OUTLINES.

The country ushered in New Year's with bells, &c. - Store-house burned 30 miles from Columbia, safe robbed of \$3,000 and merchant killed and burned. - Treasury Department are preparing to examine books of railroad companies. - Henry Clews badly hurt by a fall. - Bloomington, Ill., paper bag factory burned. - The negroes of Pensacola attempted to murder a colored inspector of election because their ticket was beaten. - The Archbishop of Paris has gone to urge the canonization of Joan of Arc. - Brilliant New Year's reception in Washington. - A disastrous fire occurred at Piedmont, West Virginia, occasioning the loss of over twenty buildings. - Gen. Thomas had a paralytic stroke in Washington yesterday and fell to the pavement. - Four prominent citizens of Hingham, Mass., have been arrested for perjury.

The Governor, in accordance with a resolution of the State Agricultural Society, has appointed Prof. Kerr to make a collection of products of the State and have them exhibited at the Centennial Exposition. This resolution contemplates the appointment of a hundred assistants. The Governor and the President of the Society were added. Gov. Brogden writes a long and sympathetic letter in regard to the Centennial.

Spirits Turpentine

- With the last week of the old year the Salem Press closed its twenty-third annual volume. - The Milton Chronicle is thirty-
- five years old, and Father Evans, "th Fool-Killer," still serves his country. - Mr. R. T. Long, of Rockingham,
- was seriously, perhaps fatally, injured last Monday by being upset from his buggy by his horse running away. - The Salisbury Watchman says a thief entered the residence of Mr. Thos.
- E. Brown, Sunday night, while the family were all attending church, and stole from thence about \$125 in specie. - Salem Press: Mr. James Etchi-
- son, of Davie county, shot himself fatally, near the house of Mr. King, on Mr. N. S. A. Chaffin's plantation, on Saturday last, whether accidentally or intentionally, is not
- Mr. Thackston withdraws from the Milton Chronicle, and the venerable Charles Napoleon Evans thus speaks of "coming events" as "casting their shadows before": "One word about the opposition paper to be started here by Messrs. Thackston, McDade and Wallace, a trio of young men presenting an array of talent formidable, I fear, to encounter. There is room here for us all to live and room for all to

THECITY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. SEE Adv't Erie City Iron Works. WORTH & WORTH-Molasses. Munson & Co.-Pay Your Bills. J. & H. Samson-Come and Settle. HAYDEN & GERHARDT-Harness, &c.

EDWARDS & HALL-Groceries. A. DAVID-Closing Out Sale. John Dawson-Hardware. C. E. DIBBLE-To the Ladies.

- Don't forget the grand temperance rally to come off at Fifth Street M. E. Church to-morrow evening.
- One of our compositors had the misfortune to lose \$7 yesterday evening, probably on Front or Market streets. - Business as a general thing was
- suspended yesterday, and the streets presented a very decided Sunday-like appear-- The steamer D. Murchison re-
- ports a very heavy freshet in the river, the rise at Fayetteville being at least 40 feet when she left.
- The interments in Pine Forest (colored) Cemetery during the past week numbered 5, of which 1 was an adult and 4 were children.
- The revenue cutter Colfax collided with the D. Murchison in the fog yesterday morning, causing some unimportant injuries to the latter.
- Now it is stated that Thomassen, who caused the Bremerhaven disaster, successfully ran out a cargo of cotton from this port during the late unpleasantness.
- Mr. Chas. E. Dibble has estab-I shed an office at the store of Messrs. Zimmerman & White, where he will attend to the adjustment and repair of sewing ma-
- We learn that quite a lively "scrimmage," in which several persons were engaged, occurred in the vicinity of Second and Princess streets at a late hour
- Friday night. -A colored man engaged in shingling a house in the vicinity of Bladen and Third streets yesterday slipped and fell to the ground. Surgical aid was summoned, but there were no very serious injuries
- -- We saw yesterday a curiosity in the shape of a freshly-laid egg of enormous dimensions, the product of a her half Brahma and half dunghill, owned by Mr. J. H. Jones of this city. The egg measured 74 by 82 inches and weighed 5

Magistrate's Court. Enoch Dudley and Snead Dudley, both colored, were arraigned before Justice Gardner, yesterday, on the charge of ased on the payment of costs.

