ALLOWED TO STAND GRUNE TO GARDENA BEACH, MEDRIAN

Recorder Declined to Reduce the Am- F Survey of Right-of-Way is Being ount Imposed Upon Rudolph Pape for Violating Prohibition Law-Pays Up.

Upwards of \$5,000 in Lost Recovered lade-Grading Will Begin in a From Room of Negro Taken in Short Time-Development Custody Yesterday Afterof Resort. noon by A. C. L. Agent.

Recorder Furlong having declined What is believed will be the final Upwards of \$5,000 in loot, nearly to reduce the fine of \$1,000 imposed a right-of-way for a car line half of which is in railway mileage. upon Rudolph Pape, a well know rom Wilmington to Carolina Beach books, blank ticket forms and other merchant, about ten days ago for vies now being made for the New Hano- property of the Atlantic Coast Line lating the prohibition law, and aft ver Transit Company, which has large Railroad Company, was recovered earnotice had been given of an appeal holdings at the popular resort. The ily last night from the room of W. M. Superior Court, the defendant yest survey is being made by Capt. Walter Steward, colored, * about 35 years of day morning paid into the court / G. MacRae, the well known civil engi- age, an employe of the company, who that had been assessed agat neer, and a corps of assistants and was arrested at Front and Red Cross amoun Evidently he decided this toe has progressed from the city south- streets yesterday afternoon between 3 him. course, especially as Jse ward to a point about three miles this and 4 o'clock by Officer J. S. Lane, of the wisest Carter, of Asheville, is to e- side of Carolina Beach. With favor- the Wilmington Police Department, at the next term of crinal able weather the survey will be com- the behest of Special Agent W. P. Edpleted within the next few days. court here monson, of the A. C. L., who has been

When the fine was first imposite Capt. MacRae has notified officers at work on the case the past several defendant was given ten days in aich of the company that he believes the months. The negro practically conto pay the amount into court, bes re- distance from Wilmington to Carolina leased on bond to secure parent. Beach, according to the present sur. lessed to the robberies and without The ten days were out the late part vey, will be only about 13 miles. He giving details intimated that the robof last week, but as the Record had cannot tell definitely until the survey beries had been going on for several been urged to re-open the mar and is finished. This will cut off from one years.

prosecution had aske for a to two miles over former surveys. Mr. chance to be heard in the ent the A. W. Pate is president, and Mr. Jo-Steward is also the entering wedge question of the amount of finwas to seph J. Loughlin is secretary and toward clearing up the many burglabe further considered, the ecorder treasurer of the New Hanover Transit sterday. Company. Both are well known and mington during the past several ries that have been committed in Wil continued the case until Woodus Kellum and A. Ricaud, enterprising real estate men and they weeks. Steward has a room at a col-Esqs., set forth the reasons hy they will no doubt be as successful in their thought their client, Mr. Pr., should plans for the development of Caro- tilda Neil, colored, at Eighth and Red ored boarding house, conducted by Manot be required to pay the abunt that lina Beach as they have been in other Cross streets. This room, according had been imposed. Assista City At- recent undertakings. Grading for the to the Neil woman, no one had been al torney Geo. L. Peschau prented the new line will be commenced, it is said, lowed to enter except Steward and a side of the prosecution. he Recor early in the Spring and will be com- few of his close companions during der stood by his declaratio of the day pleted some time next Fall. It is too the past twelve months. Several cart of the trial and declined treduce the late now to have the road in operation loads of goods of all kinds were taken fine one cent. On the datof the con- by the approaching season, but the from the small room by the raiding viction of the defendant le Recorder officers of the company are planning party, which consisted of Police Sersaid that he would not hange the to have everything ready for a big geant M. C. Gray, Special Agent Ed. Judge Oliver H. Allen, in chambers at judgment unless it was give the de- season in 1914. The rails will be laid monson, Policemen Ed George and Kinston, N. C., yesterday appointed fendant a road sentenceinstead of a some time next Winter. No amount of ariment on the

part of counsel for the diendant could the officers of the company, gasoline officers. The articles range from Company, wholesale grocers of Wilcause him to swerve om this deci- motor cars, similar to those used by clothing neatly disposed on stretchers the Southern Railway on parts of its to jewelry and one handsome gold

appealing to the Superr Court, might in South Carolina, will be used on the Agent Edmonson was too worn out the company. give bond to secure ayment of the line to Carolina Beach. Three or four last night to make a minute examinafine instead of having pay into court of these cars with trailers will be put tion of all the goods taken from the ney & Harper Milling Co., through its at this time. However, the defendant in operation the first season and the negro, but it is safe to say that an attorneys, Messrs. Rountree & Carr, decided that he had ather not go to number will be increased as traffic re- identification of many of the articles and, it is understood, was not strenu-Superior Court, so and the fine.

