THIS PAPER childerery afternoon, Sundays excepted by JOSH. T. JAMES, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. USCEPTIONS, POSTAGE PAID. rear, \$5 00; Six months, \$2 50; Three with, \$1 20; One month, 50 cents. paper will be delivered by carriers, sicharge, in any part of the city, at the on rates, or 13 cents per week. Institute rates low and liberal. Touseribers will please report any and source to receive their papers regularly.

[Charlotte Observer.] ETISCOPAL CONVENTION.

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SECOND DAY.

MOBNING SESSION.

THEESDAY, May 31st, 1877. Episcopal convention was called to at 9 o'clock, a. m., by the Bishop. delegates answered, more not present yesterday :

CLERGY.

on C. J. Curtis, R. B. Drane, Luther I. B. Haughton, H. G. Hilton, J. enan W. S. Pettigrew, A. A. Walson, P.and James A. Westen.

LAY-DELEGATES.

Kessis. W. L. Patterson, J. J. Erwin, Walton, J. C. Tate, H. R. Byron, J. of H. C. Bost, J. D. Grimsley and A Boyle.

BISHOP'S ADI RESS.

a fey, Bishop Atkinson then deliverthe annual address to the convention, erar, the number of times he had madel at each place, and the confirmagving passing suggestions as to the ed of the different : ections, particularthis time, he (Bishop Atkinson) would necessarily require the approval of



NEW BARBER SHOT

erection of a new diocese, was taken up, Northern through mails and Rev. Dr. Marshall read the recommendation of the committee for its

A discussion sprang up on the report of the committee, and certain resolutions were introduced by Gen. J. G. Martin, Fayetteville, and offices on Cape setting forth a large portion of the terri-tory, west of the Blue Ridge (and now within the present diocese of North Carolina) as a missionary field, which was continued until 1 o'clock, when, on motion, the whole matter was postponed until the afternoon session.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

erection

Convention called to order at half past four, the Bishop presiding.

Rev. D. H. Buel introduced a resolution in regard to the establishment of mission stations, and moved to refer it to the committee on canons. It was so referred.

A supplement to the financial report who asked that it be made a part of the original report.

At 5 o'clock the question of the erection of the new Diocese came up before the Convention. Judge W. R. Cox took strong grounds against the division. Rev. me in detail his visitations during the E. R. Rich, a member of the committee who recommended the division, favored it, and quite a number of the clergy and lay delegates took part in the discussion on both sides. Finally Judge Cox moved fit of extreme Western North ; Caro- the postponement of the question until which was a fine field for labor. the next Convention of the Church. A werk may be summarized as follows : riva roce vote by orders being called for in of confirmations by himself the motion was lost by a vote of 29 to 3, the year, were 283. During the the clergy only voting. The Bishop an-nounced that a question of this character

The Mails. The Mails close and arrive at the City Postomice as follows:

- - 5:00 P. N Northern through and way mails. 6:15 A M Mails for the N. C. Railroad, and routes supplied therefrom - - 5:00 P M Southern mails for all points South, daily Western mails (C. C. R. W.) daily

5:00 P M Fear River, Tuesdays and Fri-

days Mails for points along line of Cheraw & Darlington R R - - - 11;30 A M Fayetteville by C. C. R. W. daily,

(except Sundays) Mails for points between Florence and Charleston - - - - - - 11:30 A M Onslow C. H. and intermediate of-

fices every Friday - 6:00 A M Smithville mails, by steamboat, daily, (except Sundays) - 8:00 A M Mails for Easy Hill, Town Creek, every Friday at - - - 6:00 A M

ARRIVE. Northern through mails - 12:15 P Northern through and way mails. 5:50 P Southern mails Carolina Central Railway at -

Mails delivered from 6:00. A. M. to 7:00 P M., and on Sundays from 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 6 P. M. Money order and was submitted by Dr. A. J. DeRosset Register Departments open same as stamp

Stamps for sale at general delivery when stamp office is crosed Key Boxes accessible at all hours, day and night.

Mails collected from street boxes every day 4:00 P. M.

LOCAL NEWS. New Advertisements.

