

amount to \$14,159 41; the disburse-

ments have been \$2,920 86. Of this lat-

ter amount \$2,867 82 was paid for the

vacant property on Market street, south

side, between Second and Third. The

estimated value of the property is now

\$3,000, so that the assets of the building

while they were all unconscious from suffocation, or severely burned from the fire; the firemen acted nobly and rushed through flames and smoke to the rescue of the unfortunate inmates of the house; two of the ladies jumped from a window and were badly injured, and Secretary Tracy was carried out in an unconscious condition, but subsequently revived; Mrs. Tracy was severely burned, and died in a short time, and her daughter and a servant were so badly burned that suppose it hurl a shot or two at the male persuasion. the flesh dropped from their limbs; the two ladies were both dead when found; the calamity has thrown the Capital into a terrible state of excitement. ---- Mrs. Colonel Coppinger, Secretary Blaine's daughter, died in Washington Sunday morning. ---- The Sears' building in Boston, a five-story marble structure, and one of the finest in the city, was destroyed by fire Sunday morning; loss about \$200,000. ---- The United States Supreme Court has decided that polygamy is a crime, and that it does not come within the constitutional provision guaranteeing freedom of religion. ----Rev. S. R. Frazier, pastor of a Presbyterian church in Ohio, and wellknown throughout the entire country, has suddenly become insane. Mr. Parnell's suit against the London Times' has been compromised. ----New York markets: Money easy at 3@ 6 per cent; cotton quiet; middling uplands 10 15-16 cents; middling Orleans 11 3-16 cents; southern flour not reported; wheat moderately active ,No. 2 red 8514 @853 cents at elevator; corn No. 2 cash 363, @364 cents at elevator; rosin quiet: spirits turpentine dull and lower.

has donned a new dress, and is now a model of neatness. The STAR now stands at the head of the list in North Carolina journalism.

A New York Republican organ go with him.

The most excellent Wilmington STAR

temporary has enlisted in this cause ed with passengers; mostly, however, of

- We are glad to state that Rev. W. M. Kennedy is improving in health. He has been quite sick, and has not yet

- Business on the Seacoast rail-

road was quite lively on Sunday. The

afternoon train to the Sound was crowd-

fully recovered, but is now in a fair way

- The trustees of the projected fund on January 1, 1890, were \$14,238 55. Baptist Female College, to be located in the central part of this State, will meet in Raleigh on the 11th inst. Rev. Dr. Pritchard is one of the trustees.

Sellers, Jas. Bland, W. H. Turlington, Mr. H. M. Bowden is the treasurer of Geo. R. French. this fund. Outside of the building fund Mr. Toomer's report shows that the receipts from all sources during the past year have been \$1,831 05, which, added to the balance received over from 1888, makes the total of \$1,941 37. The disbursements for the year amount to who attended the lecture of Col. Burr, on \$1,952 51, leaving a balance on hand \$8 86. The report of Mr. G. M. Busey, the General Secretary, was admirable, both in its presentation and preparation. His report was by contrasts between the condition of the Association at the beginning of last year and now, showing a good work and gratifying results. His question, "Does the Association pay?" was strongly put and strongly answered and no doubt the hearts of many mothers, fathers and sisters responded, "It pays." The President, Mr. E. S. Tennent was absent from the city, so his report was read by the Vice-President, Mr. P B. Manning. Our citizens could not fail to have been struck with his enumeration of the advantages offered by the Association to the young men of the city, nor fail to feel that the more this institution is examined the better it appears. The young men in it, themselves worthy of the highest confidence, are sustained by some of the very best busiand gave much food for thought. ness men in the city, and men of unquestioned piety. As the President shows, they are doing a good work, and our people should rally around them. Mr. W. G. Burkhead delivered an address on "Co-operation," well timed and well presented. The excuses of the nonworkers, and the indifferent whom he characterized as the "excessively faithful," he successively named and refuted. Mr. Burkhead's address was very well received. The State Secretary, Mr. L. A. Coulter, made a most practical and earnest talk on "The Possibilities of Young Manhood," and gave many facts, impressed by incidents that were doubtless new and interesting to his hearers. The power of young men in the world's affairs we may well acknowledge. but many of us hardly felt before that so many great movements had been conceived and executed by young men. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. W. S. Creasy, in place of Rev. Robert Strange, who was unavoidably absent. The STAR reporter feels compelled to speak especially of the admirable music, including the organist as well as the singers, but must mention by name Misses Schwarz and Kenan. Wilmington people never tire of hearing them, and certainly the Association is very grateful for their repeated kindnesses. The young men have every cause to feel that the people of Wilmington are with them in their work.

