A rolling mill at Pittsburg, Pa., burned loss \$300,000; insurance \$150,000. — The Atlanta Street Railway Company's stables burned, with a number of mules. The Virginia Readjusters settled their differences and will nominate Riddleberger for U. S. Senator. — Col. J. P. Shaffner, a prominent Kentuckian, is dead. Senators Garland and Beck spoke in favor of a tariff for revenue in the Senate yesterday: over eighty bills and resolutions were introduced; the case of the New York Senators, from the committee on elections, was reported in favor of the incumbents. The President was requested, by resolution. to communicate to the Senate the instructions sent to our Minister at London in regard to the modification of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty: Senator Butler introduced bills for continuing the improvement of Charleston harbor and appropriating proceeds of sales of public lands to educational purposes; petitions were presented for the abolition of the tax on bank checks. ---Frelinghuysen has been confirmed as Secretary of State. - Upton's resignation has been accepted. - Three boys broke through the ice at Manitowoc, Wis., and were drowned. -- Col. Forney's funeral, at Philadelphia, yesterday, was largely attended. - The Governor of Kansas has taken measures for a rigid enforcement of the prohibitory liquor law in that State. \_\_Postmaster General James has forwarded his resignation. - The new Chinese Minister has arrived at San Francisco from Hong Kong. -G. A. Rice, a defaulting Internal Revenue Collector at New Orleans, sentenced to two years confinement at hard labor and a fine of \$10,304. -Dr. Thos. W. Grimes, of Columbus, Ga., died of heart disease. -The teller of the Poughkeepsie (N. Y.) National Bank has been arrested for the embezzlement of \$40,000 or more of the bank's funds. - New York markets: Money 3@6 per cent.; cotton quiet at 11 15-16@124c; southern flour dull and drooping: wheat lower, closing dull and declining. ungraded red \$1 18@1 43; corn 1@11c lower, closing dull and weak, ungraded 66 @71c; rosin firm at \$2 25@2 30; spirits turpentine dull and weak at 55c.

The Nihilistic scare is on the inerease in Russia. Fifteen persons in army uniform have been arrested.

Our field editor having made elaborate preparations for a quail hunt to-day, rain may be counted on with absolute certainty.

The Lewis effort in Virginia failed and it is now certain, it is thought, that either Riddleberger or John E. Massey, both Repudiationists, will be elected Senator.

Would it not be wise in our city authorities to place a hydrant in the Opera House, in rear of the stage, and have a few sections of hose ready for immediate use in case of fire? Every possible precaution against disaster should be adopted.

The Charlotte Observer, replying to a paragraph in the STAR, says twenty cotton men of that city agree in the opinion that the cotton crop in the section tributary to Charlotte will fall short of last year at least 50 per cent.

Philadelphia liked Rossi's Lear rather better than his other personations. He did not, however, appear as Othello. By the way, Friedrich Hase, one of the greatest living German actors, is now in this country. He plays in Philadelphia. He, Salvini and Rossi were born in the same

The old rhyme

Small heads, little wit, Big heads, not a bit,

pointments as follows: does not hold good. Whilst many very eminent men wore small hats. ty Grand Master; Rev. P. T. Penick, many of the most distinguished re-Mooresville, Grand Chaplain; Wm. quired a large covering for the brain. T. Kennedy, Stonewall, Senior Grand Deacon; Samuel H. Smith, Winston, The following is given as the sizes Junior Grand Deacon; A. H. A. Wilworn by several of the most famous liams, Oxford, Grand Marshal; H.W. men of the century: Charles Dickens, Rheinhart, Thomasville, Grand Sword 71; Lord Selborne, 71; John Bright, Bearer; D. A. Sugg, Snow Hill, Grand Pursuivant; Miles Goodwin, Raleigh, 71; Earl Russell, 71; Lord Macaulay, Grand Tiler. 74; Mr. Gladstone, 78; Louis Phillippe, 73; the Archbishop of York, 8 Wednesday evening, were installed