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JAMES SPRUNT-Historical and Scientific Society . T. C. SERVOSS-Office City Clk & Treas. Change Schedule W & W R B.

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## Lecture on Entomology.

The regular meeting of the Historical and Scientific Society will be held next Monday evening on which oceasion Mr. W. F. Wenzel will read a paper on Entomology, which has been prepared by him with especial reference to noxious and beneficial insects. Mr. Wenzel is fully equal to the subject he has undertaken and the paper he will present will afford real entertainment to those who may be present on the occasion.

#### Dr. Deems in North Carolina.

Yesterday's Raleigh Observer says: Rev. Dr. Chas. F. Deems, pastor of the Church of the Strangers, New York, arrived in the city yesterday evening, and took rooms at the Yarborough House. Though much fatigued by his journey, he was able to receive and entertain a large number of friends during the evening. Dr. Deems is en route to Chapel Hill where he will deliver the annual sermon before the graduating class Wednesday evening next.

The Fire To-Day.

Market House were undecided whether it

proceeded from some of the distilleries or

from a burning building. The fire alarm

was sounded and the fire department

turned out promptly, but before any

branch of it could reach the scene of con-

flagration the burning building was com-

The house was situated on the corner

of Front and Mearcs' streets and was oc-

cupied by Mrs. Kershaw and her two

small children and owned by the estate of

Lary Williams, Mrs. Kershaw was unable

to tell us anything as to the origin of the

fire, and says the first she knew of it was

the floor near where she was sitting sew-

lost all of her household effects, save two

to eat, and without money and friends.

The Seventeen Year Locusts.

made their appearance throughout Eastern

Virginia, and portions of North Carelina

crippled condition that they are soon

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broken off by the winds,

pletely consumed.

About noon to-day an immense volume

Prof. Agostini's Entertainment. There was what might really be called "a tremendous crowd" at the Opera House last evening, the occasion being the final entertainment of Prof. Agostini's dancing school. Every seat was filled and the interest was intense and unflagging. It is no flattery to Mr. Agostini to say that the Mr. Canaday. It is thought Ellerby is entertainment did him honor. The proticiency of his pupils was something a short time ago, and also visited the wonderful to behold and we know that butcher pen of Mr. Thos. H. Johnson and the entire audience were delighted and the premises of Capt. Alexander May and Mrs. Walker. pleased. After the exhibition by the children the City Hall was then opened and The husband of the woman arrested the young disported themselves there in has been sent to jail on suspicion of being the mazes of the dance until the small a confederate of Ellerby.

# A Bold and Desperate Thief Caught

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and Stolen Articles Recovered. This morning Robert Ellerby was arrested on a capias by Deputy Sheriff Thos. C. Miller, charged with the robbery of Mr. Thos. H. Smith's store, some months ago, and since his arrest it has been ascertained he was one of the thieves who has made so many successful visits to the premises of persons living near this city. Last night the chicken house on

the premises of Mr. W. P. Canaday was robbed of a great many fancy chickens, and this morning while Bust West, a servant of Mr. Canaday, was in the market, he discovered a woman carrying a covered basket. His suspicions were at once aroused, and he called Officer Strode and pointed the woman out, when she started off in a brisk run, but was soon overtaken and carried before 'Squire Gardner. Upon examining the basket, several pairs of dressed chickens were found, and the woman stated that Robert Ellerby had brought the chickens to her house. A search warrant was issued and the house searched when the following articles were found: A pitchfork and pea raker, the property of Capt. S. W. Nobles; a large

clock and dictionary, belonging to St. James' Home; two hand-saws, belonging to Mr. Taylor at the National Cemetery. and the heads of the chickens stolen from one of the men who shot Mr. Oscar Grant

#### PLEASE NOTICE.

We will be glad to receive, communications from our friends on any and all subjects of general interest but :

The name of the writer must always be furnished to the Editor.

Communications must be written only on ne side of the paper.

Personalities must be avoided.

Andit is especially and particularly under stood that the editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents, unless so stated in the editorial columns.

