CHRISTMAS!

Presents for the Old Folks—Presents for the Young Folks—Presents for Everybody.

What You Can Buy, and Where You Can Buy It.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

CHESNUT STREET, SOUTH SIDE.

(Continued from Yesterday's Issue.)

The second stage of our journey up the south side of Chesnut street brought us to the corner of Eleventh street, and there the shades of night overtook us. Resuming our journey this morning, the first establishment into which we made our way was that of

William P. Campbell, Fur Goods and Ladies' Cloakings.

One of the finest establishments in the city, where can be found the richest of furs, most elegant of cloakings, and ladies' ornaments, which accompany such goods, is that of William P. Campbell, No. 1124 Chesnut street. Furs of the finest quality are here to be found manufactured into the most beautiful of articles for ornamental use—muffs, tippets, collars, etc., of great variety, great softness, and elegance of appearance. Especially is the assortment of ladies' cloakings extremely large and comprehensive. Cloths of all kinds, the finest of velvets, glossy and heavy silks, exquisitely colored fabrics for opera cloaks, from which a selection can be made with the greatest of satisfaction. To fully know the extensive collection a visit is necessary. Rest assured that everything in the line of fur goods are substantial, though fine; and beautiful cloths for cloaks can be found to most advantage at the store of William P. Campbell, No. 1124 Chesnut street.

Wilson, Hauer & Co., Dealers in Skating and Base Ball Paraphernalia.

You who enjoy the healthful and exceedingly pleasant exercise of skating, and are waiting in great expectation for its coming, and are making preparations to be ready, look at this:—SKATES! SKATES! SKATES! on which an eagle can be made to assume a most graceful form on ice, with which tan-bark is easy to cut, and with which figures of eight and figures of three can be quickly performed.

Wilson, Hauer & Co., No. 409 Chesnut street, have an endless variety on hand, and all of the strongest, most unbreakable kind. Also rubber shoes, to keep the feet warm on ice. Skating mufs, to keep the hands warm, and skating jackets, of beautiful patterns, to keep the body warm. Call on the above for your holiday presents.

W. H. Wood, Dealer in Bedding and Curtain Goods.

W. H. Wood, at the southwest corner of Twelfth and Chesnut streets, has a holiday stock of curtains, bedding, mattresses, etc., which cannot fail to please the most fastidious. We noticed some very rich and exquisite patterns of curtains at this establishment. There are mattresses also at his store of the best and most durable make, and whose very appearance induces drowsiness in the beholder. Young housekeepers cannot fail to be suited.

Misses Thornhill & Burns, Dealers in Ladies' Undergarments.

Perhaps there is no one thing that adds more greatly to a lady's appearance than a beautifully shaped crinoline. It used to be the fashion, when they first came out for the gentlemen to sneer and cry out against them. But, as usual, all to no purpose, for when the ladies have set their minds upon anything, they will have it. The Misses Thornhill & Burns, No. 1208 Chesnut street, have the best articles of the kind in the city.

James S. Claxton, Bookseller.

It is astonishing to see the great numbers of new works that are daily almost hourly, issuing from the presses of our country. It is probable that there is more general reading amongst the masses of our people than in any other country on the face of the globe. Our newspapers and periodicals are cast broadcast over the land, and do their mission of good. Everything that is of value that is produced in the Old World is reproduced here very soon after making its appearance there. Speaking of books and works of general interest, we would call attention to the large and well-selected stock of James S. Claxton, No. 1214 Chesnut street. This enterprising firm is well known to all the reading public. On their shelves can always be seen the latest and most popular productions of both nations, and foreign authors. To those fond of a good book, we say go to Claxton's.

Lacy, Meeker & Co., Dealers in Saddlery and Harness,

and all the paraphernalia in which the faithful beast of burden is arrayed for sturdy work, as well as for a morning canter, are located at No. 1216 Chesnut street. Their establishment is certainly one of the largest and most complete in the city, if not in the whole country, their stock embracing everything that comes legitimately within the scope of the trade.

