Latest By Mail.

Speches at Harvard, Bosron, June 27.

At Harvard alumni dinner President Eliot in fitting language introduced President Hayes. Mr. Hayes arose with apparent diffidence, standing for some moments before commencing to speak. The Association favored him with nine vigorous "'Rahs," waived their handkerchiefs at him, and in many other ways expressed their enthusiasm and respect for him. He blushed like a boy, and evidently was laboring under intense emotion. When he had obtained sufficient control over his faculties to enable him to proceed, he said slowly and with difficulty: "Graduates of Harvard University, this is your day. I ought not to take up any particle of your valuable time. You will therefore excuse me, I am sure, if I take my seat, after saying in the briefest way what I during the remainder of my term I may be able to do something to deserve it. [Deafaning and long-continued applause.]

George Bancroft, the bistorian, said he had graduated sixty years. In the course of his speech he said more than one third of his class are still alive.

General Key was received with warm applause. He said: "Mr. President, the cordial greetings which I have met to-day are characteristic, it seems to me, of you people of New England, and convince me of the truth of what I have heard of you. [Cheers.] My friends, I feel that we have now only one country. There is no North and South: we are one and undivided-one and inseparable.' This sentiment provoked a renewal of applause, which was not silenced for some moments.

The War in the East.

NEW YORK, June 27. A cable special from Vienna says it is reported that the Montenegrins have forced Suleiman Pasha and Ali Saib to retreat into Albania, thus freeing the soil of Montenegro of every Turk. The total number of Russians in the northern part of the Dobrudischa is estimated at thirty thousand, and these are steadily advancing to effect a junction with the forces which will cross further up the river. From Asia Minor news comes that Kars is still closely invested. A large army is before the city to prevent Turkish reinforcements from entering it. The Russians have never for a single day abandoned the aggressive, and however great the reported Turkish victories as doled out through official sources, the ultimate result is that the Turkish army of defense is found to have been driven further and further back, and that the Russians are closing in on Kars and Erze-

Italy is making active preparations for a crisis in European affairs. Large purchases of horses for cavalry and artillery use, are being made by the Italian Government. Other preparations on extensive scales are being carried on. All the ambassadors have returned to Rome.

The Meeting with the Queen-A Grand

Dinner Party at Night. General Grant and wife left Lonfrom Paddington, and arrived at Windsor at 5:35 P. M. The Mayor, several members of the Corporation and a number of spectators were assembled on the platform to witness the arrival. The General and Mrs. David M. Furches. Grant, who were accompanied by the Castle, where they were received by the Queen at the bottom of the staircase, at the Queen's entrance, and conducted through the State corridor to the White Drawing-room. After a short interview Gen. Grant and wife were conducted to apartments over the Waterloo gallery overlooking the home park. In the evening a grand dinner party was given in General Grant's honor, during which the band of the Grenadier Guards played in the quadrangle. General Grant will return to London to-day by the 10 A. M. train from Windsor.

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WHOLE NO. 3,088

The Regulations of 1876 to be Strictly Enforced in the Navy Yards.

The Secretary of the Navy has ssued a circular directing commandants of navy yards and stations to conform strictly to the requirements of the navy regulations of 1876, and to hold all under their command to a strict accountability. Under these regulations laborers shall be employed in the several navy yards by the proper officers in charge, with reference to their skill and efficiency, and without regard to political or been summoned to surrender. - Carriage other considerations. No officer or employe in any of the navy yards shall require or request any workingman to contribute or pay any money for political purposes, nor shall any workingman be discharged for political opinions. A board of inspection, consisting of a line officer and a paymaster in the navy, shall be appointed by the commander of each navy yard, from the officers of the yard, to serve three months, unless otherwise ordered.

The Grangemen in Danger.

MONTREAL, June 27. The Herald, under the head of Warning," says editorially to-day that it is warned by reliable authority that large quantities of small arms have recently been purchased in that city, and they are in the hands of members of certain secret societies. It suggests early measures for the protection of the Orangemen's procession on July 12.

The St. John's Sufferers.

NEW YORK, June 27. Mayor Earle, of St. John's, New Brunswick, has sent a dispatch to Mayor Ely, saying that two-thirds of the wealth of St. John's, the warehouses and public buildings, are destroyed, and that the total loss will reach \$25,000,000. Archibald, the British Consul, has received at his office \$4,592.

> Specie Accumulating. WASHINGTON June 24.

