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Pins, Ear-Rings, Lackets, Neck- and OperaChains, Scarf-Pins, Vest-Chains, Cudf-Buttons,
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NO. 1511 FRANKLIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA., offers the following SLASONABLE GOODS for the CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS, selected by himself with great care; OLD "G. F. WYSOR" (the best) WHISKEY; OLD JAMES BUMGARDNER WHISKEY-five years old; OLD FULCHER WHISKEY—even years old; OLD CLEMMER WHISKEY—five years old; OLD MARTELL DARK LONDON DOCK BRAN-

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ENGRAVINGS, WATER-COLORS, OLEOGRAPHS, AND CHROMOS, FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

I HAVE NOW ON HAND THE FINEST COL-LECTION OF THESE GOODS ever seen in this city, and to be sold at reasonable prices. Also, the largest collection of YELVET, EBONY, AND GOLD CABINET AND CELLULOID SETS and CASES,
PANEL FRAMES in the city, at prices ranging from ten cents to ten do lars.

The finest collection of

PANEL-CARDS, EASELS. AND CHRISTMAS-CARDS

in the city. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

I have determined to SELL THE ABOVE STOCK from this date to 1st of January AT COST. BARGAINS may be had by those who call early, de 22tJal L. LEWIS, 9124 Main street.

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NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

A large assertment of NOVELTIES for the boll-days—comprising in part;
SILK. LACE, EMBROIDERFD, and HEM-STITCHED HANDKER HIEFS for lades, gentlemen, and children; FICHUES, SCARFS, COLLARS, and CUFFS, embroidered and plain; LADIES and GENTLEMEN'S NECKWEAR, COMBS, BRUSHES, and POCKET-BOOKS; NUBLAS, HOSDE, SACQUES, ULSTERS, CARDIGAN-JACKETS;
GLOVES, HOSIERY, and UNDERWEAR for ladies, gentlemen and children;
TOWELS, NAPKINS, and TABLE-DAMASK; LACES, RIBBONS, and NOTIONS, in endless variety.

PLANKETS, FLANNELS, AND CASSIMERFS. Our stock of DEESS GOODS, CLOAKS, and DOL-MANS we offer at greatly reduced prices. A call is solicited. SPECIAL!

THE LARGEST STOCK

HANDSOME DINNER-, TEA-, AND TOILET-

and we have reduced the price of these goods from
10 to 20 per cent.

A full line of CHRISTMAS GOODS, consisting
of all the NOVELTIES imported. Call and examine and be convinced of our low prices.

E. B. TAYLOR,
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JULIUS MEYER & SON'S.

GLOVES! GLOVES! GLOVES! LADIES' FUR TOP LINED DOGSKIN; LADIES' KID in 3. 4. and 6 Beatons; LADIES' THREAD, fined and unfined; MEN'S LINED DOGSKIN;
MEN'S SPRING-TOP DOGSKIN;
MEN'S KID, CLOTH, and THREAD;
BOY'S LINED DOGSKIN, BUCK, and CLOTH; MISSES' KID, THREAD, and CLOTH, at JULIUS MEYER & SON'S.

HANDKERCHIEFS: HANDKERCHIEFS! HANDKERCHIEFS:
HANDKERCHIEFS!
1,000 SILK from 12%c, to \$1.50;
LADIES' HEMSTITCHED from 12% to 40c.;
GENTLEMEN'S HEMSTITCHED, plata and CHILDEEN'S PLAIN and COLORED BORDERS

JULIUS MEYER & SON'S. PAPETERIE! in fancy box a from 125c. to \$1 at
JULIUS MEYER & SON'S.

PERFUMERY in fancy boxes; SOAPS in fancy boxes; JAPAN GLOVE- and HANDKERCHIEF-BOXES JULIUS M. YER & SON'S.

LADIES' SHOPPING-SATCHELS, POCKET-BOOKS, and PURSES. at JULIUS MEYER & SON'S. LADIES' NECKWEAR!

SPANISH LACE and MULL FICHUES in im mense variety at JULIUS MEYER & SON'S. GENTLEMEN'S NECKWEAR!

