

Officer H. Mack Godwin Had Busy Day Serving Warrants.

County Officer H. Mac kGodwin was mirth, and merriment, under the direca busy man yesterday and served a number of warrants. All of them were that this company was founded in 1900 Mercer. for negroes and they went to jail in

which was a parody on woman's suftion of Mr. Ralph Dunbar. The fact frage, and a plano solo by Miss Jessie "Chairman Social Service Committee."

Quartette and Bell Ringers will give Banks, entitled, "I Hear You Calling"; continuance of this work must feel that an entertainment "cram full" of music, a reading by Miss Florence Wessell, their money is well spent. 'MRS. E. M. GREGG.

and after 15 years presents a quar- Following the entertainment fea- PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR WINDOW DRESSING CONTEST

dates.

terest in the Wilmington Emancipation Association, officers were elected for the ensuing year. There were many suggestions made that it is felt

The officers elected are as follows:

President, R. H. White; vice president,

I. J. Dudley; secretary, James E.

chairman finance committee, R. D.

Howard; treasurer, R.

merce has sent out 125 letters with Drew; chairman of arrangement com-

eturn postal cards to the merchants mittee; C. M. Martin; chief marshall,

n the city inviting them to partici- F. P. Pittman; first assistant mar-

pate in the window dressing contest shall, Thomas Loftin; second assistant

which will be held at an early date. The marshall, E. A. Carter; associate chaircontest will last for three days and a man of ladies' auxiliary, Victoria Lof-

There are five prizes to be son was made honorary vice president.

week's notice will be given of the tin. By a unanimous vote, Jacob John-

Wilmington

will be of great help to the members of the organization

D. Bizzell

pauperism for all but 2 per cent. of us? Let us help YOU to save, and to belong to the successful minority.

default of bonds in the sum of \$100 tette of the most popular male singers each and are due to have hearing beand musicians on the lyceum platform, fore Justice Harriss. is proof enough of the rare evening's

basso, euphonium, humorist.

served seats for the concert will go on

on March 6 by Mr. Speaight.

personations.

Daughters.

Randolph Sanders, alleged to have entertainment that is promised. been guilty with several other negroes For over a score of years the Dunof shoplifting from the department bar company has been on friendly store of J. H. Rehder & Co., was lo- terms with hundreds of thousands of cated here. The alleged larceny of concert goers and chautauquas; has silks occurred early in November but charmed and thrilled them with its the negro left the city shorly affer- part songs, carried them to fanciful wards. realms with its beautiful music from

Preston Watson, alleged to have taken lead solder, the property of W. swung like silver censors; sent them R. Foster & Co., while he was work- into convulsions of laughter with song ing on the Colonial apartments, was also located yesterday. Lewis Albro, clamations of applause by the excelwho recently completed a term on the roads, had a dispute with a woman Friday night and is said to have beat her up pretty badly. The fourth negro arrested was Arthur Warren, allas 'White Rat," who is charged with stealing brass from the A. C. L.

### READY FOR GAS EXTENSION

Mr. E. C. Hudson Returns From Trip fitted to it by talent, training and North-Material Already Arriving. character.

Mr. E. C. Hudson, superintendent of the gas department of the Tidewater lows: Reid M. Strohm, first tenor and Fower Company, returned yesterday morning from a sojourn North where he has been investigating the best methods of installing gas mains and appliances, especially wolding of pipe joints and installation of the compressors which will be put in at the works many numbers from the 200 mellowin the city for the extension of the mains of the company to Wrightsville toned bells they carry with them. Re-Beach. Mr. Hudson visited New York, Newark and several other places where work of the character to be done here day at 8 A. M. and continue until 6 is now going on.

It will be of interest to know that material is already arriving for the Wrightsville Beach extension of the pipe is expected to be commenced within two weeks at any rate. It will be a high pressure gas system of the most approved type and will give the very best of service to consumers all along the line.

# BASEBALL ENTERTAINMENT.

Arrangements Made for Musical Eevat at Winter Park February 24th.

Having decided to have baseball this year and needing some money to put he proposition over in proper style, tainer and is in great demand, frethe promoters of the Interurban League lave already set about providing ways and means for securing the necessary A meeting of the committee was held last night at Winter Parkand arrangements made for a musical entertainment to be given on Thursday night, February 24th, at Winter Park auditorium. The programme has ot yet been completed but some of the best talent in Wilmington will.be included. Further details will be announced later.

Times-Dispatch Mr. Speaight is describ-As announced last week the Interured as even more than a versatile actor. han League is composed of two city "Himself a man of brilliant, magnetic eams and Winter Park and East Wilpersonality," says the Times-Dispatch, "Mr. Speaight held his audience ington. Baseball fans will doubtless e glad to learn that good games have throughout the evening under the spell been arranged for each Saturday afterof his story. It was a delightful and oon next summer.