The Recorder dimissed the case much less cost to the company than robberies that have occurred here re- pany. Ben Davis olored, who was electric cars. The line will enter the cently. harge of violating tried Monday on a city at a point in the southern part of in that he hauled ordinance town not yet decided upon. The route the union station and the roundhouse in his hack as bagage of a passenger through the city is yet to be selected of the Atlantic Coast Line for four two boxes of whisley. The police deby the company, but it is likely that years or longer. He is a son of a well did not in the legal acceptance of the took the position that to en- According to the survey now being good reputation. word and it would be te drayman's license In announcing his place. Then it will run due north and casionally a report would reach the not pay its debts in full. At a meeting hackman should make a business of the present road from the pier to the and tickets that were not exactly reg. the company in this city on Monday, hauling whiskey or any other pack- beach at a point about half a mile ular, but still of sufficient regularity it was decided to apply for a receiver. ages that might be considered freight from the beach guilty of violating t The construction of the road and tax ordinance, but that in the case fore him there was nothing to show that the defendant was doing anything other than a legitimate hacking busithis amount could easily be raised in ness.

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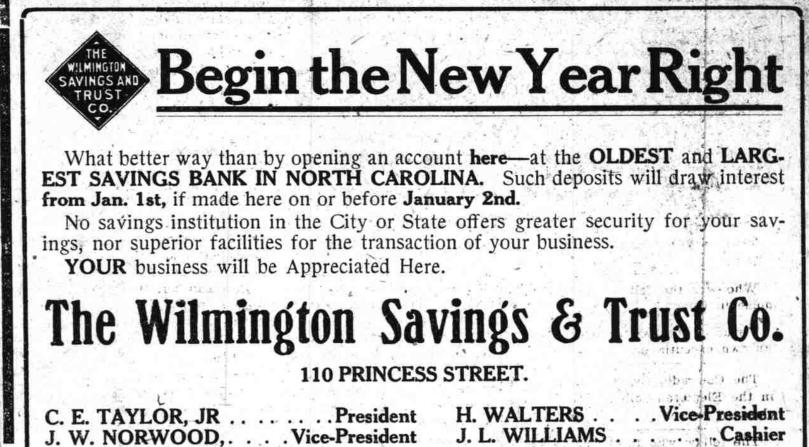
Order Signed Yesterday by Judge Qliver H. Allen at Kinston-Liabilities and Assets Large-T. W. Davis, Esq., in Charge.

RECEIVER FOR STEVENSON CO.

Upon complaint in a suit brought by the Boney & Harper Milling Co., of this city, in behalf of itself and all other creditors who may come in and make themselves parties plaintiff, Gooden and Messrs. H. Mack Godwin Thos. W. Davis, Esq., of the local bar, According to the present plans of and Freeman Yopp, who assisted the a receiver for the J. C. Stevenson mington. Mr. Davis gave bond of \$5, 000 yesterday afternoon and has al-It was agreed that the defendant, in line, notably from Anderson to Belton, watch of Elgin . movement. Special ready taken charge of the affairs of

The complaint was filed by the Boquires. These cars can be operated at will clear up several of the series of ously resisted by the defendant com-It alleges on information and helief that the indebtedness of the cor-

Steward has been employed about poration is about \$56,000 and that the nominal assets are about liabilities are independently of the \$50,000 capital of the company with consider "booze" the line will run to a point near the known colored minister of Garland, N. Mr. James M. Stevenson, as one of the new station of the Atlantic Coast Line. C., and heretofore has borne a very principal stockholders and the mana-Some months ago The complaint ger of the business. ransporting whiskey even made, the line, after leaving the city, Special Agent Edmonson was detailed further alleges that much of the nomiwill follow the county road to a point to trace up some lost mileage books nal assets are of doubtful value; that for the hackman to take out where it curves below the Horne from the general offices here and oc- the corporation is insolvent and canthe Recerder stated that if a south and will probably connect with proper railroad authorities of mileage of a large number of the creditors of to brand the dispenser of them as a The complaint was presented to Judge



