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Parties wishing to erect cottages along the line of the Ocean View R. R. are requested to leave applications for same with Mr. S. VanAm-

The trestle work of the new rail road bridge across the channel at the Hummocks is now completed. A part of the iron is here and it will be laid as fast as received. The trestle runs directly out from the railroad terminus at the Hummocks.

There seems to have been less snow in Wilmington than at any other point in the State. We are burg. It is thought he can be secur credited with two inches here, while at Charlotte it was 122-10 and at Monroe 14 inches. There was more of it at Newbern than there was

Pennsylvania.

Referring to the item in yesterday's Messenger regarding the origin and meaning of the names of other States, we are informed that Pennsylvania is derived from transposing the names of William Penn's daughter, Sylvania Penn.

At the Opera House To-Night.

The indications are that there will be a large and fashionable audience to-night at the Opera House to wit ness the cantata of Ruth. The ladies and gentlemen who are to appear have labored under many disadvantages but they have persisted in the face of all obstacles and they will present a charming entertainment to-night.

A Good Idea.

It has been suggested that a bu reau be established here similar to the one in Paris, where parties finding lost articles of not enough value to advertise can leave them at the bureau. So any one losing auything can leave word and if it is found ville Banks, with neat cottages here owners. The idea is suggested by than it was to get from Wilmington one who found a black glove on to Wrightsville but now it is a very Fourth street yesterday and would slight matter. Formerly no one like to find the owner. Separately thought of remaining on the Banks neither of the gloves is of any value, all night and we can recollect one united they are worth probably a or two instances where parties were dollar. The police department at caught there on a dead calm and the City Hall could take charge of compelled to remain all night, whose such a bureau at no expense and thrilling adventures were listened to very little extra labor. Goods un- next day with absorbing interest. claimed for, say three months, could Now people are to remain there all finder could retain the lost article and preference. They will be lulled in his own passession until the to sleep by the refrain of the sad sea real owner was discovered, simply waves and awakened by their roar leaving a record of it at the bureau, ing monody. Summer residences on

might be lessened.

The boy stood on the burningdeck, and the wind was very high. But had a small bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in his pocket, he did indeed.

Mr. W. E. Davis leaves for Raleigh to morrow with the memorial to the Legislature to re-establish the State Fish Commission. The merce and Produce Exchange. A similar memorial is also going from Newbern, we are informed.

Death of an Aged Lady. Mrs. Elizabeth Penny, relict of the late W. R. Penny and mother of the Messrs. Penny, of this city, and of beyond dispute. You buy a barrel whose extreme illness we spoke in Saturday's issue, died at the residence of Mr. S. H. Penny on Satur day evening, aged 74 years. The funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church at 9:30 o'clock this morning, after which the remains were taken to Brunswick county for interment by the side of her husband in the family burying ground.

City Taxes. Alderman change the time for payment of city taxas. They are now payable at the same time as the State and county taxes. If separat-Another lot of sash, doors and hardship to raise all at one time. being much heavier than the State and county, be divided into two payments, six months apart. No additional expense would be entail ed on the city by doing this,

Leitch, the Revivalist.

There is considerable talk around town now about asking the Evan gelical Alliance to call Tom Leitch the evangelist, to hold a series of meetings in the Tabernacle in this city this Spring. Many want Mr. Pearson but it is said he cannot be secured. Those who have heard both Sam Jones and Tom Leitch say Leitch is superior to Jones as an evangelist. Many want Mr. Jones but it is said he is engaged now for two years ahead. Mr. Leitch has just closed a meeting at Bennettsville and goes thence to Spartan ed for Wilmington this Spring.

Scribner's for March.