Col. Forney was a poor boy, went to the printer's trade, and by his twenty-first year had the reputation of a very sprightly, dashing writer. He was the best speaker among all the hosts of Northern journalists. It is acknowledged that he surpassed them in true passion and eloquence. The following were his pall bearers:

Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock, Gen. D. E. Sickles, Congressman William D. Kelley, ex-Congressman E. B. Hart, ex-Speaker Samuel J. Randall, ex-Gov. Andrew G. Curtin, A. K. McClure, George W. Childs, Daniel Dougherty and Lewis C. Cassidy The services were conducted by Rev. T. T. The services were conducted by Rev. T. T. Everett, of St. Stephen's church, German-town, and Rev. E. L. Magoon, of the Broad Street Baptist church, both warm personal friends of Col, Forney."

## THE MORNING STAR.

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The Philadelphia Press, Republi-

can organ, announces that acting At-

if he is not incorrigible. We copy

from a Washington special to the

"Acting Attorney General Phillips is ap-

parently beginning to learn that he has con-

ducted himself very foolishly in the matter

of the appointment of Mr. A. M. Gibson

to be Special Assistant Attorney for the

United States. Yesterday the report which

Mr. Phillips had refused to receive in print

was transmitted to him in writing. He concluded, after an informal talk with

Colonel Bliss and Wm. A. Cook, Attorneys

for the Government, that it would be wise

to receive the document. He will officially

transmit it to the Postmaster General, as he

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

Raleigh News-Observer.

the last General Assembly, viz: Messrs. V. V. Richardson, O. W. Carr, H. F.

Grainger and D. C. Moore, to ex-

amine the accounts and vouchers of

the Treasury Department of the

State, met on Tuesday. They ex-

amined the accounts of the State

Treasurer for the fiscal year ending

on the 30th of September last. After

comparing the entries of receipts and

disbursements with the vouchers they

found the balance, as stated by the

Treasurer, to be \$235,286 26. Of

this balance, \$85,778 55 belonged to

the public fund, applicable to the sev-

eral charitable and penal institutions,

the interest on the public debt, and a

small amount to general expenses.

They counted the coupons of the new

four per cent. bonds, amounting to

\$63,597 00, and the coupons of

the seven per cent. mortgage

bonds of the Western North Carolina

Railroad, amounting to \$37,240. This

part of the duties of the commission-

ers was very onerous, and, in addi-

tion to the general examination, made

their labors very tedious. They re

port the result of their investigation

as highly satisfactory in every par-

ticular, every entry being properly

made, and the books kept in a strict-

of the charitable and penal institu-

tions, and the Agricultural Depart-

ment, (the Treasurer of the State be-

tutions), and found all entries proper-

The payments to these institutions

(being a part of two years in each

and colored...... 50,730.01

Agricultural Department. . . . . 45,190.75

GRAND LODGE OF MASONS

Raleigh News-Observer's Report.

man of the committee on the Orphan

Asylum, presented the report of that

committee. The report tenders thanks

to the various organizations and be-

nevolent individuals who have con-

tributed to the support of that insti-

tution, to the Legislature and Go-

vernor for the interest manifested in

its sustenance and for the very libe-

ral appropriation from the treasury

of the State. It recommended an

appropriation of \$2,000 from the

treasury of the Grand Lodge for the

ensuing year; the reestablishment of

the Orphans' Friend as a weekly pa-

per and the employment of a suita-

ble person as editor and manager;

also the appointment of a teacher in

the male department, who shall be

assistant superintendent. In recog-

nition of the gratuitous services of

Dr. S. D. Booth, rendered to the or-

phans at the asylum, the committee

recommended that the Grand Trea-

surer purchase and present to him a

silver service. The Grand Lodge

The Grand Master elect made ap-

James W. Reid, Wentworth, Depu-

These, with the officers elected on

by George W. Blount, Past Grand

Master, assisted by B. C. Manly act-

Standing committees as follows

On Propositions and Grievances— R. T. Stephenson, W. N. Benton and

On Credentials-J. B. Neathery,

E. L. Jones and T. B. Hyman.

g as Grand Marshal.

N. J. Pittman.

adopted the report.