# SUMMER-LIKE WEATHER.

Many Will Likely Visit Beach Today. Number of Visitors Yesterday.

audience, showing how sound and true The spring-like weather yesterday is the logic and philosophy of Dickens." tracted many people to Wrightsville each, especially cottagers there dur-Real Estate Transfers. ng the summer and those who expect be members of the colony during he coming season. Already there are any signs of activity at the resort, siderations, lot at Winter Park Garnumber of improvements are under way and not a few property owners are dens: Mary F. Stone to Norfus Bellamy, counsel in the case of death for tissue fire. Salves do not reach the source of the

tures of the evening, delightful refresh-The following ments were served. committee was in charge of the entertainment and made out the programme

for the occasion: John W. Brown, chairman; I. C. Loftin and J. W. Blomme JONES DODGING SUBMARINES

Former Detective Here Writes Asking News of Wilmington Friends.

200 ponderous, mellow-toned bells Of much interest to the writers' friends in this city will be the follow- given. ing letter from Charles H. Jones, for- ter which has been sent out: and impersonated humor and won acmerly a detective in Wilmington, and lence of its instrumental ensembles. now chief steward on board His Majes- plan that will increase the trade of Its personnel has changed, necessarty's transport Larchgrove in the Med- your store and at the same time make ily, in so long a period, but its star iterranean. The letter is addressed to Wilmington a more attractive city. Justice G. W. Bornemann, and fts Will you join us in making this plan has never waned, because it has followed the methods of joy and gladness, contents show that in spite of the fact a success? not to one class of folks, but to everythat Mr. Jones' thoughts are to a cer-

body that loves unusual music of the tain extent occupied with what chances should appreciate the selling value of finest type, and hearty and wholesome his ship has of dodging German and a good window display. Some merlaughter when produced by men ac- Austrian submarines, he still has time chants thoroughly appreciate this now tually called to this high purpose, and to remember and write to his old asso- and always have their windows atcite on the Glee club here. The let- tractively decorated, but many others ter reads as follows: The personnel of the Dunbar Male

"Hello, Judge: Thought I would value out of their display windows. Quartette and Bell Ringers is as foldrop you a line for old times' sake. We want every merchant to take a I am dodging German and Austrian greater interest in attractive window submarines down here off the North trimming, both because it will mean French horn; Earl A. VirDen, second tenor and cornet; George Aylsworth, African coast. I told you I was go- more business for him and because a ing to have something to do with this panorama of artistically decorated baritone, trombone, violin; L. E. Spring, war service now for some time and windows along our streets will be a It may be seen that this company is I don't know the minute one of those delight to the eye and will leave a not only a singing quartette but also Huns will come up and give us all a lasting impression with the stranger "Brass Quartette", in addition to the

I am getting double pay for in our city. bath. war risks and I am chief steward of this ship. I was singing 'Darling I Am in attractive window decorating, the Growing Old' this morning and I Chamber of Commerce is going to consale at Munson & Co.'s store on Thurs- thought of you. If I should get duct a window trimming contest. There through this war with a whole skin I will be five classes of contestants and P. M. The performance will begin at may have the pleasure of seeing you five prizes of equal value. The win-8:30 o'clock, and all patrons are re- again one day. You know I have a ner in each class will be awarded a quested to be on time. Anyone not soft spot in my heart for you. I am complete free I. C. S. scholarship in holding a season ticket and desiring enclosing my address and do drop me salesmanship, advertising, show card service and the actual work of laying single tickets may secure these at a line and let me know how dear old writing or any other course the I. C. Wilmington is going on. Sincerest re- S. teaches, with the exception of the

Munson's on Thursday at 50c each. gards. "Your Old Glee Club Friend, "CHARLES H. JONES." DICKENS IMPERSONATION

#### Will Be Given at the Victoria Theatre BOHEMIAN GIRL CONTEST. Mr. Frank Speaight, of London, Eng-

land, who has been called the "Man Why is It World's Most Popular Comie Who Makes Dickens Live," is to be in Opera-Replies Coming In. Wilmington on March 6 and will give Although the Bohemian Girl contest impersonations from "Pickwick Pa-The Morning Star in connection pers" at the Victoria theatre. He is with the management of the Academy testing store. said to be a most delightful enterof Music where the opera will be stagquently visiting the same city season after season to give readings and im-

