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Edmund W. Gosse, the English noet, is in New York.

Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, is to be made a Cardinal.

Dr. Harvey L. Byrd, of Baltimore Medical College, is dead. He was a native of Georgia.

The Methodist Conference will adjourn to-day. We hope the members have enjoyed their visit and been pleased with Wilmington's hospi-

There seems to be a general opinion in the North that better times ure ahead. But the shutting down of mills still continues and this looks emfavorable.

The N. Y. Rerald of Sunday conains confirmatory reports of the terrible plague that is devastating Southwestern Virginia and a part of Kentucky. The Scott County Banner, published at Estilville, in the very heart of the infected region, and conducted by a reliable and cautious journalist, says in his issue of Thursday, that 150 deaths have occarred in Wise, the adjoining county, within the past fe w days.

The Tory members are opposed to the Gladstone Redistribution bill after all. What is up? Only the other day, as was reported, Mr. Gladstone had lowered his flag-had surrendered, and the Radicals were in arms. Now, the Tories are disgruntled and the Radicals are approving. A special to the N. Y. Herald from London dated 29th ult.,

The government Redistribution bill differs very much from the original draft of the Ministers. It extends the principle d single membership to equal election dericts it raises the population standard in constituencies with two members, and eres a great increase in the number of members from London and other populous

THE CITY

NEW ADVERTISES ENT" Munson-Underwear.

- S. H. TRIMBLE-Auction sale.
- S P. COLLIER-Danish cabbage.
- HEINSBERGER-Family bibles, etc. 41. S. WILLARD-Life insurance.
- 1. O. O. F.-Notice Orion Lodge. PEW RENTING-St Paul's Evan. Lu. Ch.
- Ke session of the Mayor's Court testerday guorning.
- Receipts of cotton yesterday
- froted up 531 bales. - Our churches were all crowded
- on Sunday, to hear members of Confer-
- N. D. Turner, agent of the Gus Williams Comedy Co., is in the city. They appear here Wednesday week. - The pressure upon our columns
- compels us to defer the publication of the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen unti
- One of our appreciative young gentleman suggested to us westerday that Conference had brought a large number of handsome ladies to our city.

Wilmington, Opportunity

The preliminary surveys of the proposed railroads from Wilmington to Onslow county and between Wilmington and Fayetteville; the latter to be a continuation of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad, have been completed and the reports are now in the hands of the committee appointed to receive them. It is hoped and presumed that now the election and its attendant excitements are over, some action will at once be taken looking to the introsion and the securing therefrom acts of incorporation for those important enterprises. There should be no unnecessary delay in

A Joyous Season.

Our friends of the Fifth Street Methodist church had a joyous season Sunday afternone, the occasion being a love feast, conducted by Revs. T. Page Ricaud and J. C. Thomas, both former pastors of the church, While among those present and participsling were Revs. Dr. Burkhead, Hall, Rhodes, Andrews, Bishop and others, former pastors or otherwise connected with the church, and deeply sympathising in all that concerns it.

Cotton. The receipts of cotton at this port for the month of November footed up 20,806 bales, as against 20,013 bales for the corresponding month last year, an increase of 207

The receipts for the crop year commen-

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THE METHODISTS.

Proceedings of the North Carolina Annual Conference of the M. E. Church. South.

> [Special Star Report.] Fifth Day.

MONDAY, December 1. Conference was called to order at 9 clock by Bishop Parker. Religious services were conducted by

Rev. Jas. Manoney. Minutes of Saturday's session were read

Upon motion of L. L. Hendren, E. L. Stamey was granted location.

The Bishop reported that on yesterday he ordained the following to Deacons' orders: Travelling-J. H. Hall, C. W.Smith, C. S. Durant, L. O. Wyche, E. L. Pell, J. A. White, E. L. Stamey, Alpheus McCullen, C. W. Byrd; Local-F. S. Becton, W. C. Ecklin, Wm. Lowe, R. B. Gilliam, B. A. York, T. J. Daily. And the following to Elders' orders: Travelling-C G. Little, J. W. Jones, R. L. Warlick, J. T. Kendall, J. T. Finlayson, J. E. Gay, W. B. North, W. T. Cutchin.

Question 20 was taken up, viz : Are all the preachers blameless in life and official administration? The elders of the Charlotte, Fayetteville, Wilmington, New Berne, Warrenton and Washington districts passed the examination of character. Upon motion of D. R. Bruton, the

Bishop was requested to appoint J. M. Rhodes in charge of Central Institute at Littleton.

