

SELECTED AS DELEGATES CITIZENS' BUILDING & LOAN VISIT HAS BEEN POSTPONED NEGRO STRUCK BY COAL CART

Messrs. Duncan McEachern and M. W. Divine Named to Represent New Hanover at Good Roads Convention in Raleigh

In compliance with a request of Mr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist and secretary of the North Carolina Good Roads Association, that he appoint two delegates from New Hanover county to the good roads convention to be held in Raleigh January 27th, President J. A. Taylor, of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday named Chairman Duncan McEachern and Mr. M. W. Divine, of the Board of County Commissioners.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Special Meeting Called for Thursday. Captain Brown's Report.

President J. A. Taylor, of the Chamber of Commerce, has called a special meeting of that organization to be held in the Chamber tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The primary purpose of the meeting is to hear a report from Capt. Earle I. Brown, U. S. Engineer in charge of this district on future port facilities. It is expected that this meeting will have a decided bearing on the 30-foot channel project, in which not only Wilmington but the whole State is interested, and there will doubtless be a very large attendance of members. Capt. Brown was to have made a report at the special meeting held last week, but was called away on important business.

IGLOO IS HANDSOME YACHT.

J. K. Stuart's New Pleasure Craft Stops Here on Way to Tampa.

Decidedly the most handsome yacht to visit this port this season is the "Igloo," the new pleasure craft of Mr. J. K. Stuart, of Chicago, which has been in port a few days here for water and provisions and leaves this morning for Charleston, where they expect to meet the owner of the vessel.

Defendant Files Demurrer.

A demurrer was filed in Superior Court yesterday by the defendant in the case of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company against Ida Hines, in which action the plaintiff seeks to gain possession of a certain piece of property claimed by her. The demurrer is on the grounds that the complaint does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action; that it does not appear in the complaint that the plaintiff is a natural person, and there is no allegation that it is a corporation; that the complaint does not allege that the defendant wrongfully and unlawfully withheld possession of the property in question. A copy of the demurrer was served on Thos. W. Davis, Esq., of counsel for the plaintiff company. Ricard & Empe represent the defendant.

Handsome Business Souvenir.

A most valuable atlas is being issued by the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, of New Jersey, of which Hon. John C. Drewry, of Raleigh, is the general agent, and Mr. Alex. S. Holden, of this city, is special agent. The chart carries a wealth of useful information and may be regarded almost as an indispensable in the home or office. The Star acknowledges with thanks the charts with the compliments of Mr. Holden.

Prayer Meeting Tonight.

The pastor, Rev. C. H. Sweet, and the membership of the Fourth Street Advent Christian Church extend a cordial invitation to the people in general and to strangers in particular, to go to their place of worship tonight and enjoy a good, live and soul-refreshing prayer meeting with them.

All Next Week at Rehder's.

At Rehder's Big Department Store, near Fourth street bridge, all is on the qui vive this week in anticipation of the great annual January Clearing Sale, which begins there Monday and lasts one week with extraordinary bargains in every line. The lid has been taken off and the sale promises to surpass anything of its kind ever undertaken at this popular establishment, both in the interest these offerings will create among the discriminating buyers of this city and section.

Twenty-Second Annual Meeting Last Night—Encouraging Report Submitted—Old Directors and Officers Re-Elected.

The 22nd annual meeting of the stockholders of The Citizens' Building and Loan Association was held in the office of Bellamy & Bellamy, attorneys for the organization, at 8 o'clock last night with a large portion of the stock represented, either in person or by proxy.

The report of the secretary and treasurer, Mr. John D. Bellamy, Jr., showed the business of the past year to have been very satisfactory in every respect. During the year two series of stock matured, aggregating \$45,900. The 33rd series, which opened January 1st, was reported to be very large. The association was organized September 21st, 1887, and began business three days later. It has an authorized capital stock of \$1,000,000. The association has the most unprecedented record of never having suffered a loss on a loan, an evidence of the sound business judgment of those responsible for the conduct of its affairs.

