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...rt, Tuesday, Dec'r. 21, 1880. -- ...s Nicholson and Shallcross. ... very little business before the ... passed several orders, and ad-... meet on Tuesday, Dec. 28, 1880.

... Telegram, of Baltimore, in its Christmas ...mber, which is at hand, has flamed out in ...st artistically gorgeous colors. The covers of the *Telegram* are really no mean works of art. If the *Telegram* should preserve its present form all through the year, and should be as choice in its literary make-up as its outside is handsome, we would predict for it an unfailing success.

The Snow came down Monday evening and nearly all day Tuesday, covering the ground to a depth of four or five inches. All day yesterday there was a continuous jingle of sleigh bells. It is not often in this latitude that we have a first-class sleighing snow, and hence the desire of everybody who owns a sleigh to get the good of this one while it lasts.

The Fair.—The ladies of the M. E. church have been very successful with their fair at the town hall. They have several beautifully decorated tables, that abound in good things, such as cake, fruits and confectioneries. The charm of one of the tables is a beautiful doll,—the bride. The doll bride is very handsomely dressed, but those who desire a description of the dress will have to go and see for themselves, as it is entirely beyond our local reporter's abilities to give any just description. A supper is advertised for each evening at six o'clock. This evening is the last evening of the fair.

Baltimore Grain Market.—From the *Sun* of Tuesday, we make the following quotations:—

Receipts for to-day 2,500 bushels Southern Wheat; 59,600 bushels Western do.; 45,000 bushels Southern Corn; 16,000 bushels Western do. There is good inquiry for prime samples of Southern Wheat, and the market is firm at 1 cent advance, sales ranging from 1 10a$1 17 for Fultz, and 1 15a1 25 for long-berry. Southern corn is fairly active and steady, with all the offerings sold at 51 cents for prime dry white afloat, and 53 cts for yellow. The market for Western was dull and weak, under a very small inquiry in any direction.

Christmas is here again,—that is, it is almost here. The *Transcript* wishes to its readers a happy holiday. To the young and old may the coming Christmas week bring its pleasures. May the little five-year-old, who goes to bed with his or her head full of visions of Kriss Kringle or Santa Claus, wake to find the big stocking which was hung beside the chimney over night, filled with delightful fruits, nuts, confectionery, tea-sets, tin horns, express wagons, or some of the other innumerable delights which Santa Claus is supposed to carry in his pack. What a delight it is to the older folks to watch the youngsters investigate that stocking. The little rumpus-makers are always sure to hunt up the biggest stocking about the house, to hang up for Santa, and if they can find one that will hold half a bushel, up it goes, in the fervent hope that Santa will fill it to the top. ...ught that flashes across their minds ...wake in the morning, is of the ...e good Santa Claus. With bare ... white gowns they strike a line ...mney corner where hangs the big ... How their eyes flash and sparkle ... expectation! How their countenances ... with eagerness! How they scream in a ...renzy of delight as they draw out the long ...d for toy!

...e ten-year-old boy and girl have begun to ... worldly wise, and they have a sort of im-...on, more or less definite, that Santa Claus ...e six reindeer are humbugs. If they are ...owever, they will keep this belief to ...s, and hang up their stockings.

... then there comes the young missie who ...ruck into her teens, and who has turned ...ack upon tea sets and doll babies, and who ...ove hanging up her stocking. Together ... her comes the youth, who has also opened ...is teens. He has not yet reached the dig-... of being a young man, but he is beginning ...appreciate the importance of a long-tailed ...t and a mustache. He has an unmitigated ...tempt for tin horns and pop guns. His taste ...beginning to run more in the direction of hair ..., fancy cravats and stiff starched collars; and ...ivately, though perhaps he is ashamed to own ..., he is beginning to think about the young ...issie who has left off her tea-sets. This class ...f young folks we hope will enjoy Christmas in ...heir own way, and have a rolicking good time. ...nd after these come many sorts of people, too ...umerous to be talked about. Folks who are ...xperiencing the first blissfulness of courting or ...f being courted; folks who expect soon to end the ...courtship as all well conducted courtships should end; newly married folks, and folks who have come to be parents and grand-parents, to all of these we wish a most happy Christmas.