It is estimated by a competent Treasury authority that the total feel in my heart. I assure you that amount of gold and silver in the I have a very grateful appreciation United States at this time is \$225,of this hearty greeting. I know bow | 000,000. The increase during the little it is deserved. God grant that fiscal year ending June 30 is supposed to have been not less than \$45,000,-

A New Merning Paper at Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 25. It is stated that a morning paper, supporting the policy of the President, will shortly issue its initial number here, and that Hon. John Lynch, ex-member of Congress from Maine, will assume editorial charge.

Spirits Turpentine.

- Salem and Winston will celebrate the 4th of July. - We have seen no Milton Chron-

icle for nearly a fortnight. - A colored fire company has been

organized at Washington.

- The flexible sandstone is found near the Picdmont springs.

- We had not seen a Tobacco Plant for months until yesterday.

- The STAR goes to the Orphan's Friend, and Mills ought to let them read it

if they so desire. It shines for all. - Brother Mills, in the Orphan's

Friend, "doctors" all the preachers who "orated" at the late commencement. - Weldon News: The farmers tell

us that in some portions of the county cotton is looking well, while in others it is small and grassy.

- Salisbury Watchman: Peaches and apricots raised in the city have made their appearance. — Mr. A. S. Luter, near the railroad bridge, was robbed Sunday night, losing one hundred dollars in

-Greensboro Patriot: Hester gave a dinner reently in Washington and called on Billy Henderson to ask a blessing, which Billy did to the best of his ability. Dockery looked up from the table, exclaimed audibly, "I'll be d-d," and pro-

- Washington Press: After the Jamesville & Washington Railroad is completed to this place, which will be within two months, there is a route projected by the Seaboard & Roanoke Railroad to connect with it immediately, which will enable us to take breakfast at home and supper in Norfolk on the same day.

- J. M. Lovejoy, the enthusiastic and successful teacher, died in Raleigh from paralysis on Tuesday night, in his 64th year. He was a native of Vermont, and came to North Carolina when a young man. It is proposed to erect a monument to his memory by each pupil subscribing one dollar. We hope it will be done.

- Fall terms of the courts will be held as follows: First District, Judge Jas. L. Henry; 2d District, Riley H. Cannon; 3d District, Mills H. Eure; 4th District, William A. Moore; 5th District, Augustus S. Seymour; 6th District, Allman A. Mc-Koy; 7th District, Ralph P. Buxton; 8th District, William R. Cox; 9th District, John Kerr; 10th District, John M. Cloud; 11th District, David Schenck; 12th District,

- "Shad," in Raleigh Observer: Minister Pierrepont, were conveyed Reidsville is situated on a high table land in one of Her Majesty's carriages to | in view of the Blue Ridge, and 800 feet by measurement above the sea level, having mineral springs near it and very healthy and cool in summer, thus affording a pleasant and convenient summer resort. Two well-kept hotels, the Reidsville House, by Church, and Labarbe's, and five boarding houses. There are two large churches, Presbyterian and Baptist-Methodist just

begun-and four schools. - According to the Orphan's Friend the late celebration at Oxford brought the little children the following blessings: "But the orphans learned many things they did not know before. They the recipient of a handsome testimonial in the Grand Master, the Superintendent the shape of a gold headed cane. saw the Grand Master, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and the Governor of North Carolina. They had more lemonade than they could drink, and lived for three put down tobacco, will do right well for a

because it was manifest that the people had come together to have a good time for themselves, and they paid but little atten-tion to the orphans. The watermelon was

- Durham Plant: We regret to learn that the kitchen of Elder D. R. Moore, of Person county, near Yancey's Store, was burned last Friday night, together with all his kitchen furniture, and also many of the clothes of the family. - The colored people of Durham wil celebrate the glorious Fourth. John Daniel has been selected to make a speech on the occasion. - The crops in Caswell are very fine, but the farmers complain that the horn worms are about to take their to-

- Raleigh News: The stockholders of the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Company will hold their annual meeting in this city on the 19th of next month. That of the Raleigh & Augusta Railroad will take place on the 20th. - There is a sleep-walking young lady in this city. The other night she entered her father's room and awakened him by a sound slap in the face. - Jarrell's Hotel, High Point, was robbed of \$200 on the night of the 26th. The money was stolen from the office safe. and was in gold and silver.

- "B," in Raleigh Observer, writing from Kinston: The wheat crop in all the Eastern counties is a grand success. In Wilson county I saw two fields that were estimated at from twenty-five to thirty-five bushels per acre. I was informed that there were twenty-six threshing machines in that county, and of crops which had been harvested averaging from ten up to twentyfive bushels per acre. So with this county in traveling the roads you see the steam engines and machines threshing out the golden grain. So, war or no war, this people are independent on the flour question.