It is hoped that many Wilmington and others are coming in on each mail. the record of official entries." people will take advantage of this op-These papers will be turned over to portunity to hear this talented enterthe judges unopened on next Tuesday tainer, especially as the proceeds from noon and after going carefully over this production are for one of the best each, the seven prizes will be awarded works of the city, the visiting nurse as announced elsewhere in today's fund, which is under the direction of paper. the Ministering Circle of the King's

Much interest has been aroused in study of the leading operas by this In a recent number of the Richmond little contest and it is safe to say that the sum total of knowledge of all the classics has been added to by the spirited rivalry that has already set in among those who are preparing 200word answers to the query, "Why is The Bohemian Girl the Most Popular Comic Opera in the World Today?' happy experience in the renewal of Those who have not yet completed one's acquaintance with these old their papers may see "The Story of friends. In scintillating speech he ex-The Bohemian Girl" at the Academy plained the characters in 'Pickwick Paoffice or by applying at The Star office pers,' which he had portrayed for the within the next day or two. A few minutes may win for some one the valuable prizes in seats for

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: W. A. McGirt to Jefferson Xanthos, for \$10 and other concounsel in the case of Tom Merrick,

"So to arouse a greater interest

do not get the greatest possible selling

Chamber of Commerce Sends Out Let-

ters Inviting Merchants to Enter.

The Wilmington Chamber of Com-

Following is the text of the let-

"The Chamber of Commerce

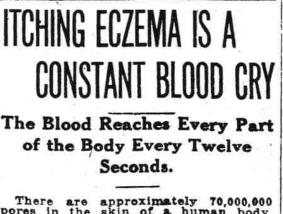
"Every merchant in

railroad and language courses. "Every live merchant will naturally want to take part in this contest. The Chamber of Commerce is going to do everything in its power to make it a success. Already many merchants have entered, the newspapers are interested, people are talking about it. We believe the contest period will be a period of big business' for every con-

"Inclosed is an entry card on which ed next Saturday, matinee and night, you will find the contest rules and a does not close until Tuesday at 12 list of the five classes of contestants. o'clock, quite a number of contestants Just sign and mail this card back to have already submitted their papers us and we will place your store on

## Near Side Stop.

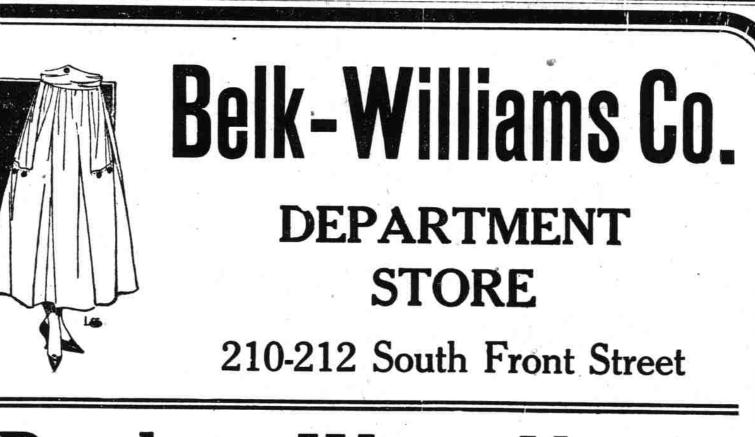
Beginning Tuesday street cars will stop on the near side of street to take on and let off passengers. (Advertisement.)



one the valuable prizes in seats for the production next Saturday! To Argue Merrick Murder Case. Judge F. A. Daniels has set next Tuesday for hearing the arguments of counsel in the case of Tom Merrick,

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# **Ready-to-Wear News:**

Just here from the Leading Makers of the Country. Our Buyers are on the "Ground Floor" n New York, and we are Showing today a beautiful new line of

Corduroy Skirts, in the latest cuts, colors and styles, at very interesting Prices.	"ONE SPECIAL NEW THING." This lot of Skirts made for Little Women and Large Girls, with lea-	
Navys, Copens, Greens, Browns, Rose and Whites	ther belt and leather trimmed poc- kets; newest thing out; Special	
New Shepherd Checks, separate skirts, very nobby and serviceable <b>\$1.50, \$2.50</b>	Price	
One lot of Ladies' Skirts, made of "Men's Wear Serge" in Blacks and Blues, Tailor Fashioned; well made, very nobby for "Street Wear." Our Special	"NEW COAT SUITS." In all the New Shades and Cloths, are ready for your inspection. We especially invite you to come at once and see. We are glad to have	
Same as above material; Men's Wear Serges, in "Extra Sizes," for ladies rather stout; Special	you see them. Silks, Taffetas, Ga- berdines, Serges, Etc. Prices <b>\$9.95, \$19.93, \$24.95, to \$35.00</b>	XI

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This Special consists of Gowns and Petticoats. Real \$2.00 Garments, on four 