T. L. Jacobs, Dealer in Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Gentlemen who are in need of all those necessary articles only to be found in a well-stocked furnishing establishment, when purchasing, will consult economy and comfort by calling upon T. J. Jacobs, at No. 1226 Chesnut street. There you will find the finest and best made shirts, the most tasteful ties, the best of collars and cuffs, and all manner of necessary articles. Gentlemen, take particular notice that the terms are the most reasonable, and every button-hole article that you purchase will have strong buttons not to be torn off.

J. T. Gallagher, Jeweller.

(Late of Bailey & Co.)

J. T. Gallagher, at No. 1300 Chesnut street, invites attention and examination to his new and large selection of the finest jewelry. There will be found everything in the jewelry line of the very best quality, elegant workmanship, and of beautiful appearance. There will be found the most appropriate of Christmas gifts, every one of which will prove satisfactory to the purchaser in the price and quality of the articles. All goods are warranted to be of the first quality of metal and highest skill in workmanship. Especial attention is given to the setting, resetting, and polishing of diamonds. Do not fail to call on Mr. Gallagher, at No. 1300 Chesnut street.

Howard Challen, Bookseller and Stationer.

Howard Challen, at No. 1308 Chesnut street, has just received for holiday use the latest editions and the newest books, that will please the mind and gratify the heart. A most choice selection of the most noted and interesting authors can there be had for the lowest possible prices.

Books of travel, of science, of history, of biography, of romance, and books of all choice literature, are here to be found in great numbers, expressly received for supplying the appreciative public with holiday gifts. All kinds of stationery, of the very best quality, constantly kept on hand. If you desire to purchase, go direct to Mr. Challen's repository, and there find a volume for an appropriate gift, at the lowest price.

H. & A. C. Van Bell, Dealers in Liquors.

To you who enjoy the comforts of the inner man, by the use of sparkling and exhilarating beverages, and who are perplexed to know where can be most advantageously purchased the pure and unadulterated, especially do you desire to know where can be found the best of liquors, for the use of the holidays and winter's consumption.

Messrs. H. & A. C. Van Bell, No. 1310 Chesnut street, are fully and extensively supplied to meet the wants of the people. The purest of brandies, best of old rye and Monongahela, sparkling champagne, the sweetest, most exhilarating, and oldest of wines—in fact, so large a stock of the best liquors to be found in the market, that a visit to the establishment will only satisfy those desiring to purchase. Do not fail to take an early opportunity to examine this stock, not to be surpassed in the city.

Mrs. J. Hamilton, Bookseller.

The best way to gain the attention of children is to catch the eye. In general, anything that will interest that sense will command their attention when nothing else will. See a child pick up a book. It always looks for the pictures, and is disappointed when it finds none. Mrs. J. Hamilton has at her book store, No. 1344 Chesnut street, a large quantity of Sunday School cards and other pictures, for the use of children at Sunday Schools.

W. H. Patten, Dealer in Bedding and Curtain Materials.

W. H. Patten, at No. 1412 Chesnut street, has now on hand at his large establishment a most complete assortment of curtains, bedding, mattresses, upholstery, etc.

Curtains of great variety, of every size, of every shade, tasteful in colors, and of the finest of materials. Bedding of all kinds, substantial, and the best in its line. Mattresses of all kinds, soft and yielding as the finest down. Upholstering of all descriptions is here performed to satisfaction, the most substantial materials being used, and the work being done by those thoroughly skilled in the business.

Leave your orders, examine the unsurpassed stock, and purchase articles that can ornament as well as be of great use.

This completes our tour of the south side of our main business thoroughfare. Retracing our steps to the river, we again start, taking in our journey this time the

NORTH SIDE OF CHESNUT STREET.

The first establishment in order is that of

J. J. Kromer, Dealer in Fancy Articles.

Patent medicines, the merits of which have often been tested, and not found wanting in any essential as safe remedies; fancy articles of all sorts and kinds to please; periodicals of the choicest literature foreign and domestic. John J. Kromer, No. 403 Chesnut street, has an establishment filled from floor to roof with all that can please, with all that can cure, both bodily and mentally, with all that can gratify and educate. Christmas presents in great abundance; an assortment of the very best of holiday selections.