CONFERENCE TOMORROW

Commissioners Will Meet With Legislators From This County

Tomorrow is the day appointed for the conference between the committee from the Board of County Commissioners and this county's representatives in the next Legislature with a salaries for this county. view of arriving at some conclusion

as to the amount that should be paid

salaries to be paid in the event the fee gister, who lost his life while working system is abalished, which seems most at the top of a pole at Third and Caslikely. The schedule of salaries paid te streets, last June, supposedly by

in some of the counties which have coming in contact with a "live wire. already put their officers on a salary Authority to require the defendant in basis has been received and will no an action of the kind to furnish the doubt be used as a guide by the Com- plaintiff with any information the demissioners and legislators in fixing the fense might have, bearing upon the case at issue, is given by statute, With the placing of the county offi- though it is seldom invoked;

cers on a salary basis a new office will The plaintiff is suing for \$20,000 ic

Wilmington. However, Messrs. Pate Son Simmons, alias John Gause, colored, waived preliminary examina-tion on a charge of burglary and vas bound over to Superior Court and sent to jail without bond. It is alleged that he entered the home of Helen Hart, colored with burglaria from the land the search to push the undertaking through to a

colored, with burglarious intent. The mumediate development of Carolina lefendant is also charged with an as. Beach now seems assured. The New sault on Helen Hart. Rosa Johnson, Hanover Transit Company owns concolored, paid \$5 and costs for disordersiderable property at the resort, inly conduct. James Windley was found cluding the pavilion, and the railroad which stretches across the mainland not guilty of vagrancy. from the ocean to the river and also

SCHOONER REMAINS AGROUND own the pier on the river. The property has been divided into lots and

many of these have already been sold. Heavy Seas Prevent Seminole From though no special effort has as yet Trying to Float the Savannah.

The revenue cutter Seminole, after been made to dispose of them in Wiltaking on about half her usual allow. mington. Representative citizens ance of coal, steamed yesterday for throughout this section of North Caro-Frying Pan Shoals to see what could lina and upper South Carolina have be done towards saving the schooner purchased lots there, the idea of the Savannah, which ran aground there company being to get as many people last, Friday. The cutter returned to from a distance interested as possible her station here yesterday afternoon as it will widen the interest in the and reported that nothing could be resort and make for a more rapid and the vessel yesterday. At substantial growth. Already there are done for though the wind was light, such a prospects of a large hotel being erectheavy sea was running that it made ed at the resort. The fact that the any attempt to get near the derelict immediate development of the resort a very hazardous undertaking, and appears now to be a certainty will be there being no lives at stake, it was received with interest and pleasure by deemed best to wait for a better op. the people of this city and section. portunity

The cutter was not able to get near FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH enough to the Savannah to tell much

about her condition, but plats of her position were made which will be of tin Issued for Congregation great value when an attempt is made to float her. Even in a calm sea the est are ta'ren from last Sunday's is-Seminole will not be able to get very sue o fthe bulletin of the First Presbyterian Church near the stranded schooner, but as

soon as the sea falls she will go back Attractive invitations have been sent out by the Christian Endeavor Societo the Savannah and with the assist ance of local tugs get a line onto the ing of December 31st. and try to pull it back into evening will be followed by a watch deep water. If conditions are better night service. All of the young people 33x165 feet in size; J. O. Bowden and such an attempt will likely be made of our church are cordially invited. wife to P. Q. Moore and wife for today

PORT PARAGRAPHS

ly, who were elected Ruling Elders of [Wrightsville Beach, same being on this church on December 15th, have northeast corner of Atlanta street and British Steamer King, George Clears signified their acceptance of the of-

Drs. J. G. Murphy and J. W. Stan-

LEGISLATIVE BULLETINS

fice. The session has determined to wife to W. Henry Capehart and wife, With Large Cargo of Cotton have the ordination and installation for \$100 and other considerations, lot The British steamer King George. services on next Sunday at 11 A. M. on east side of Fifth street, 66 feet Capt. Burnett, cleared and steamed We trust that a large congregation north of Swan street, 42x44 feet in vesterday for Bremen with cargo of will be present at that time. 13,129 bales of cotton. The cargo, Oh tomorrow Rev. A. J. Howell, which is valued at \$919,000, was exby Messrs. Alexander Sprunt the assistant to the pastor, will leave ported

who are also agents for the us for a four months' course of study & Son. at Union Theological Seminary, Richvessel. mond, Va. Mr. Howell has already The British steamer Monitoria.

