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JOHN C. HEYER. june 18-3w

Executrix' Sale of Stocks and Bonds. O'clock, M., we will sell at Exchange Corner, in this city, by order of the Executrix of the will of the late Wm. A. Wright,

\$6700 90 City of Wilmington, N. C. 8 per cent. Fund d Bends.
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# LOCAL NEWS.

#### New Advertisements.

S. JEWETT-Look. HEINSBERGER-Field Croquet-Thermome-

WILLIAMS & MCRCHISON-The Express Steamboat Company. MUNSON-A Full Line.

PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN-Poultry, Vegeta-

PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN-Wrightsville

JNO. S. JAMES, J. P .-- Tax Litting.

The latest bouquet holder simulates lizard set with diamonds.

glitter in the milinery line India shawls are now used as window

curtains and table covers. the long trains gracefully.

Narrow gold bracelets are more in favor than the heavy broad ones.

The lady's toilet is no longer complete without a bunch of flowers.

Ear-rings in the style of the Bells of Corneville tinkle in Parisienne ears.

Hon. A. M. Waddell, Congressman from this district, has returned to his home in this city.

According to the Almanac Summer commenced this morning at 49 minutes past 8 o'clock;

The trains of full dress toilets measure three yards from the waist to the extreme end of the train in the back.

The novelty in handkerchiefs is of pale blue or rose-colored linen batiste, with white borders scallopped to match.

The steamer Passport will take down party from the W. &. W. R. R. shops

to the Blackfish grounds to-morrow. A number of gentlemen went down blackfishing yesterday on the Passport and caught, in the aggregate, about 2,000 fish. Some who had never been there before were among the most successful.

Marriages are not plenty enough. The young ladies ought to get up a strike for their altars. The strike for the fires can come in afterward, when the question of building them comes up.

The dunned man can no longer hide his poverty by saying "I haven't the change now; bring that bill around some other time." Those of our citizens who "haven't the change now" are indeed to be pitied, for there seems to be no other kind of money in the country.

### Absolutely Pure.

DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER is prepared with special reference to supply the demand for a uniformly pure and always reliable baking powder. Made from pure grape cream tartar, it is free from any injurious substances, and perfectly wholesome. All sizes are strictly full weight. Every dealer who sells it is authorized to guarantee it in every respect to purchasers.

### Spoken.

British brigantine Eleanor, Captain Partelow, arrived in this port on the 20th inst. from London, and reports having spoken in latitude 36 N. 60 W., American brig Is's, from Boston to Demarara. All well and asked to be reported.

### In Distress.

Yesterday's Norfolk Virginian says: The schooner Benjamin T. Biggs, Captain Vent. bound from the Rappahannock river to Wilmington, N. C., with a cargo of corn, put in at this harbor yesterday with bowsprit badly sprung. She will be repaired at once.

### The River.

water in the river at Fayetteville, the re-! feature. sult of recent rains in the interior, but by this time the water is probably falling again and the run will soon be as hard as ever for the steamboatmen unless there is a further reinforcement from the interior

### Communion Wine.

The Grape Crop of A. Speer's Vineyards, n New Jersey, promises this year to be one third more than any previous year His Vineyards in New Jersey and the products from the grapes he purchases have enabled him to keep a stock four years ahead. None sold less than four years old. It has become a popular evening wine among the best families in New York, and for communion purposes.

Every one speaks well of it, and those Old Saxon, Roman, Greek, Portland and Olpe Vases, Watch Stands, Teapots, Mugs, place ever afterwards. Is it necessary to full share of freight and passengers. add that we refer to the Colonnade Hotel on Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. ?

#### Amateur Press Association.

To the Committee, Messrs. Edward A. Oldham, Geo. M. Carr and Fred. M. Smith, we return thanks for an invitation to attend the Second Annual Convention of the non-professional journalists of this State, to be held at Goldsboro, on the 29th inst. W. A. Davis, Esq., of the Oxford Torchlight, will deliver the annual address

#### The Masonboro Turnpike.

Mr. James Nolan, the Contractor on the Masonboro branch of the Turnpike Road, informs us that the route to Masontoro is now open. It leaves the main Mother-of pearl spangles are a fresh line at the three-mile post on the other end and comes in at Capt. Grainger's and Capt. Cazaux's places on Masonboro, the road forking just as it reaches the Sound. The Masonboro branch is three Only ladies of liberal physique can wear miles long, making the distance from the Toll House, at the city extremity, just six miles and a half. It is all in good trotting order except a piece about threefourths of a mile long, which is to be clayed and hardened at once.

#### From Foreign Ports-To Arrive.

For, barque Bankside, Watt, sailed from Liverpool, May 23. Ger. barque Carl August, Rasch, sailed

from Plymouth, May 9. Ger. barque Friedrich, Lon, sailed from

Amsterdam, March 14. Nor. barque Henrik Ibsen, Rasmussen, sailed from Liverpool, April 28.

Ger. barque Margaretha, Masselius, sailed from Bristol, May 22.