Health is necessary to happiness. Ill-health is misery and horrors untold. You who are suffering with bodily pain, bear in mind the unequalled merits of the medicines here to be found.

You who are suffering from mental debility, from lack of mental gratification, take notice that here can be found all the most popular works of literature. Mr. Kromer is agent for Dore's illustrated Bible, which surpasses anything of its kind. Mr. Frederick G. Adams has in charge the department of foreign literature, and is agent for Cassell's publications. All of the London magazines and newspapers, all of the leading serial publications of Europe, may here be obtained, as may also any kind of fancy articles and hair-dyes for those who boast of shining tops. Call and make an examination.

Richard Penistan, Dealer in Unadulterated Liquors.

Who has not heard of Penistan? Not to have heard of him is to argue oneself unknown. Perhaps there is no one firm that has been more successful in their way than Mr. Penistan, whose store and warehouse, at No. 439 Chesnut street, is constantly filled with those who desire pure and unadulterated liquors, at a reasonable price. The visitor to this place can see large quantities of every kind of liquor known to man. The finest wines, the most costly brandies, and the most sparkling ales, are here in profusion, and the *connoisseur* and the epicure can each go away satisfied, both in palate and in pocket, after a visit to this place of popular resort. The establishment does not depend on the aid of music or the other outside adornments to enhance its attractions, but only on the fineness and good quality of all that is sold. A glass of the sparkling old ale, as it comes up from the vaults built away down beneath the level of the pavement, is a refreshing draught, and a glass of the sparkling Catawba, as it glitters and flashes in the light, gives a new zest to the appetite. In cases of sickness, the liquor obtained at Penistan's can be relied on for being pure and harmless. The visitor would be richly repaid for a visit to this establishment by a view of the many contrivances that are availed off to add to the comfort and convenience of the employes. To give a description of all that is worthy of notice would be almost too difficult a task, and we would ask the reader to go and see for himself, at No. 439 Chesnut street, opposite the Post Office.

McCallums, Crease & Sloan, Manufacturers of Carpetings.

The first and most essential thing that a good housekeeper looks to in first taking to housekeeping, is a good carpet. That is, as it were, the foundation. In olden times, when the polished oaken floors rang with the iron heels of the knights and retainers, or the rude earthen floors of the peasantry echoed the rude tread of their possessors, carpets were unthought of. Sometimes, indeed, a matting of rushes would be used as a sort of covering to hide the inequalities of the floor, or to break the sound of the footsteps of the inmates. But it belongs to the modern nations to carry our floor coverings to their highest pitch of excellence and beauty. To be sure, the Eastern countries, and especially Turkey and Persia, turned out from their looms the most ravishingly beautiful fabrics, that for a long time were considered imimitable. But now the inventive mind of the more civilized and enterprising nations has improved on even those fine specimens of skill and patient work, and we have carpets of home manufacture that can compare in durability, fineness of texture, and beauty of coloring and design, with any that can be produced in the world. In our own city we have at Germantown a manufacturing concern that turns out most exquisite patterns of carpets. We refer to the Glen Echo Mills, whose proprietors, McCallums, Crease & Sloan have their wholesale rooms at No. 509 Chesnut street, and their retail store at No. 519 Chesnut street. Any one deserving a good, durable, and cheap article of carpeting had better give them a call.

James K. Kerr, Dealer in Chinaware.

Paris fancy goods, for Christmas presents and holiday gifts, select, appropriate, elegant, combining beauty with utility. Kerr's China Hall, No. 529 Chesnut street, is stocked in the most complete manner with a selection of articles that will fully meet the wants of the people. Mr. Kerr is now opening a very elegant assortment of Paris fancy goods for holiday gifts, imported for the special wants the coming immemorial days will create. The latest designs of vases, card-receivers, bronzes, coffee cups, cologne sets, ornamental boxes in ebony, walnut, oak, ann rosewood, with a large and select stock of other goods too numerous to mention. An invitation is extended to the public to make an examination before purchasing elsewhere. Those desiring a choice of articles, both useful and ornamental, should call at once at the establishment of James K. Kerr.

