OUTLINES.

The Bell Telephone Co. propose to increase their capital stock to \$20,000,000, and expect to have wires between Boston and New York opened to lease by July 18. 1885 - Fire at Hampton, Va., destroyed three grocery stores; loss about \$6 000. — The cotton crop, in sight. amounts to 3,386,410 bales. - The Superintendent of the Hocking Valley Coal Mining Co. is sending men from Pittsburg to the company's mines to take the places of strikers. - The Washington Monument was completed yesterday: the celebration of the event takes place on the 22d of February. - Internal revenue reprints from the first four months of the fiscal vest were 38,375,676; a decrease of \$2,628,-194 for the same period of the previous reat. - Hatters at South Norwalk. Conn. are on a strike against a reduction of wiges; but reports of a riot there are unfounded. - The prospect that the coinage of silver in the United States will be stopned has unsettled business in India -- New York markets: Money 1@11 per cent.; cotton quiet at 101@111c; southern flour quiet at \$3 00@5 50; wheat, ungraled red 64@88c; corn, ungraded 48@ 51 min dull at \$1 20@1 274; spirits

Lair missed his man. He ought a send his dog to Grant. He shot his load at the wrong man.

..... ne nochanged at 311@82c.

It is thought that the Bankrupt bill stands a bad chance of becoming a law this session.

The Congress is to be asked to erect a monument in memory of colored soldiers and sailors who fought against the South.

The Congress is settling down to work in earnest. An early recess is favored. Why? Work after a long vacation is the thing.

Mr. Cleveland says that he is not engaged in making Cabinets at the pasent time. But the papers are A dozen or so are made every day.

The New York Sun, having tried most treacherously to defeat Cleveand, has now the impudence to suggest men for his appointment to offices. The eclipsed Sun!

Representative Dockery, of Missouri, has introduced a bill in the house to wipe out the special deputy marshal business and the appointment of supervisors. That is right.

Let the bulldozing machinery go. Our telegraphic department contains an interesting description of the completion of the Washington monument, the tallest structure reared by human hands in the world.

Protectionist McClure writes from Washington on the 4th to the Philadelphia Times that there will be no disturbance of the present High Tariff, and that the "Free Traders," as he calls Reformers, are waiting for Cleveland's policy to be devel-

The Senators can now be summoned from the committee rooms by the sound of an electric bell that communicates with each. We are glad to learn that when Senators are wanted they can be summoned from "tea" without telling everybody in the gallery.

There are men being urged for the Speakership who have no knowledge of parliamentary law, and scarcely any legislative experience. We doubt if some of them ever read a page of Jefferson's Manual, or in Cushing or in Mell. They have scarcely a qualification for the place they seek, not even a modest estimate of their abil-

At St. Johns, Newfoundland, the Orangemen made sundry attacks upon the Redemptionist Fathers, jeering, cursing and stoning them. This looks like relapsing into barbarism. A dispatch says the Roman Catholics are much excited and the protection of the United States Government has been invoked for the protection of its citizens. John Bull must teach his subjects better man-

Mr. George Jones, editor of the New York Times, assures the public that the Grant fund of \$250,000 is perfectly safe. At 6 per cent. this amount gives the great national mendicant \$15,000 per annum. This is not all he clings to, if he did fail is now begging for \$5,000 a year ad- get out of the way.

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ditional from the people. The Southern man who votes for that \$5,000 needless appropriation ought to be

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ANNOUNCEMENT Munson-Neckwear.

M. MARSHALL-Oranges.

D. A. SMITH-Furniture. A. DAVID-A grand offer.

R. M. McIntire-Special. A. SHRIER-Holiday goods.

I. SHRIER-Whirlwind havoc. OPERA HOUSE-Gus Williams.

CHARLESTON DEMONSTRATION. M. M. KATZ-For the holidays.

MRS. E. WARREN-New store. HEINSBERGER-Christmas goods.

J. H. HARDIN-Holiday presents. PARKER & TAYLOR-Now if ever.

G. R. FRENCH & Sons.—Best stock. W. E. SPRINGER & Co-Attention. FAIR AND FESTIVAL at Luther Hall.

H. D. GILBERT-Notice to families. A. G. McGirt & Co-Auction sale.

OPERA HOUSE-Musical and literary. OTTERBOURG-Situation as it now is. McDougal & Bowden-Toy trunks.