Ital. barque Maria Pace, ----, sailed from Amsterdam, March 17. For. barque Success, Heberg, clared

from Dublin, May 11. Br. schooner Mary Frost, Hubbard, sailed from Liverpeol, May 11.

#### Endowment Rank K. of P.

At a meeting of Knights of Pythias, held last evening at Castle, Hall for the purpose of organizing a section of the Endowment rank of that order, the following officers were elected:

W H Gerken, P.

R C Orrell, V P. J W Zimmerman, C. J L Dudley, Sec and Treas.

H C Prempert Guide. M Kasprowicz, Guard. G G Lewis, Sentinel.

C F Burchardt, M D, Med. Examiner. There is a membership already of 26 with other applications for admission in the hands of the proper committee.

W C Troy, Esq, Grand Chancellor of the State, is expected here in a few days, when the new section will be fully insti-

#### The Express Steamboat Company. The fine steamer Wave, after an ab-

sence of several weeks at Fayetteville, whither she has been undergoing repairs, has again put in an appearance at this port, but so altered and changed in appearance that her old friends and owners scarcely recognized her. By invitation of Mr. G. W. Williams, one of the agents of the Express Steamboat Company at this end of the line, we made a visit of inspection on board of the refitted steamer this morning, and found that a vast number of improvements had been made in every department of the boat. In the passenger apartments there are a great many new improvements that will add to the creature comforts of those who may take passage on the Wave.

to be furnished with elegant furniture. The gentlemen's cabin is also comfortably and cosily fixed, and is separated entirely from the gentlemen's sitting and smoking There has been a rise of five feet of room, which we believe is quite a new

> The upper decks of the steamer have been widened so as to afford passengers a better opportunity for a promenade on each side of the boat. In addition to the accommodations for passengers in the ladies' cabin and in the gentlemen's cabin, which are ample, there are also State Rooms which those who are first to apply can be accommodated with. The old engine of the steamer has been supplanted by entirely new machinery with a fourteen-inch cylinder, having "a four-foot stroke." courteous Commander, Capt. Robeson, expects to pass everything on the river And with two such fine boats as the Ware and Murchison, with two such clever Captains as Garrason and Robeson, the Ex

This is the longest day of the year,

#### WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY.

# Celebration of the Twenty-Fifth Anni.

versary. Yesterday the Wilmington Light Infantry celebrated its twenty fith anniversary, which had been postponed from the 20th of May, by an excursion to Smith ville on the steamer J. S. Underhill.

The day opened propitious and at an early hour the armory of the company was astir with busy preparations for the day's

At half-past eight o'clock the order was given to "fall in" when the company was formed and marched down to the steamer accompanied by a delegation from the Veteran Corps. Shortly after leaving the dock the upper deck was cleared and soon to the music of the irrepressible Miles Howard assisted by two members of the "harpers"-

" \* Hearts beat happily, and when Music arose with its voluptuous swell, Soft eyes looked love to eyes which spake

again, And all went merry as a marriage-bell." And not only did the young gentlemen of the company enjoy the pleasures of the dance, but some of the silver-haired Veterans and staff officers of the N. C. S. G. who were also of the party, took a hand too and enjoyed themselves right heartily giving evidence that the fires of youth were not extinct, but that they still

"Love to go and mingle with the young In the gay festal-room—when every heart Is beating faster than the tune."

The dancing was kept up at intervals during the run down to Smithville, which occupied between three and four hours. Arriving at Smithville preparations were immediately made for the target shooting. Three prizes were to be contended for; first, a silver butter dish, second, a silver syrup pitcher, and third a silver cup. These prizes were a present from Capt. Charles D. Myers, or rather to fill promise he had made the company in the event of their winning the champion flag at the late State Fair, which they did.

The shooting was done by numbers, each member having his number drawn by lot. The distance was 100 yards, and resulted in Mr. Owen McR. Holmes wining the first, Mr. R. H. Grant the second and Mr. W. C. Farrow, the third prize. The scores of the winners were very good, that of Mr. Holmes being 12 out of a possible 15. Messrs. Grant and Farrow tied on 10, out of a possible 15, which being shot over, single shot, the former was declared entitled to the second prize, making 4 out of a possible 5, the latter scoring 3 out of a possible 5. After the shooting for the prizes was over the Veterans took a shot and Capt. H. B. Willis made the best

The party immediately re-embarked and started on the homeward trip, when the successful contestants were called up on the upper deck where the prizes were presented by Mr. F. H. Darby in a few well chosen remarks, the first prize being accepted by Mr. J. I. McRee very gracefully for Mr. Holmes, Messrs. Grant and Farrow receiving their own prizes in ap-

propriate speeches. The delivery of the prizes being over, Col. Wm. L. DeRosset, Capt. Charles D. Myers, Dr. Thomas B. Carr and Capt. H. B. Willis, being called upon, entertained the company with short, but very interesting remarks. The ladies' cabin is handsomely and Notwithstanding the shades of night were comfortably fixed, with a nice Brussels overspread the "mazes of the giddy carpet on the floor, and we understand is dance" were again indulged in until the boat reached the city at about 9 o'clock.