W. Malloy, Ward W. King, F. A. McMillan, J. D. Mallard, C. C. Covingange street was only 30 pounds. No acton, Louis L. Sheridan, W, B, Berry, tion was taken. W. G. Fowler, C. B. Mallet, Ino. H. The Committee on Permanent Street Thees, Coleman Twining, W. H. Pickett, Improvements reported 50,000 brick Wm. Herring, G. R. Smith, G. W. Fredavailable for street paving purposes. erick, D. D. George, Jas. D. Smith, Jos. Petition from a colored association for J. Atwood, M. G. Chadwick, Jas. W. permission to use a drum at a festival in Hodges, J. G. Craig, J. H. King, J. D. the City Hall was not granted.

COL. BURR'S LECTURE.

A Very Entertaining Lecture on a Very Interesting Theme. As had been the expectation of those

the matter. Complaint of G. G. Aman that the city had not complied with the contract under which he rented a store in Front

Goods to last for many days. Men's Scarfs, Cravats and Silk Ties Made Four in Hand or otherwise Curtain Laces, all sorts of Scrim, To keep out the light, make soft within Lambrequins and Portierres To cut off from view those uply stairs Silks and Satins for evening wear. To make the girls look sweet and fair In fact a stock full and complete, To make human kind look prim and neat Everybody come, fall in line And call to see us at Number,9 BROWN & RODDICK, Front Street, Wilmington, N. C.

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One Kansas man recently died from the bite of another. Ingalls had better be careful that he don't bite himself while he is snapping at other people.

There is talk of a "water-carnival" at Waco, Texas. A water carnival is an original conception for Texas, in which the average Texan will not take much stock.

Miss Bisland, who raced with Nel lie Bly around the world, and came in nearly five days behind her, made the trip in seventy-seven days. She is a New Orleans girl.

Columbus, Georgia, is one of the growing towns. In 1880 the real estate there was valued at \$3,357,835 Last year it was valued at \$7,142,-350, over, double, which is a good showing.

This Congress is building a monumental reputation. Reed is not only performing in the role of a high and mighty autocrat but there are pending bills for eighteen statues and monuments.

There is said to be still outstand ing about \$15,000,000 of fractional paper currency, of which it is estimated that not more than \$3,000,000 or \$1,000,000 will ever come back to the Treasury.

The city directory of Minneapolis reads like a Norweglan family re-There are 2,000 Ole Olesons. cord. 1,910 Erick Ericksons, and 1,200 Nels Nelsons on it. The Jim-Jamsons are not recorded.

The private pension business is booming in Congress. Notwithstanding the tangle in the House last

ought to improve rapidly.

Handsomest and Best. Spirit of the South.

turns its batteries on Gov. Hill, and

exclaims "the one-man power" must

be broken. Since our esteemed con-

autocrat Reed, down in Washington.

At the Head of the List.

Oxford Ledger.

We say it with pleasure that the Wilmington STAR, in its new dress and as now edited, is the handsomest and ablest newspaper in the State, and we do not believe it is excelled by any newspaper in the South.

#### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JAS. C. MUNDS- Pharmacist. STAR OFFICE-Babbitt metal. JOHN H. HARDIN-Bunch beans. MUNSON & Co--Look at our stock. CRONLY & MORRIS-Stock for sale. MASONIC-M'ting Wilmington Lodge. SCHLOSS & Co-Reduction in prices. GILES & MURCHISON-Acme guano distributers.

#### Mortuary Record for January.

The report of Dr. F. W. Potter, Superintendent of Health, gives the total number of deaths occurring in the city during the month of January as 36, "including three still-born and three not native or citizens," making the actual number 30, a smaller number than reported for the same month in the last six years. Of the total, 10 were whites and 26 colored. The three still-born were colored. There were seven deaths from consumption, two whites and five colored; seven from pneumonia, one white and six colored; one (colored) from pleuro-pneumonia; two (colored[ from rheumatism; two (one white and one colored) from paralysis; one (colored) from typhoid fever; one (white) from jaundice.