The stockholders re-elected the old board of directors with the addition of Marsden Bellamy, Esq., as follows: Messrs. W. H. Chadbourn, R. C. Merritt, J. C. Springler, H. G. Smallbones, R. C. DeRosset, H. G. Chadbourn, J. W. Jackson, S. H. Grand, John D. Bellamy, Jr., Tim Donlan and F. W. Ortman. Immediately after the meeting of the stockholders the directors met and elected the old officers as follows: Mr. W. H. Chadbourn, president; Mr. H. G. Smallbones, vice president; and John D. Bellamy, Jr., secretary and treasurer. Messrs. Chadbourn and Smallbones have been president and vice president, respectively, ever since the association was organized, and Mr. Bellamy has been secretary and treasurer for 19 years. The firm of Bellamy & Bellamy was selected as attorneys for the association.

FATHER AND SON.

Pleasant Coincidence in Connection With the Lee Anniversary.

It is not only a very pleasing coincidence but a deserved compliment to father and son in that today upon the occasion of the observance of the birthday of the beloved General Robert E. Lee, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, has been chosen to deliver the address upon the occasion of the general celebration in Wilmington, while his little son, Master Robert Edwin McClure, a member of the eighth grade at Hemenway Public School, has been chosen by the committee as the one among twenty or more contestants who submitted the best essay upon the life of the immortal Lee and by virtue of this distinction, has been asked to read it before the school upon the occasion of the exercises there today. It is entirely within the range of propriety to say that those who hear Doctor McClure at the Academy of Music this afternoon will listen to an earnest, sincere tribute to one whom he loved no less than the cause which he espoused and which he followed to the end of his life. Mr. McClure will be equally as fortunate in the choice which has been made of him to speak for the student body of this great and good man.

The Recorder's Court.

A few interesting cases were tried in the Recorder's court yesterday. Lee Collins, colored, was convicted of the charge of assault with serious injury upon C. Kelly, colored, whom, it was alleged, was struck in the face several times with an oil can, and was fined \$10 and costs, in default of which he will have to serve three months on the roads. The cases against John Russ and Randolph Williams, young white men, charged with entering the residence of Mr. H. S. Schwartz and stealing some clothing, were continued until today at the request of K. C. Sidbury, Esq., counsel for the defendants. Hartsfield Crandall, a young white man, was fined \$5 and costs for disorderly conduct. Ellen Lane, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, paid a fine of \$5 and costs, and Mag McKoy, colored, charged with a similar offense, was let off with costs.

Brotherhood of Immanuel Church.

An interesting meeting of the Brotherhood of Immanuel Presbyterian church was held last night. The feature was an address by Mr. Sam A. Matthews on "Characteristics on the Life of David," followed by talks along the same line by Rev. J. S. Crowley, the pastor, and others. At the meeting next Tuesday night Mr. James A. Price will make a talk on the recent convention of the Laymen's Missionary Movement. The matter of starting some industry to give employment to a number of poor men and women of the city was considered, but definite action was deferred until a later meeting.

Two Fire Alarms Yesterday.

The fire department was called out twice yesterday. In the morning an alarm was turned in from box 45. There was no fire, however, the alarm being turned in by a passerby who noticed smoke pouring out of a chimney at the residence of Mr. Cuthbert Martin on South Front street. Shortly after noon the firemen were called to 207 Grace street on account of a small blaze in a two-story residence owned by Mr. L. E. Thomas and occupied by Mrs. S. E. Moore. The blaze was caused from heat from a stove and resulted in an estimated damage to the building of \$15 and \$25 to the furniture.

A Travelling Salesman.

H. F. Beers, 617 Th Ave, P. O. Box 111, who has been troubled for some time with kidney trouble, so severely at times I could scarcely carry my grip. After using one bottle of Foleys' Kidney Pills I have been entirely relieved, and cheerfully recommend them to all. Foleys' Kidney Pills are best and antiseptic and will restore health and strength. Robt. R. Bellamy.

