WORNING EDITION

OUTLINES.

A destructive are occurred in Vicksburg, Miss: loss \$250,000. — The Pullman Palace Car Co.' shops and other buildings at Philadelphia burned; loss about \$200. (00) — A block of buildings burned at Wheaton, Ill. - Hon. A. M. Wyman, Treasurer of the United States, has resigned; C. N. Jordan, of New York, has been appointed to succeed him. - A terrible volcanic eruption has occurred in the island of Java. — A tornado struck pennison, Texas, Tuesday night; damage \$20,000. — Gen. Grant continues to improve. — An extra session of the Virginia Legislature will be 'called within the next fifteen days. - War preparaion; continue with great activity in England: it is the opinion in diplomatic circles in England and Russia that peace cannot in maintained. - Austin, Texas, is thoused by a heavy rain; many buildings are inundated; the water is three feet deep in the streets. -- The Louis Cook Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, O., made an assignment; assets \$297,000, liabilities \$200. 000 - New York market: Money 11 @1 per cent.; cotton steady at 104@114c; wheat, ungraded red 88c@1 00; corn, ungraded 53@55le; rosin dull at \$1 08@1 10; units turnentine tirmer at 824c.

Dan Mace, the unrivalled Ameriean horse-trainer, has trotted his last race. He died the other day.

If President Cleveland comes this way Wilmington must put on its holiday attire and ask him to stop

Gen. Lawton declines the honor proposed by the President. This i well. It gets around an embarrass-

It is now known positively that James M. Morgan, appointed Consul General to Melbourne, was a worker for Blaine last year. Too bad!

Grant's physicians insist that he has "epithelioma" or skin cancer Dr. Shrady says, "so far as we know now," that disease "means death."

Gen. Kouropatkin is the Russian soldier who will open the fight with the English. He is said to be a good soldier, and believes that Russia must have India.

Curtis, "Samuel of Posen," has some four or five lawsuits on hand, brought by members of his company To save his baggage, &c., he made an assignment.

A Russian and an English war ship are at Norfolk. If war should be declared there would be a fight between them and we have no doubt the British would capture the enemy.

Mrs. George Vandenhoff, the actress and dramatic teacher, died in New York, aged 49. She was born at Savannah, Georgia. She married Vandenhoff, the famous English actor. She was a great success as an

Evarts is about the most Radical Republican among the Stalwarts. He is so thorough a partisan that he forgets the past and neglects to tell the truth. He has been spitting venom at the Administration in a Boston dinner speech.

The enterprising New York World has begun the publication of a special edition for Brooklyn. It says:

"While containing the news to be found in the New York edition, it will be to all intents and purposes a separate and distinct issue, containing a four-page supplement largely devoted to Brooklyn and Long Island news and interests."

Walter Goethe, a grandson of the great poet, has just died. A London dispatch says:

"It has always been understood that Walter Goethe possessed a great number of posthumous works of his illustrious grandfather, and it is understood that he carefully edited them, and left them in readi-

ness for publication." The opinion in London is that the breach is widening. England is already suffering in the growing discontent of the Afghans for her dila-

tory, vacillating course. Russia has a splendid fleet of thirty-two iron clads at Cronstadt ready to put to sea at any hour.

Robert Burns, the incomparable Scotch poet, was half starved in life for the want of proper recognition, and now the manuscripts to two of his poems, "Tam O'Shanter" and "The Lament of Mary Queen of Scots," sells in London for some \$750. They were bought for the Glasgow library. Give poets generous help in life and let their works be their monuments.

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than recommendations. He says.

the President does not remove offensive

officials in Philadelphia, but there is not as

yet a charge or a complaint on file in Wash-

ington against one of them, and the law

absolutely forbids their removal except for

cause. The President is reported as say-

ing to a Pennsylvania Congressman to-day

"Well, am I to go to Pennsylvania to inquire into the official records of these new?"

He added also that there are over three

thousand offices now made vacant by resig-

nations and deaths and they have not had

time to fill them. The President and Cabi-

net officers have arduous duties in the

great work of starting an administration

that is to mark a departure in political his-

tory and they have not been able, even working night and day, to keep up with the vacancies which have occurred."