- Charlotte Observer: A report was received here, yesterday evening, to the effect that in the recent contested election case in Monroe, on local option, Judge Buxton had decided in favor of the prohi bitionists. — A negro man, named Frank Johnston, who is in the employ of Mr. L. W. Sanders, attempted suicide last evening between sunset and dark, on the premises of Mr. H. Frankthenthal, on Church street, near Trade, where his wife resides. He took laudanum. He is out of danger. A report reaches us to the effect that the convicts engaged in the work on the Chester & Lenoir Narrow Gauge Railroad are subjected frequently to very bad treatment at the hands of contractors or over-

- Oxford Orphan's Friend: "Ah, ha!" said the farmer to the corn. "Oh. hoe!" said the corn to the farmer. bad spell: "Thomas, spell weather," said a schoolmaster to one of his pupils. "W-i-e-a-t-h-i-o-u-r, weather." "Well, Thomas, a-t-h-i-o-u-r, weather." "Well, Thon you may sit down," said the teacher. think this is the worst spell of weather we have had since Christmas." — On last Thursday evening the ladies of Oxford gave a very elegant and elaborate entertainment in the Chapel of the Orphan Asylum. A large audience attended. Governor and Mrs. Vance, Hon. J. C. Scarborough and Grand Master Munson were also present.

A minute is a very little thing, but it is long enough to pull a dozen aching teeth,

- Magnolia Record: It is very sickly about Warsaw. - Wheat crops in Sampson county are good. — We regret to learn that measles are quite preva-lent in the village of Dudley and vicinity. - Crops about Swansboro, Onslow county, are reported as good. They have begun to catch the mullet, a highly prized Kenansville and in the vicinity last week by which considerable damage was done to shade trees, orchards and fences. - Recently the "Norris Frederick" house, situated on the old Frederick plantation, and occupied by A. H. Parker, Esq., was consumed by fire. The fire was communicated from a stove-pipe. Mr. Parker lost most of his things. Mr. Frederick lost about \$1,000 or \$1,200. No insurance. - Within a space of five miles square in the Bear Marsh neighborhood, in the upper end of Duplin county, it is estimated that there will be five thousand bushels of wheat harvested this season; enough to make one thousand barrels of flour.

- Salem Press : Nearly all the wheat has been harvested in this section. Flour has fallen in price to four cents per lb. — Died, in this place, on Sunday morning last, Mr. Henry Schaffner, one of our oldest and most respected citizens. He was in his 80th year, and has left behind an enviable record of a long life well spent. — A cow, owned by a citizen, yields 21 gallons at a milking, 5 gallons per day. Who can beat this. — Rev. Jacob Mock, for more than thirty years Moravian missionary among the Cherokee Indians, delivered a highly interesting discourse on Sunday evening in the Moravian Church. - Dysentery is generally prevalent, as usual at this season. - The cherry crop is heavy, and prices low. Large quantities are being dried and will command fair prices. — E. W. Lineback, of our town, shipped his first crate of peaches to Boston, on Thursday last, of the Peerless variety. -The store house of Lafayette Smith, in Danbury, was entered one night last week, and the rogues carried off the safe a dis-tance of half a mile, broke it open, and robbed it of its contents, about \$200 in money and a quantity of valuable papers.

The channel of Tar river has been

straightened at several points to prevent the caving in of the banks and to secure a freer flow of water. - Winston Sentinel: Twenty-four Stocktons met by chance at the house of Mr. Joe Stockton, in Salem, on last Sunday, and it wasn't a good day for Stocktons either. — A Roman Catholic marriage, and a Hebrew's death-with the services peculiar to each occasion—are two events that have never taken place in this immediate vicinity before. — The District Conference of the Greensboro district will be held at Kernesville, commencing Thursday, July 12th, and will be presided over by Bishop Kavanaugh. - The fruit business is assuming some importance in our county. We have here a number of orchards of the improved and early variety of peaches. — There is a ravenous in-sect (black, with straw colored spots) depredating upon cabbage and cucumbers, that old gardeners say was never here before the advent of the Yankees in our midst in 1865. — Wiley Tuttle, of Stokes, went to bed in good health on last Thursday night, and on Friday morning was dead.

