lexington, Perry county, Pa.

— That was a wise colored man who, in speaking of the happiness of married people, said: "Dat 'ar 'pends altogedder how dey enjoys demselves."

— The Philadelphia *Times* thinks Hayes should have boiled down his message. What would have been the use? Boil water as long as you please, and only water remains.

— Kissing by force is a serious matter in Dublin. Two young men who recently forcibly kissed two dressmakers on the streets were sent to prison for three months. A young man at Hacley, England, was recently fined £3 5s and costs for kissing a girl against her will.

Now cometh the time when the average boy
Goes out on the ice-covered lake,
With a shout of glee and a laugh of joy—
But the ice begins to break;
Into the water—full twenty feet deep,
He is tumbled, and there, unawares,
His skate-buckled feet begin to creep
Up a flight of the golden stairs.

PERSONAL.

— Gov. Seymour says he reads few papers, sees few men, and receives many political telegrams and letters which he does not answer.

— The trial of Maj. John D. Simpson, editor of the *Evening Star*, Madison, Ind., for killing Wm. Howard, late city treasurer, closed Friday, resulting in a verdict of not guilty.

— Lord Beaconsfield has three times tendered his resignation to the Queen within the last six months, and Her Majesty has each time begged him to reconsider his request to be relieved of his duties.—*London Truth.*

— Mr. Gladstone has been constantly with her husband during his Scotch campaign. She never leaves his side, wraps him up when he leaves a room, sees that he rests when he is tired, and is devoted to his comfort.

SOUTHERN ITEMS.

— Beer enough to make 700,000 drinks was received in Galveston during October; the bell punches registered only 76,000.

— A son of the first Congressman sent by Kentucky to Washington is now in the county poorhouse at Lexington in that State.

— Three men, named Hailman, Davis and Roberts, were drowned by the upsetting of a boat in which they attempted to cross the Kentucky river, near Gratze, Wednesday night.

— Out of the six men from Montgomery, Md., who served in the Mexican war, five are still living: F. O. Gaither, Lafayette Griffith, O. T. Watkins, Richard Berry and Alex. Russell.

Cotton.

[N. Y. Financial Chronicle.]

FRIDAY, P. M., Dec. 19, 1879.—The movement of the crop, as indicated by our telegrams from the South to-night, is given below. For the week ending this evening, Dec. 10, the total receipts have reached 218,907 bales, against 234,876 bales last week, 216,167 bales the previous week, and 249,152 bales three weeks since; making the total receipts since the 1st of September, 1879, 2,804,948 bales, against 2,376,155 bales for the same period of 1878, showing an increase since September 1, 1879, of 428,793 bales.

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 111,890 bales, of which 73,262 were to Great Britain, 6,715 to France, and 31,913 to rest of the Continent, while the stocks as made up this evening are now 809,498 bales.

From the foregoing statement it will be seen that, compared with the corresponding week of last season, there is a *decrease* in the exports this week of 6,599 bales, while the stocks to-night are 48,419 bales *more* than they were at this time a year ago.

Price Reduced.

THE LADIES ARE INFORMED THAT MRS. VIRGINIA A. ORR has reduced the price of shaping, bleaching, and dying Ladies' and Children's Hats from FIFTY to TWENTY-FIVE CTS. RESIDENCE—One door east of Front, on Church treet. oct 1-tf

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Hepatitis, or Liver Complaint,

DYSPEPSIA AND SICK HEADACHE.

Symptoms of a Diseased Liver.

PAIN in the right side, under the edge of the ribs, increases on pressure; sometimes the pain is in the left side; the patient is rarely able to lie on the left side: sometimes the pain is felt under the shoulder blade, and it frequently extends to the top of the shoulder, and is sometimes mistaken for rheumatism in the arm. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness; the bowels in general are costive, sometimes alternative with lax; the head is troubled with pain, accompanied with a dull, heavy sensation in the back part. There is generally a considerable loss of memory, accompanied with a painful sensation of having left undone something which ought to have been done. A slight, dry cough is sometimes an attendant. The patient complains of weariness and debility; he is easily startled, his feet are cold or burning, and he complains of a prickly sensation of the skin; his spirits are low; and although he is satisfied that exercise would be beneficial to him, yet he can scarcely summon up fortitude enough to try it. In fact, he distrusts every remedy. Several of the above symptoms attend the disease, but cases have occurred where few of them existed, yet examination of the body, after death, has shown the LIVER to have been extensively deranged.

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DR. C. MCLANE'S LIVER PILLS, IN CASES OF AGUE AND FEVER, when taken with Quinine, are productive of the most happy results. No better cathartic can be used, preparatory to, or after taking Quinine. We would advise all who are afflicted with this disease to give them a FAIR TRIAL.

For all bilious derangements, and as a simple purgative, they are unequaled.

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The genuine are never sugar coated.

Every box has a red wax seal on the lid, with the impression DR. MCLANE'S LIVER PILLS.

The genuine MCLANE'S LIVER PILLS bear the signatures of C. MCLANE and FLEMING BROS. on the wrappers.

Insist upon having the genuine DR. C. MCLANE'S LIVER PILLS, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh, Pa., the market being full of imitations of the name *McLane*, spelled differently but same pronunciation.

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A New Story by a Lady of Savannah.

The Savannah Weekly News

OF OCTOBER 4th will contain the first chapters of a story of thrilling interest, entitled

ANABEL'S SECRET!

BY MRS. J. O. BRANCH.

