OUTLINES.

The Real Estate Convention met and

organized at Raleigh yesterday; Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn was made president. and committees were appointed. -Secretary Blaine's physician advises that he remain in New York the balance of the week. - Indians out West are dying with la grippe. - O. B. Wilson, a prominent citizen of Great Bend. Ks. has disappeared, and is an embezzier to the amount of about \$40,000. __ Miss Sadie Polk Fall, a grand niece of Mrs. President James K. Polk, was married in Nashville yesterday. __ The Pope will hold a consistory June 1st. - The anti-Hebrew excitement in Corfu continues; another riot has occurred in which two Jews were killed and others were injured. ___ A dispatch from the City of Mexico says the Itata has been sunk by the U.S. cruiser Charleston, but the report lacks confirmation, - New York markets: Money easy at 21/05 per cent., closing offered at 21/2 per cent.; cotton firm; middling uplands 878 cents; middling Orleans 9 5-16 cents; Southern flour dull; wheat active and higher; No. 2 red \$1 17@1 171/4 in store and at elevator; corn strong and moderately active; No. 2, 79 cents at elevator; rosin steady and quiet; strained, common to good, \$1 65@1 70; spirits turpentine quiet and steadier at 301. @3934 cents.

There is nothing small about Mustapha Gwamwur, of Arabia. He is getting ready for a £150,000 tour of Europe. He's a heavy weight and Mustapha good time.

Uncle Sain don't propose to be left altogether in the matter of big guns. The last steel gun turned out weighs fifty two tons, shoots a bomb ten miles, and takes four hundred pounds of powder for a shot.

Foreign governments seem to be still running the pauper business to this country. An agent of this Government in Liverpool says there are one hundred paupers shipped from that port every week to this country.

A Boston paper which don't take much stock in the laws of that town regulating the saloons, asks "shall it be drunk sitting or standing?" It should be neither; but the average Boston drunk generally turns out to be a horizontal.

English society must need salting pretty bad when as prominent a person as the Bishop of Manchester publicly declares that "it is rotten to the core." It may take a good deal of salt to prevent the rot from getting into the core judging from late developments of its progress.

Grover Cleveland is starting out in the hand-shaking business early. He got away with between 7,500 and 2,000 hands at a reception in Buffalo, N. Y., Monday. He don't propose to let the gentleman who is swinging around the circle have all the hand-shaking to himself. And when Grover puts his grip on it's a shake.

A German explorer has discovered, he says, the bacteria which gnaws the roots of the hair and causes. baldness Now if he will put his inventive genius to work and invent a trap to catch' em there may not be so many bald-headed bachelors. But this won't help the married man. He will continue to get bald.

At the last meeting of the American Medical Association a committee was appointed to memorialize Congress to add to the cabinet a Secretary of Public Health. With Uncle Jerry Rusk in charge of the weather and a Secretary in the cabinet to look after our health, the undertaker business ought to slack up

Jack Barnitt, a fistic artist, who speaks for Sullivan, the histronic Mt. Airy at 8:30 p. m. Leave Mt. Airy slugger, writes the N. Y. Illustrated News from Centropolis, Kansas, to say that Slavin did not challenge John and that therefore John could not have declined the challenge. Slavin said he wanted to fight somebody in the ring over here but wasn't making any bluffs at John, and Mr. Jack Barnitt informed him that John's retirement was not permanent, that his theatrical contracts bound him for eighteen months when he would be free to give Mr. Slavin a showing if Slavin behaved himself in the meantime, maintained his reputation as a respectable slugger and still hankered to achieve fame by tackling Boston's histronic bruiser.

THE MORNING STAR.

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There are now in this country and

Canada 19,373 newspapers of vari-

young men and the sons of the foun-

ders of the Republicanism are either

acting with the Democratic party, or

at least they are not actively sup-

Senator Jones, of Nevada, must

have some deeply rooted antipathy

suppose the Emperor of China ever

heard of Blair." The Emperor of

China never heard of Blair, who ran

the biggest auger in the whole

United States? Only eighteen carat

malice could have inspired the

Foreign nations which are putting

on airs about their big armored war

ships will please take notice that a

\$5,000,000 company has been organ-

ized to work up Dr. Justin's dyna-

mite projectiles with which he pro-

poses to blow up iron ships and such

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STAR OFFICE-Printer wanted.

Munson & Co.-Suits to order.

E. VAN LAER-Pianos, organs.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

MISS NANNIE WILSON-Painting in oil

pally to People and Pointedly Printed.

- Mr, R. M. Patterson, of the

Pennsylvania Railroad, was in town

- Mr. S. S. Satchwell, formerly

of Wilmington, but now living at Jack-

- Col. F. A. Olds, Quartermas-

ter-General of the North Carolina State

Guard, is here on business connected

- The gentleman who wrote,

May 7, to the Chestnut Hill Kennels,

Philadelphia, in reference to a Scotch

collie dog, will please call at the STAR

visitors in our city yesterday: J. J.