Survey of Chester River from Kirby's to Spry's Landing.—Col. Craighill has submitted to Congress, through the proper channels, his report of the survey of Chester river from Kirby's Landing above Crumpton to Spry's Landing below Crumpton. In regard to the survey Col. Craighill says:

"The portion of the river covered by the survey is about five and a-half miles in length, and is between the counties of Kent and Queen Anne's. Seven feet of water can be carried at all stages of the tide to Spry's Landing. The bridge at Crumpton, two miles further, is an obstruction to navigation, the width of the draw being only 37½ feet. Above Crumpton the channel becomes narrow and shoal, and the range of the tide at that point is about two and a-half feet. It is proposed to improve it by dredging and placing the excavated matter near the sides of the cut, where it will not find its way back again, but will form banks, the effects of which will be to force more of the water from the river into the dredged channel. The estimate submitted is in two parts, referring to the portions of the river respectively from Spry's and Kirby's to the bridge at Crumpton. Below the bridge there are alternate estimates for channels one hundred feet wide and one hundred and twenty feet wide, and each eight feet deep at mean low water, costing respectively $11,000 and $13,000. There are also alternative estimates for channels above Crumpton, only fifty and sixty feet in width at six feet depth at mean low water, and costing $7,000 and $9,000 respectively. The estimates are divided as follows: From Spry's Landing to Crumpton, for a channel of 120 feet width and 8 feet deep at mean low water, 39,900 cubic yards' excavation, at 30 cents, $11,970; add 10 per cent. for expenses, superintendence, &c., $1,197. Total, $13,197. For ... channel 100 ... wide and 8 feet deep at mean low water, ...500 cubic yards excavation at 30 cents, ...750; add 10 per cent. for expenses, $975; ...$10,725. From Crumpton to Kirby's land-... channel 65 feet wide and 6 feet deep ...ow water, 28,000 cubic yards excava-... 10 per cent. for expenses, $9,240; and ...channel 50 feet wide and 6 feet deep, requiring excavation of 20,800 cubic yards, $6,864."

Accompanying the report are commercial statistics showing that there is an arrival or departure of vessels from Crumpton to Baltimore every day in the week, and the amount of freight carried from Crumpton to Baltimore is between $100,000 and $200,000. But for the obstruction formed by the bar causing uncertainty in the arrival and departure of vessels, the trade between the two points would be much greater, particularly as far as the peach trade is concerned.

The report was submitted to the Senate on Friday by the Secretary of War and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

A Great Paper.—We desire to call the attention of our readers to one of the greatest newspapers of the age—one that secures the best writers in this country and Europe, regardless of expense; has the best and fullest book reviews of any paper in the country; has able articles upon financial subjects; has departments devoted to Fine Arts, Biblical Research (something that cannot be found in any other newspaper in the United States), Farm and Garden, Insurance, Weekly Market Reports, Cattle Market, Prices Current, Dry Goods Quotations, etc.—in fact, a newspaper fully suited to the requirements of every family, containing a fund of information which cannot be had in any other shape, and having a wide circulation all over this country and in Europe. We refer to *The Independent*, of ... "The largest, the ables, the ...ment, in another column, ...copy.

CHRISTMAS TIME.

Some of the Good Things that our Advertisers have in store, that will tend to make the Old Year go out and the New Year come in pleasantly.

Our Local started out on a tour of inspection to find out how the regular advertisers of the *Transcript* are prepared to meet the Christmas trade. Commencing on the West side of High street, and traveling toward the river, the local first struck upon

MRS. KATE GILL'S

Millinery, fancy goods, and shoe store. Mrs. Gill makes a specialty of ladies' and misses' fine shoes, and is prepared to supply a Christmas bonnet, trimmed in most artistic style.

WICKES AND BROTHER

are supplied with a full line of substantial goods, suitable for Christmas time and winter weather generally. Their stock covers all that is to be found in a well assorted retail store. There are many articles to be found in their line that will make good substantial Christmas presents.

T. W. WICKES

has a large and handsome collection of Christmas novelties. He has a great variety of toys and other attractions for the little folks, and many articles that will make handsome presents for grown up people.

J. K. ALDRIDGE

is the next man on the down track. It would not be much trouble to pick out a tip-top Christmas present or New Year's present from among his stock. He is especially well prepared to make newly married people and people starting housekeeping, happy. He can furnish them anything in the hardware house-keeping line, from a coffee pot to a cook stove.

H. A. SPARKS

has got a great many good things laid in for Christmas; not only in toys and fancy wares, but in oranges, grapes, figs, candies and other good things to eat.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.

has a large and well assorted stock of general merchandise. Those who desire to purchase a Christmas or New Year gift that shall prove useful as well as ornamental, can doubtless be suited at Eliason's. Back of his store he keeps a large assortment of lumber.