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Arrest of a Well-Bressed White Man on the Charge of Attempted Burglary-He Says He is from New

Last night, about 7 o'clock, as Robert McKinzie, captain of the night police, was passing the residence of Mr. J. G. Swann. he discovered a man acting very suspicious ly in the neighborhood. The party chanced to observe the officer at the same time, and seeing the brass buttons on his coat he moved off. The officer proceeded a short distance, when he returned and concealed himself behind a tree. Soon the strager returned, stealthily approached the house and entered the piazza. He then went to the window and took a peep through the blinds, after which he proceeded to open the front door, but, finding the family sitting in the parlor in such a position that he could not enter without being discovered. he gently closed it, and walked to the end of the piazza, looking for another mode of entrance. At this moment the officer, who had, unobserved, approached upon his hands and knees to within a few feet of the man, suddenly sprang upon him and informed him that he was his prisoner. The man stammered out something about looking for work, but was really so overcome by the result of his little adventure that he could scarcely articulate a syllable. The stranger, whose name we did not ascer tain, says he is from New York, and is represented to be finely dressed and of very prepossessing appearance. He was takenlto the Guard House, where he will await a hearing before the Mayor to-morrow morn-

The Birth of the Centennial - The New Year Welcomed by the Firing

of Cannon, &c. The Centennial Year was ushered in here by the firing of cannon and the ringing of bells. Many of our citizens, not being aware that a programme had been arranged for the occasion, were at first startled by the booming of the heavy gun upon the midnight air; and, being so suddenly aroused from their slumbers, and by such an unusual and unexpected process, were ready to believe that a tremendous explosion of some sort had taken place. A moment's reflection, however, brought to their drowsy minds the fact that it was the birth-night of the Centennial of American Independence, and that the year of 1876, destined to fill so important a page in the history of the country, had dawned upon us.

The firing of the cannon and the ringing of the Market bell, the occasional ringing of Church bells where watch-meetings were being held, the barking of dogs, rendered riproarious by the unusual din at what would generally be termed such an unreasonable hour, the crowing of chickens, the occasional yells of rambling rowdies and street-walkers, and, finally, the exciting cries of "fire," and the sound of the alarm bell, seemed altogether to make the last moments of the old year and the first of the

new one anything but calm and serene. The cannon firing, which was by the authorities, was under the immediate direc. tion of Mr. J. N. VanSoelen. The number of guns fired was thirty-six, the interval between each discharge being about two minutes.

Emancipation Day.

The colored military, under command of Geo. L. Mabson, Lieut. Colonel, were out yesterday and paraded the streets; also, we understand, going out to Hilton. For some cause the regiment turned out with far less than its usual force.

At 31 P. M. the military and quite a number of the colored population generally assembled at City Hall, when the meeting which had been proposed for that hour was called to order by G. W. Price, Jr., Master of Ceremonies. After prayer by Rev. Jamison, Jas. A. Lowrey was called to the Chair and W. A. Green appointed Secretary.

Geo. W. Price, Jr., then read the emancipation proclamation, after which an address was delivered by Mr. James Heaton. A series of resolutions were passed, returning thanks for the deliverance of the colored race from slavery, expressing approval of the course of Congressman John A. Hyman, endorsing the course of the Wilmington Post, and its editor, W. P. Canaday, Esq., &c.

We give the following resolutions in ex-

Resolved. That we hail with delight the spirit of progress evinced by our people in art, agriculture, education, morality, temperance and the varied industries of our country, as clearly demonstrated by the exhibitionat the First Colored Industrial Fair, recently held in our city.

Resolved. That we congratulate the Chairman and his associates, the Board of Directors of the Industrial Fair Association, upon the success of their enterprise, and to them we cheerfully accord the credit and honor of having inaugurated a spirit of amity, concord and prospective happiness among all good people of our beloved Carolinas.