which has been discharging cargo of been ordained, but goes for the purfertilizer materials at the Virginia- pose of still further fitting himself for Carolina Chemical Company's plant at his work as a minister of the gospel. Navassa, cleared light yesterday for He will be sorely missed in our work here. The prayers and good wishes Sapelo, Ga.

The Clyde Line steamer Carib, due of us all; pastor, elders and people go here Monday, sailed two days late and with him. will not arrive here until sometime

today.

Received at Chamber of Commerce for Goes Into Banking. Benefit of Members The many friends of Mr. Rudolph H. The Chamber of Commerce of the Gieschen, for the past eight years in United States, of which the Wilmingthe general offices of the Atlantic Coast Line in this city, last in the of- ton Chamber of Commerce is a memfice of the Auditor of Disbursements, ber, will receive from the National orwill be interested and pleased to ganization a legislative bulletin serknow that on January 6th, he goes vice during present session of Conwith the Atlantic Trust & Banking gress. The course of legislation affect-

pretty shrewd individual. The special Oliver H. Allen, at Kinston, by J. O. agent went quietly about his work of Carr, Esq., who returned last evening, the county officers when the proposed ment of approximately \$200,000, and it clearing up the missing books and tick- with the order appointing Mr. Davis change from the fee system to salary that of county auditor. The duty of ditional information is desired by the is said that practically every cent of ets and through avenues of informa- as receiver. The order provides that has been made. The conference will the auditor will be to supervise the plaintiff before filing the complaint. tion that he carefully followed, he had any other creditors interested may ap- be held either late in the afternoon or listing of taxes as well as to audit and it is for the purpose of receiving sufficient data yesterday to warrant ply for a modification, of the order in the evening. It has been set for the accounts of the various officers this data that the order was issued and Loughlin are not offering stock for his arrest of Steward, who was taken within twenty days, if they so desire. the afternoon, but it is probable that of the county. Mr. Davis, the receiver, stated to on account of a previous engagement

in custody by Officer Lane as he left counsel last night that he was very of one of the representatives that the

The special agent then arranged for hopeful, from a cursory examination meeting will have to be held at night the search of Steward's premises and of affairs, to pay the debts of the comlearned that he was unmarried and octopany in a satisfactory manner. The cupied a room at the Neil boarding J. C. Stevenson, Co., is a corporation house. Soon after he was behind the under the laws of the State of North bars, the party proceeded to his room Carolina and was formed some years and recovered box and valise after va- ago upon the death of the late Mr. J. lise full of Coast Line mileage, ticket C. Stevenson to take over the business forms and other property belonging to founded by him and conducted under the railroad company; also goods that partnership by him for many years. have undoubtedly been stolen from pri- Since the death of his father, the vate residences. These are held at the business had been conducted by Mr. police station awaiting identification James M. Stevenson, whose many by the owner or owners. Among the friends will hope that the financial articles found in the "mysterious embarrassment now encountered by room" of the negro was an assortment him will be only temporary. The reof fine liquors, indicating that Stew- ceiver for the business has not yet anard was something of an entertainer nounced what disposition will be made when anyone did pass within his por- of the stock and other assets of the tals. He told in an indifferent sort of corporation.

way last night of how he came in possession of many of the goods found in his room and the story was one of such length that Special Agent Edmonson Postal Gives Substantial Cut on Plain decided to let the negro sweat over night and "go at" him again this morn-

Lumina avenue: Thos. A. Smith and

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REDUCE CABLE RATES Language Cablegrams.