New Advertisements. Office City Clerk and Treasurer. CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C., JUNE 1st, 1877. A PPLICATIONS for appointment under

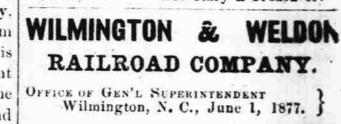
the present City Government must be handed in at this Office on or before THURSDAY, the 7th inst.

By order of Board of Aldermen, T. C. SERVOSS. june 2 City Clerk and Treasurer.

# Historical and Scientific Society. Notice.

THERE WILL BE A REGULAR MEETing of the Society on MONDAY Evening next, at 8 o'clock, in the Lecture Room of the First Presbyterian Church ; when a paper will be read by Mr. W. F. Wenzel, on the subject of Entomology with special reference to noxious and beneficial insects.

A full attendance of the members is rejuested. JAMES SPRUNT, june 2 Secretary & Treasurer.



On and after Sunday, June 3d, 1877, the passenger trains on the Wilmington &

DAY MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN.

Leave Weldon daily at...... 11 40 A M Arrive at Wilmington, Front St.

Weldon Railroad will run as follows :

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De candidates for Priest's Orders were Deacon's Orders, were Edwin A. Osme and Brooks G. White.

ie was glad to note an improvement we condition of the diocese; an intase in the number of the clergy and munuicants. The increase of commucants, however, did not correspond as it whet, to the number confirmed, He made aportant suggestions to the elergy on this point.

ASSISTANT BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

lishop Lyman then detailed to the arention his services during the conven-eal year. He had baptized 18 persons mauts and 9 adults ; confirmed 238 ; arred 1 couple. Had ordained 1 person thas official visits, besides other celeations in the ordinary services of the

Par he found much occasion for unragement. The church, however, ad more means and more laborers. young men of the church should be gut to see their duty in this respect, that which is supplied by a thoroughsuch the calculate the influence for

odist L. Church, South. Wilmington, at Fifth Street, June 9, 10 the Deacon's Order. Had administered Magnolia, at Carlton Chapel, June 16, 17 Communion 45 tinges in connection Waccamaw Mis., Pine Log,...June 16, 17 Bladen, at Center.....June 23, 24 Whiteville, Fair Bluff, June 30 & July 1st Onslow, at Gum Branch....July 7,

Elizabeth, at Bladen Springs, July 19, 20 Smithville, at Smithville....July 28, 29 Cokesbury and Coharie Mission at Black's Chapel .... Aug 4, 5 offices. Clinton at Hopewell. ........Aug 11, 12 a constant training. "Hence," said he, agency will be found more potent Topsail at Rocky Point, (Dis-Wilmington at Front Street... Aug 18, 19 trict Conference),..... Aug 23, 36

both orders-clergy and lay delegatesand as the clergy had already voted down conts the proposition to postpone, the motion was lost, without any vote on the part of

the lay delegates. On motion of Gen J. G. Martin the questions before the Convention were divided and the question was put "shall a new Diocese be formed within the limits of the present Diocese, with the consent in the height of their loveliness. and approval of the Bishop"-\_\_vate of the clergy 31 for, 3 votes against. The vote of the laity was, thirteen parishes voting aye, six no, divided four. The Bishop announced that the question was decided and a new Diocese would be formed.

On imotion of Rev. B. S. Bronson, a committee of five was appointed to conisder and report upon the best line of division between the new and the old Diocese; composed of the following gentlemen: Rev. Jarvis Buxton, Dr. A. A. Watson, Col. W. L. DeRosset, John S. Henderson and W. R. Bryan.

Gen W. R. Cox introduced the following report':

The committee to whom was referred that portion of the assistant Bishop's address relating to the Wilberforce Diocesan School, have had the same under consideration, and fully impressed with the imnortant enterprise, respectfully submit the

following: " Resolved, That the Bishops of the Diohaughton, Charles O. Brady, cese be requested to secure the services though we are glad to hear that he was ing was in a light blaze. The poor woman alter J. Smith, Benjamin S. Lassiter, of some competent person who shall act unphas E. Price, Jas. B. Cheshire and under their direction, to solicit funds annual N. Joyner. The candidates for for the purposes indicated in the address.