Taken all together the anniversary was a decided success. Every one whe participated expressed themselves as having enjoyed the day thoroughly, and parted with many wishes for the tuture success and prosperity of the Wilmington Light Infantry.

### Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy cratic party. and permanent cure for consumption, brouchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and Purcell House.—Wilmington, N. C. radical cure for nervous debility and all June 18th.—Cobb Bros., proprietorrs:—nervous complaints, after having tested from 10:05 o'clock, June 20th, to 10:05 With this powerful engine, the clever and its wonderful curative powers in thousands o'clock June 21st-W R Taliaferro, City, of cases, has felt it his duty to make it F Kelton, Philadelphia, Penn; H man suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, with full directions for preparing and using, in German, French, or English. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' C: Thomas H Stanford. In Palitin. Block, Rochester, New York. je 18-4w. Md.

# City Court.

#### Only two cases were called up before the Mayor this morning. The first was that of James Heaton, charged with disorderly conduct, which was continued

from yesterday, in which the defendant

was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs. The other was one Richard Davis, colored, arraigned for the larceny of a lot of cucumbers, who was turned over to Justice Harries for trial.

#### The Body Found

The body of Mr. James Divine, who was drowned in the river near Market Dock on last Tuesday night, was recovered early this morning very near the exact spot on which he was last seen. Coroner Hewlett held an inquest this forenoon and a verdict was rendered to the effect that deceased was accidentally drowned. The body was interred this afternoon.

#### Congressional Committee

cious staterooms for ladies, is now a first-Mr. D. H. McLean, Chairman of the class passenger boat, and will resume her regular trips in the line, I aving Wilmington Congressional Conventior! which was held in Clinton, has, in accordance with authority conferred upon him by the Convention, named the following gentlemen as the Democratic Executive Committee in this Congressional District, viz:

New Hanover-Chas. D. Myers, Chair-

Moore-W. J. Stewart. Harnett-M. V. Prince. Cumberland-Jas. B. Smith. Bladen-D. H. Ray. Duplin-James Kenan. Onslow-J. W. Shackelford. Carteret -- W. Y. Geoffroy. Pender-Dr. W. T. Ennett. Columbus v. V. Richardson. Brunswick-W. G. Curtis.

Sampson-Col. Morrissey. The appointment of Capt. Myers as Chairman of this Committee is a deserved compliment to one who has not only worked hard and persistently for the benefit of the party but who has given freely of his means as well as of his abilities towards its success in every election since the war. He will make an ex-

#### cellent Chairman. Magistrate's Court.

Lewis Davis colored, was tried before Justice Hall this morning on the charge of perjury upon a warrant sworn out by L. V. Smith, of On slow. The Court bound the defendant over to the next term of the Criminal Court.

Tht same party was then arraigned upon a warrant sued out by the ame plaintiff mentioned in the first case for false arrest. The plaintiff in these two cases is the same party who was arrested in Onslow county a few days ago, upon a warrant issued upon the affidavit of this Lewis James, that the plaintiff was one Miles Smith, who committed a murder in Darlington, S. C., a year or so ago. The defendant was bound over in the sum of \$100 justified bond for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court. W. P. Canaday, Collector of the port of Wilmington, became surety in both cases.

Dick Davis, colored, was arrested this morning by a policeman on the charge of larceny and turned over by order of the Mayor to Justice Harriss for trial. The charge preferred before the Court was larceny of a bag of cucumbers from Messrs. Willard's Belvidere plantation. The defendant was bound over in the sum of \$200 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, in defaul of which he was committed to jail.

#### For the Review. 13th Senatorial District-Mr. N. A. Stedman, Jr.

The citizens of the Thirteenth Senatoial District, composed of the counties Bladen and Brunswick, respectfully present the name of Mr. N. A. Stedman, Jr., of Bladen, as their choice for Senator, in the coming August election; and will support him with that zeal which his known abilities as a canvasser and earnest worker, and his fidelity to the Democratic party and its principles warrant. We have conversed with voters from a

number of townships in this, Bladen county, and are satisfied that Mr. Stedman is the choice of the majority of voters in the county, and, we hear, of Brunswick. having had placed in his hands by an This card is written, not in the interest of East India missionary the formula of a Mr. Stedman, but in that of the Demo-MANY CITIZENS.

### Hotel Arrivals.

known to his suffering fellows. Actuated Tompkins, New York; Col H B Short, by this motive, and a desire to relieve hu- Lake Waccamaw, N C; Geo A Kense! this paper. W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' C; Thomas H Stanford, Jr, Baltimore,

# PLEASE NOTICE.

We will be glad to receive communication from our friends on any ard all subjected general interest but : The name of the writer nust always be furnished to the Editor.

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

## Personalities must be avoided.

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

## New Advertisements.

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LARGE ASSORTMENT OF ELEGANT FIELD CROQUET

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We also offer inducements in Lard, Bacon, dams, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Soap, Crackers, PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN, Brokers and Commission Merchants.

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