Many of our readers will be pleased

to learn that the Essays and Speeches

of the late Jeremiah S. Black, are in

the press of the Appletons. Judge

Black was indeed one of the great

men of our country in the nineteenth

century. He left no man of equal

power behind him when he passed

away. As a political controversialist

we do not believe he has been

equalled in America. He was also a

jurist of great ability. His works

will richly deserve a place on the

shelf that holds Webster's and Cal-

houn's works. Lieut.-Gov. C. F.

Black, son of the great lawver and

polemic, will contribute a biographi-

The United States Senate stands

40 Republicans and 34 Democrats.

One vacancy each in Oregon and Il-

linois. If these should choose Re-

publicans there will be 8 Republican

majority. The chances for Demo-

cratic gains are good. Two will be

got probably from Indiana and Vir-

ginia. Then there is a showing in

Connecticut, New York, New Jer-

sey and Michigan, with some slight

chance in Wisconsin, California and

Nevada. If Illinois should elect a

Democrat, as there is a possibility,

then the Democratic chances of

The Supreme Court's decision of

the Virginia coupon cases is regarded

in the North as a blow at repudiation.

It says that Virginia must pay her

"The Court admits that a State cannot

without its consent be sued by a citizen.

But it holds that in this case the tax collec-

tor is not the State, nor has he the autho-

rity of the State behind him, for the reason

that the law under which he claims to act

is unconstitutional and therefore equiva-

lent to no law. Being thus without the

authority of law, he acts as an individual

and on his own responsibility, and is an-swerable for his doings to the citizen whom

Referring to the London corres-

pondent of the New York Times, the

Charleston News & Courier says, and

"'H. F.' is wholly ignorant of English thought and English manners, and divides his time about equally between praising

Germany, sneering at the English ministry

and panegyrizing that miserable political harlequin, Lord Beaconstield. It is dis-

creditable to a paper of the standing of the

Times to have a representative whose in-

formation is so narrow and whose range of

vision is so contracted. A comparison of

his jaundiced speculations with the clear

and candid statements of the Associated

Press, for instance, tells the whole story."

Spirits Turpentine.

- Solicitor General Phillips will

- Two small frame buildings in

-Morganton Star: Commissioner

Patterson informs us that violations of the

Internal Revenue law are on the increase

- Asheville Citizen: Some sixty-

odd young men of Warm Springs have or-

ganized an artillery company, and will soon

- Greensboro Workman: We

learn that Mr. Lyndon Swaim has been ap-

pointed Superintendent of the construction

the rectory of Christ Church, Elizabeth City, on Friday, April 10th, Mrs. Emily Kiernan, wife of Rev. John Kiernan, aged

- Graham Gleaner: The oat

prominent man in Randolph, and was re-garded as one of the landmarks of Ashe-

- Asheville Citizen: Mr. Rollins,

the largest tobacco planter in the State, was

in the city to-day. (Mr. Fielding Knott has sold his crop as high as \$27,000. How much did Mr. Rollins ever sell his for ?—

- Durham Reporter: We regret

to learn that Mr. W. J. Dickson, living

the U. B. public building at this place

- Elizabeth City Falcon: Died, at

Elizabeth City were consumed last week.

continue to live in Washington.

have their guns.

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debts. The N. Y. Herald says:

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he wrongs.

we agree with it:

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WILMINGTON, N. C., THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1885.

Thursday night. All of his corn and wheat were destroyed, which was insured together with the house for \$400. His loss was over Col. McClure writes from Washington to his paper, the Philadelphia

Times, that there are more vacancies - Concord Register: The Reformed Church organized its Sunday School last Sunday morning with about thirty-five members. — The Odell manufacturing company, are building a cistern at their factory that will hold 2,000,000 "While many Democrats complain be cause there are not prompt removals of Federal officers who have abused their official positions as partisans, they are forgetful that there are no charges or formal comgallons of water. plaints before the President or Cabinet - Mt. Airy News: Jerry Gallian, officers against the officials whose removal is demanded. There is growling because

who resided near Low Gap, in this county, committed suicide last Saturday by hanging himself in the fork of a laurel bush. ing himself in the fork of a laurel bush. While the affair is a sad one, the means employed to destroy life were rather novel. The deceased leaves a wife and several chil-

- New Berne Journal: John 8 Long, Esq., has been invited to deliver the annual address before the Laurinburg High - We have received a report from Hatterns stating that on the 10th inst. the schooner General Banks, Capt. Norton, from Boston, Mass., to Norfolk, Va., in ballast, went ashore two miles west of Hatteras Inlet. The Banks lost her anchor and chain off old Currituck lighthouse, and was blown to the south of Hatteras in the bad weather prevailing at that time. The wrecking company were preparing to haul her off. Died, suddenly, at his residence, in Jones county, on Friday night last, Mr. Benjamin Stanley.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. W. H. SMITH-For sale.