Caught in the Act. Mr. J. F. Garrell, from whom were stolen the two sacks of meal and two sacks of oats, alluded to in our last as having been found secreted in the field back of Hilton. on Thursday last, by Mr. H. Kuhl, set a watch on the articles Friday night to see if any one would come for them. The watchman had not waited very long before two colored men made their appearance and were about to commence the transportation of the feed, when a sortie was made by the party in ambush, which was detected in time by the thieves, who dropped the bags and beat a precipitate retreat. The two men were recognized, however, and proved to be some of Mr. Garrell's own employes. We learn that a warrant was sault and battery. Judgment was suspend- issued for their arrest and the two men are no doubt ere this in the lock-up.

NEW YEAR'S SPORTS.

Games at the Athletic Club Grounds Yesterday-A Large Crewd Present-Good shooting, Good Running, &c. Trans Transport

The crowd at the Athletic Club grounds resterday to witness the various games and sports there enacted was much larger than on the opening day, being variously estimated at from 500 to 700 persons, and the larger proportion, too, were among our best citizens. A goodly number of ladies also graced the occasion with their presence.

The entertainment, of course, was of the most interesting and exciting nature, and everybody seemed to be carried to the perfect acme of enjoyment, added to which the weather was all that could be desired, except that it was rather warm for the somewhat laborious exercises to which some of the Club were subjected.

The first in order was the rifle match, which took place at 4 o'clock, each marksman being allowed by the rules three shots at 100 yards and three shots at 200 yards. We give the result as follows:

W. F. Hargrave 13 at 100 yards; 10 at 200 yards. Total, 23. W. L. DeRosset, 10 at 100 yards; 12 at 200 yards. Total, 22. Junius Davis, 13 at 100 yards; 9 at 200 yards. Total, 22. DuBrutz Cutlar, 13 at 100 yards: 10 at 200 yards. Total, 28. Norwood Giles, 13 at 100 yards; 8 at 200 yards. Total, 21 N. B. Rankin, 11 at 100 yards; 6 at 200 vards. Total, 17. W. A. Williams, 9 at 100 yards; 9 at 200 yards. Total, 18. W. B. Binford, 10 at 100 yards; 3 at 200 yards. Total, 13. J. E. Crow, 12 at 100 yards; 8 at 200 yards. Total, 20. L. Belden, 12 a

100 yards; 4 at 200 yards. Total, 16. H G. Smallbones, 11 at 100 yards: 6 at 200 yards. Total, 17. J. T. Rankin, 13 at 100 vards; 9 at 200 yards. Total, 22. L. S. F. Brown, 11 at 100 yards; 12 at 200 yards. Total, 23. R. E. Calder, 12 at 100 yards; 12 at 200 yards. Total, 24. Wm. Fyfe, 11 at 100 yards; 10 at 200 yards. Total, 21. E. Lilly, 12 at 100 yards; 9 at 200 yards. Total, 21. J. D. Woody, 14 at 100 yards; 13 at 200 yards. Total, 27. H. M. Barry, 12 at 100 yards; 9 at 200 wards. Total, 21. Walter Coney, 11 at 100 yards; 2 at 200 yards. Total, 13. R. G. Ross, 13 at 100 yards; 2 at 200 yards. Total, 15. A. Hohenstein, 11 at 100 yards;

The prize, a silver goblet, was awarded to Mr. J. D. Woody, who scored 27 out of a possible 30.

8 at 200 yards. Total, 19.

The other events took place in the following order: Potato Race; won by Geo. C. Dyer;

prize, silver cup. Quarter of mile running race; won by L. S. F. Brown, in one minute and five seconds; prize, silver salver.

Sack race; won by W. P. Toomer; prize, brass earrings. Standing high jump; won by R. B. Hartsfield, who jumped four feet and one inch, which will compare favorably with

the best jumping known. Prize, a pair of sleeve buttons. One mile running race; won by G. W. Bailey; prize, silver ice pitcher.

Throwing heavy hammer; won by J Frank Jones, who threw it fifty feet and six inches; prize watch charm.