Y. M. C. A.

At the meeting of the Association held last night, the following were elected officers of the Athenæum, for the present term:

President-A. J. Howell. Vice President-A. J. Marshall. Secretary-T. G. Wilkinson. Assistant-R. R. Love. Literary Critic-G. M. Bussey. Treasurer-Louis Hanby. The Young Men's meeting this evening will be held at 8 o'clock.

A Small Fire. The residence of Mr. Jos. H. Watters, on Orange street, near Front, was discovered to be on fire on the roof Sunday afternoon. The firemen were soon pres-

ent and succeeded in extinguishing the fire before it had done much damage. The building is insured for \$3,000, and the injury to the property will not amount to more than twenty-five dollars.

#### Weather Forecasts. The following are the forecasts for to-

For Virginia, slightly warmer, southwesterly winds and fair weather,. For North Carolina, South Carolina brain, caused by the blow he received.

for a complete recovery. - The unsightly pile of bricks and rubbish on Water street, which have lain there ever since the "great fire," are to be removed to make place

for needed facilities for the C. F. & Y V. railroad. - There are about 200 miles of streets and alleys within the city limits,

and the force employed to keep them in repair is altogether inadequate for the amount of work which ought to be done every year.

- There was a big row at Mt. Zion Church (colored), Sunday night, caused by the attempt to eject one or two disorderly colored youths. The police were called and two or three arrests were made.

- A nice iron fence enclosing Grace M. E. Church would add much to the appearance of that locality, besides being an effective means of preserving the grass plot which surrounds the building from injury.

- The steamer Lisbon, which has been lying at her wharf in this city since Wednesday last, left yesterday afternoon for Point Caswell and the upper Black River country, there having been a rise of water, of which she was prompt to take advantage.

- The time of holding the regular prayer and praise meeting at Brooklyn Baptist Church has been changed, and will hereafter until further notice be held on Wednesday nights, commencing at 7.30 o'clock, instead of on Friday

nights, as heretofore. - Rev. G. M. Tolson, formerly pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church, but now in Washington, D. C., will pass through the city in a few days, en route to Columbia, S. C., to take charge of a Baptist Church in the latter city. His

family will accompany him. - The thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Seaman's Friend Society

will be held this Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Bethel on Dock street. A full attendance of members is requested, to hear reports and for election

place will be well illuminated by the time the trains begin to run on their regular schedule through to Fayetteville.

- Mr. Wm McNelty, the mate of the tug Turner, who was injured by a blow on the head from a fender on the boat several days ago, died yesterday about noon from concussion of the

Mayor's Court. Lucy Carroll and Justin Cooper, the colored girls arrested Saturday last for obstructing the streets with baby-carriages, were arraigned yesterday morning and found guilty. Judgment was

"The Old Churchyard of St. James and a Psychological Study" last night, it proved very enjoyable and exceedingly interesting in every particular.

His theme was particularly facts and reminiscences connected with the historic churchyard, and the incidents related and the remarks made touching his subject were well calculated to instill a livelier interest in it. He spoke of its being marked particularly as the burial place of Godfrey, the inventor of a quadrant, and a man of letters; of Cornelius Harnett, whose memory is reverenced by the people of our section; of the parents of Johnston Blakely, the famed naval commander, and of many others of prominence. The incident he cited of a citizen who disinterred the body of his friend at the seeming importunate requests of the spirit of the latter for him to do so, and the psychological problems he spoke of, formed the most interesting feature of his lecture,

The other reminiscences of the olden times in Wilmington that he mentioned held the best attention of his hearers, and proved at times very amusing. In all, his lecture was a literary treat,

and will be remembered with pleasure

by those who heard it. As is usual in Wilmington, when the entertainment is a lecture, the attendance was not so large as it should have

been, but the audience was attentive and appreciative.



A New Water Filter on Trial Here for which Encouraging Results are Promised. Mr. W. W. Whidit, of Newburgh, N. Y., is in the city with a filter that he has invented, which, if it will accomplish all that he claims for it, will be of incalculable value to the people of the South, and especially to those who suffer for the want of pure water. It is a "Combined Charcoal and Re-carbonizing Filter," and with it the inventor claims that he can completely clarify and purify common river water, so that it will be perfectly clear and healthy. A STAR reporter saw one of the filters in operation vesterday, when the yellow dirty water taken directly from one of the pipes of the city water works was made

to look as clear and taste as sweet as any pure well water.