Munson-Merchant tailoring. J. C. LUMSDEN-Ice cream parlor.

A. DAVID-The boom has started. C. M. STEDMAN-Attorney at law. HEINSBERGER-Organs and planos.

- Only two bales of cotton re-

ceived yesterday. - Don't forget the "Two Johns" performance to night.

- One white tramp put in an appearance at the station house Tuesday

night. - Our Baptist friends say they are having good meetings. There were several penitents Tuesday night.

- A runaway ox excited the denizens in the neighborhood of Front and Dock streets yesterday morning.

- Mr. W. H. Sprunt has been elected a member of the Board of Managers of the Produce Exchange in place of Mr. H. C. McQueen, resigned. - The tenth annual meeting of

the Bellevue Cemetery Company will take place at the office of Mr. J. D. Bellamy, Jr., on Friday, the 24th inst., at 8 p. m. - The Wizard Oil Company's

Concert for the benefit of the Wilmington Light Infantry Company will take place at the Opera House on next Monday night. - Mr. C. M. Harriss is to have a

oicture gallery as well as a reading room in connection with his news stand. He is also improving the looks of things by the use of the paint brush.

Bishop Keane's Lecture Last Night. St. Thomas' Church was comfortably filled by an appreciative and a cultured audience last night, to listen to Bishop Keane's lecture upon his pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The learned and eloquent prelate, after a short preface, took his andience with him from the beginning of his journey through his entire pilgrimage, and in a most graphic and masterly manner portrayed the various scenes, describing the country and the incidents of his journey, explaining the geography of the Holy Land and the many places rendered dear and venerated to the Christian heart by their association with the life, sufferings and death of Christ. His discourse abounded with interesting descriptions of the country, climate and people, as well as of the Pyramids, the Sphinx, and the other wonders of that wonderful land. The por trayal was so circumstantial and so brought home to his audience that it required little of their imagination to place themselves with him along his entire trip; and those who had the good fortune to hear him enjoyed a treat indeed, at once eloquent, inter-

esting and literary. Not the least attractive feature of the evening was the vocal and instrumental music of the choir. This was all that could be desired; a cornet solo being among the instrumental music.

To night the learned divine delivers another lecture, his subject being "The Light of the World." The music will also be an interesting feature, and it is hoped that a large audience will again show their appreciation of the occasion by being present.

Attempted Burglary. An attempt was made Tuesday night to burglarize the residence of Capt. H. B. Willis, on McRae, between Mulberry and Walnut streets, but the burglar was fright ened off, Capt. W. sending a leaden messenger after him as he fled. He used a key with which he was trying to unlock the door when he was detected. Yesterday morning his tracks were plainly visible in the vard, and it was also seen where he stripped off his shoes, the barefooted tracks

Eugenia Reaves, colored, had a hearing before Mayor Hall on the charge of acting very disorderly over in Brooklyn Tuesday afternoon, for which she was required to

Wm. Dry, a small colored boy, tried to convince his pater familie that he was "as | ding a considerable enlargement, the addibig a man as his daddy," and finally was I tion of a tower, painting, etc. No doubt guilty of such disobedience that his father took him to the guard house and had him | will not be adverse to assisting in the good near Hillsboro, lost his granary by fire last I locked up. He was sent below for ten days. work to some extent.

CITY FOUNTAINS.

One of Wilmington's Greatest Needs-A Proposition to Lecate Two or Market Street-How to Secure Them.

Wilmington has long felt the want of proper facilities for supplying water in some public place for the benefit of our country friends and others who are tending market, or who in any event are at times desirous of watering their horses, but have no means of doing so without going to a great deal of trouble and inconvenience. To remedy this lack of accommodation to visitors and others Mayor Hall has come to seriously consider the propriety and expediency of purchasing two large fountains, establishing one at the intersection of Fourth and Market streets and the other at the intersection of Market and Front streets. We have seen designs of the two fountains that it is in contemplation to purchase. They are called "Horse Drinking Fountains and Lamp Posts," and designed really for entrances to parks and other public places, but are just as applicable to the places where Mayor Hall desires to put them in position. The one intended for the intersection of Front and Market streets is 12 feet 9 inches high to the bottom of the centre lamp, 2 feet 7 inches high to the top of the basin; extreme diameter of basin 8 feet 2 inches: inside diameter of basin 7 feet 2 inches. The fountain is surmounted by six lamps, and the cost is \$1,000.