Rockhill & Wilson, Clothiers.

The clothing business is the one that seems best to adapt itself to the times. Within the past few years there seems to have been a regeneration of the whole trade. A few years ago we saw none of the palatial clothing-houses that now tower aloft in all the beauty of Pictou, brown-stone, granite, or iron. They were, of former years, hardly more aspiring than a three-storied brick, and were mostly confined to Market and Second streets. But now the most enterprising of them are entering into Chesnut street. The Messrs. Rockhill & Wilson have one of the finest stores in the city, Nos. 603 and 605 Chesnut street. The building itself is of fine Pictou stone, and is one of the ornaments of the street.

On entering, the eye is greeted with the most complete and elegant assortment of everything in the gentlemen's clothing line. Every possible shade and quality are displayed to the curious eye, and one naturally is at a loss to make a selection as he looks around upon such an immense variety. But if he inquires of the obliging salesmen, who are around in such numbers, he will be as equally surprised at the cheapness of everything. Indeed, the motto of the firm is "quick sales and small profits," and well they carry it out in all their dealings. Every one can find something to suit him, both in material and in price. The ploughboy, or the poor hard-working mechanic, or the wealthy man of fashion, can each go away satisfied with their experiences.

Perry & Co., Clothiers,

proprietors of the "Great Star Clothing Emporium," No. 609 Chesnut street, above Sixth, at the sign of the "Star," have on hand a large stock of ready-made clothing, the best quality of cloth, and the latest styles, coats of all sizes, heavy and light, broadcloth, beaver, cassimere, etc.—coats in number to clothe all. Young men, old men, and lads can here obtain warming coverings of goodly appearance of finest qualities, suits of clothes, of the latest and most tasteful colors, perfect fits, and moderate prices.

Perry & Co. have long held the enviable reputation of the most thorough of fitters, the best of cutters, and have the best of workmen.

If there is anything that does detract from a person's personal appearance, it is a coat that draws in at the back, a choke-fit about the neck, a wrinkled front, skirts that stick out in every conceivable direction—an irrepressible coat-skirt—which pinches, and chokes, and prevents the wearer from bending over without fearful danger of a split. Messrs. Perry & Co. have always had the skill to manufacture one of the best his man ever wore, and they always guarantee entire satisfaction to those who order at their establishment. We would advise our gentlemen friends to take immediate steps to have their wardrobes replenished by ordering at Perry & Co.

C. Somers & Son, Clothiers.

C. Somers & Son, No. 625 Chesnut street, under Jayne's Hall, offer great advantages to the public. Let all those who desire to replenish their wardrobes in the most economical manner take the earliest opportunity of visiting the emporium of Somers & Son, and providing themselves with warm and durable clothing.

There is kept on hand at all times a full stock of fashionable, ready-made apparel for gentlemen, worked up from the finest materials, in the most substantial manner, and which is selling at the lowest possible rates. They have ascertained the regular prices of all the leading clothing establishments, and buying in the most profitable manner by quantities, are fully able to put their prices below any in the city.

If any gentleman desires to secure a well-made and stylish garment, let him visit No. 625 Chesnut street, and thereby receive great profit to himself.

Farrell, Herring & Co., Manufacturers of Safes.

The inventive mind has found no more fruitful field for its operations than the development of the fire and burglar-proof safe. So essential to the general safety and security of the business man in all his operations have these guards against loss become, that the patent safe is of national importance. Originally the chief aim was to render it fire-proof, without any reference to its capabilities to withstand the efforts of burglars to force entrance into it. Now to such a pitch of perfection has the manufacture of safes arrived, that all the arts of the most accomplished burglar, aided with the most perfect tools, are unable to force their invulnerable shells.