The process of purifying by the use of charcoal is old and well-known, and this principle has been utilized in the filter, with improvements by which the inventor claims the contents of the filter may be thoroughly cleansed as often as may be desirable. If this can be done the filter is invaluable. It is hoped that those having the water works in charge here will make a thorough test of its

street market was referred to the Com mittee on Streets and Wharves. Petition of citizens for an extension of the limits for keeping hogs was laid on he table.

Petition of Mrs. E. H. Keithly for the

refunding of certain taxes was placed on

file, the Finance Committee having here-

tofore reported adversely in regard to

Petition of the proprietor of Bonitz's notel in regard to the tax on hotels, was eferred to the Finance Committee. Petition of W. R. Hall, policeman, to be allowed pay during a recent attack of sickness was referred to committee. Application of L. G. Cherry for store

No. 3. Front street market, relinquished by G.G. Aman, at \$15 per month, was referred to committee. The report of the Chief of the Fire

Department was submitted, stating that fire-larm box had been placed at the corner of Nixon and Fourth streets, and recommending that Ann street, from Front to Third, be put in order. It was referred to committee.

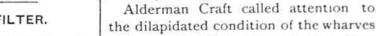
Petition of C. S. Garrell and others asking for reduction of rent of stalls in Front and Fourth street markets, was referred to committee. The matter of signs across the side-

walks was brought up by the Mayor, and on motion, action was deferred until the April meeting. A motion of Alderman Craft, that \$500

be appropriated for the improvement of sidewalks, was adopted.

On motion of Alderman Smith, a sum not to exceed \$250 was appropriated to repair the east side of Fourth street from Market to Mulberry.

Alderman Lane criticised the work of the Superinendent of streets.



and suggested that pipes be run from the river, so that fire engines could make connection therewith. The matter was referred to the Fire Committee., Alderman Smith moved that the Electric Light Company be required to put their wires under ground. The motion was rejected. Alderman Post stated that the matter between the Electric Light Company and the Telephone Company had been adjusted. Alderman Smith moved that the ad-

visability of the Electric Light Co. being required to put their wires under ground be referred to a special committee; adopted, and Aldermen Smith, Craft and Bell were appointed as the committee.



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of officers for the ensuing year. - Electric light wires were led to the station buildings of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad at the foot of Mulberry street, yesterday, so that the

istratrix's Notice		powers, and if through its use, pure	suspended.	McNelty was a young man, from Jack-	and Georgia, warmer, fair weather and	last week, the bills introduced up
	Great Reduction in Prices.	water can be obtained it will be a great	Amoret Hawkins and Mary Hay	sonville, Fla., where his remains were	variable winds.	to the close of the week figured up
ALIFIER AS THE AD	8 A SCHLOSS & CO	blessing to our people.	were found guilty of disorderly conduct.	taken last night for interment.	For Florida, fair weather, srationary	seventeen hundred and sixty-two.
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New Hanover County, State of	VV days their entire stock of elegant Crockery, d	Audit and Finance.		The second s		President Angell, of the Michigan
notify all persons having		The Board of Audit and I manee meeting	Owen Bizzell, colored, charged with	has his force at work extending the	Correction.	University, asks? "Is it too much to
of said deceased to exhibit s to her attorney, Iredell	10 4 11	regular session yesterday afternoon. Pre-	the larceny of an ox, was sent to lan m	main farther in the direction of Front	Mr. N. A. McLean was one of the	hope or expect that Chicago will be-
17 Princess street, Wilming te 15th day of January, A.		Scht-hur, J. Jones, Chartman, Litter	default of bond in the sum of prou.	street east of Water street. A larger	Lumberton last week of J. D. McQueen	come a great centre of culture and
be plead in bar of their n		Calder and Mr. J. W. Hewett. Bills	I nos. INICHOIS, COLOFED, DISOLUCITY COLI-	pipe is also being connected with the	for the murder of Sim Lowrey at Max-	intellectual life of the nation ?" No,
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