The one to be placed at the intersection of Fourth and Market streets is to be 10 feet 9 inches high to the bottom of the centre lamp, 2 feet 7 inches high to the top of the basin; extreme diameter of basin 5 feet 8 inces; inside diameter of basin 4 feet 8 inches. The cost of this is \$600, and it is surmounted by three lamps. The fountains are handsomely bronzed and orna-

Now Mayor Hall is very anxious about these fountains and wants them in place as quick as possible, knowing how useful as well as ornamental they will be to the city, but he does not propose that they shall cost the city in its corporate capacity anything at all. He wants to raise the money in some other way. Knowing that the Agricultural Society of South Carolina was on the eve of holding a grand floral festival in Charleston, he determined to go there, examine the halls and get all the plans, diagrams and other information possible, with the view of holding a similar festival here to raise funds for the purchase of the proposed fountains; and the only thing required, in Mayor Hali's estimation, to make the thing a success, is a prompt and energetic response on the part of ladies and others who may feel interested. In connection with the proposed floral festival it is in contemplation to have refreshments. The Mayor says any quantity of strawberries can be had in Charleston. It is also possible that a ball in the Opera House may be a part of the programme.

In this connection, and with the idea of showing what is being done by Charleston in connection with its floral fair, we get some points from the News and Courier,

"The secretary of the society, Mr. E. L. Roche, has been actively engaged in pushing forward the work. It is proposed at present to use the main hall of their buildng for the exhibits and to serve refreshments in the annex. Circular stands for the flowers will be placed all around the sides of the hall, within a short distance of each other, and the space between them will be occupied by chairs. The body of the hall will be arranged as a miniature park, along the borders of which will be beautiful avenues of trees, surrounding tables for cut flowers, beds of fancy flowers, a fountain in operation and the whole having for its back ground, a dance hall, the sides of which will be formed of stands of potted flowers, the tout ensemble making a most charming and artistic picture."

The society offers eighty or ninety pre miums, besides a large number of special premiums, as for instance: For the best artistic design in flowers \$30, and for the second best \$20. For the largest pansy blossom \$10. For the best collection of table vegetables \$10, for the second best \$5. For the best four quarts of strawberries of the variety best adapted to general cultivation \$5, and for the best four quarts of the variety of finest form, color and quality \$5. Then there are rules and regulations for the government of the contestants for the special premiums and for general exhibitors. The railroads have all agreed to sell excursion tickets to Charleston during the exhibition, and we are satisfied that a similar arrangement could be made with our roads.

The proposed fountains are very handsome ones and will be both useful and ornamental. Shall we have them? It is for the people to say. The exhibition should come off during the height of the flower season. Let the response come at once.

Foreign Exports. The Danish barque Danabad, Capt. Hahn, was cleared from this port for Antwerp, yesterday, by Messrs. Paterson, Downing & Co., with 4,022 barrels of rosin, valued at \$4,115.45; also the British schr. Mary Culmer, Capt. Granger, for Nassau, N. P., by Messrs. Cronly & Morris and Parsley & Wiggins, with 119,857 feet lumber and 180,500 shingles, valued at \$3,162. Total, \$7,277 45.

Church Improvements.

STEAMER BURNED.

The Steamer Excelsior Destroyed by Fire.

The steamer Excelsior, Capt. H. L. Bow-

doin, left her wharf for Fayetteville yester-

day afternoon, shortly after 1 o'clock, and had reached a point in the first bend, above Point Peter, about 1.30 p. m., when the cook approached the captain with the startling information that the boat was on fire. The fire seems to have started between the boiler and the galley, in the hold of the boat, and when discovered was pretty well under way. An effort was made to extinguish it by the use of buckets, the men not having time to adjust the hose, but not much was accomplished. In the meantime the steamer D. Murchison came to the assistance of the boat and did all that was possible towards saving her. The steamer Alpha alro approached, but turned back.