J. D. BELLAMY, JR-House for sale. GILES & MURCHISON-Holiday goods. E. F. Johnson-Oranges, peanuts, etc. HARRISON & ALLEN-Hats, umbrellas.

JNO. W. GORDON & SMITH-Insurance. G. W. WILLIAMS & Co-Flour, bacon, etc. P. L. BRIDGERS & Co-Large reduction. ANNUAL MEETING-Pine Forest Cem. Co SAMUEL BEAR, SR .- New river mullets.

- Second Sunday after Advent.

The storm signal was displa resterday.

- Rain fell in moderate quantities

- Don't forget the railroad meeting to-morrow.

- The weather was stormy and

- Receipts of cotton yesterday footed up 1,154 bales.

-The weather yesterday felt more adapted to August than December.

- Some of the store windows remind one that Christmas is near at hand. - The new steamer "Adrian" will

be guaranteed to throw a stream in 3.30-- The guard house was empty

yesterday for the first time in several - Yesterday at 1 p. m. the STAR

office thermometer indicated a temperature - The ordinance of baptism will

be administered at the First Baptist Church to-night after the sermon. - No City Court again yesterday

morning. Good behavior is getting to be epidemic in our "city by the sea." - Eggs were retailing yesterday

at 30 cents per dozen. This is another reminder that Christmas is almost here. Three cheers for the American eagle. - Rev. Dr. Bobbitt will preach at the Front Street M. E. Church to day, and Rev. J. T. Kendall at 71 o'clock to-

- The Register of Deeds issued six marriage licenses during the past week of which two were for white and four for

- The officers and teachers of the Lutheran Sunday School have arranged for a fair and festival for next Thursday night.

See the advertisement in another column. - There will be a meeting of the Visitors of the Ladies' Benevolent Society at Miss Hart's school house, on Third street, Tuesday, December 9th, at 31 o'clock

- The male members of the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church are requested to meet at the church on Monday night, at 8 o'clock, on important business.

-Rev. D. H. Tuttle will preach at the Fifth Street Methodist Church to-day at 11 a. m. and 71 p. m., being the first sermons to his new charge since his appointment as their pastar.

- Mr. Leonard, at his fishery at Shallotte Inlet, Brunswick county, caught on Thursday last 20,800 mullets at one hau a fact which we learn from Mr. J. W. O. Singletary. Beat that who can!

- The interments in the various emeteries of the city during the past week were as follows: Oakdale, 2 adults and 2 children; Bellevue, 1 adult and 2 children; Pine Forest (colored) 1 adult and 1 child. Total 9.

- Mr. Fred. Seitter, a poor but worthy German, who has been residing in our city for some months, died at his home on Friday night. He will be buried this morning, services being held at the house corner of Fourth and Nixon streets, at i a. m., and at St. Paul's Lutheran Church at

Fatal Accident. Mr. Simon Pemberton was run over by the east-bound train on the Carolina Central Railroad near Polkton, on Friday, and almost instantly killed. Mr. Pemberton was about 84 years old and quite deaf, so as a banker most disreputably. He that he did not hear the whistle in time to

Entertainment Friday Night.

From the rehearsals we have seen what the entertainment on Friday night for the benefit of the Wilmington Library Association is going to be and are justified in assuming the public of a most attractive and novel programme. The music will consist of instrumental and vocal solos by Miss Lavender, Miss DeRosset, Miss Kahnweiler, Mrs. Waters and Mr. Nathan Mayer: while the Arion quartette, consisting of Mesars. Mayer, Welsh, Mitchell and Grant, will render some of its excellent music, and Prof. Luzzi's band will constitute the orchestra. The literary and dramatic part of the programme is striking. Mrs. Sears will render the "Widow Bedot," and Mr. Thos. Radcliffe a comic recitation. "Josh Green's visit to the Centennial Ar Gallery" will be presented in pantomime, and the statuary represented in the art gallery will be in person by a number of ladies. The "Hanging of the !Crane" will be recited by Mies Myers, acted by Mr. B. G. Empie and Miss Gore, assisted by little Miss Eliot Emerson, and concluded by a beautiful dance by a number of young misses. One of the special features of the occasion will be the recitation and picturesque illustration of the "Dream of Fair Women," which will be rendered by Mr. Thos. W. Strange, Mrs. Sears, and the Misses Greenewald, DeRosset, Waddell, Hart, Gore, Myers and Meares. Altogether this will be a most pleasant entertainment and the object for which it is given will commend itself to the public.