W. R. Cox. T. GEO. WALTON, COM. J. I. ERWIN.

The motion was carried and Col. T. G Walton was appointed, Ou motion the Convention adjourned till 9 o'clock this morning.

# Quarterly Meetings.

Third round of appointments as made by Rev. William S. Black, Presiding Elder, for the Wilmington District, Meth-

le said, that in reviewing the work of Kenansville, at Richlands.... July 14, 15

A. SHRIER .- Collars by the bucket full-25

This is the season for cats, croquet and spring colds.

Only two interments in Oakdale during the week past, both infants. Hot-house flowers and exoties are now

hours.

of smoke was seen rising in the southern It's June blankets intead of June bugs portion of the city, and for at least fifteen now. They were in demand last night minutes persons in the vicinity of the

Five interments in Pine Forest Cemetery during the past week, two adults and three infants.

Their name is legion, and they all want some "orfice," and about ninety-nine out of every one hundred of them will get a --- disappointment.

Maj. Jno. W. Dunham, who has been quite ill for several days past, is now better and hopes to be able to take his place at the Clerk's deck in the Criminal Court on Monday.

Mr. John D. Love, who was reported by us on Thursday as being dangerously ill, is still in a very critical condition, al-

slightly easier this morning.

The June Term of the Criminal Court | When we left the burning building the for this county convenes next Monday. | poor woman was silting in the hot sun The docket is a pretty full one and it is with her little children crying and clinging probable that the Court will be kept to her skirts. They are indeed to be pitvery busy during the two weeks of its tigh-no shelter over their heads, no food

The "shutting up" business went into effect last evening at the ringing of of the Market Honse bell. This signal will be given out every evening now until Sept. 15th, as a note of warning and informa-

## Applications for Office.

By advertisement published this morning, it will be seen that all applications for municipal positions must be handed in to Mr. T. C. Servoss, City Clerk and Treasurer, on or before next Thursday, at which time the Board of Aldermon will go into an election to fill the various

An Honor Worthily Bestewed. We are glad to learn of the appreciatrees.

tion which our former fellow-townsman, General R. E. Colston, has met with at

### List of Jail Birds.

Up to to-day there were 18 prisoners n jail, awaiting trial at the Criminal court which convones next week, and this morning Robert Elleville, charged with larceny, was arrested on a capias by officers T. C. Miller and Tony Ashe, of the Sheriff's force and added to the number. The list now stands as follows: Chas. M. Epps, charged with larceny. committed by Justice VanAmringe. Ida Evans, with larceny, committed by Justice Gardner. Robt. Elleville, larceny, committed on capias. James Harvey, assault and battery committed by Justice Harriss. Hedrick Jones, larceny, committed by lustice Gardner. Edwin Joyner, larceny, committed by ustice Gardner.

Thomas King, larceny, committed by ustice Gardner. Ben Lane, willful abandonment, com-

wooden bottom chairs and a small table. nitted by Justice VanAmrige.

Cato Mack, assault and battery, committed by Justice Gardner.

Ida Mack, harboring a prisoner, cemnitted by Justic Gardner.

Samuel Merrick, larceny, committed by Justire Harriss. Annie J. Speight, larceny, committed The seventeen year locusts which have

on a capias. Chas. Southerland, larceny, committed on a capias.

this spring, are said to be a harmless in-Abram Thally, bigamy, committed by sect, and do no injury till about the Justice Gardner.

time of their departure, when they per-Robt. M. Walker, alias Taylor, forgery forate the tender twigs of forest and fruit committed by Justice Gardner. trees and deposit their eggs in countless

Jack Watkins, larceny, committed by Mayor Canaday.

They perforate the limbs in double Taylor Woodward, assault and battery rows, and so deeply as to kill most of and peace warrant, committed by Justice them at once, or leave them in such a Gardner.

> Bazzell Ward, larceny, committed by Mayor Canaday.

In this way they indict serious damage Robt. Nixon, larceny, committed by to young fruit trees and limbs of the forest Justice Gardner.

Of the prisoners 2 are white and 17 The eggs thus deposited hatch out into are colored.