The committee to nominate a committee on the division of the Conference presented the following: J. B. Martin, R. T. Gray, V. A. Sharpe, J. S. Carr, J. H. Pegram, J. L. Wright, G. W. Ivey, J. B. Connelley, T. J. Gattis, C. G. Montgomery, J. C. Hartsell, J. S. Martin, B. C. Phillips, W. E. Ardrey, C. M. Pepper, F. B. Gibson, C. M. Gentry, W. M. Parker, L. S. Burk head, W. A. Darden, J. R. Brooks, E. A. Thorne, T. P. Ricaud, Chas, Latham.

J. B. Carpenter, Statistical Secretary, presented the following report: No. Gam. Local Preachers..

74,888 2,632 d. 182 24 aptized— Infants... 155 3,211 lunday Schools-847 5 506 and ordered registered, &c. Also bond for school, poor and county tax, with same

Churches— 848 1734 Number 8983,298 \$52,779 Question 31 was taken up. Where shall the next Conference be held? T. H. Pegram nominated Winston; T. W. Guthrie nominated Charlotte, and Charlotte was unanimously accepted. The report of the committee to Examine

the District Conference Records was presented by T. J. Gattis, chairman, which was adopted. It was ordered that 10 o'clock to morrow

be the hour for the report of the Trustees of Trinity College. L. J. Holden, chairman of the committee

on Books and Periodicals, presented the report recommending due attention to be given to the literature of the Nashville Publication House, and shat this literature be disseminated among the people; also, to the circulation of the Raleigh Christian Advocate, and requested the Bishop to appoint Messrs. W. S. Black and F. L. Reid as editors of this paper.

Upon motion of L. S. Burkhead it was ordered that the report be voted upon by The report was adopted in sections and

as a whole. W. S. Rone presented the report on Temperance, which was adopted.

Upon motion of L. W. Crawford, J. F. Harriss was substituted for C. C. Dodson, deceased, on the Committee of the Fourth

V. A. Sharpe presented the report of the Church Extension Board, which was adopted. This report stated that \$29,294 has been raised; one half of this has been sent to the Parent Board; and that help was given from the remaining half to the building of twelve church buildings within the bounds of the North Carolina

B. C. Phillips, Chairman of the Joint Board of Finance, presented the report of the Board, which was adopted. It reported \$1,725.40 raised for the Bishop's salary; duction of the matter into the Legislature as \$5,387.23 was raised for the support of early as possible in the approaching ses- the superanuated preachers, widows and orphans of the Conference, and the distribution was proceded with.

J. L. Wright presented the report of the committee on Bible Cause, which was adopted.

W. S. Black, L. J. Holden and D. W. Bain presented resolutions of sympathy for Bishop A. W. Wilson.

Upon motion of W. H. Bobbitt, it was ordered that when the Conference adjourn it do so to meet at 74 o'clock, for the -pur pose of holding the memorial services. The usual announcements for the com-

mittee meetings were made. After singing the doxology the Conference was adjourned with the benediction by Rev. E. A. Yates.

Ready for an Emergency. Rev. J. B. Bobbitt, D. D., who was to have preached at the Second Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning, was prevented by sickness from filling his appointment. Rev. Mr. Stamey was called from among cing September 1st to date foot up 66,402 the congregation of the Front Street Church bales, as against 62,029 bales for the to fill the vacancy, and, without any prepsame period last year; an increase of 4,880 aration whatever, delivered a most excellent sermon.

County Affairs. The final meeting of the old Board of County Commissioners was held yesterday afternoon; present, H. A. Bagg, Esq. Chairman, and Commissioners B. G. Worth,

Roger Moore. J. A. Montgomery and E. L.

Pearce. The Treasurer submitted his report for November, as follows:

General fund, balance on hand . \$21,502.60 Educational fund, balance on hand..... 11,988.71 Of the general fund, the sum of \$6,665 is in the shape of a certificate of deposit in the First National Bank. Exhibited 36 coupons of the denomination of \$8 each, which were destroyed in the presence of

the Board. The Register of Deeds submitted his report of fees received for marriage licenses for the month of November, amounting to \$15.20, and exhibited the Treasurer's receipt for the same, which was received and feet of lumber, valued at \$4,548 25. Total ordered on file.