Waterways Committee Will Not Visit Wilmington Until Monday Week. Tentative Programme for the Entertainment.

Telegrams were received at the office of the North Carolina Waterways Association yesterday afternoon from Senators Lee S. Overman and F. M. Simmons stating that there had been a postponement of the proposed visit to this section of the special Waterways Committee of Congress and that the distinguished party would arrive in Wilmington on Monday morning, January 31st, instead of Monday, January 24th, as at first announced.

The executive committee of the North Carolina Waterways Association held a special meeting at 12 o'clock yesterday with the president, Mr. James H. Chadbourn, presiding, and Messrs. J. A. Taylor, H. G. Smallbones, R. A. Parsley, W. E. Worth, H. W. Malloy, D. L. Gore and Meares Harris, secretary and treasurer, in attendance. The meeting was called for the purpose of making arrangements for proper entertainment of the party, which will include Senators F. M. Simmons and Congressman H. L. Godwin. The distinguished visitors will arrive in Wilmington Monday morning, January 31st, on the 9:25 o'clock train and will be met at the union station by members of the executive committee of the North Carolina Waterways Association, who will convey the party by automobile to the government wharf, where they will embark on the government boat "Mercury" for a trip down the river as guests of Capt. Earle I. Brown, United States Engineer in charge of this district. The passenger-carrying capacity of the boat is very limited and in addition to the distinguished party of visitors there will be only a few prominent citizens, members of the executive committee of Waterways Association. Practically the entire day will be spent in inspecting the river below Wilmington, the party returning to the city late in the afternoon, when an automobile ride over the city and suburbs will probably be enjoyed. Members of the executive committee of the association will have supper with the visitors at the Orman, after which the visitors will be entertained at a public reception in the parlors of the popular hostelry. The citizens generally of Wilmington will be cordially invited and urged to attend the reception. The delegation will spend Tuesday in the upper Cape Fear section, leaving that night for Washington.

The primary purpose of the visit of the committee is to make an investigation of the inland waterways project with a view of making recommendations to Congress. Incidentally the 26-foot channel project will be considered and something definite as to this may be the result of the visit. The above arrangements were made before it was learned that the committee had decided to postpone the visit but it is probable that the same programme will be carried out when the party comes a week later. According to the telegrams received yesterday Senator Burton, chairman of the committee, will accompany the committee.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

Will be Held at Presbyterian Churches Latter Part of Week.

The Presbyterian women of the city extend a cordial invitation to the women and girls of all the churches to attend the meetings they expect to hold the last of this week. Miss Isabel Arnold, of Virginia, who is sent out by the executive committee of foreign missions of the Southern Presbyterian church, will address these meetings to awaken greater interest in missions. Miss Arnold is a very fine speaker and cannot fail to make a deep impression on her hearers. On Friday afternoon at 3:30 she will speak at the First Presbyterian church, and on Saturday afternoon at the same hour she will speak at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. On Friday evening at 8 o'clock she will speak at Immanuel Presbyterian church, and Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock she will be heard at Delgado church.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Winter Park Gardens Company to James E. Hall and wife, for \$10 and other considerations, lots 101 and 102 of Winter Park Gardens town site, northeast intersection of Wrightsville avenue and Third street, 132x330 feet in size; The American Suburban Corporation to M. Guldebrand, of Anderson, S. C., for \$550, lot 14, block 15, "Carolina Place" south side of South avenue, 165 feet west of 21st street, 68x113 feet in size; Winter Park Gardens Corporation to Eddie G. Hall and wife, for \$10 and other considerations, lots 99 and 100 of Winter Park Gardens town site, on north side of Wrightsville avenue, 132 feet east of Third street, 132x330 feet in size.

A CARD.