The threatening weather which set in Friday developed yesterday into quite a severe storm of wind from the northwest accompanied by steady rain. In the midst of it a flat loaded with cotton, belonging to Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, collided compress and was swamped, the bales of cotton floating out and drifting off. Men were set to work, and, assisted by the steamer Nyce, finally succeeded in recover

The streets during the afternoon were pretty badly drenched, and the usual Saturday marketing was done under difficul-

Rev. Dr. Yates, whose departure for Baltimore was recorded in our last, will deliver a lecture before the Methodist Centennial body, which convenes in that city on Tuesday next.

Rev. J. W. Primrose, the new pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, is expected to arrive here next Thursday.

Mr. G. Prigge, representing the Balti more Electric Light Company, is here on a visit and expects to talk electric light to our citizens. Its advantages are no doubt

Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, of St. Paul's Lutheran church who has been absent for the past two weeks, has returned home and will fill his pulpit to-day.

One of the Finest." The Peoria Journal, Sept. 30, says:

"Gus Williams, in 'One of the Finest, has the credit of playing to the largest crowd that was ever in the Grand Opera House in this city. The surging audience filled every nook and corner and sat upon the stairs and steps. The head usher, whose duty it was to notify the box office that the seats were all sold, was caught down in front and was unable to make his way back through the crowd for some time.
When he did so the sign 'standing room only' was hung out. It was unprecedented that any one should try to play against Barnum, but Gus Williams is equal to anything, and in last night's work he showed that he is able to hold his own against any counter attraction. The play is in his own peculiar vein, and was greeted with loud applause."

Superior Court. The attention of this Court has been occupied since Thursday morning last with the trial of the case of Alex. Oldham against The First National Bank of Wilmington. It excited a good deal of interest. Messrs. McRae & Strange and Maj. C. M. Stedman were the counsel for the plaintiff, and Messrs. George Davis, Russell & Ricaud, Junius Davis and E. S. Martin appeared for the defendant. The case was given to

the jury late yesterday evening. They returned a verdict in about an hour, finding all the issues in favor of the plaintiff, and assessing the damages at \$1,281.24. For the Orphans.

We were pleased to notice in the "Contribution" column of the Oxford Orphan's Friend that the Orphan Asylum at that place received a goodly number of contributions for the week ending December 3rd, 1884, including several liberal ones from prirate sources in our city; in addition to which was the sum of one hundred and thirtyfive dollars and thirty-five cents (\$135.35) sent from Wilmington as the amount of the Thanksgiving collection taken up at the Front Street Methodist church on the occasion of the special services for that

Hailroad Meeting To-Morrow. Our citizens generally and business men particularly are reminded that a meeting has been called to be held at the rooms of the Produce Exchange to-morrow(Monday) at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of hearing the report of the committee on surveys of the proposed road between this city and Onslow county and the connection with the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad at Fayetteville. We hope to see as full a meeting as the importance of the matters to be considered should demand.

-The steamer Wave arrived here early vesterday morning, and was hauled up on Capt. Skinner's marine railway for repairs to her hull, etc.

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for to-

For the South Atlantic States, partly cloudy weather and local rains, followed by fair weather, stationary followed by lower temperature, westerly winds.

- Sudden changes in the weather causes a great many to suffer from bad

BALDWIN.—On the morning of the 6th inst of diphtheria, MARION, daughter of Dr. A. M and Bettie S. Baldwin, aged 4 years 10 month and 24 days. Funeral this (Sunday) morning at 9 o'clock,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

from residence of parents, on Third street, be-

tween Orange and Ann, thence to Oakdale Ceme-

A. G. McGIRT, Auctioneer.

BY A.G. MCGIRT & CO. ALES EVERY DAY AT OUR SALES ROOM Commencing at 11 o'clock.