— We see it stated in some of our exchanges that there is a great deal of sickness in Winston, all of which is a mistake. - Dewberries plentiful at five cents a quart, — Capt. D. P. East, who has been Worshipful Master of Winston Lodge for several years, was on last Monday night

taken up. No public collection was made has been. - To show the fever heat of business and trade pervading our section, we had at the house, the other day, an old nigger, (with two children) she had walked eleven miles to town, bringing three quarts of ordinary, sour cherries, which she de-sired bartering for a box of dipping snuff.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. REV. Dr. Morrelle's school. T. A. WATSON-Stall-fed beef. Munson & Co.-Boys' suits, &c.

GRAND Excursion to Cleaveland Springs. A DRAMA-St. Joseph's Male Academy JAS. C. STEVENSON-Chipped ham, &c

- Several more fine showers yes

- The market for spirits turpentine was quite lively yesterday.

- The Friends of Temperance are to have a big time at their regular meeting this evening. - We are sorry to hear that Mr.

L. B. Huggins, one of our oldest citizens, is considered dangerously ill.

- The thermometer in this office dropped as low as 78 degrees last night, and it was quite preasant during the day.

- Not a solitary straggler of an offending nature was picked up on the streets by the police on Wednesday night

- Thus far the Superior Court usually gets through with the business on the calendar for the day by 12 o'clock, and then takes a recess until the next morning.

- Stationary or higher pressure and temperature, winds mostly from the west, clear or partly cloudy weather and occasional showers, are the indications for this section to-day.

- There will be an excursion to Smithville and other points below on the steamer Waccamaw, on the 4th of July, under the auspices of Oriana Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebecca (I. O. O. F.) Further notice will be given by advertisement

on Sunday and Tuesday next.

Another Thief Comes to Grief. A young mulatto by the name of Haywood Howard, about 19 years of age, a stranger in the city, had been staying with a colored man by the name of Edward Smith for about two weeks, awaiting an opportunity to get something to do, as he said. On Wednesday he suddenly disappeared, and with him a number of articles belonging to the man who had befriended him, consisting of a hat, a pair of pants, a pair of boots, a pocket knife, vest, shirt or to get married and have your own and \$3 in money. A search warrant was mother-in-law. issued by Justice VanAmringe at about 11 o'clock Wednesday night, which was placed in the hands of Officer VanSoelen, who took a boat and rowed down to a small vessel lying in the stream, about one mile below the city, where he found Howard, who had taken passage on the schooner, - There was a terrific hurricane at and succeeded in recovering all of the articles stolen except one dollar in money and the pair of boots. Howard was arrested and yesterday had a hearing before Justice VanAmringe, who ordered him to give bond in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, in default of which he was committed to jail.

Ho ! for the West. The grandest excursion of the season will leave this city for Cleaveland Springs on Tuesday next, the 3d of July, at 5:20 A. M., under the auspices of the Anson the Springs at 7:30 P. M., without change | inches breadth of beam and 47 feet over of cars, and returning, will leave Cleaveland at 7 A. M. on the 6th. To those desirous of making a most delightful trip and viewing the beautiful scenery of Western North Carolina at an extremely moderate cost, this is the best opportunity that has yet been afforded, the fare for the round trip being \$6 only. Board will be \$1 25 per day, with special rates, and a restaurant car will be connected with the train. On the 4th addresses will be delivered at the Springs by Gov. Vance, Gov. Hampton and Judge Fowle. A grand ball will also be given, under the auspices of Professor Agostini, of this city.

The Colored Female Preacher. The name of the colored female preache from Columbia, alluded to a day or two ago, is the Rev. E. A. Williams. She has been regularly licensed by Bishop J. M. Brown, of the A. M. E. Church, and has been preaching about twenty-seven years, Her mission here is to raise funds for the building of a church edifice at Orangeburg, S. C., not Columbia, as stated by us. She preached Wednesday night at the Christian Chapel, corner of Church and

Dramatic Entertainment. This evening, at the corner of Fourth and Ann streets, the pupils of St. Joseph's Male Academy will give a very interesting dramatic entertainment, the piece to be performed being entitled "Martyrdom of the following officers were elected: the Early Christians." The young gentlemen who are to render it are said to be well up in their parts, and we learn that the drama itself is full of interest throughout, There will doubtless be a large audience.

Crops in Columbus. A correspondent at Cerro Gordo writes: "Columbus boasts of having cetton two days on the dinner and on the fragments | place no longer in the trade than Winston | Crops are generally good."