Chadbourn, N. C., Jan. 14, 1910. Dear Mr. Editor:—We take this occasion to express to our friends and good people of Chadbourn, our sincere thanks for the most delightful pounding with which they greeted us on our arrival at our new work. We have not time nor space to mention all the good things they gave us to eat, but simply to say, they gave us almost every good thing from buckwheat up or down, as the relish may be. We look for and expect a most hearty co-operation of our Chadbourn brethren in the work of the Lord at this place. As we and they grow strong physically, by feeding upon the good things of this life, may we never lose sight of the fact that we are to grow strong spiritually, by feeding upon the Bread of Life, the word of God. Yours very sincerely, REV. AND MRS. E. B. CARR.

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Nick Loftin in Hospital in Serious Condition—Concussion of Brain and Possibly Internal Injuries—Arrests.

Suffering from concussion of the brain and probably internal injuries, which may terminate fatally, "Nick" Loftin, a colored man, is at the James Walker Memorial Hospital as the result of being struck by a cart belonging to the Springer Coal Company, on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets, about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and Robert Stanley, colored, thought to have been the driver of the vehicle, is in the city prison, without bail until the extent of Loftin's injuries are definitely determined by the attending physicians.

A message from the hospital at 8 o'clock last night was to the effect that the negro had partially regained consciousness and was resting as well as could be expected. He has a bad wound in the head and may be suffering from internal injuries.

According to Patrolman Applebury, who interviewed the witnesses the accident occurred on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets. Loftin was standing on the sidewalk near the edge of the curb when the cart came by at a rather rapid rate of speed, one of the wheels knocking him to the pavement, where he was picked up a few minutes later and hurried to the hospital in the ambulance. Patrolman M. C. Huggins was nearby and placed Robert Stanley, colored, believed to have been the driver of the cart, under arrest, and put in a call for the ambulance for the wounded man. It was stated yesterday afternoon that Stanley is the same negro tried before the Recorder several days ago and fined for fast driving of a coal cart.

Another coal cart accident was narrowly averted at corner of Second and Princess streets yesterday morning. A prominent citizen was coming down the street in a buggy and, behind him, was the coal cart. The man in the buggy noticed the coal cart bearing down on him at a rapid gait and pulled up as near the curb as he could. The coal cart driver appeared not to notice the vehicle ahead of him which caused the man in the buggy to call to him in a voice that was heard for nearly a block away. The driver awakened to the situation barely in time to prevent collision with the buggy.

The reckless driving of coal carts has been a matter of serious concern to the police and citizens generally for some time. Several have been arrested, carried before the Recorder and heavily fined, and this had a good effect for a day or two afterward. A man who has made an investigation stated yesterday that he did not blame the officers of the coal company, but rather the drivers. He said that from what he could learn the drivers were expected to make a delivery in a certain length of time, and that they would lose some 15 or 20 minutes or more in gossiping on the streets with women and men and that in order to get back on schedule time would drive at a reckless gait.

BOARD OF AUDIT AND FINANCE.

Routine Matters Considered at Regular Meeting Last Night.

The Board of Audit and Finance met last night in regular semi-monthly session with Chairman M. J. Heyer presiding and Messrs. Wilder, Tencken and Cooper, members of the board, and Capt. T. D. Meares, the clerk, in attendance. Although the board was in session for nearly an hour there was little or no business of importance for consideration and members engaged themselves in approval of bills and a discussion of things in general.

Mr. J. S. Barnes appeared before the board and asked that the interest on his taxes, amounting to something like \$30, be remitted. The matter was referred to the Board of Aldermen for action, after which it may be taken by the Board of Audit and Finance.

Chairman Heyer stated that Mr. Chas. W. Worth, chairman of the Water and Sewerage Commission, had asked for a joint meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance and the Water and Sewerage Commission and that at a conference Monday they agreed to hold the joint meeting last night. Yesterday morning he was informed that it would not be convenient for members of the commission to attend a joint meeting last night. Mr. Heyer then suggested to the commission that the joint meeting be held at the time of the next regular meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance, but was informed that the commission desired a meeting at an earlier date. Mr. Heyer inquired of the members of his board what was their pleasure relative to calling a meeting to suit the convenience of the commission. The matter was discussed at some length, finally being passed over without any action.