The destruction of the boat was almost complete. Capt. Bowdoin states that she is nothing but a shell. The machinery is also badly damaged. There was only about two hundred dollars worth of freight on board, all of which was lost. There was a flat attached to the boat, upon which the officers and crew took refuge, except Mr. S. A. Robertson, one of the employes, who jumped overboard, but was rescued.

The boat was the property of Mr. R. P. Bowdoin, father of the captain, and was valued at about \$2,500, being quite a small steamer. The loss was about \$2,000, including freight and everything. She was insured with Messrs. Atkinson & Manning

steamer D. Murchison.

Base Ball Matters.

The new Seaside Base Ball Club grounds are now in complete order for the first Association games to take place here on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 5th and 6th of May, including the grand stand for the acommodation of ladies and children, with a covering to protect them from the weath-

er. Officers will be on the grounds to preserve order, which will be strictly enforced. A professional battery, consisting of Mr. H. Kutz, pitcher, and Mr. C. F. Koochogey, catcher, are expected to arrive from Baltimore this evening, when there will be practice on the grounds every day until the commencement of the contest with the club

The boys have gone to a great deal of rouble and expense to prepare themselves in such a manner for the exciting game in which they are to engage as to reflect credit upon themselves and the community, and it is to be hoped that the public will show a generous appreciation of their efforts. The games will probably be the most hotly contested ever played in Wilmington, and should draw large crowds to witness them.

mittees.

ing committees of the Produce Exchange for the ensuing year: Arbitration-B. G. Worth, G W. Williams, Jno. D. Woody, R. H. Love R.

Law-C. P. Mebane, B. G. Worth. Information and Statistics-C. H. Robin

G. Barker. Inspection-B. G. Worth, R. E, Calder, Jno. D. Woody.

Classification of Cotton-A. H. Greene, D. G. Worth, B. F. Hall. Quotations of Cotton-Wm. Calder, E.

Lilly, D. G. Worth. Naval Stores-C. H. Robinson, H. C. McQueen, Jno. D. Woody.

Grain-J. M. Forshee, R. E. Calder, Jas. Membership-W. R. Kenan, Jno. T. Rankin, Albert Gore.

the New Hanover Bible Society was held on Tuesday afternoon at the office of the North Carolina Presbyterian. The special object of the meeting was to fill such vacancies in the offices as had occurred by resignation or otherwise.

The official organization now stands:

Directors-W. M. Parker, J. W. Collins, H. B. Eilers, A. A. Willard, B. F. Mitchell, W. H. Sprunt, B. G. Worth.

The Depository is at the office of the Presbyterian. Steps were taken which bear promise of

securing a thorough canvass of the city at Among the regular contributors to the

Mayor Hall has arrived home from

Charleston. Mr. Geo. M. Rose, of Fayetteville, was WHOLE NO. 5802

Weather Indications. The following are the indications for to-

For the South Atlantic States, generally fair weather, variable winds, generally from southeast to soathwest, lower barometer and a slight change in temperature.

Hailroad Matters-A Public Meeting to Discuss the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Read.

A number of prominent officials connected with the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad, including Mr. Julian A. Gray, President, and Mr. J. D. Williams and Mr. Geo. M. Rose, of Fayetteville, the one a director of the road and the other its attorney, were here yesterday in the interest of that important enterprise, and to consult with our business men in reference to its extension to Wilmington. A strictly informal meeting, at which a number of our most prominent business men were present, took place during the afternoon in the office of Messrs. Woody & Currie, and it was decided to have a meeting at the Produce Exchange to-day, at half-past 11 o'clock, to attend which our business men and citizens generally, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, and the members of the Board of Audit and Finance, are respectfully and urgently invited.

Military Inspection.

An inspection of the Wilmington Light Infantry Company, Capt. J. C. Morrison, under orders from Col. W. C. Jones, of the Second Regiment, N. C. S. G., will take place in front of the City Hall this afternoon at half-past 5 o'clock,

RIVER AND MARINE.

- The work of stripping the schr. F. E. Spinner commenced yesterday. owner is still here.

- The schr. Curtis Ackerly, which put in here in distress a week or so ago, is on the dry dock, having a new rudder put in - The schr. Isaac L. Clark, which recently put in here in distress, has nearly

again for repairs. The pumps have to be kept going in the meantime, although she has had the worst of her leaks stopped.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Only First Class Ice Cream Parlor in the city, and the only place where Pure Cream is used.