Soiree of Misses Burr & James' School. A large crowd assembled to witness the closing exercises of this school last night, the house being literally packed. The rendition of the following varied and attractive programme was extremely well received by the audience, several of the

young ladies receiving hearty encores: PROGRAMME-PART I. Salutatory—Miss Sallie Huggins. Hallelujah Chorus—School.

Imitation au Galop (Bendel)-Misses Cassidey and Ambler. Ready for Duty (Recitation)-Miss Isa-

bella Heinsberger.
Slowly and Softly (Vocal Duet)—Misses Hardwicke and Ledford. La Joyeuse (Schuster)-Miss Lida Graf-

Hope, La Esperance (Trio)—Misses Grafflin, Chaffin and Ambler. Heavenward (March)-Miss Alice Gar-Katie's Letter (Solo)-Miss Josephine

Carey (Instrumental Trio)-Misses Freeman, Garrell and Agostini. Grandmama's Love Letter (Recitation)— Miss Mal. Cowan. Bird and Archer (Semi-Chorus)-Primary

Storm (Weber, Descriptive Solo, Ins.)-Miss Grafflin. Wanted a Governess (Solo)-Miss Mary

Do not Turn Me from Your Door-Miss Alice Garrell. Christmas(Recitation)-Miss Eliza Meares. PART II.

Gently Fall the Dews of Eve (Chorus) Ginevia (Recitation)-Miss L. Schenck, Courting in the Rain (Solo)-Miss Anna

Witches' Dance (Paganini-transcribed by Wallace)-Miss Katie Barlow. Sweet Genevieve (Solo)-Miss Mary Cassidey.
The Crow's Children (Recitation)—Miss

Mary Vincent. Silver Threads (Transcription de Concert -Miss Murray. What Shall I Say ? (Solo)—Miss Florence La Fanfare des Dragons (Boscovitz)-

Calisthenics-Primary Class.

Misses Grafflin.

Homeward Bound (Chorus)-School, Miss Alice Garrell's song, "Do not turn me from your door," was a gem, and though we are reluctant to discriminate where all did so well, we cannot refrain False Alarm. from noticing particularly the rare vocal

the school, was awarded to Miss ately stopped. The false alarm occurred Annie Von Glahn, for having earned the largest number of golden merits during the session, thirty-one out of a possible thirty-eight. The prize of the first class was awarded to Miss Bessie Ledford; in the second class prizes were awarded to Misses Mal. Cowan and Meggie Meares, there being a tie between them. Mice Eliza Meares received the prize in the third class; Miss Annie VonGlahn in the fourth; Miss Lucy Moore in the fifth; and Miss Rosa David in the sixth.

Miss Mary Ambler was presented with the prize for the first class in composition, and Miss Florence Wood the prize for the

The judicious selections made for the occasion, and the admirable manner in which the pupils performed their different parts, served to render the occasion one of rare enjoyment, the memory of which will long linger in the minds of those fortunate enough to have been present.

A large and handsome yacht, built after the most approved model, at the ship-yard of Messrs. Cassidey & Ross, for Capt. I. B. Grainger, was launched on Wednesday. Guards, Capt. J. G. Branch, arriving at | She is about 20 feet in length, 8 feet 5 all; carries 134 yards of canvass, of which 119 feet is in the jib and mainsail, and 15 feet in the topsail, the mainsail being 23 feet hoist and 26 feet on boom, and the fib 19 feet on foot. Her number is 24 in the Club list, but she has not yet been christened. She is expected to sail for Masonboro' Sound this afternoon, and will participate in the annual regatta at Wrightsville on the Fourth of July.

> Died of His Injuries. Houston Monroe, the colored man who had both legs crushed on the railroad, at its intersection with Sixth street, a week or two ago, and whose limbs were subsequently amputated by Drs. Lane and Walker, at the City Hospital, died Wednesday night from his injuries. The amoutated members seemed to be doing better than could have been expected, but from all appear ances he had also received some serious in ternal injuries, which did not develope themselves fully until it was too late to afford the necessary relief. Lusus Naturm.

Anthony Howe, J. P., exhibited to us Seventh streets, and on next Sunday after- | yesterday a young chicken, just hatched. noon will hold forth at St. Stephen's A. M. | which had four well developed legs and E. Church. She had an immense audience four wings. It was hatched from an egg to hear her at the Christian Chapel. An | which the mother hen had left in the nest. invitation is extended to all, "without re- and which was afterwards placed under gard to race, color or previous condition,'s the stove. It was alive when it first came to hear her on Sunday, so we are informed. forth, but it is supposed that the heat of the stove killed it. It was a remarkable look-

> Philomathean Society. At a regular meeting of the Philomathean Literary Society, held Wednesday night, President-T. W. Meares.