MONDAY, we will sell Overcoats, Blankets, Bedspreads, Comforts, Ladies and Gents' Underwear, Hats and Caps, Table Cutlery, Oil Cloths, New and Second-Hand Sewing Machines, Cigars by the Thousand, &c. Consignments solicited. Frompt returns.

MRS. G. C. PATTERSON, OXFORD, N. C. says: "Brown's Iron Bitters cured me of nervous headache with which I was afflicted one day out of every week. I consider it a valuable medical."

Fair and Festival.

A FAIR AND FESTIVAL WILL BE HELD next Thursday night, Dec. 11th, in Luther Memorial Building, corner 6th and Princess Sts., under the suspices of the officers and teachers of the St. Paul's Evan. Lutheran Church S. S. Oysters, Supper and Refreshments will be served from 5 p. m. on. Admission 10 cents.

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MISS G. F. KEANE, DURHAM, N. C., SAYS:
"I have used Brown's Iron Bitters with most
satisfactory results and find my health greatly
improved."

Notice.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE CITI-ZENS at the Rooms of the Produce Exchange, at 12 o'clock, on MONDAY, the 8th inst, to hear the report of the Committee on the Railroad Surveys from Wilmington to New River, and from Wilmington to Fayetteville A full attendance

B. G. WORTH, Chairman. Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 4, 1884.

MR. S. T. THORNTON, OXFORD, N. C., SAYS:
"1 am strongly convinced of the efficacy of
Brown's Iron Bitters. Its use completely built up my worn out constitution.'

\$500 Reward

LIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS WILL BE PAID for information which will lead to the convicswitches of the Railroad Companies at Sixth and Ninth Streets, and caused the accident to the Fast Mail, last Saturday night, the 30th of No-The Campanies appeal carnestly to every citizen in the community to aid in bringing this wretch to justice, whose infamous action endangered the lives of every passenger and employee.

JNO. F. DIVINE, Gen'l Sup't
W. & W. and W., C. & A. Railroads.
H. WALTERS. General Manager.
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MR. J. R. BLACKWELL, PINE HALL, N. C., says: "My wife suffered from weakness followed by an attack of typhoid fever, Brown's Iron Bitters possessed the qualities the most needed as its use decidedly proved."

Notice to Families. LL WISHING ME TO BAKE FRUIT CAKES for Christmas will send them to my Bakery Thursday, Dec. 11th, by 12.332p. m. None baked

D. G. M. ROBERTSON, ELM GROVE, N. C., mays: "I prescribe Brown's-fron Bitters, and find it is all it is recommended to be."

The Annual Meeting PPINE FOREST CEMETERY CO. WILL BE

held in the Mayor's Court Room, City Hall, at 8 o'clock Wednesday hight, Dec. 10th, 1884. JOHN G. NORWOOD,

MR. M. MIERHOF, ENFIELD, N. C, SAYS: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for disordered stomach, and found it a most effectual remedy."

Oranges, Peanuts, &c. 10.000 FLORIDA ORANGES IN STORE
Orders for PRANUTS in large and small lots
promptly filled. 560 lbs. Choice Dairy Butter for
sale very low. All orders from the country
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MR. W. F. WASSON, (EX-SHERIFF), IREDELL. Co., N. C., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters has improved my digestion and general health"

For Sale on Easy Terms THE PREMISES ON 5TH STREET, between Market and Dock streets,

next south of the residence of W. B. McKoy, Esq., and opposite the residence of Geo. W. Williams, Esq. Apply to

JOHN D. BELLAMY, JR., Attorney. Granges. ND STILL THEY COME. ANOTHER LOT OF FINE SWEET FLORIDA ORANGES on consignment; will be sold cheap by

J. R. MARSHALL,

General Commission Merchant,

dec 7 It 24 N. Water St., Wilmington, N. C.