Room fitted up expressly for Ladies.

Special Rates made with Excursion Parties and Festivals. Dishes [and Spoons furnished FREE OF CHARGE.

Orders filled promptly anywhere in the city.

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Strawberries in season.

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Practices in the Counties of New Hanover, Columbus and Brunswick, and in the Circuit Court of the United States and the Supreme Court of North Carolina.

Office in Insurance building of W. L. Smith &

Merchant Tailoring Department. N THIS DEPARTMENT WE ARE SHOWING magnificent line of Corkscrews and Diagonals in different shades; Serges, in all the leading colors; Blue Flannel, Yacht Cloth, and a varied assortment of Light Colored Sultings. Prices very moderate and fit guaranteed. MUNSON, ap 23 It

Standard Organs, MANUFACTURED BY PELOUBET & COMPA

NY. Over 122,244 in use. Every Organ guaran-

Are for sale at HEINSBERGER'S Live Book and Music Stores.

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A ND WE WANT TO KERP UP THE RUSE we have had since the Spring weather opened Our prices for MEN, BOYS and CHILDREN

SUITS are SO LOW that buyers are really sur

worth fully \$10.00. These Suits are in Frocks and Sacks, and several Colors, and we guaran-

tee them worth 50 per cent. more.

LESS THAN THEIR VALUE.

We have BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS, both Knee and Long Pants, that we will sell at a GREAT DEAL

A. DAVID,

For Sale, THE HOUSE AND LOT ON THE orthwest corner of Third and Chesnt streets. For terms, &c., address P. O. BOX NO. 782, Jacksonville, Florida. ap 19 8t 19, 23, 24

Notice.

IN ORDER TO KEEP PACE WITH THE HARD times MEALS will be furnished at the NEW SCARBOROUGH HOUSE for 25 CENTS EACH. WIR always have the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars on hard to meet the demand of my patrons.

D. A. SHEBEUK, Proprietor

Ten fines solid Nonparell type make one square

OPERA HOUSE One Night Only---Thursday, April 23.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Third annual tour of the LAUGHING CYCLONE. Two Johns Comedy Co., Under the management of James Donaldson, Jr., in J. C. Stewart's funniest of funny comedies, entitled the

"TWO JOHNS." PHILIP JOHNS. J. C. STEWART
PETER JOHNS JOHN HART
and a powerful dramatic organization, introducing, incidental to the play, songs, medievs,
selections from opera solos, duets and quartets.
Seats on sale at Heinsberger's Tuesday. Usual
prices,
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Auction Sale.

RY ORDER OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE N. C. State Exposition Company, we will sell at

Public Auction, at the Court House door, in Raleigh, M. C., on May 15th, 1885, at one o'cl'k P. M.
The Main Exposition Building, 336x836 feet, containing "176 Window Frames, 24 lights, glass lox 14. glazed and fitted"; 4 large Doors, with locks and hinges; 8 small doors; 874 squares Felt Roofing; 230 Bolts, 1x16; 163 Bolts, 3x16; Lumber in main building, over 500,000 feet.
Also, Machinery Shed, 100x150 feet, covered with felt roofing; and a quantity of second hand Lumber.

W. S. PRIMROSE, President. H. E. FRIES, Secretary. ap 21 tMay 15

NewBerne Rice Mill for Sale.

THIS VALUABLE PROPERTY IS OFFERED at private sale, for a division, consisting of one 40-Horse Engine, two Cylinder Boilers, of more than ample capacity, nine Brotherhood Patent Pestles, with all Fixtures and Machinery neces-sary for turning out first class goods. Can be seen now in daily operation. Located on Trent River, near Union Point, with good wharf at-tached, where any vessel can load which can come in at Hatteras. The Mill is offered with or without the real estate on which it is situated. For particulars enquire of

lars enquire of MRS. E. B. ELLIS. Executrix, Newbern, N. C. FOR SALE.

A Stearn's SAW MILL, complete in every respect. Capacity 60 M. feet per day (has sawed to M.) This machinery is unsurpassed in the South. Consists of 80 H. P. Engine, Corliss Pattern; Stearn's Edger, capacity 30 M feet; Kinny Swage; Automatic Saw Sharpener, six Circular Saws.