NECK-SCARFS at 25c.; SHIELDS from c to \$1.25; WINDSOR SCARFS. WHITE d COLORED TIES, BOYS' TIES, SHIELDS, JULIUS MEYER & SON'S. FANCY HOSIERY!

FANCY HOSTERY FOR CHILDREN,
FANCY HOSTERY FOR LADIES.
FANCY HOSTERY FOR GENTLEMEN, at
JULIUS MEY FR. & SON'S,
de 14-eod 603 Broad street. VISIT SYCLE BROTHERS'

when you are out looking for your

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

They have a great many USEFUL ARTICLES GREATLY-REDUCED PRICES.

,000 SILK HANDKERCHIEFS from the com monest to \$3.50 each—the largest variety of Silk Handkerchiefs in this city; 100 dozen FANCY LINEN and EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS from 8)jc. to \$1 each; Handsome boxes of COLLARS and CUFFS; variety of LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S

GLOVES: GLOVES:
Great variety of CHILDREN'S CLOAKS;
Immense assortment of LADIES' CLOAKS to be closed out at much less than regular value;
We also have a lot of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S
FURS to be closed out regardless of cost;
100 pieces of CARPET to be sold at a great reduc-

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CIL-CLOTHS,

WINDOW-SHADES, and

LACE CURTAINS,

immense stock of LABIES' and GENTLE-MEN'S UNDERWEAR must be sold, as the sea-MEN'S UNDERWEAR must be solo, as the season is advancing;
A few very handsome BROCHE SHAWLS suitable
for holiday presents;
100 pieces BLACK CASHMERE—'he cheapest ever
shown is Richmond or any other city—at from
17c. to \$1 per yard—Lupin's best roods;
50 pieces BLACK SILK at bottom prices;
50 pieces COLORED SILK;
22 pieces BROCADED SILK;

22 pieces BROCA SATIN:
15 pieces BLACK SATIN:
41 p-eces COLORED SATIN. and hundred of other
NOVELTY DRESS GOODS:
Sill a few more of those CHEAP DRESS GOODS:
1,000 pieces of handsome DRESS GOODS at great

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350-dt zen more of those cheap TOWELS;
300 dozen more NAPKINS;
10 pieces TABLE-LINEN at 50c. worth 75c.;
Large stock of FLANNELS and CASSIMERES;
200 pairs more of those cheap BLANKETS left;
500 BALMORALS from 50c. to \$5 each;
A large line of DRUGG ETS and CRUMB-CLOTHS;
100 pieces of MOMIE REPS at 12½c.—real value
25c.;
5.000 pairs STOCKINGS from 10c. to \$1 per pair;
100 pieces SILK FRINGE and PASSEMENTERIE
to select from: 100 pieces SiLR FRINGE and PASSESSES to select from:
1,000 SCARFS. FICHUES, and COLLARETTES;
1,000 CORNETS from 35c. to \$1.25;
Some more of those DOUBLE-WIDTH DRESS GOODS at the same old price;
A few more of those Sc. DRESS GOODS:
BLACK SILS FLUSH at \$2.50 worth \$4;
BROCADED VELVET at \$3 worth \$5;
A large variety or LAP-ROBES.
Our \$1.75 VELVET reduced to \$1 per yard;
100 LADIES' SATCHELS from 75c. to \$2.50.
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KID, CASTOR, FUR TOP, DOGSKIN, BERLIN, and DRIVING GLOVES, for gentlemen and

fost immense exhibit of SILK HANDKERCHIEFS and MUFFLERS, ranging in cost from 25c. to

GLOVE- and HANDKERCHIEF-BOXES,

LUNCH-BASKETS, SPOOL-COTTON CASES,

PERFUMERY. SOAPS, TOILET CABINETS, MILLER'S CYDONIN, for chapped skin, at 25c. KID GLOVES for evening wear at all pri

Useful articles, such as: TABLE- and PIANO-COVERS, in new design

WINE-CLOTHS, DAMASKS, NAPKINS, TOW

MERINO UNDERWEAR for ladies and gentleme ranging in cost from 40c. to \$5;