C. M. LUCAS,

the High street jeweler, smiles benevolently on all who step in to look at his wares. Recognizing the fact, that Christmas time and the beginning of the New Year are periods at which young men are peculiarly liable to pop the question, he has laid in an assortment of solid, eighteen carat gold rings. He has numerous other articles suitable for Christmas gifts.

THOMAS L. HINES & CO.

finish up the West side of High street. Their show-case contains many things that would make a handsome Christmas present. Those commencing housekeeping with the New Year, or those who have to replenish their kitchen wares, or to put in a new parlor stove, can find what they want at Hines & Co's.

T. D. PIERCE

is our first advertiser on crossing over and coming up the East side of High street. He is well filled with boots and shoes for men, boys, ladies and misses; warm arctic overshoes, gum overshoes, and heavy boots for winter wear.

MRS. E. N. MELVIN

has in store a fine lot of Christmas goods; among other things some beautiful dolls that no local reporter can pretend to do justice to. They would gladden the heart of any little missie who has not yet struck into her teens. She has handsome wall-brackets, and some beautiful chromos in handsome gilt frames, besides many other things pleasing to the ladies.

L. K. STAM

is prepared to furnish lounges, lamps, tea-sets, moustache-cups and many other articles that come in very nicely as Christmas presents. He is also prepared to start people in the housekeeping line with the new year by supplying bed-room suits, parlor, dining and sitting-room suits, besides much other miscellaneous furniture.

C. F. STAM

on the corner, has several show-cases besides his counters and shelves filled with beautiful wares. Silver-plated wares, majolica wares, books and perfumeries, in great variety. He has a large assortment of picture books for children, and books by standard authors, beautifully printed and bound, and surprisingly cheap.

KENNARD & CO.,

the phosphate men, come next in the line of travel. They shine out in their new office. The local dropped in on them and asked if they had anything in the way of Christmas. One of the firm immediately brought forward a very cheerful-looking demijohn. The local began to think that he had really struck a streak of Christmas. He hastily withdrew the stopper, but the jug proved to be a miserable fraud. There was not even the smell of Christmas about it.

J. B. SAPPINGTON

on the West end of Cross street, has a substantial stock of goods for Christmas and the winter. Dry goods, groceries, boots, shoes, flour, and other good things are to be found in his sotck. A barrel of flour might in some instances prove the best sort of a Christmas gift.

WASHINGTON HUDGINS,

nearly over the way from Sappington's, has prepared, especially for Christmas, confectioneries, fruits, cakes and toys, in great abundance.

WILLIAM PERKINS,

who runs the Rising Sun Saloon on Bridge st., will be ready and willing to accommodate during the holidays, any one who may call on him, with a tip-top oyster fry or a tip-top oyster stew, or any other delicacy of the season.

LITERARY REVIEW.

Lippincott's Magazine.—The January number of Lippincott's Magazine, which opens a new series at a reduced price, presents itself in an artistically designed cover that at once attracts and pleases the eye. This favorable impression is more than confirmed by an examination of the contents, which are generally light and of a thoroughly popular character, while marked by literary excellence of a high order. The illustrations, too, are carefully executed, the new arrangement of the editorial matter cannot fail to prove attractive, and altogether the number is full of promise.

The opening article, an account of a Roman Art-School, associated with the names of Fortuny and other famous artists, is from the vivacious pen of Mrs. Margaret Bertha Wright, and is illustrated from drawings by a clever young French artist, M. Matthieu. "An Old New England Seaport," by Charles Burr Todd, recalls the checkered history of New London, Conn., whose grass-grown streets, decayed warehouses, and rotting hulks were once filled with the bustle of traffic and adventure. The illustrations have what is nowadays the rare merit of being faithful transcripts of the scenes and objects they profess to represent.

The artist's pencil has also been employed to heighten the attractiveness of a novelette, to run through three numbers. This story, entitled "Lilith," from the name of the heroine, is certain to make a strong impression. The scene is laid in Indiana, the characters are numerous and graphically contrasted, and the incidents are told with dramatic force. Among the short stories, "The Called Meeting," by Jennie Woodville, is one of the most admirable and amusing sketches of negro character ever published.