Scribner's Magazine for March is a very bright and interesting number with an excellent table of contents and profuse illustrations. Railway Mail Service," by ex-Postmaster General Thomas L. James, is the leading article. It is beautifully illustrated. The fifth instalment of "The Master of Ballantrae," by Robert Louis Stevenson, follows Then we have "A German Rome." by W. B. Scott, with illustrations: "Economy in Intellectual Work," by William H. Burnham; "An Eye for an Eye," by Robert Grant "Some of Wagner's Heroes and He roines," illustrated, by William F. Apthorp; "Mexican Superstitions," by Thos. A. Janier; "Extenuating Circumstances," by W. McR. Bangs and "An Animated Conservation," by Henry James. There are three pretty poems in the number. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, at \$3 a

And the World Moves. To some of us old "mossbacks" if will look real "funny" to see a railroad running up and down Wrights and sent to the bureau can be re- and there, where people will not be these seven years \$18,401.80. One of turned to the owner. Proper safe- afraid to stay all night with their its young men is studying for the guards could be thrown around the little ones. A few years ago it was ministry. records so that no one could secure sometimes a more difficult matter to _The church has indeed prospered the articles who were not the real get from Wrightsville to the Banks wonderfully, both spiritually and be returned to the finder or the night, and many nights, by choice declining years, In this way the chances of rascality Wrightsville Banks! Well, the world manhood in Germany, and educated

Adulterated Food.

hear with alarming frequency now a-days of diseases which were formerly of rare occurrence. Paralysis and rheumatism are two evils which stalk abroad in the land now by night and by day. We believe that they are largely due to the adultera memorial is endorsed by the Cham- tion of food, especially flour and ber of Industry, Chamber of Com- lard. The legislature could do a good thing by tackling this matter We are surprised that the subject has not excited attention everywhere; that the adulterations do ex ist and that they are exceedingly injurious to the human system is of flour and you eat a peck of gypsum. You use a can of lard and probably one-fourth of it is water and another fourth vile impurities. A lady in this city last Fall had occasion to use some lard which she had got out herself from a hog she had purchased. She gave out the usual quantity for the bread, and when it came on the table it was so 'short" that, she found out that one half part of the home made lard was equal to one full part of that It is suggested that our Board of she purchased. Such facts as these are potent. As for flour, the adulteration of this article of everyday cessary is the daily cause of premafood is well known. Yet there are ture old age to the sight. You can get flour mills in North Carolina which the best at Heinsberger's. ed it would be a great boon to the turn out a pure article, which can poor, who frequently find it a great easily be obtained. Why not use this home made flour? Our dealers office as follows: blinds just received by the N. Ja- We certainly must do all we can to can get it and they can sell it. For some years previous to the war nearly all of the flour used here was manufactured in Fayetteville. It was not as white as the adulterated flour but it was a pure, sweet, nutritious article.

Seven Years' Pastorate.

Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, vesterday completed seven years of pastoral labors in our city. He is the oldest resident pastor of the Christian churches in our city, for since his advent here all the churches have changed pastors. St. James' Church has the third, St. Paul's and St. John's each have the second rector, the First and Second Presbyterian Churches each have new pastors, and so has the First Baptist, and Grace and Fifth Street Methodist Churches, each have the third pastor, and the Catholic Church has a new priest. All these changes have been made in seven

With the rolling years the attachment between pastor and people in the Lutheran Church seems to grow. During these years Rev. Mr. Pes chau has missed holding services but once on account of sickness, which is certainly a remarkable record.

SOME STATISTICS. Including the funeral discourses he has preached 700 times in Wilmington. He married 44 couples. buried[86 persons, baptized 132 and confirmed and received from other churches 179. The Sunday school has almost doubled its numbers. Improvements have been made in the parsonage. The church has been revarnished, recarpeted and the pews recushioned. A new lecturn and new baptismal font have been added to the altar furniture. A most handsome pipe organ has been secured and Luther Memorial Building has been erected. Every society and association connected with the church has funds on hand, and the only debt the church has is one resting on Luther Memorial Building. This compact, though not exceedingly large congregation, has raised, outside of its running expenses, in

financially, under Mr. Peschau's fostering case. His pure life, his wise administration, his firm adherence to the right, his careful juagment, his fraternal feelings for Christians of other denominations and his scholarly attainments have won for him a place in the affections of his flock and the esteem of the general public that will prove a glorious crown of consolation to him in his

There is one thing about Mr. Pes chau that is really remarkable and which we simply take occasion to mention here.. Born and reared to in that country, he is to-day one of

the purest English linguists that we The burning question of the hour know. His accent is as correct and he was calm and serene. Why? He is the adulteration of food. We distinct and his diction as elegant as that of any educated American, "native and to the manner born,"

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