There has lately been invented an exceedingly hard metal, that has been named the "Spiegel Eisen." It is so hard that not even the finest-tempered cast-steel can make any impression upon it. This metal is used to form the outside plating of the burglar-proof door of the Messrs. Farrell, Herring & Co.'s safes. Of its efficacy the account of the attempted robbery of the Kent National Bank, of Kent, Ohio, is a most striking example. The bank was entered on the 3d of last month. The burglars succeeded in forcing the outer fire-proof door, but the inner or burglar-proof door, which was faced with the "Spiegel Eisen," defied their utmost efforts. After the robbers left, the officers of the bank got an experienced safe manufacturer to open their safe, which had been damaged to some extent. It required three men, working for thirteen hours, to open the door. Besides its burglar-proof qualities, the Herring safe has been known to sustain the most intense white heat of burning buildings for hours, and even days, without injury to its contents. At the company's office, No. 629 Chesnut street, the curious visitor can see some of these salamanders that have stood a fiery baptism in safety.

Fairbanks & Ewing, Manufacturers of Scales.

"An incorrect scale will gnaw the very vitals out of an apparently prosperous business." This is a fact that every business man has fully tested when he settles his books, and finds small returns for the paying out of large quantities of produce. In order to be successful in a grocery store, drug shop, wholesale or retail establishment of any kind, you must have a pair of scales that will not cheat yourself or your customers. The great difficulty with business men is to find a pair of scales that can be relied upon, and which will not want constant repairing. Fairbanks & Ewing have long enjoyed the enviable reputation of being the best and most reliable manufacturers of every kind of scales, from one that will weigh with the most exactness a small particle of gold, to one that can be used in giving the true weight of the most bulky articles.

Weighmasters' beams and frames, with books, bottoms, etc., complete for every description of weighing. Fine gold and druggists' scales, in great variety, for brokers, jewellers, banks, etc.

Let all business men immediately look to the correctness of their scales, and if found wanting, cast them aside and buy those of Fairbanks & Ewing's manufacture, which can be fully relied on. Be cautious in your purchasing, for the well-earned merit of these scales has caused the throwing upon the market of a multiplicity of imperfect and worthless ones under the name of Fairbanks' scales, but which are spurious and entirely unworthy of attention.

At the warehouse, No. 715 Chesnut street, Masonic Hall, these valuable and reliable balances can be seen, and obtained if desired, and also a pamphlet, with diagrams of the different modifications of these scales, in great variety. Call around and make an examination, and you will find that they are the best balances made.

I. E. Walraven, Dealer in Curtain Goods.

I. E. Walraven, at No. 719 Chesnut street (Masonic Hall), is now offering to the public the most complete assortment of the following goods, of the latest styles, newest designs, finest quality, and in variety to suit all who are in want of an indispensable ornamental or useful article:—

Elegant curtains for parlors, libraries, dining and sleeping rooms, of the finest and most beautiful of fabrics, in brocatelle, satin damasks, Terry, Swiss lace, and Nottingham lace.

For a parlor or drawing-room, one of these curtains is indispensable for ornament as well as use; for nothing can so well set off a room with its furniture as an elegant fabric hanging in graceful folds to the carpet, or looped up at the window's sides. Besides the large selection of these, Mr. Walraven has on hand window shades of the latest patterns, of all qualities, and for all prices. Ladies could do no better than to visit this well-stocked establishment, and judge for themselves of the merits of the goods. Mr. Walraven has made all preparations for the winter, and is determined to be number one in everything that pertains to a complete and select assortment of goods.

McFerran, Dealer in Wooden Ware

of all descriptions, is now ready to supply all demands at No. 721 Chesnut street.

Here will be found all those wooden articles which are so necessary in every household:—Wooden bowls, large and small; wash bowls, which are brought into requisition every winter's morning; mush bowls, in endless variety; wooden ladles; wooden spoons; wooden pounders; tubs; boxes; firkins; and everything else, which can only be found by inspection. McFerran has the most substantial of articles in his line, and prices the most moderate. Replenish your stock of wooden ware at this establishment.

Kelty, Carrington & Co., Dealers in Shades and Curtain Materials.