George W. Blount, P. G. M., chair-

instance) were as follows:

located at Goldsboro..........
Institutions for the Deaf and

Dumb and the Blind, white

They examined also the accounts

ly business manner.

The Commissioners appointed by

should have done in the first instance, as

Press dated the 10th:

soon as practicable."

WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1881.

Spirits Turpentine.

- The total taxes of Granville

torney General Phillips is "coming to county are \$34,446.84. his senses." He has been castigated - E. W. Cates has been appointenough by the papers of his own ed internal revenue storekeeper and gauger for the Fifth District of North Carolina. party to turn over and do something

- The Bugle is the name of a small daily just started at Greensboro, by C. F. Thomas, S. B. Albright and John Thomas. - Mr. E. S. Martin, of this city, avows himself as "W.," to whom Senator Vance referred, and invites the latter to make his reply.

- The man Sheppard at Laurinburg was not guilty of the horrible crime attributed to him, according to a statement in the Charlotte Observer.

- Oxford Free Lance: Our community received another shock yesterday about 11 o'clock, when informed that Mr. Robert E. Elliott had fallen dead on the

- New Berne Nut Shell: Mr. Robert Hancock, Jr., of this city, has been appointed superintendent of the document room of the House of Representatives, and will take up his abode in Washington City. The position is a paying one.

- Charlotte Observer: John Dean, the conductor killed on the Air-Line road Wednesday night, had just resumed his position after an absence from the road for some time. —The condition of Mr. F. Kuester, who was accidentally shot some time ago, is reported to be slightly better. He is not yet out of danger.

- Monroe Express: Union counhas six divorce suits for trial. - Salisbury Watchman. We suppose our friend of the Watchman refers to Union county, S. C., as there has not been that number of divorce suits pending and at issue in this county at one time within the knowledge of any of the officers of the court, or of the "oldest inhabitant."

- Rockingham Spirit: Midway Cotton Mill, in this vicinity, has been repaired, and it is expected that it will be gotten in operation by January at the furthest. -The store house and contents of Mr. John C. Gay, situated near Little Mill, this county, was burned on Sunday night last, involving a loss of several thousand dollars. No insurance.

- Mr. Stephen G. Worth, Superintendent of fisheries, says: It would appear that a California salmon, arrived at maturity, has been taken in this State. Major J. W. Wilson, former President, now Chief Engineer of the Western North Carolina Railroad, informs me in a letter of November 25 that he enjoyed one on Thanksgiving Day, which was over twenty inches long, and weighed about five pounds. The fish was taken near Marshal, west of the Blue Ridge, from the French Broad river, on a trap. Other smaller specimens have been taken.

- Warrenton Gazette: A most horrible murder or accident, we do not know which, occurred on Mr. Dick Davis's place last Tuesday. A colored boy about fourteen years old, by the name of Sol. ing exofficio treasurer of these insti-Davis, Jr., shot and instantly killed a col ored girl named Margaret Davis, aged about fourteen years. The evidence is conflict ing. The boy says they were "fooling with the gun," when it "went off" and killed the girl. It is said, on the contrary, that the boy had stolen a piece of meat, and on being threatened by the girl that she would inform on him, he shot her. The boy is said to be an incorrigible little rascal.

- New Bernian: New Berne still continues to lead as the principal fish mar-ket in the State. — Marshall Parks was with us last week. He assured our citizens that the widening and deepening of the New Berne and Beaufort Canal was a foregone conclusion, and that in the very near future fifteen feet of water would be carried from our wharves to the ocean. Rice continues to pour into this market. It arrives here by every conceivable mode of conveyance—by carts, by wagons, by rail-roads and by boats. Thousands of bushels are marketed here daily. - There is not an idle or unemployed carpenter in this city, and yet we think there are at least one hundred and fifty of this trade in New Berne. Does that say anything about improvement and progress? ---One day this week were offered for sale in Middle street market half a dozen varieties of wild ducks, wild geese, wild turkeys, swan, venison, bear, squirrels opossums and raccoons, all kinds of domestic fowl, beef, pork, mutton, fish of innumerable varieties, crabs, prawns, terrapins and oysters. In the vegetable kingdom the sales offerings were equally as va-