Egg and ladle race; won by W. H Newell; prize, pair of silver salt-cellars. One hundred yards running race. The first race resulted in a tie between T. E. Sprunt and R. B. Hartsfield. In running off the ties Mr. Hartsfield won, making the time in 11 seconds; prize, a set of gold

Running high jump; won by DuBrutz Cutlar, who made the excellent amateur jump of five feet. Prize, a pair of vases. One mile walking race; won by G. W. Bailey in 8 minutes and 48 seconds. This race was conducted by Mr. Bailey in splendid style, while his time will compare favor-

ably with any amateur time on record. Standing long jump; won by R. B. Hartsfield, who cleared eight feet five and onehalf inches. Prize, glass perfumery stand. Three-legged race; won by Messrs. A. and J. Conoley; prize, a pair of silver egg-

Fencing match, between Berry Gleaves and E. A. Maffitt, eight minutes' time given. Maffltt scored four and Gleaves three points; prize, silver goblet.

Running long jump; won by A. W Wood, who cleared 15 feet 8} inches, which

Wheelbarrow race, won by J. B. Oliphant; prize, an alarm clock.

During the day a scrub sack race was gotten up, which was won by J. B. Oli-Several races by boys took place during

The entertainment closed with a scrub match at base ball. Engelhard, Smith and Weill, of No. 1 nine, made 4 runs in 8 in-

ing but 2 runs, made by L. P. and J. Davis.

A Returned Missionary. We are requested to state that Rev. M. H. Houston, returned missionary from China, will address the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church Monday night,

Jan. 3rd, at 71 P. M. The public are invited to attend.

Transferred to Hospital. Through an order from U. S. Marshal J. B. Hill, one C. H. Bottner, a United States prisoner in the county jail, was yesterday delivered over to Superintendent Scott, of the Poor House, for the purpose of receiving medical attention at the county hospita connected with that institution, he being pronounced too ill to be kept in close con-

WILMINGTON, N. C., SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, 1876.

Everett.

Front Street M. E. Church (South), corner of Front and Walnut streets: Rev. J.E. Mann, pastor, Services at 11 a, m, and 74 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 71 o'clock. Young Men's Society Tuesday night at 71 o'clock.

Our Churches To-Day.

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Fifth Street Methodist E. Church (South) situated on Fifth, between Nun and Church streets: Rev. J. M. Rhodes, pastor. Sevvices at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 91-a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 71 o'clock.

First Baptist Church, corner of Market and Fifth streets, Rev. James B. Taylor, Pastor. Sunday School at 94 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 71 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 71 p. m. Young men's prayer meeting Tuesday night at 74 o'clock. Lord's Supper after morning ser vices.

Second Baptist church, on Sixth, between Church and Castle streets. Services at 11 o'clock a. m. and 74 o'clock r. m. Sunday school at 3 o'clock p. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday night at 74 o'clock.

St. Paul's Evang. Lutheran Church, corner of 6th and Market streets, Rev. G. D. Bernheim, pastor. English service at 11 a. m. German service at 71 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Weekly lecture on Wednesday at 71 p. m. Catechetical instruction on Friday at 81 p. m.

Services in St. John's Church to-day, 2nd Sunday after Christmas, as follows: Morning Prayor and Celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 11 a. m. Evening Prayer with confirmation at 74 o'clock. The Right Reverend, the Bishop of North Carolina, will administer the Apostolic Rite of Confirmation on this (Sunday) night at 71 o'clock.

Services at St. Paul's (Episcopal) church corner of Fourth and Orange streets, as follows: Services at 11 a. m., and 71 p. m Rev. T. M. Ambler, Rector. Seats free. First Presbyterian Church, corner Third

and Orange streets: Rev. Jos. R. Wilson, D. D., Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. At 7+ p. m. Rev. M. H. Houston, returned missionary, will lecture on Foreign Missions. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Second Presbyterian Church, corner of

Fourth and Campbell streets. Rev. C. M. Payne, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. At night joint services with the First Church. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Friday 74 a. m. Seats free. St. Thomas' Catholic Church, Dock St between 2nd and 3rd. Services to-day as

follows: Holy Mass at 7 a. m. and 101 a m. Vespers at 4 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Sunday school for the colored children in the basement at 3 p. m. Rev. M. S. Gross, pastor and Rev. Jas. B. White assistant. Services at St. Mark's (colored) Episcopal

Church: The Right Reverend, the Bishop of the Diocese, will preach on Sunday, the 2nd of January, at 11 o'clock. Seats free. Trinity Chapel, 7th and Brunswick streets, Rev. Geo. W. Price, Pastor. Services at 11 o'clock a. m., 31 p. m. and 71 p.