Our Holiday Goods A RE NOW OPEN, AND OUR LADY FRIENDS are invited to criticise our relections.

GILES & MURCHISON, 88 & 40 Murchison Block. dec 7 tf

Wm. S. Hastie, OF CHARLESTON, S. C., WAS INSURED IN the Mutual Life Insurance Communication \$5,000.

The Company paid his estate on the 28th of No \$12,025,

M. S. WILLARD, Agent, 214 N. Water St.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Cleveland & Hendricks FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12TH, Grand Demonstration

CHARLESTON, S. C. IMMENSE TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION BONFIRES.

Invitations have been sent to OLEVELAND, HENDRICKS, BAYARD CARLISLE, HAMPTON, BUTLER.

nvited to be present in a body. FIRE-WORKS. THE CITY TO BE ILLUMINATED FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12.

The General Assembly of the State has been

ent from all the neighboring States. Railroad rates reduced to the lowest point. dec 7 8t MRS. E. E. GRAY, ROCKY MOUNT, N.C., SAYS:

"I have taken many bottles of Brown's Iron
Bitters and find it as it is recommended, the
greatest tonic of the age. I cannot say enough
in praise."

Thousands of visitors are expected to be pre-

The Situation As It Now Is. Clothing That Must Be Sold.

THE BUSIEST SEASON OF ALL THE YEAR is now upon us. As Christmas approaches trade "Booms," and the brisker the business the more anxious the merchant to make a CLEAN SWEEP of all surplus stock. In our "Fuil Dress," "Half Dress" and Business Suit Departments we have nothing to complain of. People who desire Tasty Goods go to persons of ACKNOWLEDGED TASTE TO BUY THEM—hence it is that WE control the bulk of the Clothing patronage in Wilmington, and always, invariably, without a single exception, receive the unanimous support accruing from our wide spread reputation, of every stranger or body of strangers visiting our city. We started out, however, to speak of our "short deal" on OVERCOATS, and the reason why it requires at present such LONG COUNTERS to hold them. To be brief, the weather is against us in this line, and we propose to sell sgainst us in this line. and we propose to sell them at unnatural prices Overcoats worth \$10 for \$6.00; Overcoats worth \$12.50 for \$8.50, and so on in like proportion. SPLENDID ALL-WOOL SCOTCH CAES. SUITS at \$10.00, worth \$15.00, and so on.

See our Bargains in FLANNEL UNDER Call and examine our ONE DOLLAR OVERCOATS for the Little Fellows. Inspect our stock of NECKWEAR, the largest and handsomest line in the city. A beautiful \$1.00 Scarf for 50c. Country orders solicited. Satisfaction guaran-

OTTERBOURG, KING CLOTHIER. Wilmington, N. C.

MR. L. BROWN, DURHAM, N. C., SAYS: "I suffered with headache for three years, morning and night, Brown's Iron Bitters relieved me and made we feel like a different being. To all I heartily recommend its use."

A Whirlwind

COULD NOT HAVE PLAYED GREATER HAlast two weeks. The immense stock placed upon our counters at the opening of the season have melted away, and with these goods have also gone THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS' WORTH BOUGHT TO REPLENISH THE ORIGINAL STOCK.

We certainly have no occasion to talk of "dull times," "slow trade," or anything of the kind. It is a great comfort to the Clothing buyers to have a house to deal with that they can rely on first, and all the time. SHRIER'S is reaping the benefit of this fact. Our great trade is certainly the most successful in its line in Wilmington to-day. We will cheerfully send goods for approval to your homes, where you can compare them with the goods from other houses. You will be actually astounded at the great saving we will make for you.

SHRIER. THE OLD RELIABLE CLOTHIER,

114 MARKET STREET. MRS. M. R. HAWKINS, BIDGEWAY, N. C. M says: "My daughter was thin and emacia-ted, had no appetite, was thoroughly debilitated, after taking Brown's Iron Bitters became won derfully improved, appetite returned, and health was good. I gratefully recommend it."

New Store.

FOR WANT OF MORE ROOM TO DISPLAY MY fine line of Christmas Candies, I have opened the store adjoining my present one, where I will show the finest line of Christmas Goods ever shown in this city. Call and examine my stock and you will be sure to buy. MRS. E. WARREN, dec 71t 113 and 115 N. Second St.