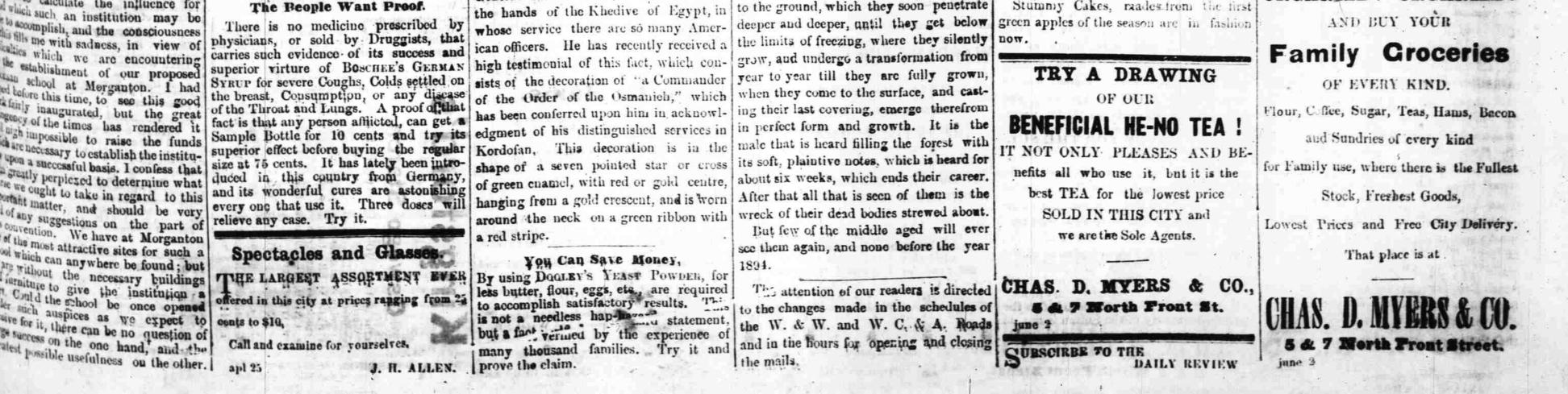
Depot at..... 5 10 P M NIGHT MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAIN. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. Leave Wilmington, Front St. Depot at..... 5 35 P M Arrive at Weldon at..... 2 20 A M Leave Weldon, daily at ..... 3 45 A M Arrive at Wilmington, Front St. Weldon for all points North via Bay Line daily, (except Sunday) and daily, via Richmond and all rail routes. Night train makes close connections at Weldon for all points north via Richmond. Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars attached to all Night Trains, and run through from Wilmington to Richmond. JOHN F. DIVINE, june 2-General Superintendent.

Gen'l Sup'ts Office, WILMINGTON, COLUMBIA AND AU-GUSTA RAILROAD. Wilmington, N. C., June 1, 1877. CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. On and after Sunday, June 3d, the follow ing schedule will be run on this road: DAY EXPRESS AND MAIL TRAIN, (daily except Sunday.) Leave Wilmington..... 12 15 P M Arrive at Florence..... 5 00 P Leave Florence..... 12 30 P M Arrive at Wilmington..... 5 20 P M NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN (Daily). Leave Wilmington ...... 6 00 P M Leave Florence..... 10 05 P M Arrive at Columbia..... 1 11 A M Arrive at Augusta..... 4 32 A M Leave Columbia.....11 39 P M Leave Florence..... 2 45 A M Arrive at Wilmington..... 6 40 A M This Train will only stop at Flemington, Whiteville, Fair Bluff, Marion, Florence, Timmonsville, Sumter and Eastover between Wilmington and Columbia. THROUGH FREIGHT TRAIN (Daily, except Sundays.) Leave Wilmington..... 2 30 P M Leave Florence..... 2 20 A M Arrive at Columbia..... 10 10 A M Leave Florence..... 4 30 A M Arrive at Wilmington..... 12 00 M par Passengers for Augusta and beyond should take Night Express Train from Wilmington. 75 Through Sleeping Cars on night trains for Charleston and Augusta. JAMES ANDERSON, General Superintendent. june 2

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