Mr. W. H. Stansell, manager of the ing when some of the property may be local office of the Postal Telegraph Company, last night received a telegram from the head office announcing

a further reduction in rates on defer-Deeds were filed for record yester- red plain language cablegrams from points in the United States to Great Interesting Items From Weekly Bulle- other considerations, lot on-east side 1st. The reduction in rates applies to Britain and Ireland, effective January of Brooklyn street, 156 feet north of a large number of States, including The following items of general inter- Taylor, 33x75 feet in size; T. F. Boyd North Carolina. The deferred plain and wife, of Hamlet, to Z. J. Carter language cablegrams have been sent and W. B. Brice, for \$1,000 and other by the Postal, Telegraph Company for considerations, the "Godfrey Hart the past few months at half the regu-Tract" of land in Masonboro township; |lar rate, or at 15 1-2 cents a word, and J. W. Scott and wife to J. G. Dar- beginning today these messages will ty for a social meeting on the even- den and wife, for \$100 and other con- be sent at 121-2 cents a word from The social siderations, lot on west side of Sec Wilmington and other points in North ond street, 231 feet south of Queen, Carolina. - The Postar has consider able cable business from Wilmington, and this will doubtless be further in-\$100 and other considerations, lot 81, creased by the reduction which goes in effect today.

CITY SCHOOLS TOMORROW.

Will Re-open After Holidays-Announcements by Superintendent. The attention of patrons and pupils f the Wilmington public schools is

called to the fact that all the schools Los Angeles, Cal., December 31.of the city will open for the second rank Chance, formerly manager of session of the present scholastic year Chicago National, League baseball at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. It is club, today announced that he would important, of course, that every one leave his home at Glendora. Cal., on reports for duty the first day. January 4th, for Chicago, Chance ex-On Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock pects to meet President Frank H. he Teachers' Meeting for January will Farrell, of the New York Americans, be held in the Hemenway building. on January 7th in Chicago for a dis-The entire corps of teachers from the cussion of an offer of Chance's services

High School, Union, Hemenway and Isaac Bear Memorial schools are expected to attend. The feature of this

meeting will be an address by Prof. M. C. S. Noble, of the department of Pedagogics at the State University.

Special Ctar Service Special car service will be given on the suburban line today. The regular week-day schedule will be operated on the suburban line this morning, and this afternoon the half-hour schedile will be operated the same as on

ORDER ISSUED YESTERDAY.

in Damage Suit.

Plaintiff Seeks Information to be Used Call to Fayetteville

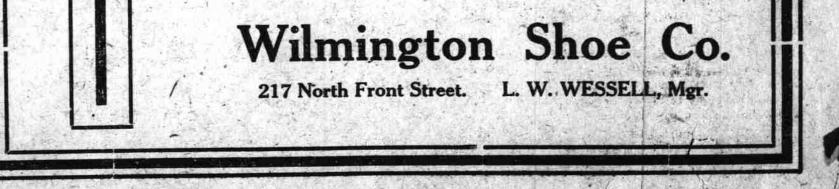
instead. Chairman M. S. Willard, of Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville the County Commissioners, is officio In the case of Martha J. Register, Observer: "Mr. F. R. Rose and Maj. chairman of the committee, the other administratrix of James Register, B. R. Huske returned this morning two members being Commissioners Metts and McGirt. They will meet against the Tidewater Power Company, from Roanoke, Va., whither they had Bellamy an order was issued yesterday aftergone as a committee representing the with Senator-elect Marsden and Representative Woodus, Kellum, noon by Maj. W. N. Harriss, Clerk of vestry of St. John's church, this city, It is understood that the legislators Superior Court, at the request of coun- to invite the Rev. Arch. W. Boogher have obtained from the present offi- sel for the plaintiff, to the officials of of Roanoke, to become rector of St. cers the approximate amount their re- The Tidewater Power Company, to ap- John's church. He has been induced spective offices paid the past year and pear before him on Monday, January to visit Fayetteville in a week or two these figures will be used at the con- 6th, and give full information as to the before making a decision. The comference to aid in a rriving at the proper circumstances of the death of Mr. Re- mittee was much pleased with him."



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be created by legislative enactment, the death of her husband. Certain advesterday. Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., and John D. Bellamy & Son represent the plaintiff.

identified.

Real Estate Transfers day as follows: A. K. Moore to W. M. Cumming and wife, for \$100 and

Co. Mr. Gieschen is a clever and tal- ing the financial, commercial, ented young man and will "make and industrial interests of the coungood" in every sense of the word in try at large will be followed and all his new position. He succeeds Mr. H. changes in statutes noted. The infor-L. Farmer, who leaves the service of mation is compiled in a comprehensive the bank to take a course at Randolph- manner and is placed at the disposal Macon College... iof members of the local chamber.