- Raleigh News-Observer: As we before remarked, the silk and blankets exhibits of North Carolina had no competitors. These blankets are made in Surry county, at the Elkin Mills, and deserve our patronage. — In consequence of the wine boom in North Carolina, we understand that a company has been formed in New York with a capital of \$4,000,000, of which the owner of the Havre line of steamships paid in \$1,000,000, to buy lands in North Carolina suitable to grapes and stock it with French wine growers. Let 'em come. - The total receipts this season to date are 37,014 bales, against 49, 431 to same date last season; showing a de crease of 12,427 bales. - United States Circuit Court, which has been in session here for the past two weeks, after the transaction of all the business on the several calendars in which the government was directly interested, on Thursday last, on account of the continued indisposition of his Hon. G. W. Brooks, took a recess until the second Monday in January, 1882, at which time his Honor Hugh L. Bond will probably be present and take up the civil calendar.

Our own little star routes sometimes become of interest, especially to those who are supplied with their mails by them. The one between Raleigh and Roxboro is at present undergoing investigation. It is said to be a tri-weekly route, but is served as a semi-weekly, and irregularly at that. The people along the line say it is a nuisance. and they see no reason why their complaints o the Department are treated with indiffer-nce. We are informed that this route, No. 11,137, was let along with a great many others to a man out West, who has sub-let it. Now, it is illegal to sub-let a mail con-

were appointed:
On Jurisprudence –Edwin G.
Reade, P. G. M., John Nichols, P.
G. M., and F. Busbee.
On Suspensions and Expulsions—
No. 1, George W. Blount, P. G. M.,
E. A. Wright and H. J. Harris. No.
B. H. Rountree and direct - Raleigh News-Observer: We make room this morning for a very important letter from the Attorney General on the subject of railways. It will be remem-bered that some weeks ago the Governor 2, W. R. Kenan, S. H. Rountree and G. A. Shuford. directed the Attorney General to institute suits against such railroads as had forfeited their charters, and particularly the Piedmont Railroad Company, owning the line from Danville to Greensboro. If we recollect aright, there was also something said about suing to enforce a forfeiture of the North Carolina Railroad, or to have it declared void. The Attorney General, in reply, says that Chief Justice Ruffin long ago decided that before such a suit could be brought the facts relied on for forfeiture On Printing-W. E. Anderson, Treasurer; D. W. Bain, Grand Secre-tary; and Thomas S. Kenan, P. D. must be clearly stated with such certainty | M. D., Toledo, O.

as is necessary in bills of indictment. And Colonel Kenan says he is not in possession of the necessary facts, and if they exist he has no time to go out and ferret them up, and that it has not been made a part of his duty to do so. The power to make such an examination carries with it the power to send for persons and subpœna witnesses and administer oaths, and these powers have not been conferred on him. The Attorney General collates the statutory provisions bearing on the subject of railroads, and suggests that the Legislature has power to make this legislation more perfect. This compilation will be found very useful. But still more valuable is the compilation of so much of the charters of the different compenies as relates to their right to fix fares and rates of freight. The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that the power of the Legislature to regulate rates of freight is full and perfect, except in cases where the Legislature has deprived itself of the right by fixing maximum and minimum limits in the charter of the com-

## THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Munson-Novelties. Pupil-Teacher wanted. M.—Business opportunity. Munds-Christmas presents. A. DAVID-Special bargains.

Local Bots.

torches.

J. J. HEDRICK-Handkerchiefs. Heinsberger-Christmas presents. CAUTION NOTICE-Crew Northern Queen

- The receipts of cotton yesterday footed up 1,117 bales. - There was a very decided rise

in temperature yesterday. - The venerable M. Q. Waddell has been in the city for several days in attendance upon the Superior Court.

- Mr. Owen Fennell, Sr., of Sampson, formerly of this county, and for a long

time sheriff, was in the city yesterday. - The colored firemen were out on parade yesterday, and the Cape Fear No. 3 had also a night parade, with music and

- There was a currosity at Mr W. J. Motte's meat market, yesterday, in the shape of a beef's liver with two separate and distinct gall-bladders attached.