There are some persons who seem to shut themselves up within their domiciles as close as hermits, and grudge the outside pedestrians even the glimpse of an open door. They surround their gardens with high dead walls, and favor the French shutter system, which enables them to close their windows against the glances of the outside barbarians. There are others who seem to have consideration for the tired and weary perambulator, and present something to cheer his vision. We are in our journeyings day by day greeted with some of the most beautiful flowers, shrubs, and costly tropical fruits, the property of the heirs of one of our wealthiest and most lamented citizens. A conservatory, crowded with the choicest specimens, is open to the view of every passer-by, and many a lover of the beautiful in nature pauses on his or her way to cast a look upon their beauties. How kindly every one feels towards those who show so much regard for the stranger, and for his feelings! Perhaps there is nothing that adds such attraction to the exterior of a dwelling, or any building, as the adornment to the windows. If they are not in good taste, they detract just as much. The interior, to be sure, is the main thing to be looked after, but still there is something due to outside appearances. It is just as if a man were to store his mind with the richest gems of literature, and clothe himself in rags and filth. What is more beautiful than the rich draperies that can be found in such infinite variety at the establishment of Messrs. Kelty, Carrington & Co., No. 723 Chesnut street? Every taste, even the most fastidious, can be suited, and, what is of equal importance, every pocket can be also. Furniture covering of all kinds, coverings for shades, and everything of that nature, are to be seen in endless varieties. The looms of all countries are here represented.

Wood & Cary, Dealers in Millinery Goods.

Latest styles of bonnets, rich, elegant, and beautiful; beautiful trimmed hats which become the young ladies so well, and look so dainty; velvets of finest quality, and most tasteful colors; ribbons in endless profusion, of variegated hues, and all sizes; willow feathers which are so beautiful for ornamentation; bonnet silks of the best quality; mourning bonnets, French bonnets, and all other kinds of bonnets; hat frames, and felt hats; jet ornaments and jet beads; everything beautiful, elegant, and useful, can be found at very moderate prices at Wood & Cary's, milliners, No. 725 Chesnut street. Ladies, go where by calling you at once receive that article in the shape of bonnet with which the most fastidious could not find fault, and which all would admire. Go for your holiday goods where the goods are as high in quality as the price is low and moderate, and satisfaction will be found.

Reeve L. Knight & Son, Dealers in Carpetings,

at No. 807 Chesnut street, have now open for inspection and sale a well-assorted stock of American and English carpets, oil cloths, mattings, druggets, rugs, etc. etc. Ladies, bear this in mind, that no matter how beautiful and elegant the surrounding furniture, a carpet that is ragged and threadbare will always show itself with all its defects, and if but lately purchased, its unsubstantial manufacture. Messrs. Knight & Son have on hand just what is necessary to replace the defect—good, durable carpets, of the finest texture and at reasonable rates. Everything that is sold by them can be relied on as just what it is said to be. The firm is reliable, the stock good. Call and witness for yourselves.

Evans & Watson, Manufacturers of Safes.

Business men, consult your safety, free your minds from anxiety, and enjoy nights of quiet rest, by obtaining one of those noted fire and burglar-proof safes of Evans & Watson's make, wherein to store your valuables, papers, etc. They are safes with inside doors, double locks, and doubly safe, which never lose their fire-proof quality, are warranted to be free from dampness, and are sold at prices lower than those of other establishments. These safes are not only designed for large business houses, banks, and offices, but they are designed and manufactured to suit dwelling-houses.

Their merits, as sure and safe repositories of valuables, have been thoroughly tested, and not found wanting. They are of the most skilful and substantial workmanship, and well finished. They are to be found at the warerooms, No. 811 Chesnut street.

Bailey & Co., Jewellers.

In consequence of the near approach of the holidays, and in anticipation that the wants of the public will be great in order to rightly personify the good Santa Claus, and imitate his actions, Bailey & Co., No. 819 Chesnut street, offer for sale one of the largest assortments of European fancy goods.