The Register of Deeds submitted his annual report of fees received from the same source, which was received and ordered

The Treasurer submitted his annual report, which was received and ordered spread upon the minutes and filed. The Clerk of the Superior Court sub

mitted his annual report, which was received and ordered spread upon the minutes and filed. The chairman reported \$43.75, and ex-

hibited the Treasurer's receipt for the same, for caring for an insane pauper from Pender county. Several parties were granted licenses to

retail spirituous liquors, Some matters relative to taxes were disposed of, and the Board then adjourned.

The new Board met and were duly qu S. Van Amringe, Esq., Clerk of the Superior Court, tendered his official bond in

the sum of \$10,000, with the following

sureties: Geo. Chadbourn and S. H. Man-

ning. The same was received and ordered registered in the record of official bonds and filed. Stephen H. Manning, Sheriff elect of New Hanover county, offered his process bond in the sum at \$50,000, with E. J. Pennypacker, D. L. Russell, F. W. Foster, E. E. Burruss, A. W. Shaffer and I. J. Young as sureties. The bond was received

sureties, which was received. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that an error in the bond offered by the sheriff for the collection of the State tax for the county of New Hanover was an omission in the draftsman thereof, it was ordered that the sheriff be allowed until the 15th day of December, 1884, to have said error corrected.

Joseph E. Sampson, Register-elect, offered his bond in the sum of \$5,000, with John G. Norward, B. G. Bates, Charlotte M. Evans and S. H. Manning as sureties, which was received and ordered registered,

David Jacobs, Coroner-elect, tendered his official bond for \$2,000, with S. H. Manning and E. J. Pennypacker as sureties, which was received, &c.

The above officers appeared and duly

qualified according to law. The Treasurer-elect of the county of New Hanover, J. O. Nixon, having failed to tender his official bond the office was declared vacant; and thereupon James W. King was put in nomination and unanimously elected Treasurer.

Charles H. Thomas, Constable elect of Cape Fear Township tendered his official bond in the sum of \$1,000, with S. H. Manning and William Cromwell as sure ties, which was received, &c , and he was

duly qualified. John F. Hancock, Constable-elect of Harnett Township, tendered his bond in the sum of \$500, which was received, &c. F. A. Montgomery, Constable-elect of Masonboro Township, and Richard F. Holmes, Constable-elect of Wilmington

Township, tendered their bonds, which were received. Joseph C. Hill; Magistrate, submitted his annual report, which was received and

ordered registered, &c. Walker Meares, Superintendent of Public Instruction-elect for New Hanover county, came before the Board and qualifled as such.

On motion, the Board decided to take a recess until the 15th inst., at 2.30 o'clock.

Death of a Worthy Citizens. Mr. John H. Pugh, a well-known citi zen of this place, died yesterday morning, after a lingering illness of consumption. Mr. Pugh was a brave Confederate soldier and lost an arm in the service of his country. He was an honest, upright citizen, and his death will be sincerely regretted and mourned by many in the community. He was recently Clerk of the Fourth Street Market. Deceased was a member of Orion Lodge No. 67, I. O. O. F., and of Carolina Lodge No. 434, Knights of Honor, in which latter he held a life policy for \$2,000.

Death of Mrs. C. M. Payne. We regret to learn that a telegram was received here yesterday announcing the death of Mrs. Cora Payne, wife of Rev. C. M. Bayne, formerly of this city, which occurred at Concord about 7 o'clock yesterday morning. Her disease was pneumonia. Deceased was a native of Sampson, being the daughter of the late Neill Murphy, of that county. Rev. Mr. Payne has the profound sympathies of the community in his great affliction.

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for to-

For the South Atlantic States, partly cloudy weather and local showers, followed by fair weather, northwest to southwest winds, becoming variable, nearly stationary temperature.

Foreign Exports-The following embrace the foreign shipments from this port yesterday; Schooner Grace Webster, Capt. Young, for Port-au-Paix, Hayti, with 204,720 feet of lumber, 150,000 shingles, 2 casks of spirits of turpentine and 2 barrels of pitch, valued at \$2,868.62; the schooner Thos. W. Holder, Capt. McMillan, for St. Marc, Hayti, by Messrs. J. H. Chadbourn & Co., with 102,-223 feet of lumber and 25,000 shingles; and the schooner Storjohann, Capt. Williams, for Montevideo for orders, with 255,807 \$8,907.48.

Superior Court.

A telegram was received from Judge Avery, yesterday, announcing that he will not be able to hold court until Wednesday. Indisposition is the cause of delay. A committee of the members of the bar will arrange the calendar and have it ready to commence on Wednesday morning.