- We notice that the Citizens' Gas Company has been organized in Sa vannah, with Mr. N. F. Thompson, formerly connected with Chess, Carley & Co.'s house in this city, in charge.

- A correspondent of the Charleston News and Courier devotes nearly a column of closely printed matter to showing the superiority of Wilmington over Charleston as a market for naval stores.

-Our tall friend, John Fairley, of Monroe, bet a fine hat yesterday that the cotton crop would not exceed 5,500,000 bales. If the longest pole is entitled to the persimmons John will wear that hat cer-

- There are two hundred Wil mingtonians each expecting to draw the capital prize of \$100,000 in the Louisiana Lottery to-day. Our number ends with naught, and that's just what we expect to

- The trestle over a small creek on the W. & W. R. R. was found on fire by the down train yesterday morning, but the engine and cars were enabled to pass over in safety. The fire was extinguished. It resulted in nothing serious, and no detention of trains was caused.

Perilous Journey and a Narrow Es

A Mr. Everett, of Burgaw, Pender county, was on his way to this city on Sunday last, and was in the act of being ferried across the Northeast river in a flat, when his horse, which was attached to a buggy in which he (Mr. E.) was seated, became frightened at something, dashed forward and sprang into the river before he could be restrained in his movements. Mr. Everett made a narrow escape from being carried over in the buggy, but fortunately succeeded in jumping from the buggy to the flat just in the nick of time. The horse and buggy sank immediately to the bottom, and the animal-said to be a valuable onewas of course drowned, while the buggy at last accounts had not been recovered.

Superior Court. The following cases were disposed of yes

Samuel Smith vs Frederick Rhew and wife; all the issues in favor of the defend-

Freedman's Savings Bank and Trust Company. Final decree. In six cases of the Duplin Canal Company vs. Stockholders, for non-pay-

ment of assessments on stock, the same

were settled at the defendant's costs. Schooner Wave and owners and Capt. Driver vs. pilot boat Uriah Timmons and owners. Compromised and settled at de fendants' costs.

Increased Cotton Receipts.

The receipts of cotton at this port from December 1st to December 12th footed up 13,001 bales, as against 9,943 bales from December 1st to December 13th last year, showing an increase of 8,058 bales in favor of 1881 and one day to spare. The receipts to date foot up 87,581 bales, as against 84,-502 bales for the corresponding period last year, showing an increase in favor of 1881 of 3,079 bales,

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE FOR AGED PERSONS. I have found Horsford's Acid Phosphate to act very kindly in aged persons. M. H. PALMER,

Daily Weather Bulletin. The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations named, at 3 P. M. yesterday, Washington mean time; and also the amount of rainfall in inches for the twenty-four hours ending daily at 3 P. M., except Tuesday, when it is 48 hours, as furnished by the Signal Officer of this city. These observations, it should be understood, are taken at the same moment of

time at all the stations named. Atlanta..... Augusta..... .24 Fair Charleston ..... Cloudy Galveston..... Havana..... Indianola..... Jacksonville ..... Key West ..... Montgomery..... 61 Cloudy Punta Rassa..... Lt rain Savannah..... Wilmington ..... Cloudy Port Eads..... Pensacola .. .... 61 Cedar Keys..... 71

The following are the indications for to-

For the Middle Atlantic States, warm, cloudy weather, with rain, southwesterly winds and lower pressure. For the South Atlantic States, warmer, partly cloudy weather and rains, variable winds, mostly southerly, and in northern portion lower pressure. For the West Gulf States, fair weather, warmer, southerly winds, and stationary or lower pressure. For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, cloudy weather with rain, southerly veering to westerly winds, stationary or higher temperature and generally lower pressure.