ASHMERES and CLOTHS for Dressing-Robes

Magnificent assortment of SILK and CHENILLE FRINGES at lowest rates. Much money can be saved on these goods. For the ladies we have just opened

ULSTERS, DOLMANS, JACKETS, CIRCULARS, cost from \$6 to \$100; MISSES' CLOAKS at reduced prices; BLACK CLOTH CLOAKS at much below value. Do not fall to examine our, comple assortments. CARDOZO, ALSOP, MOSBY & CO., FOURQUREAN, PRICE, TEMPLE & CO. [de 15-eod]

HOLIDAY GOODS. GIBSON'S.

Opened THIS DAY, the largest variety of FRENCH, GERMAN, and JAPANESE GOODS

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RICHMOND, VA., FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 31, 1880.

Richmond Dispatch.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 31, 1880

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCE 13 LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCL. LATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS

Entered at the Post-Office at Richmond, Va., a second-class matter.

WEATHER REPORT. INDICATIONS FOR TO-DAY .- For the Middle

States, clear or fair weather, northwest to southwest winds, rising barometer, slight rise in temperature during Friday.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY was clear and THERMOMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 4; 9 A. M., 12; noon. 22; 3 P. M., 23; 6 P.

Mean temperature, 13%.

The Solar Eclipse To-Day.

[Providence Journal] Whatever other event may disappoint our expectations, the eclipse of the sun will as surely take place as the sun will rise in the eastern sky. On Friday morning the 31st the sun will make his first appearance with his glorious proportions marred, for a dark shadow will be advancing on his northern limb and dimming the brightness of his This phenomenon is morning beams. known as a solar eclipse, and is caused by a portion of the dark body of the moon passing between us and the sun.

The eclipse berins at.
The sun rises eclipsed at.
The greatest obscuration is at.
The eclipse ends at.

When the sun rises the eclipse will have been in progress about a quarter of an hour, and a little more than one fifth of his disc will be obscured. The shadow will advance and the darkness will increase for about three quarters of an bour, when nearly one half of the sun will be eclipsed, and we can realize, in a slight degree, what would be our unfortunate condition if the great luminary were deprived of half his illuminating power. The greatest point of obscuration is then reached; it will take an hour for the eclipse to pass off, and a little after 9 the show will be over. Observers can easily watch its progress; for a view of the eastern sky and a piece of smoked glass are all the apparatus required. These are the data for the eclipse in this vicinity. Farther north the eclipse reaches larger proportions the greatest eclipse occurring in Greenland, where nearly three quarters of the sun's disc is obscured. At the time of the celipse the sun and moon are very nearly at their least possible distance from the earth.

present solar eclipse is interesting from the fact that no other solar eclipse of much greater dimension will be visible here until the year 1900. In 1885 an eclipse will be seen, in which a little more than half the sun's disc will be obscured. In 1892 one will occur, hiding about three fifths of the sun's face. In 1900 observers will behold a grand sight, for more than nine tenths of the solar disc will be eclipsed. Those who then wish to see the most glorious sight that is ever beheld on this planet will only have to travel as far south as Virginia, where the eclipse is total. If the coming eclipse were only total, such is the interest aroused in the noble science of awhere the dark shadow watching the progress of the magnificent spectacle when the sun ceased to saine in the heavens, the rosy protuberances darted their tongues of flame from his darkened disc, and the silvery corona beamed forth upon the darkness of the sky. Meantime we must be content with the anticipated phenomenon of the last morning of the year, so moderate in its dimensions that if the morning chances to be cloudy those not on the watch would scarcely note anything but an uncommonly dark morning, but as beautifully illustrating the laws that sway the movements of celestial bodies, as the total eclipses which were the terror of the igno rant barbarians of the past and are the delight of the astronomers of the present, as familiar with the e-uses that produce them as they are with the reason an appl

falls to the ground. Professor Hind, who has preferred charges of corruption against the Canadian Premier and other officials, in a letter to the Governor-General made public Wednesday in Montreal, gives specific instances of forand Professor Hind substantiates his charges with a secret document prepared by the officials, and with figures taken from flicial sources which have been suppressed.