MR. J. P. WALKUP, MONROE, N. C., SAYS:
"I suffered for years with paintiation of the heart, dyspepsia and liver complaint. Took Brown's Iron Bitters and experienced such relief that I now recommend it in preference to all other medicines."

New River Mullets. 100 BARRELS FINE NEW RIVER MULLETS

ust recived from the fishery for sale low.
Also, 160 BOXES CHOICE ERANDS OF TO BACCO, to be sold at factory prices.
SAM L BRAR, SR.,
18 Market Street.

MR. J. H. PONTON, HALIFAX, N. C., WRITES:
"Thave used Brown's Iron Bitters for indigestion and as a tonic, and can cheerfully recommend it as I have been greatly benefited by its use,"

Hats!

Umbrellas!

HARRISON & ALLEN,

dec 7 tf

MRS. JOHN HARPER, HARPER'S, N. C., SAYS
"Brown's fron Bitters restored me to good
health, after suffering fifteen years from kidney
disease. Found only temporary relief in the use
of other remedies. I use it in my family and recommend it to others."

Holiday Goods.

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF ALL STYLES OF Men's, Ladies, Misses' and Children's SHORS, and respectfully invite an inspection of the same. Flexible Sole Spring Heel Shoes for children for \$3.59. You can get a Ladies' Hand-Sewed Shoe at

A. SHRIER'S,

dec 7 tf 108 Market Street.

MRS. S. C. McLAUGHIAN, WOLFESVILLE, N C., says: "I suffered eighteen months with vertigo and constipation; tried every thing with-out avail until I used Brown's Iron Bitters, one bottle of which made me feel like a new man."

Neckwear.

JUST RECEIVED OUR FIRST INSTALMENT
of Christmas TIES in new designs and latest
styles; something new, neat and nobby. Silk
Handkerchiefs, Kid Gloves and various other articles for the Christmas trade,
At MUNSON'S,
dec 7 It Furnishing Rooms.

REV. J. E. C. BARKHAM, WARRENTON, N.C., says: "I have used Brown's Iron Bitters with the most gratifying results. I find it to be not only a restorative in every sense, but also a most complete tonic and appetizer."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE ONE NIGHT, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10. EVERYBODY'S FA-VORITE COMEDIAN, Mr. GIS WILLIAMS In his Bewildering Success,

MISHLER, THE BENEVOLENT
GERMAN POLICEMAN, in

ONE OF THE FINEST A Story of the Pavements of New York. Under the management of JOHN H. ROBB. CARD—"ONE OF THE FINEST" is the title given each member of the New York Police Force, as they are called the Finest Police in the World. Reserved Seats \$1.00, on sale Monday, Dec. 8.

OPERA HOUSE FRIDAY, December 12, 1884. Grand Musical and Literary Entertm't FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE WILMINGTON LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

To consist of Instrumental and Vocal Solos, Arion Quartette Music, Pantomimes and Tab-leaux. General admission, 50c; reserved seats, chairs and front gallery row, 75c.; reserved seats, parquette, 50c. Box sheet opens Tuesday morning, 9 o'clock, at Heinsberger's.

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A LARGE REDUCTION

Cooking Scuppernong Wine Only \$1.00 per Gallon,

and to persons furnishing their own vessels 25c. per quart only will be charged -121/c. per pint. COOKING WINE reduced from \$2 09 to \$1.00 for our Xmas patrons.

NEUFCHATEL CHEESE & BRETZELS

RECEIVED FRESH EACH WEEK.

In order to meet the increasing demand for the Creamery Buttered Flour ! we have reduced the price to 30c, per package, which is the same price as charged by the lead ing stores in New York city. It is most convenient and most desirable, and fully worth the price asked. Just try a package. Prepared by Mr. Joseph H. Strange, in New York.

P. L. Bridgers & Co., 110 North Front St.

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A Grand Offer. WE HAVE STILL ON HAND A LARGE SE-SECTION OF PIECE GOODS, and as we want to make a big reduction in this stock in the next three weeks we will mark the prices down from ten (10) to twenty-five (25) per cent.