Mayor's Court. Emma Sidbury, colored, a fearfully dilapidated specimen of humanity, and considerably cranky withal, who had made her escape or strayed off from the county Poor House, and was taken up by the police, was ordered to be sent back to that institution, which was done during the day yesterday. John Foy alias "Big-headed Josh." who was arrested Saturday night, was turned

Poor House. Edward Roberts, charged with acting dis orderly on the streets, was required to pay

over to the county officials and sent to the

a fine of \$2.00. William Cowan, colored, found intoxicated and asleep on a goods box on the sidewalk, Saturday night, was discharged,

having been locked up in the meantime. George Murray, colored, arrested on suspicion, having been found by the police in Mr. Thorburn's bakery at a late hour Sat-

urday night, was discharged, it having been shown that he was there by permission, being an employe. Oliver Spicer, colored, was arraigned on the charge of assault and battery, and it

was shown by the evidence that he made a furious and most unprovoked attack, on Saturday evening, upon the gentleman in whose employ he had been working, which might have resulted very seriously but for the prompt interference of the police. De fendant was ordered to pay a fine of \$10 or go below for thirty days. W. H. Forbes, colored, charged with

cursing and swearing on the public streets on Saturday night, to the serious annoyance of orderly citizens, was ordered to pay fine of \$2.

A Pound Party.

We understand that there is to be 'pound party" at St. James' Rectory, on Thursday night next, for the benefit of the ladies of St. James' Home, an institution which has accomplished great good in a quiet way in the community. We hope to hear that the efforts of the ladies in the noble cause in which they are engaged have met with substantial appreciation.

Railroad Car Burned. The baggage car of the fast mail train from the North, on the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, Saturday night, was burned with its contents, at a point about two miles from Rocky Mount. The smoking car. next in rear of the baggage car, also caught fire and was considerably damaged. The origin of the fire is not known.

Magistrate's Court. Guy Singletary, colored, was arraigned before Justice Millis, yesterday, on a peace warrant sworn out by his wife, Lucy Singletary. Defendant was required to pay the costs and give bond in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace for four months, in default of which he was committed to jail.

RIVER AND MARINE.

- The British barque Geo. Davis, thirtyseven days from Bordeaux, arrived in below yesterday, seeking. - The Norwegian barque Abram Skalle,

and German brig Auguste Sophie, which were entered at the Custom House a few days since, arrived up yesterday.

Quarterly Meetings. Wilmington District, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Wilmington, at Fifth Street....Dec. 17-18 Wilmington, at Front Street....Dec. 24-26 Topsail, at Union.....Dec. 31 and Jan. 1 Smithville, at Smithville......Jan. 7-8 Brunswick, at Sharon......Jan. 14-15 Waccamaw Miss., at Pine Log,, Jan. 21-22 Whiteville, at Whiteville.....Jan. 28-29 Elizabeth, at Elizabethtown...Feb. 4-5 Bladen, at Windsor.....Feb. 11-12 Clinton, at Jehnson's Chapel...Feb. 18-19 3rd of January at the personage of Front Street Church, in Wilmington, at 11 o'clock A. M. R. O. BURTON, Presiding Elder.

BRAIN AND NERVE.-Wells' Health Renewer, greatest remedy on earth for impotence, leanness, sexual debility, &c. \$1, at druggists. Depot J. C. MUNDS, Wilmington.

A Severe Accident.

WHOLE NO. 5007

Daniel Johnson, a seaman on board of the British barque Northern Queen, lying on the west side of the river, started to go down the forward hatchway of the vessel on Sunday afternoon, about 1 o'clock, when he-slipped and fell, a distance of about twelve feet, causing a bad sprain to the left knee and inflicting severe bruises upon his head and face, but breaking no bones. He was taken to the Seamen's Home and a physician sent for, who applied the proper remedies, and at last accounts he was getting along as well as could be expected.

Write to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, No. 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets relative to the curative properties of her Vegetable Compound in all female complaints.

CITY ITEMS.

THE MORNING STAR can always be had at the following places in the city: The Purcell House, Harris' News Stand, and the Star Office.

ON THRITY DAYS' TRIAL.—We will send Dr. Dye's Electro-Voltaic Belts and other Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to young men and older persons who are afflicted with Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality, etc., guaranteeing speedy relief and complete restoration of vigor and manhood. Also for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Liver and Kidney Difficulties, Ruptures, and many other diseases. Illustrated pamphlet sent free. Address Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich.