Gifts in abundance can here be found, of every kind, of every quality, of beauty, usefulness, and worth. Take particular notice of the fine real bronzes offered, which so neatly set off a marble mantel; graceful figures of beautiful appearance; fine clocks, set off by all manner of forms, thereby combining ornamentation with beauty; rich jewelry, comprising a beautiful selection of breastpins, diamond pins, ear drops, sleeve buttons, studs, etc., of the finest quality, the most unique appearance, and most skilful manufacture, English plated ware, designed in the most skilful manner, untarnishing, long-wearing, heavy, light, plated on the best of white metal, long-lasting, and substantial—just such ware as a gentleman should present to his wife, in order that ever after his table may have a creditable appearance; plated cutlery, knives and forks, in endless numbers, of endless varieties, to suit all. Articles too numerous to mention are here to be found, suitable for the most appropriate and useful presents. Messrs. Bailey & Co. have made their selection expressly for the holidays. Their goods are all of the latest patterns, and from the most reliable manufactories. There need be no doubt in the minds of the people as to their durability or real value, for the firm of Bailey & Co. is well known and perfectly reliable. When making your round of Christmas purchases call in and make an examination of this select stock, and we are confident in saying that, buying, you will never regret.

William D. Rogers, Carriage and Coach Builder,

at Nos. 1009 and 1011 Chesnut street, has now on hand, and is constantly making, the very best coaches and light carriages that can be manufactured in the country. Carriages light, gracefully proportioned, springy, finished in the most excellent manner, elegantly appearing, and yet substantial. Coaches, large, roomy, not lumbering as the majority do, the strongest and yet lightest made. You who are in want of an elegantly finished buggy, or carriage, or a substantial, well-finished, large or small coach, call on William D. Rogers, at his establishment.

Mrs. M. A. Binder's Temple of Fashion.

A "love of a bonnet!" Who has not heard the pretty feminine exclamations as the gentle fair one dwells upon the beauties of some beautiful head-gear that she has seen and wished for. To the poor husband who has to foot the bill, the exclamation causes a cold thrill of horror to run through his veins. And yet it need not cause such terrors to the initiated mind, when we know how cheaply those beautiful bonnets and dresses can sometimes be had. We were forcibly reminded of these facts as we passed by the attractive windows of Mrs. M. A. Binder, No. 1531 Chesnut street, the other day.

(To be continued in our issue of to-morrow.)

—Two men chopped a man's head off with an ax near Kingston Springs, Tenn.

—A Virginia court has decided that a wife's clothing belongs to her husband.

WILLCOX & GIBBS SEWING MACHINE.—"Its seam is stronger and less liable to rip in use or wear than the Lock-Stitch."—*"Judges' Report," at the "Grand Trial."*

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AUCTION SALES.

B. SCOTT, JR., AUCTIONEER, No. 1020 CHESNUT STREET. 21\$

IMPORTANT SALE OF

High-Class Modern Paintings.

Imported by and consigned to A. D'Huyvetter, Esq., of Antwerp.

B. SCOTT, Jr., is instructed by Mr. A. D'Huyvetter to sell by auction, at the

ART GALLERY,

No. 1020 CHESNUT STREET,

On the Evenings of WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, and FRIDAY, December 19, 20, and 21, at 7½ o'clock, his entire invoice of

High-Class Modern Oil Paintings,

Selected with great care and judgment from undoubted sources, and including many important and well-known works of highly esteemed and eminent artists. Among which are choice specimens by—

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F. Knieman, Brussels	E. Muelin, Brussels.
E. Verboeckhoeran, Brussels.	A. F. Verhoeven Ball, Antwerp.
H. Savry, Utrecht.	Th. Gerard, Brussels.
A. Van Humme, Brussels.	W. J. Hoogerd, Amsterdam.
J. Ruyten, Antwerp.	A. Lion, Antwerp.
J. Stroebel, The Hague.	Z. Noterman, Paris.
Roffiau, Brussels.	C. Wauters, Antwerp.
C. J. De Vogel, Dortrecht.	De C. Haye, Antwerp.
Verschuur, Amsterdam.	De Bruyn, Antwerp.
C. Van Leemputten, Brussels.	F. Le Bret, Leyden.
W. Kock Kock, Amsterdam	De Vos Cortrav.
J. Van der Waarden, Utrecht.	L. Lampe, Gendt.
Vaasmann, Amsterdam	H. Von Setten, Brussels.
F. Van Severdonck, Brussels	Charles Leickert, Amsterdam.
	And others.

The Paintings will be on view on MONDAY, with Catalogues, until 10 o'clock P. M., and continue until the evenings of sale.

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