We desire not to anticipate the pleasure which the readers of the WEEKLY NEWS will derive from the perusal of this charming story, and therefore will not speak of it here further than to say that in the management of an original and intensely interesting plot, not less than in her powers of description, her life like delineations of character, and the pure moral tone of her reflections, the accomplished author gives assurance that she inherits the genius of her gifted mother, Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz, whose works of fiction have been so universally admired and still rank among the most popular American books of their class. "Anabel's Secret" is developed in California, of which State the author was at one time a resident, and her vivid descriptions of some of the most wonderful scenery of that picturesque region are among the striking features of the story.

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sept 12 tf

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aug 26 tf

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Stop and Examine.

STALL No. 6, MARKET HOUSE, and CITIZENS' MARKET, will offer TO-DAY a fine assortment of Mountain Beef, Pork, Sausages, Spare Ribs and Back Bone of the best quality.

Also, a fine lot of Turkeys and Poultry at Bottom Prices. Call early and order your Thanksgiving Dinner.

nov 26 tf T. A. WATSON & CO., Prop's.

New Jewelry Store.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO INFORM the citizens of Wilmington and vicinity that he has opened a JEWELRY STORE, at No. 3 SOUTH FRONT STREET, where he will Repair Watches, Clocks and Chronometers at prices consistent with good work. I have had twenty years' practical experience. A portion of the trade is respectfully solicited. J. L. WINNER,
oct25 tf Jeweller.

MISCELLANEOUS

Merry Christmas.

Brown & Roddick

45 Market St.

WE ARE OFFERING SOME VERY DECIDED BARGAINS, even in the face of a rising market, and would advise all who are in want of any thing in our line, to call as early as possible, and avoid the Holiday Rush. We subjoin the following from our DRY GOODS STOCK, which will be found both suitable and useful for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

SILKS,
SHAWLS,
CLOAKS,
FANCY DRESS GOODS,
SCOTCH HOSIERY,
BLK and COL'D CASHMERES,
CORSETS,
KID GLOVES,
HANDKERCHIEFS,
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Velocipedes,	Kitchens,
Drums,	Furniture Sets,
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Wagons,	Vases,
Carts,	Trumpets,
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dec 16 tf

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For sale low by

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200 Bags VIRGINIA MEAL,
1000 Bush White and Mixed CORN,

And lots of Fancy Candy Crackers, Fire Crackers, Canned Oysters, Tomatoes, Peaches, and all kinds of Light Goods for Christmas.

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Raleigh, Sept. 15, 1879. sept 16 tf

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oct 29 tf GEO. MYERS, Agent.

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Remember the Big Seven, &c. nov 30 tf

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MISCELLANEOUS.

LETTERS FROM SANTA CLAUS

—TO—

P. L. Bridgers & Co.

No. 1. What Stock He Sends

We have just received the following communication from Santa Claus, which we hasten to lay before our customers:

NEW YORK, Dec. 14th, 1879.

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RAILROAD LINES, &c.

Wilmington & Weldon RAILROAD CO.

OFFICE OF GEN'L SUPERINTENDENT,
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 22, 1879.

Change of Schedule.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, NOV'R 23d 1879, Passenger Trains on the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad will run as follows:

Day Mail and Express Train, Daily

Leave Wilmington, Front St. Depot, at	6:50 A. M.
Arrive at Weldon	12:50 P. M.
Leave Weldon	3:40 P. M.
Arrive at Wilmington, Front St. Depot,	9:53 P. M.

Night Mail and Express Train, Daily

Leave Wilmington, Front St. Depot, at	3:40 P. M.
Arrive at Weldon	3:50 A. M.
Leave Weldon	3:13 A. M.
Arrive at Wilmington, Front St. Depot,	9.13 A. M.

Trains on Tarboro Branch Road leave Rocky Mount for Tarboro at 5.10 P. M. Daily, and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 4.00 A. M., Returning, leave Tarboro at 10.00 A. M., Daily, and Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 30 P. M.

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JOHN F. DIVINE,
nov 22-tf General Sup't.

General Sup'ts Office,

WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA & AUGUSTA R. R. COMPANY.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 22, 1879.

Change of Schedule.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, NOV 23d, 1879, the following Schedule will be run on this Road:

Day Express and Mail Train Daily.

Leave Wilmington	9:10 A. M.
Arrive at Florence	2:00 P. M.
Leave Florence	3:00 P. M.
Arrive at Wilmington	8:20 P M.

NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN (Daily).

Leave Wilmington	10:13 P. M.
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Arrive at Camden Junction	4:15 A. M.
Arrive at Columbia	9:00 A. M.
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Leave Camden Junction	12:00 M.
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	Arrive at Hamlet at	2:27 A. M.
	" Charlotte at	8:30 A. M.
No. 2.	Leave Charlotte at	8:25 P. M.
	Arrive at Hamlet at	1:32 A. M.
	" Wilmington at	9:50 A. M.

No. 1 Train is Daily except Sunday, but makes no connection to Raleigh on Saturday.
No. 2 Train is Daily except Saturday.

SHELBY DIVISION MAIL, FREIGHT & PASSENGER AND EXPRESS.

No. 9.	Leave Charlotte	8:40 A. M.
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No. 10	Leave Shelby	1:15 P. M.
	Arrive at Charlotte	5:05 P. M.

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Leaves Wilmington	5:35 A. M.
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Leaves Charlotte	5:30 A. M.
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Leaves Laurinburg	5:30 A. M.
Arrives at Charlotte	4:20 P. M.
Leaves Laurinburg	5:00 A. M.
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