Among the passengers by the steamer Rio de Janeiro, which arrived at New York Wednesday, is Eugenio Mauricio Dengremont, the celebrated Brazilian violinist. He is only fourteen years of age, but has already made a triumphal professional tour of Europe and Brazil. He is considered by competent musical judges and the press to be a musical prodigy. He brings his com-pany with him and proposes to make the tour of the United States, giving concerts in the principal cities.

Howard cemetery, near New Orleans, was formerly the race-course of the Jockey Club, and is named after Mr. Charles T. Howard, a wealthy gentleman, who was a great sport. He applied for membership, but was blackballed, and in his rage he declared he would break up the club. He was successful, and buying the race-track, turned it into a cemetery, reaping a profit from the speculation, so the papers say.

The grain trade of New York during the present year has been enormous. The re-celpts of all kinds (including flour reduced to bushels) from January 1 to December 18 amounted to 169,115,407 bushels; of which quantity 132,823,823 bushels were exported. The amount shipped was 30 per cent, greater than in 1879. Such care was used in the loading of vessels that notwith-tanding 2,500 vessels left with grain for Europe only eight have been lost.

The report of the Auditor-General o Pennsylvania will show that the ordinary receipts of the State Treasury will exhibit an increase of over \$1,300,000 for the fiscal year ended November 30, 1880, as compared with the preceding year. The increase of revenue has enabled the State Treasurer to pay all but about \$400,000 of the \$1,900,000 due the common schools when the present Treasurer was installed.

Rev. Myron Adams, a Congregational minister, of Rochester, N. Y., having be-come unsettled and mystical in his religious belief, has been cut off from fellowship by the Ontario Association of Congregational Ministers. His brother, Rev. E. H. Adams, of Dunkirk, N. Y., was deposed from the Presbyterian ministry a few months ago for a similar reason.

In Adams, nant alieged to have been broken. Damages, \$4,000. The case will stand for trial at the February term of the court.

in the snow by some railroad men at Summit Crossing, near Elizabethport, N. J., Wednesday morning. The body was neatly clad, and the woman was about thirty years of age. An empty medicine vial was found in one of her pockets, but there was no label on it. It is supposed that the unfortunate woman committed suicide.

Prummers and the lighter saleons are constant.

RESIGNATION AND ELECTION OF A BANK PRESIDENT.—At a meeting of the directors of the Citizens Bank held at their banking-office on yesterday, Z. W. Pickrell, E-q., having disposed of his stock in said institution. resigned the office of president, and Major W. J. Johnson was elected president of the unexpired term.

LOCAL MATTERS.

FIRST-OF-JANUARY DISPATCH. - Orders should have been filled with a brilliant aufrom news-dealers and others will be received until Friday noon, the 31st instant,
for extra copies of our first-of-January
double number. It will coutain a comprehensive review of the business, social,
religious, and municipal life of Richmond
in 1880; embracing its progress in manuin life of Richmond.

should have been filled with a brilliant audience last evening was a fitting compilment to the charming rendition given there
of the beautiful and elever play Hazel
Kirke. The lauditory press notices and
general expressions of praise which have
so long beraided the coming of the play
were not one whit too extravagant,
if we are to judge from the gening—Mayor Gentry presiding—no cases of
tion here seems to have given. And
Owing to the ice in the river the vessels in 1880; embracing its progress in manu-tion here seems to have given. And Owing to the ice in the river the vessels factures, trade, and commerce; its church, we may consider ourselves particularly for-al the wourves below this city were unable charitable, educational, military, and other organizations; and the full and carefully-compiled statistics in every department which we usually publish on the 1st of January.

Innate to be able to gather our units indices in the second of this eleverly-wrought romance from the interpretation elven by the very excellent and original Madison-Square Theatre bridge and in the "Hammocks" year that it is a company of stars.

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The Cold Snap.