Vice President-J. D. Young. Secretary and Treasurer-M. S. Willard. Editor-W. P. Toomer.

The First Cotton Bloom. From Mr. W. H. Murphy, of Laurinburg, we have the first cotton bloom of the season for Richmond county, taken from feet high, farming well and some in bloom. Mr. M. McKinnon's cotton farm, near

Magistrate's Court.

James Donaldson, colored, was before Justice Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, charged with using insulting language to Mr. John Werner, cursing, &c. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$5 and the costs.

James Lewis, colored, was arraigned on the charge of stealing a black cloth coat and a lot of silver spoons from Capt. Jno. W. Gordon, in whose employ the accused had been. He was required to give bond in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court.

Queer Creatures. We examined, yesterday evening, queer specimen in the shape of a leatherwinged bat, which had been captured, and which had four young bats attached to her body and crawling about upon it, the adhesiveness of the young ones to the mothe bat being such that it was with much difficulty that they could be shaken off. They present a queer looking spectacle, and Mr-R. F. Eyden has placed them in a cage for the examination of the curious.

Thermometer Record. The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4.35 yesterday evening, Washington mean time, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city:

Augusta,.......90 | Montgomery,.....95 Charleston, 89 New Orleans, 92 Corsicana, 94 Norfolk 68
Galveston, 90 Punta Rassa, 88
Indianola, 91 Savannah, 9 Jacksonville, 97 | St. Marks, 9 Key West, 90 Wilmington,.... Mobile,.........98

Mysterious Case of Larceny.

Some thief broke into a building in the vicinity of the Carolina Central depot, used for chemical purposes, a few nights since, and stole an ounce phial of arsenic, a quantity of nux vomica, and a lot of lead pipe. The stealing of such a quantity of deadly poisons as was taken from the building in question has a mysterious look about it, and we hope our detectives will be on the look out to discover the thief.

power with which this young lady is gifted. steeple of the Presbyterian church, yester-The Rev. T. M. Ambler, in appropriate day morning, which was undergoing rewords, presented the prizes to the young pairs, started (notwithstanding our caution) ladies entitled to receive them. The Ex- | a cry of fire on the streets, and the Market celsior Medal, the highest prize in bell commenced to ring, but was immediabout 9 o'clock. The engines did not come

RIVER AND MARINE ITEMS.

-The Victoria, Talmage, arrived at Providence from this port on the 25th inst. - The Ida M. Eldridge, Fisher, was in port at St. Marc from this port on the 16th

- The schooner Robert H. Mitchell cleared from Baltimore for this port on the

- The schooner J. P. Wyman, Urann, was in port at Jacmel, Hayti, on the 8th inst., from this port. - The Norwegian barque Staubo, Gun-

dersen, cleared from New York for this - The brigantine Henry A. Paull, Strange, arrived at Swimemunde from this

port on the 12th inst. - About half past 12 o'clock this morning the fire-bell was rung, but as no fire could be found it may reasonably be supposed that it was a false alarm. The

Quarterly Meetings.

engines were out promptly.

Third round of appointments, as made by Rev. W. S. Black, Presiding Elder for the Wilmington District Methodist Epis. Church South: Whitesville, at Fair Bluff.... Je 30-July Onslow, at Gum Branch..... July Kenansville, at Richlands... July 14-15 Elizabeth, at Bladen Springs. July 19-20 Smithville, at Smithville..... July 28-2 Cokesbury and Coharie Mis-

sion, at Black's Chapel.... Aug. 4-5 Clinton, at Hopewell...... Aug. 11-12 Wilmington, at Front Street. Aug. 18-19 Topsail, at Rocky Point, (District Conference)...... Aug. 23-26

The voice of reform is heard through the land and speaks of the "good time coming." So too the spirit of reform is working in the nurseries of the land to banish those dangerous Opium and Morphia preparations, and establish useful and harmless remedies, of which Dr. 'Bull's Baby Syrup is acknowledged as the very best for all the disorders of Babyhood and early Childhood. Sold everywhere at 25 cents

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land Springs on the 4th of July. A N EXCURSION TRAIN WILL LEAVE WIL-A MINGTON, at 5.30 A. M., on the 3d of July, arriving at Cleaveland at 7.30 P. M., without change of cars. Returning, leave Cleaveland on the 6th, at

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