RIVER AND MARINE.

- The steamer River Queen was making ready to resume her trips up the river yes-

- We learn that the dredges due here to be employed in dredging the Cape Fear river, have left Mobile for their destina-

- Intelligence was received here yesterday to the effect that the steamer Wave had sunk near Whitehall, on her way down to this city. It is supposed that in conse quence of the low stage of the water in the river she had run on a snag, which caused

- The steamers A. P. Hurt, Capt, Worth, and Bladen, Capt. Green, arrived here from Favetteville on Sunday, after an absence of over two months on account of the lowness of the water. They report a rise of from seven to ten inches, which don't amount to much.

- Three pilots went out from Smithville on Friday last, and were caught outside in a gale of wind and it was feared that they were lost. It seems, however, that they went to the lightship and remained on board of her until the storm abated, when they boarded a schooner and on Sunday came into Smithville all safe.

- The schooner Dreadnaught, Capt. Cobb, which arrived here on Friday in tow of the steam tug Italian, reports having experienced a heavy gale on the 28th and 29th of November; the gale being at its height at midnight on the 29th, during which she sprung a leak. She was bound to St. Augustine, and had on board seventeen men, bound on a fishing cruise, and it took them all constantly at the pumps to keep her from sinking. She is now on the steam railway, a board of survey having ordered her to be re caulked and to undergo other necessary repairs.

For the Star. THE MUD EEL, OR SIREN OF

THE RICE FIELDS. Mr William Watters, of Wilmington, has recently sent to the University Museum a specimen of mud eel (siren lacertina) which I am informed is not uncommon in the rice fields of that region, but which is generally known under the name of lamprey eel. The specimen, measures twentyeight inches in length, is cel-like in general shape, but has tufted gills on the sides of the head, and two small fore limbs with four toes each; no hind limbs. The body is dark colored, nearly black, with small light colored spots in places, and purplish on the under side. The front part of the head is flattened, the mouth somewhat like that of a frog, but smaller, and having small teeth in the lower, and none in the upper jaw.

The mud cel is a very different animal from the lamprey, as the latter has no limbs nor external gills, and has a large disc-shaped mouth adapted to fastening to the bodies of fishes and other animals by suction. It is found in the Eastern swamps from North Carolina to Florida; principal ly in the muddy places and ditches of the rice fields. It is believed to feed on insects, worms, and eggs of other animals living in

When in Wilmington, a few days since, was informed that one of these mud eels had been caught which possessed hind limbs as well as fore limbs. If another such is found I will be glad if the finder will communicate with the Natural History Department of the University on the sub-

University of North Carolina, Nov. 24. REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Interesting Personal Experience of Well Known Philadelphia Lady. From the Philadelphia Times. The following remarkable statement.

lately made to one of our reporters, is vouched for by Captain Harry Mitchell, residing at No. 316 Jarvis street, a prominent Republican of the First ward, and formerly Captain of the Watch at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. Mr. Mitchell happened to know that we had lately devoted considerable time to the investigation of cases where bodily relief had resulted from the use of that now famous medicine, Brown's Iron Bitters, and meeting the reporter the other day in front of Independence Hall, said: "I can tell you of something that may interest you. I know an elderly lady down town who told me yesterday that she had been rescued from the very jaws of death by using Brown's Iron Bitters. She is an intimate family acquaintance of mine, and I knew she had been very sick and was hardly expected to live from hour to hour. I was, therefore, more than astonished to meet her on the street, in apparent good health. I expressed my pleasure and sur-prise, when she informed me that she had never expected to leave her house alive again, and that she had been most miraculously cured by using Brown's Iron Bitters."
"Who is the lady and where does she

ides at No. 812 Pierce street. She is the mother of a grown-up family of children, and is well known in the southern section of the city." Capt. Mitchell then offered a personal introduction to Mrs. Springfield, and an appointment was made. They accordingly met and proceeded together to Mrs. Springfield's residence. The lady was not at home, but was found at the house of her daughter, corner of Eighth and Tasker