CONDITION OF THE CANAL, BASIN, AND RIVER-SNOW CLEANED FROM THE SIDEWALKS-THE WYANOKE-STATE OF THE THERMOMETER,

As was indicated yesterday in our weather notice, the mercury fell very rapidly during the night, until at sunrise yesterday it had failen to the surprising low temperature (in an exposed position in the city) to 8 degrees below zero-a temperature below that of

the sidewalks was begun early, and on all of the more important thoroughfores there was almost a clean pavement by noon, those who were compelled to be out. In the sun during the forenoon the snow melted a little, but only a little; but where its warm rays did not penetrate everything remained frozen or continued to freeze. It was indeed a very cold day. The night before there were several parties in the city, and a number of backmen were out, and of course suffered not a little from the intensely cold. suffered not a little from the intensely cold tence. He informs lady Travers, the me night. Moses Taylor, a colored man who drives for Garber, was one of the backmen lady who rightfully was entitled to the on duty that night, and about 5 o'clock yes. Travers estate. terday his team came along down town to the stable, the driver sitting upon his seat erect as if nothing was the matter; but when the horses stopped at the stable Moses was found to be stiff cold, and had to be taken down from his seat, his condition helpless and his body and limbs lifeless from the cold. He was taken home, and at last accounts, late last evening, was im- general. proving rapidly.

This is mentioned only to show what the suffering of people must have been who were exposed to the bitter weather. The dock and river were both frozen up tight yesterday. The ice in the river was very thick between the ship-locks and lower wharves, and, in fact, far down the river. Criticism. A more natural and pleasing The basin was also frozen up, and a few venturesome folk enjoyed the skating up to 10 o'clock last night.

last on her trip to New York, and encoun-tered the very severe gale and pitiless The Aaron Rodney of Mr. Henry Aveling storm which beat upon the coast on Sun-day. One of her wheel-houses was stove Levick was acceptable as Lord Travers. in, and she suffered other damage, which, however, was not of a serious character. rendition of Hazel Kirke of She was delayed in getting into New York ing gennine gradification. interest aroused in the noble science of astronomy, we have faith to believe that the day would be made a general holiday, business would be suspended, schools would be closed, and every inhabitant of the belt closed, and every inhabitant of the belt closed. orts ice in James river from Claremont t o Richmond. Near the city the ice yesterday was about an inch and a baif thick on the river, and within half an hour after it was broken up by tugboats it would freeze Those who fail to see the fine rendering of the see the see the see the see the see the fine rendering of the see the

Mr. Whitcomb, of the James-River Improvement, went down as far as the bar in the steamer Craighill to look after the city and Government machinery, which has been or is being put behind the jettles out of the reach of the danger of the drifting ice. The ice in the dock yesterday was broken by tug-boats in order that vessels might be moved from one wharf to another with ease.

The ice-gorge, we learn, continues in the canal between the first locks and this city; but as the current is rather swift the water in the canal is not in some places entirely frozen from shore to shore. Some of the hands at the Tredegar have been forced to in the heart of every southerner.

different parts of the city. For instance: At No. 731 west Marshall street at 7:30 A. M. it was 8 degrees below zero; 2:30 P. M., maximum 12 degrees; 10 P. M. gery and misrepresentation perpetrated by 3 degrees below zero; on Church Hill, Government officials. The cases cited are 6 degrees below zero; while at this office the thermometer indicated 4 degrees above. The maximum reading on Courch Hill was 14 degrees, and at 7 P. M. it had

The snow was pretty well beaten down vesterday, and the sleighing was very finein fact, better than we have had for many years past. Sleighs of every description were brought into requisition. Buggies, phaetons, carriages, and even wagons were taken from their wheels and runners put upon them, and sleighs thus rigged up. One enterprising gentleman, anxious to adver-tise his business, had a barrel cut down and put upon runners, and in it be drove about the city, much to the amusement of every one who stopped long enough in the cold to take a look at the various styles of sleighs which appeared upon the streets. Another gentleman had a wooden-bottom chair boxed up and put upon rockers, and under the in-piring notes of a number of cow-bells, with his fast horse, glided along as independently as he would have done in the finest sleigh to be found in all of New England. To-day promises to furnish another occasion for fine sleighing and the exercise of the inventive genius of those