There are several articles in the number deserving more detailed mention than we are able to give them. "Out-Door Life on the Rhine," By Marriott Pyne, is a veritable panorama of the scenes suggested by its title. Mr. Kirk's paper on Madame de Stael presents the character and career of this celebrated woman in what will be a novel light to most readers, that of a moving power in political as well as social life, whose influence has contributed to the establishment of the present French republic. "My Mining Investments" will be found very suggestive and instructive by those who dream of making rapid fortunes in ventures of that kind; and "Race in Brazil," besides treating amusingly of the mixed population of that country, gives hints that may be useful to those who think of emigrating thither.

The "Monthly Gossip" is greatly extended and divided into sections, one being devoted to "Public Topics;" another, under the title of "Place aux Dames," to feminine interests; a third to art matters; while the fourth is "Anecdotical and Miscellaneous." Over a dozen short and spirited papers, by various contributors, make this department a *multum in parvo* full of entertaining matter for readers of every class.

Eclectic Magazine.—The number of the Eclectic for January, 1881, has for its frontispiece the finest and most beautiful steel engraving that we recollect to have seen among the great number of excellent ones that have appeared in its pages. It is a reproduction of Bertrand's famous painting entitled "Marguerite; and it is not a mere figure of speech to say that it is alone worth the price of the magazine.

We may also call attention to the publisher's announcement that with the number for January the magazine is enlarged to such an extent as will give about *two hundred pages* of additional reading matter during the year. This very material increase of size will afford the opportunity not only for an increased quantity, but for a much greater variety of reading matter; and it is confidently promised that the opportunity shall be so utilized that the Eclectic will be more valuable than ever before. The Eclectic has always been a favorite with readers of culture and intelligence, and the beginning of another volume affords a good opportunity for this large class in our community to try the Eclectic for the new year.

The table of contents of the January number comprises twenty-four valuable articles, as follows:

1. The Sabbath: An Address. By Professor Tyndall.
2. Lady Hester Stanhope, the "Queen of Lebanon."
3. Some Strangely Fulfilled Dreams. By Richard A. Proctor.
4. Animal Instinct in its Relation to the Mind of Man. By the Duke of Argyll.
5. Social Life Among the Ancient Greeks.
6. A Letter from Newport. By Frederic W. H. Myers.
7. Decorative Decorations: Household Art.
8. Fiction—Fair and Foul. By John Ruskin.
9. Trevelyan's "Early History of Charles James Fox."
10. Recent Science. By Professor Huxley.
11. Through Siberia by the Way of the Amur and the Ussuri. By the Rev. Henry Landell.
12. Life and Death. Three Sonnets.
13. The Mystery of the Pezazi. A Sketch from Ceylon.
14. Plain Speaking. I. A Little Music. By the author of "John Halifax, Gentleman."
15. The Bugle. From the French.
16. The Natural History of Dress.
17. Over-Eating.
18. The Wages of Literature.
19. Phosphorescence.
20. Three Wishes.
21. Literary Notices.
22. Foreign Literary Notes.
23. Science and Art.
24. Miscellany.

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Where are your Crutches, Uncle? Here they are—showing John a bottle of M. B. Robert's Embrocation. You don't say that three quarters of a bottle of Embrocation has relieved you of your Rheumatism, so you can walk without your crutches? I do, and thank a kind Providence for leading me to read that advertisement in the paper last week.

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Aug 5—3m WM. PERKINS, Agent.

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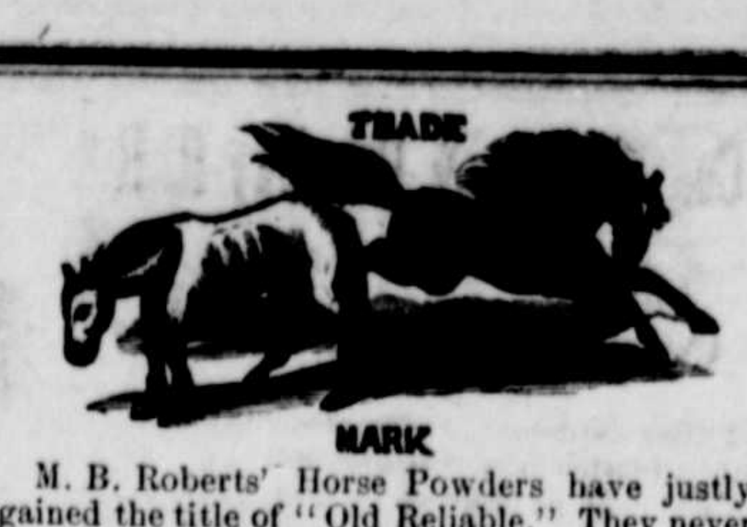
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