live?" our reporter inquired. "Her name

is Mrs. Margaret Springfield, and she re-

streets. Our reporter states as follows: "I found Mrs. Springfield a well-preserved el-derly lady, of pleasing manners and good conversational powers. Learning the object of our visit, she made the fol-lowing statement in the presence of Captain Mitchell and her daughter: 'I cansay that I thought I was on my deathbed, and none of my family or friends believed I would recover. People were calling at my house continualy asking about me, and from day to day I was supposed to be dying. I am quite well now, and I can say that I consider my wonderful recovery entirely due to the use of Brown's Iron Bitters. I was bedfast for three weeks, and for at least five weeks I could not eat anything. My greatest trou-

ble was excessive pains in my side and breast, and I had the worst kind of malarial systems. I became so weak that I could not even lift my hand, and was completely prostrasted all over. For some time I really felt more dead than alive. I know I contracted a very heavy cold, and t seemed to permeate every part of my system. I suffered terribly, and got so bad that I could not take anything at all, In sheer desperation I resolved to try

Brown's Iron Ritters because of something I had read about it. I sent for a bottle and commenced taking it, and to my great delight and astonishment I began to eel a sense of relief at once. I continued using it, and it seemed to drive out the pains in my breast. I began to gain a lit-tle strength, and my appetite gradually returned. Brown's Iron Bitters appeared to be just the thing my prostrated condition required, and, as I have said, I believe it

saved my life. Certainly I never took

anything in my life that did me so much Our representative then remarked to Mrs. Springfield that we desired to give publicity to her statement, when Mitchell said: "I think it ought to be done as a philanthropic duty. If you know of anything that will benefit mankind it ought to be made public. Mrs. Springfield then gave her consent, saying: "I do not seek notoriety, but I am perfectly willing that the world shall know of anything that has been of so great benefit to me, and I can certainly say that Brown's Iron Bitters brought me to strong life when everybody thought I was dying."

Mrs. A. W. Watson, Wilmington, N. C., says: "I have taken Brown's Iron

Bitters for indigestion and experienced greatest relief, and can recommend it to all sufferers, believe if they will take it, they can be cured. Mr. J. Kyncy Whitehead, Halifax, N. C., says: "I have used Brown's Iron Bitters for indigestion, loss of appetite and nervousness, am satisfied that it is a good medicine and take pleasure in recommend-

Mr. John B. Whitehead, Halifax, N. C., says: "I have used Brown's Iron Bitters. and think it a fine tonic; can conscientiously say that I am greatly benefited by its

Mr. James O. Fitzgerald, Pelham, N. C., says: "I suffered from weakness and indigestion, followed by an attack of typhoid ever. Brown's Iron Bitters restored my health and vigor." Mr. W. B. Cheek, Warrenton, N. C.,

says: "I consider Brown's Iron Bitters most excellent tonic." Mrs. Annie E. Jones, Forestville, N. C., says: "I consider Browns Iron Bitters the best tonic I ever used."

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Druggists. 25 cents a bottle. SHARP.—In this city, on Sunday, November 39, Mr ISAAC N. SHARP, aged 56 years 2 months Funeral from residence, 410 Queen street, this norning, at 10 o'clock, thence to Bellevue Cemetery. Family and friends respectfully invited. *

PETERSON.—In this city, on the night of Nov. 30th, Mrs. MARY ANN PETERSON, wife of Mr. Andrew Peterson, of inflammation of the heart, aged 52 years. The funeral will take place from the First Baptist Church this afternoon, at 2.33 o'clock, thence to Oakdale Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

HINTZE.—In this city, yesterday morning, at 3 o'clock, LENA ELISE, daughter of H, and Chris-

Funeral will take place this afternoon, at e'clock, from residence on corner of Second and Princess streets, thence to Lutheran Church, and thence to Bellevue Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Members Orion Lodge No. 67, I.O.O.F VOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO MEET

at Lodge Room, on Wednesday afternoon, at

co'clock, to attend the funeral of deceased Brother Past Grand JOHN H. PUGH. Members of
Cape Fear Lodge No. 2, and visiting Odd Fellows,
are respectfully invited to attend the funeral.

By order of the Noble Grand.

H. O. CRAIG, Sec'y.

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Renting of Pews,

Review copy.

TN ST. PAUL'S EVAN. LUTHERAN CHURCH will take place TO-DAY at 3.30 P. M. In the absence of notice given to Secretary or Treasurer previous to time of renting, it will be inferred that present renters will retain their respective Pews for the coming year.

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To get this room is the problem before us this week. We can only do it by clearing out the goods now on hand, and we know by experience that the surest way to do that is to mark them at prices which shall represent, not their cost or value, but our anxiety to get rid of them. We

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mean, therefore, to make the next six days

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