All the trains from the roads centring in this city were more or less delayed yes terday. Some did not arrive at all. On the northern and southern roads, Chesapeake and Ohio, and Richmond and Alleghany lines, the delay was caused by the snow as well as by freezing pumps.

great deal. >

SUIT AGAINST A RAILROAD COMPANY. -- A suit was instituted yesterday in the Circutt Court of the city of Richmond by Messrs, Marye and Fitzhugh for Arthur F. Robertson vs. The Richmond and Alie-ghany Railroad Company, action of cove-

&C., &C.

asionishing part of it is that it continued to be very cold all day long. The work of clearing off the snow from

wharves with the Wyanoke, reaching the ness anything like effort on her part eity on his usual time. Captain Couch, it will be remembered, has had some memora- was well conceived and truly refreshing.

top work on account of the gorge.

As will be seen, the mercury varies in

fallen to 3 degrees above zero.

SEVERE ACCIDENT TO CAPTAIN P. G. COUBLAN.—Yesterday morning as Captain P. G. Coghlan, who resides at 2311 Broad street, was leaving his bed-room, his shoe was caught in the floor-cloth and he was thrown to the floor with great violence. He was picked up powerless of all motion and recovery of their bodies. was picked up powerless of all motion and suffering extreme pain. He was attended by his neighbor, Dr. Dickle, and has been in bed since, and last night was suffering a

Drummers and the liquor salcons are soon to have freer scope in Texus, for the Legissleigh ran away yesterday on Church Hill lature is expected to repeal the tax on the and smasted the sieigh, which, fortunately, former, as well as the liquor bell-punch law, was empty at the time.

THE THEATRE LAST NIGHT-HAZEL! KIRKE.—That the Theatre, despite the piercing cold and disagreeable walking, should have been filled with a brilliant autunate to be able to gather our first impres-

which the delicate shades of pathos and love are eleverly contrasted with inflexible will and refreshing flashes of bumor.

The scene of the play is hild in Lancastershire, Eng., and the audience finds Hazel Kirke engaged to her father's patron, her own benefactor, 'Squire Rodney, much her senior, a good man, but one whom sie does not love. Lord Travers, under his facility and the senior of the senior o family name, in recovering from the effects of an accident, is under the roof-tree of the Kirkes. He has inspired Haze? with love for him as sincere as his for her. Pittacus Green learns of this state of mairs from Hazel's cousin. Dolly Dutton, who had divined the secret and concludes to avert the makes her first contribution to literature in a

unpleasant consequences. He tells Rodney Hazel does not love him, and Rodney manfully resigns all craim to which have been suggested in the pages of ST. which added not a little to the comfort of the hand that had not a heart to give. But Nicuos.as; "Every Boy Ets Own Ice-Boat," when the father, Dunstan Kirke, learns of scribing a splendfd new sport for all skaters; the

She seeks out Hazel and tells her she is not the legal wife of Travers. Hazel's future movements are to seek her home, when ber father, who has been stricken blind, declares be will never receive her; endeavors to drown berself, and, after being saved by her husband, comes back into the old life, with all doubts removed and happiness The incidental characters of the olay are Mercy Kirke, the mother; Lady Travers, Barney O'Fiynn, Mat Miggins, and Clara.

As the honest old Dunstan Kirke, Mr. Couldock, in feature, voice, and action, must thoroughly satisfy the author's ideal. criticism. A more natural and pleasing piece of acting than that of Miss Effic Ellsler in the title-rôle would be bard to find. It is certainly the most difficult part in the Notwithstanding the condition of the river the indomitable Capitaln Couch found his way up to the Old Dominion steamship effectually concealed with its naturalwas well conceived and truly refreshing. With his quaint, dry humor he turned many The Wyanoke left here on Friday night last on her trip to New York, and encountered the very severe gale and artists. The other parts are all well filled, and their rendition of Hazel Kirke cannot fail of giv-