Sabbath School at 9 a. m. First Baptist Church, colored, on Fifth and Campbell streets. Sunday School at 91 a. m.; preaching at 10} a. m., 3 p. m. and 71 p. m. Rev. F. R. Howell, Pastor.

Wilmington Betail Market.

The following prices ruled yesterday Apples, (dried) 121 cents per pound; dried peaches 25c per pound; walnuts, 25 cents per peck; pickles, 20 cents per dozen; lard, 18 cents per pound; butter, 40@55 cents per pound; cheese, 25 cents per pound; grown fowls 50@60 a pair; geese \$1 50 per pair; beef 10@16ic. per pound; beef, (corned) 121@15c. per pound; veal, 121@161c. per pound; mutton, 121@161 cts. per pound; ham, 18@20 cts. per pound; shoulders, 124@ 14 cents per pound; tripe, 20 cts. per bunch; clams, 25 cents a peck; open clams, 20@25 cts a quart; soup bunch, 5 cts; eggs, 20@30 cents, a doz; sturgeon, 25 cts. a chunk (5 lbs); potatoes, new Irish, 40c a peck; new swee 20 cents a peck; fish-trout 25c. per bunch mullets 10@25 cents per bunch; turnips, 10 cents a bunch; onlons, 50 cents peck; cabbages 10@25 cents head; bologna 20 cents a pound; wild ducks 50@75 cents a pair; parcley, cents a bunch; onions, 50 cents a peca; car rots, 5 cents a pound; rice 10@20 cents a quart; crabs 15 cts dozen; green field peas 10c per quart; apples 50 to 60c per peck; liver pudding, 20 cents # 1b; blood pud ding, 25 cents # fb.; oysters (New River) \$1 25 per gallon or \$1 a bushel; do. Sound, was a very good amateur jump. Prize, sil- 20 cents a quart; cauliflower, 10@25 cents;

celery, 25 cents per bunch. Fire at Wadesbore. A correspondent at Wadesboro gives us the particulars of another conflagration in that thriving village, which occurred on Thursday night, about 11 o'clock, and which resulted in the destruction of Mrs. Hargrave's kitchen. By the exertions of the citizens, both white and colored, the dwelling, which was about fifty feet from the kitchen, was saved. The contents of the nings, winning the match; No. 2 nine soor- kitchen were destroyed, which, with the burning of the building, entails quite a heavy loss Mrs. H., as there was no insurance on the property. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to have been accidental.

The Pythian Echo. This new four-page weekly, published by Messrs. Gerken & Macumber, of this city, made its first appearance, and a neat one, vesterday. It is intended to be the organ of the Knights of Pythias, not only here but throughout the world, and will also devote a portion of space to the interests of the I.

O. O. F., the I. O. R. M. and the F. & A. M. The Echo, while appealing particularly to the support of these Orders, presents a quality of matter calculated to benefit and interest to some extent the general reader.

The Late Homicide-Jury of Inquest. Special Coroner S. VanAmringe held an inquest yesterday in the case of the late Benj. Garrett, who was shot on Christmas day in an affray between himself and J. F.

Anthony Ballard testified that he was at Garrett's on Christmas day; saw Mr. Garrett strike Mr. Everett twice with his hand: they were disputing and Mr. Everett said any one who said he sold liquor to the colored people that day was a God damned liar and he would give him a decent whipping; his (Mr. Garrett's) arms were down by his side; did not see Garrett try to draw a pistol or knife; he was in his shirtsleeves; I was about thirty yards from the shooting: did not hear Garrett threaten to shoot Everett.