One 30 H.P. ENGINE, Corliss Pattern; Matcher; Sharpener; 40 H. P. Boller; two Flues, Front, &c.,

complete.
The above Machinery little used.
This Property, with all facilities for carrying on a large Lumber and Timber Business, can be on a large Lumber and on a large Lumber and on a large Lumber and rented as a whole.

For terms. &c., apply at CHISOLM'S MILL,

West End of Tradd Street,

sat wed Charleston, S. C.

Sale of Valuable Real Estate at Auction BY VIRTUE AND IN PURSUANCE OF A DEeree made at the December term, 1884, of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, in a case therein pending between Louisa Morgan, plain-tiff against William P. Canaday and others, the

tiff against William P. Canaday and others, the undersigned, the Commissioner thereby appointed, will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at 12 o'clock M., on MONDAY, MAY 4TH, 1885, at the Court House door, in the city of Wilmington, that property and premises situated at the southeast corner of Walnut and Seventh street, being 66 feet on Seventh street and 148% feet on Walnut street, being part of Lot 1, Block 210, in said city of Wilmington.

FRANK H. DARBY, ap 2 oaw4w

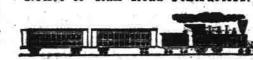
th Commissioner.

Annual Meeting.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the CAROLINA CENTRAL RAII ROAD COMPANY will be held at the Company's Office, in the City of Wilmington, N.C., on Thursday, the 7th day of May, at 11 o'clock A. M.

JOHN H. SHARP,

Notice to Rail Road Contractors



THE WILMINGTON & WELDON RAIL ROAD COMPANY Invite proposals for the Graduation, Masonry and Trestle upon that part of their New Road between Contentnes Bridge, near Wilson, and Fayetteville, seventy miles in length. Profiles, plans, &c., are ready for exhibition at the Rail Road Office of the W. & W. R. R., at Wilmington, N. C. mington, N. C.—
Proposals must be filed before the 25th day of April. The contracts will be awarded upon the 30th of April. Contractors must submit with their bids evidence of their ability to perform their proposed contracts. Monthly payments will be promptly made.

Contractors wanting information and making proposals will address Fleming Gardner, Chief Engineer, at Wilmington, care of W. & W. R. R. Co. Co.
Proposals may be for the work by sections of ten miles, or for one half or the whole of the work.

H. R. BRIDGERS,
President.

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WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, 10th April, 1885.

SEALED PROPOSALS for about 160 thousand feet sawed LUMBER, and 2,000 pounds IRON RODS and NAILS, for use on the Neuse River below Kinston, will be received at this office uatil 12 M. on 1st May, 1885, and opened immediately thereafter. Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained at this office. Bids will be received for the whole or portions of the above amounts. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals. any or all proposals.

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crop is almost an entire failure, so our farmers say; and we hear of many of them who are plowing up the ground and put-ting it in something else. being mixed with the others. Mayor's Court. - Asheboro Courier; Col. Jesse D. Cox died in Cedar Grove township on the 8th inst. Deceased was at one time a

> pay a fine of \$5 or go below for twenty days.

President-B. F. Hall. Treasurer-S. D. Wallace. Secretary-John C. Davis. Resident ministers of the gospel are

an early day. Personal.

We are glad to learn that there is a prospect of some very decided improvements to the Fifth Street Methodist Church, incluthe liberal minded people of the community

The captain and men came back on the

from Raleigh.

Produce Exchange - Standing Com The following have been appointed stand-

Finance-B. F. Hall, D. L. Gore, J. L. Cantwell.

son, R. E. Heide, W. R. Kenan. Marine-James Sprunt, E. Peschau, E.

New Hanover Bible Society. A meeting of the Executive Committee of

Mr. B. F. Hall was elected President Mr. John C, Davis Secretary Messrs. W. H. Sprunt and J. W. Collins Directors.

ex-officio Vice Presidents of the Society.

Illustrated Christian Weekly, of New York, is Rev. Dr. J. B. Taylor, formerly of this city, but now of Lexington, Va. The leading article in the number for last week was from his pen.

in the city yesterday. Mr. Julian A. Gray, of Greensboro, President of the C, F. & Y. V. Railroad, Co., arrived in the city yesterday morning. Among the visitors here yesterday we noticed Mr. John D. Williams, of Fayette-

unloaded her lumber at the railroad wharf. after which she will go on the dry dock

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