The scenery by Mr. Duflocq, and th

this beautiful play will have cause for re-THE POET-PRIEST .- Rev. Father Ryan whose poems of the "sweet south land," his native soil, both in war and peace, hav given him a reputation European as well a American, will appear in this city at Mozart Hall on Wednesday of next week in readings of some of his celebrated produc tions, for the benefit of the orpnans of St. Joseph's Asylum. These latter bave always

regarded. Father Ryan bas a warm place GRAND JURY .- The following grand ju-rors have been drawn for the January term of the Hustings Court, which begins next Monday : John B. Wilson, J. Taylor Ellyson, John L. Williams, George W. Warren, William Haynes, T. Wiley Davis, Thomas Potts, Charles Phillips, and Richard

Forrester. POLICE COURT.—The following cases were disposed of at the Police Court yesterday

morning by Police-Justice D. C. Richard-Eliza Dickerson (colored) and Rachel Coleman, charged being disorderly on the

street. Discharged. Cornelius Robinson (colored), charged with being implicated in the Miller shooting case. Continued till to day.

Daniel Lindsay and Charles Mann (both olored) were fined \$2 each for being drunk

and disorderly.

being drunk. M. Haynes was fined \$15 for assaulting and sttempting to cut P. D. Smalt with a razor. An appeal was taken to the Hustings ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a regular meeting of Pamunkey Tribe, I. O. R. M.,

G. W. Anthony (colored) was fined \$1 for

beld on the night of December 30, 1880, the following officers were elected for suing term: Past Sachem, W. F. Glaze-brook; Sachem, J. S. Trower; Senior Saga-more, Joseph-V. Beazley; Junior Sagamore, who enjoy such sport and suffer from cold John Blunt; Chief of Records, J. D. Mattingers from driving.

Line of the interest of the interest of the sport and suffer from cold the interest of SUPPER TO THE FIREMEN.-A number of

citizens propose next week to give the fire-men a bandsome supper. Caprain John J. King, the energetic chairman of the com-mittee, has been deputed to see that the men of the Department are band-omely en-REWARD FOR THE BODIES OF DRS. VEST and Morrison.—The friends of Drs. Vest and Morrison, who are supposed to have been drowned near Wilcox's wharf on the

VIRGINIA STEAMBOAT COMPANY .- In CONsequence of the ice in the river, this comsteamer Ariel. Due notice will be given of resumption of schedule.

TRACK.—The Street-Railway Company had a snow-plough at work vesterday electing the snow from the track on Broad, Main, Eighth, and Ninth streets. BYRD-ISLAND SUNDAY-SCHOOL FESTIVAL The festival of this Sunday school will be held on New-Year's day, Saturday next, at

FLOUR FOR BRAZIL.—The Danish brig Foldia, Gundersen master, from Balti-more, entered at the custom-house vesterday to finish loading flour for Brezil,

NO. 137. MARCHESTER AND VICINITY.

Brief Items .- The sociable given at the Green House last evening by the Terpsicho-

to move yesterday.

There was skating on the river near the Free bridge and in the "Hammocks" yes.

owing to the cold weather. The canal and Until the weather opens Beattie's stages

cannot run on schedule time, but tripe will be made as often as possible.

vined the secret, and concludes to avert the makes her first contribction to literature in a nucleus and consequences.

FULL-DRESS REQUISITES.

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[This custom was adopted about fifteen years ago by all the real estate agents in Richmond, and applies to Richmond and vicinity.]

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WILL BE HELD ATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 1881, AT 3 O'CLOCK, without regard to weather. No further postponement. TO DAIRY-KEEPERS AND STOCK-

150 barrels SOFT CORN;
30,000 pounds MILLET;
20,000 pounds FINE, SOFT SHUCKS;
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Apply to P. L. BASKET,
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The transfer-tooks of the company will be close on the 1st Japuary, 1881, for ten days. By order, ue 31-11 E. R. LELAND, Secretary. RICHMOND AND DANVILLE BAILROAD CO.,

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THE RICHMOND AND ALLEGHANY RAILROAD CONPANY'S freight nouse will be CLUSED ON JANUARY DET.

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CHESAPEARE AND ONIO RAILWAY, AGENT'S OFFICE, BICH MOND, VA. December 24, 1889. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

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