We have some very stylish and desirable pat-terns left, and we want to see them go, and to make them "get up and get," we will make the This branch of our business has far exceeded our expectations this season, and we can but take it as evidence that our efforts to turn out only the very best work are appreciated.

We strive to make every garment an adver-tisement, for nothing pays a Merchant Tailor so well as to give his patrons perfect satisfaction. We have facilities for making twenty-five to thirty suits a week, and we want to keep all our force busy until 1st January. We invite attention specially to this department for the next three weeks.

Our buyer will go North in a day or two for HOLIDAY GOODS AND NOVELTIES in our line, and in a few days we will show a full line of nice, stylish FURNISHING GOODS, from which useful holiday presents for gentlemen can be selected.

A. DAVID,

Merchant Tailor and Clothier. Christmas Goods.

N ENDLESS VARIETY, TOO NUMEROUS TO itemize. Fancy Extravaganzas, Imported Od dities, Japanese Curiosities, and extensive collections of goods of every description imaginable, from nearly all the principal manufactu-ring cities in Europe and America. Please call early to avoid the rush, and see the immense display of Beautiful Christmas and New Year Cards. A cordial invitation is extended to

HEINSBERGER'S Live Book and Music Stores

Holiday Presents. HAVE A VERY ELEGANT DISPLAY OF HOLIDAY PRESENTS, which I will close out at remarkably low prices. Those in need will do well to call and see the goods and get my prices before making their purchases elsewhere.

J. H. HARDIN,

Demoglet and Saedsman Druggist and Seedsman, New Market, Wilmington, N. G.

Special.

PROCHET SHAWLS. SINGLE AND REVERSIBLE

and a complete stock of ALL NEW WRAPS. CHILDREN'S CLOAKS, very cheap. NEW LACE CURTAINS, CORNICE AND COR-R. M. MeINTIRE.

"Turkish Bath" Soap in large quantities,

dec 7 D&Wtf Now If Ever.

AT THE CHRISTMAS DINNER—CLOSE AT hand—you expect your friends. When you set down to find that Turkey burnt on one side and raw on the other, that Cake half done, you will make some side remarks to the cook (will not mention them). She will simply remind you of that Old Stove. Buy a new one in time and save temper.

PURE WHITE OIL.

AT THE CHRISTMAS DINNER—CLOSE AT HEAD OF THE COSE AT HEAD OF THE HEAD OF THE HEAD OF THE HEAD OF THE COSE AT HE AT HEAD OF THE COSE AT HE AT HE

Furniture.

NEW STOCK FOR FALL TRADE ARRIVING
every day, manufactured expressly for this
market. New Styles and Low Prices. Call and
examine our extensive variety of New and Fashionable Goods, all made this season.

D. A. SMITH,
dec 7 tf Furniture Dealer, No. Front St.

Attention

Is CALLED TO OUR LARGE AND WELL SE-lected stock of BREECH AND MUZZLE LOAD-ING SHOT GUNS. Also a fine stock of RIFLES and PISTOLS.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO., 19, 21 & 23 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C. Prices guaranteed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For the Holidays.

EXTRA BARGAINS

116 Market St.

Black Silks at 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25

per yard. Cashmeres, all shades, from 12tc up.

Ladies' Cloth Tricot Reps. Flannels, Dolmans, Shawls, Blankets, Spreads, very low. Ladies, Gents' and Children's Under-

2000 Handkerchiefs, from 3c np. Table Linens, Towels. Napkins, at ex-

traordinary low prices.

Velvets and Velveteens, all shades. THOUSANDS OF ARTICLES too numerous to mention, bought below Manufacturers' cost, and

SELLING LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE.

A call will convince my patrons that for XMAS GIFTS it is ECONOMY to buy something useful

M. M. KATZ.

116 MARKET ST.

Flour, Bacon, Lard, &c. 500 Bbls FLOUP all grades. 50 Boxes D. S.C. R SIDES, 100 Pails LARD,

25 Bbls Stand. Gran'd SUGAR, 10 do do A ... do White Extra C do

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