THE FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE OF THE NURSERY.—The following is an extract from a letter written to the German Reformed Messenger, at Chambersburgh, Penn.: A BENEFACTRESS. Just open the door for her, and Mrs. Winslow will prove the American Florence Nightingale of the Nursery. Of this we are so sure, that we will teach our "Susy" to say, "A blessing on Mrs. Winslow" for helping her to survive and escape the griping, colicking, and teething siege. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup relieves the child from pain, and cures dysentery and diarrhoea. It softens the grips reduces information currently. softens the gums, reduces inflammation, cures wincoolic, and carries the infant safely through the conc, and carries the infant safely through the teething period. It performs precisely what it professes to perform, every part of it—nothing less. We have never seen Mrs. Winslow—know her only through the preparation of her "Soothing Syrup for Children Teething." If we had the power we would make her, as she is, a physical saviour to the infant race. Sold by all druggists.

MARRIED,

TOOMER-BEHRY.—In this city, on the 7th instant, by Rev. T. Page Ricaud, WM. J. TOOMER and EMILY G., daughter of the late William L. Beery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted.

COMPETENT TEACHER OF NATURAL PHILOSOPHY and MECHANICAL DRAWING. PUPIL,

Wilmington, N. C. Business Opportunity.

Would sell half interest in a pro-Stable business of \$20,000 per annum, in a grow ing town on C. C. R. R., for \$2,500, to an accepta-ble person.

Address

"M.,"

Care of Star. City. Care of STAR, City.

Ship Notice.

All persons are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting any of the crew of the Br. Bark "NORTHERN QUEEN," Tucker, Master, as no debts of their contracting will be paid by Master or HEIDE & CO., Consignees.

BY EXPERSS THIS DAY, an elegant assort ment of Ladies', Gents' and Children's HANDKERCHIEFS, in Fancy Boxes, suitable for Christmas Presents.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, varying in price from

25 cents to \$2.00.

In dozens White Embroidered, Colored Borders and Mourning HANDKERCHIEFS.

A full supply of TABLE CLOTHS, TOWELS, NAPKINS and DOTLAS.

dec 13 tf JNO. J. HEDRICK.

GO TO MUNDS' DRUG STORE

Christmas Presents!

BEAUTIFUL and TEMPTING. WORTHY OF A VISIT Novel Ties,

NOVEL SCARFS,
Novel SHIELDS,
Novel CANES for little boys,
Novel SUITS for grown men,
All NOVELTIES.
MUNSON

MUNSON, Clothier and Merchant Tailor.

Come Early.

A ND SECURE ONE OF THOSE SPECIAL BAR GAIN SUITS we are offering, It will pay you

well to call on us before you purchase, for we guarantee a saving of from THREE TO FIVE DOLLARS

on every suit. Our platform, as advertised in last

Sunday's issue, will be strictly adhered to, viz.

NO UNTRUTHFUL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Specialties for the Holidays for Men, Boys and
Children's Wear can be had at

A. DAVID'S,

dec 13 tf Wholesale and Retail Clothier.

Christmas is Coming A ND THE BEST WAY IS TO COME EARLY and have your PRESENTS put aside. This is to avoid the great rush at

> HEINSBERGER'S. Art Gallery.

T HAVE JUST RECEIVED A BEAUTIFUL LOT of STEEL ENGRAVINGS. Come and look at them at

HEINSBERGER'S. The Old Reliable Italian Band

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES PLEASURE IN announcing to the public that although there is a new Italian String Band in the city, he is still at his post of duty, and will respond promptly to any call in this city or go in the country.

P. PASCUCCI,

Address,
Post Office Box 612,
dec 11 1t or leave orders at Mozart Saloon.

Boy Wanted. SMART, ACTIVE BOY. WHO HAS HAD

some experience in running job presses and handling forms and rollers, may secure employment by application at the STAR Office. Good recommendations will be required. dec 11 2t

25 and 50c.

Bargains!

HARRISON & ALLEN,

Contract Advertisements taken at proporionately low rates. Ten lines solid Nonpareil type make one square.

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