A bill from the Tidewater Power Company for \$525 as half of the expense for installing the additional Tunstun arches recently ordered by the city was not approved by the board on the ground that no appropriation had been made for the installation of the arches. Messrs. Tencken and Cooper took the position that the \$1,200 recently appropriated was for maintenance of the lights and did not include installation, while Chairman Heyer held a contrary view. The bill was referred to the Board of Aldermen. The meeting adjourned at 9 o'clock.

—Henry Gause and John Williams, colored, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman D. W. Coleman and W. G. Brinkley on the charge of vagrancy. They will be tried this morning before the Recorder. A pistol was found on Gause's person.

Indispensable—There are some simple remedies indispensable in every family. Among these, the experience of years assures us, should be recorded Perry Davis' Painkiller. For both internal and external application we have found it of great value; especially in cases of colds, rheumatism, or fresh wounds.—Christian Era.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE Cures Backache Corrects Irregularities Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes ROBERT R. BELLAMY.

HONOR MEMORY OF GEN. LEE

Today Marks Anniversary of Great Chieftain—Dinner for Veterans in Masonic Temple—Exercises at Academy of Music.

Today marks the birthday anniversary of General Robert E. Lee, the South's great chieftain, and it will be appropriately observed in Wilmington as has long been the custom. It being a State holiday the banks of the city will close and probably some of public offices.

The formal observance of the day is in the hands of the Daughters of the Confederacy, who will serve dinner to the old soldiers in the Masonic Temple at 1 o'clock, after which exercises will be held in the Academy of Music. Rev. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church being the speaker. Members of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, and Confederate veterans of good standing, will assemble at the W. L. I. armory at 12 o'clock and march in a body to the Masonic Temple, where they will be the guests of Cape Fear Chapter at an elaborate dinner. Following the dinner the veterans will return to the armory where the procession will be formed as follows: The Marshal, General James I. Metts, and his aides; Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, U. D. V.; George Davis Camp, Sons of Veterans; Wilmington Light Infantry; Wilmington Division, No. 50, Naval Reserves; Colonel Walker Taylor's Boys' Brigade; orator and chaplain. The procession will move market to Front, up Front to Princess, thence to the Academy of Music, where the exercises of the day will be held, commencing at 3 o'clock.

After music by the orchestra and prayer a male quartette will sing, "Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Ground," after which Rev. Dr. McClure will be presented. After the address the exercises will be as follows: Music, "The Old North State," audience; reading of the Hon. Ben Hill's Tribute to General Lee by General Metts; music, "The Vacant Chair," male quartette; presentation of crosses of honor; music, "Dixie," by the orchestra, after which the benediction will be pronounced.

The dinner for the veterans will be served this night in the ball room instead of the banquet room of the Masonic Temple as heretofore and every daughter of Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., is earnestly invited to be present and assist with the gracious work of serving the old soldiers. Heretofore the lack of room has prevented a full attendance of the Daughters but this year there will be plenty of room and all are cordially invited.

Commander James I. Metts requests all employers of members of any branch of the military to excuse them from duty during the hours required for their brief service this afternoon. Thursday night the senior basketball team will play a similar team of the Boys' Brigade in the armory at Second and Church streets.

THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Annual Meeting Will be Held Next Tuesday Morning—Directors.

The regular quarterly meeting of the board of directors of the Associated Charities was held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning in the office of the association in the basement of the Court House with a large attendance. The chairman, Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, presided. The business was largely of a routine nature. The directors decided to hold the annual meeting next Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the office of the association. This meeting will be open to the public and all citizens interested in the work are invited to be present. At this time reports of the officers for the past year will be made and business of importance transacted.