A. A. Mosely testified that about 4 o'elock Christmas afternoon he was riding up the road in this direction: about forty feet from where Garrett was standing, saw Garrett strike Everett with his left fist; Everett then backed and clubbed his gun; by that time I was about twenty feet from them; I ran my horse between Garrett and Everett to separate them; Everett then started to run; Everett ran about twenty yards, Garrett following; Everett then stopped and raised his gun and commenced backing; Everett remarked: "Captain Mosely, stop him-I don't want to hurt him:" Everett then continued to back; I called out to him not to shoot; Everett was about twenty feet from Garrett when he fired; did not see Garrett have any arms; Garrett's hand was not in his pocket.

E. D. Cowell testified that he was in Garrett's store; heard Garrett say he'd be God damned if he wasn't going to whip Everett before he left the ground; Garrett, walking out of the store, said to Mr. Everett: "If you say I sell whiskey you tell a God damn lie, and if John Humphrey will face you to it I will whip you anyhow;" Everett said: "I did not say it;" Everett had his gun in his hand at that itime; I did not see Mr. Garrett have any arms.

After due consultation the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that B. J. Garrett came to his death by a gunshot wound re-ceived at the hands of J. F. Everett.

Some time after we had gone to press in the early hours of 1876, the Market bell sounded an alarm caused by a fire in the saloon of Mr. Thos. Mayer, on Front street between Market and Dock. The fire department responded promptly and subdued the flames before they had made any great headway. Mr. Mayer had gone out for a walk, leaving the gas burning, some little time before the alarm was sounded, and had not returned at the time the fire was discovered. The only place where traces of fire could be found was in a closet under the stairs leading from the saloon to the room above, which spot is in a part of the saloon remote from both the gas jet and the stove, and we can consequently not say how the fire could have communicated to the woodwork of the stairs except on the supposition of rats and matches or oiled rags. The building is the property of Mrs. Harriss and is not senously injured. Mr. Mayer's stock and furniture were slightly damaged by fire and water but the loss is covered by insurance.

While on the way to the fire the steamer A. Adrian came into collision with the Hook and Ladder truck, on Market street, slightly injuring the truck and disabling the steamer by breaking her hind wheel. Mr. Adrian, the foreman, was on the steamer at the time and was somewhat injured by flying splin-ters, but was well enough to ride out during the day, hence his injuries cannot be believed to be very serious.

The accident was caused by the inability of the driver of the Adrian to rein up from full speed or turn out in time, after hearing the signal of the truck, to avoid the collis-

Harbor Master's Report. From Capt. B. G. Bates, Harbor Master, we have the following report of vessels arriving at this port during the month of December just closed: Steamers, 15; Barques, 21; Brigs, 14; Schooners, 7. Total 57. Ag gregate tonnage, 22,086; aggregate foreign tonnage, 10,557.

The report of the pilots in reference to soundings on the Bars and Rips, at low water, is as follows:

Bald Head channel 10 feet 6 inches

Miss Entie Putnam.

Everyone who has been congratulating himself for the past few days on the opportunity about to be presented of greeting this favorite little artiste before the footlights once more, will be able to gratify his desires in that direction to-morrow eveningwhen Miss Katie appears at the Opera House as The Marchioness and Little Nell, in the "Old Curiosity Shop,"

County Commissioners. The Board of County Commissioner meet in regular monthly session to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, at which time, we understand, it is expected that the vacancy

occasioned by the resignation of Commissioner Wilson will be filled. Range of Thormometer. The following was the range of the thermometer at the Signal Bureau, in this city,

7 A. M., 57; 12 M., 72; 2 P. M., 74; 4:30 P. M., 68; 9 P. M., 67; 11 P. M., 66,

CITY ITEMS.

LATE PAPERS.-To Harris' News Stand, south side Front Street, we are indebted for copies of the New York Ledger, Chimney Corner and Frank Levile's Illustrated Newspaper for the current week.
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cases a repetition of their communications would

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jan 2-tf

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jan 2 2t CHARLES E. DIBSLE.

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