SCHOONER MAY BE LOST.

Edgar C. Ross Some Time Overdue. Capt. Quillen Known Here.

The schooner Edgar C. Ross, Capt. Quillen, which has been trading for a number of years along the coast and has visited the port frequently, is some time overdue from Charleston, S. C., to New York, and it is feared has been lost in the recent severe storms or otherwise blown out of her course several hundred miles. The Ross sailed from Charleston and later went back to that port for harbor, leaving again on the 22nd of December, when she was last reported. Capt. Quillen is well known at this port and came here with his vessel some two months ago. The Ross is now 26 days out and has not been reported or seen by any other vessel since she left Charleston.

A Wild Blizzard Raging brings danger, suffering—often death—to thousands, who take colds, coughs and lagrippe—that terror of Winter and Spring. Its danger signals are nose sore, chills and fever, pain in back of head, and a throat-gripping cough. When Grip attacks, as you value your life, don't delay getting Dr. King's New Discovery. "One bottle cured me," writes A. L. Dunn, of Pine Valley, Miss., "after being laid up three weeks with Grip." For sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, its supreme. 50c. \$1.00. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

CAROLINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

Annual Meeting Yesterday of the Stockholders—Good Reports. The stockholders of the Carolina Insurance Company held their annual meeting in the office of the company, No. 12 Princess street, yesterday noon, with Capt. L. S. Belden presiding. A canvass by a committee appointed for the purpose showed that 2,204 shares were represented in person and 938 by proxy. In his annual report the president, Mr. R. R. Bellamy, referred to the increase of the surplus of the company and in the re-insurance reserve, and stated that the company was now operating in every town of consequence in the State and had increased the number of agents. He urged the stockholders to use their influence to turn all the business possible toward the company. The cash assets of the company in January 1907 were given at \$109,983.03, and in 1910 at \$107,367.61; net surplus in 1907 at \$19,701.45 and in 1910 at \$23,984.74. The report of the secretary and treasurer, Mr. M. S. Willard, made a splendid showing for the institution and was highly complimented by those present. John D. Bellamy, Jr., Esq., chairman of the audit committee, reported that his committee had examined the books and found them correct. Hon. John D. Bellamy, Mr. R. A. Parsley and Messrs. DeRosset, Meares and Ortman, pertaining to the welfare of the company, after which the old board of directors was elected as follows: Messrs. R. R. Bellamy, C. W. Worth, H. L. Vollers, J. J. Sternberger, Donald MacRae, Henry C. McQueen and R. A. Parsley.

HOMESTEAD LAID OFF.

Goods of Taylor's Bazaar in Excess of Exemption to be Sold.

The appraisers named Monday afternoon by Constable W. B. Savage to lay off the homestead of Mrs. Dora Taylor, proprietor of Taylor's Bazaar, closed under executions, finished their work yesterday morning. A considerable amount of goods over and above the homestead exemption were found and were taken to a vacant store on Market street, where the constable will hold a public auction Friday, January 28th, at 10 o'clock.

Indoor Athletic Events.

The second of the series of indoor athletic arranged by Mr. B. H. Tyrrell, physical director, will take place in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The event consists of a 15-yard dash and a pole vault. It is hoped that there will be a large number of contestants. Thursday night the senior basketball team will play a similar team of the Boys' Brigade in the armory at Second and Church streets.

Attachment Proceedings.

Mr. R. H. Pickett, merchandise broker, yesterday brought attachment proceedings in Justice Harris' court against George S. Hart & Co., of New York, the amount involved being \$200. Funds in the hands of The Stone Company were attached, the papers being served by Constable W. B. Savage. The hearing is set for February 15th before Justice Harris.

REV. F. A. FETTER DEAD.

Well Known and Consecrated Episcopal Divine—His Son Here.

Many friends throughout the State will be shocked and saddened to learn of the death of Rev. F. A. Fetter, one of the oldest and most beloved Protestant Episcopal ministers in North Carolina and father of Mr. F. A. Fetter, Jr., agent of the Seaboard Air Line in this city. Rev. Mr. Fetter died yesterday morning in Norfolk, Va., while on his way to Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore for treatment, having been accompanied at the time by Mr. and Mrs. Fetter of this city. A brief telegram received by Mr. Herbert E. Goodwyn, of the Seaboard here, conveyed the sad intelligence to friends in Wilmington, where the younger Mr. Fetter is so popular and where Rev. Mr. Fetter has several times visited and occupied the pulpits of local Episcopal churches. At the time of his death Mr. Fetter was rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church at Monroe, N. C., where he had made his home for the past several years and was held in the highest esteem.

Mr. Fetter was about 70 years of age and is survived by several daughters and two sons, the latter being Mr. F. A. Fetter, Jr., of this city, and Mr. A. W. Fetter, of Greensboro, who is pleasantly remembered as having spent the past Summer at Wrightsville Beach. All the bereaved ones have the tenderest sympathy of many friends here and elsewhere. The interment will be at Reidsville, N. C. today.

LEAVE FOR COLUMBIA.

Fifth Street M. E. Church Sends Delegates to Laymen's Convention.

Not having representation at the great Greensboro convention last week and feeling that the church would be greatly benefited by some of its members' receiving information and inspiration first hand, Fifth Street Methodist church has sent delegates to the South Carolina State convention of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, which is in session at Columbia, S. C., having convened Tuesday night for a three days' session. Those going from the church were Rev. K. D. Holmes, the pastor, Messrs. O. A. Durant and E. F. King, Jr. They left yesterday afternoon. The Lutheran Synod meets in Columbia within a few days and a number of Wilmington Lutherans leave today for that place. They will attend the closing sessions of the convention and be on hand for the opening of the Synod.

A Wretched Mistake

to endure the itching, painful distress of Piles. There's no need to Listen. "I suffered much from Piles," writes Will. A. Marsh, of Silver City, N. C., "till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon cured." Burns, Boils, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Eczema, Guts, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, vanish before it. 25c. at Robert R. Bellamy's.

The ads will show you whether or not there's a chance today to buy that piece of furniture at your price.

Are All Advertised Medicines Fakes?

As well ask "Are all doctors quacks?" or "Are all lawyers shysters?" We all know there are ignorant quacks; does that prevent anyone calling in his good, old family physician in case of need and trusting him? There are shysters, but there are also honorable lawyers to whom we confidently trust our lives and fortunes.

There are fake medicines advertised; but they are not fakes because they are advertised. A good thing is worth advertising; we all want to know about it. The more a bad thing is advertised, the worse for it in the end.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is no fake; yet it is advertised; it advertises itself; and those who have used it are its best advertisers, and that free of cost.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved its merit by more than thirty years general use. This simple, old-fashioned remedy, made from roots and herbs, has become the standard medicine for ailments peculiar to women,—its fame is world-wide.

Read this plain, honest statement of what the medicine did for one woman; her own words; if you doubt, write and ask her.

Upper Sandusky, Ohio.—"Three years ago I was not feeling well and could hardly drag myself along. I had such tired feelings, my back hurt, my sides ached, I had bladder trouble all over my body, and I could not eat or sleep. I had headaches, too, and became almost a nervous wreck. My doctor told me to go to a hospital. I did not like that idea very well, so when I saw your advertisement in a paper one day, I wrote to you for advice. I have done as you told me. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Blood Purifier, and Liver Pills, and used the Sative Wash, and now I have my health. We keep your medicine always in the house."—Mrs. Benj. H. Stansbery, Route No. 6, Box 18, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

The makers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have thousands of such letters—they tell the truth, else they could not have been obtained for love or money. This medicine is no stranger—it has stood the test of years.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine. Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and has thousands of cures to its credit.

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand, write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for her advice—it is free and always helpful.