Gardner, Wilson; R. E. Lee, Laurin-

burg; S. S. Spier, Goldsboro; Ernest

Haywood, Raleigh; Bruce Williams,

Burgaw; G. C. Wiswell, A. E. Stevens,

F. E. Jones, Southport; G. B. Burruss,

Raleigh; J. D. Williams, L. Grissom and

Son, J. C. Nixon, North Carolina; W.

C. Brady. Gaddy; J. P. Stanley, Motlie;

A. Cohen, Goldsboro; J. A. Brown,

The "information" signal which float-

ed all day from the flag-staff on the

government building, was taken down

The weather was cloudy and threat-

There were reports of heavy rains

along the W. & W. railroad, and be-

tween Clinton and Warsaw a fall of hail

of remarkable severity, killing hogs and

injuring other stock. Some of the hail

stones are reported to have weighed 17

The remains of Mr. D. J. McMillan,

who died in Savannah, Tuesday, reach-

ed here yesterday and were taken to his

old home in Fayetteville for burial. He

was a member of the firm of McMillan

Bros., who have been for many years

the largest manufacturers of turpentine

stills in the South, having a house at

Fayetteville, with a branch at Savannah,

both doing an extensive business. The

deceased was an excellent man, full of

industry and energy, and he will be

greatly missed both in business and

C. F. & Y. V. R. R.-Change of Schedule.

on the C. F. & Y. V. railroad on the

17th inst. The day mail and passenger

train will leave Wilmington at 9:25 a. m.;

arrive at Fayetteville at 12:45 p. m., and

m.; arrive at Wilmington at 5:55 p. m.

on the Bennettsville branch trains leave

Bennettsville at 6:15 p. m.

Yesterday's Weather.

rainfall, trace.

Annual Reunion.

Fayetteville at 8:00 p. m., and arrive at

The weather records of the Signal

Office give the following report of the

range of temperature, etc., yesterday:

At 8 a. m., 60°; 8 p. m., 62°; maximum

temperature, 69°; minimum, 57°; average

63; prevailing wind, northwest. Total

The 25th annual reunion of the Asso-

ciation of the Third North Carolina In-

fantry will be held on the evening of

the 16th inst., at 8 o'clock, at the resi-

dence of Col. Jno. L. Cantwell, Princess

5:30 a. m.; leave Fayetteville at 2:35 p.

A new schedule will go into operation

ening yesterday but there was no rain

- The following were among the

office for important information.

sonville, Fla., was in town yesterday.

yesterday on business.

with the Encampment.

Rain and Hail.

things.

porting the Republican party."

WILMINGTON, N. C., THURSDAY, MAY 14,-1891.

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LOCAL DOTS. Items of Interest Gathered Here

ous classes, most of them in this country, according to ex-head chopand There and Briefly Noted. per Clarkson, being Democratic. This will account for the fact which -A schooner with a cargo of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat bewails corn from Rappahannock river arrived when it plaintively remarks: "The here yesterday.

- Surf boats went out at Carolina Beach yesterday and the fishermen caught about one hundred pig-fish.

- Renewed interest in the Ladies' Memorial Association has been awakened. Since Memorial Day nine new members have joined.

- There is a scarcity of newspaper to ex-Senator Blair or he would never printers in Wilmington. Two or three would have risen to remark, "I don't could find "subbing" enough to keep them almost constantly employed.

- The substitute of twelve-inch for six-inch mains by the Clarendon Water Works, on Fourth street, must add greatly to the efficiency of the water

- The steamship El Monte sailed from Southport at 11.30 a. m yesterday. She discharged about 100 bales damaged cotton which will be brought up to the city and sold.

- The ladies are preparing a deightful entertainment at the City Hall for to-morrow night. The object is to raise funds towards furnishing the 'Boys' Room" in the Y. M. C. A. build-

- A party of about 400 excursionists arrived last night at 7 o'clock from Mt. Airy and points along the line of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley railroad. They will remain here until Friday night, and will go down to Carolina Beach to-day.

yesterday afternoon between the "Tileston Smuties" and the "Union and Hemenway Hunchbacks," which resulted in a score of 27 to 19 in favor of the "Smuties." Will Gates was captain of the "Hunchbacks" and Will Bissett of the "Smuties."

- Mr. Walker Taylor, first sergeant of the W. L. I. and secretary and treasurer of the Company, having been appointed Major of the Second regiment N.C. S. G., tendered his resignation at the meeting Tuesday night. I was accepted with regret, and Mr. Ed Moore, second sergeant, was promoted to first sergeant, and Mr. H. M. Parsley was elected secretary and treasurer.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Of the Late Edward J. Moore, Esq., Yes

terday Afternoon. The funeral of the late Edward Moore, who died suddenly Tuesday night, took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock from St. James' Church, the services being conducted by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Watson and Rev. Mr Strange, pastor of the church. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends of the family, members of Orion and Cape Fear lodges I. O. O. F., Confederate xeterans and the following survivors of the Wilmington Rifle Guards-Company I, Eighteenth N. C. infantry-Dr Thos. F. Wood, Messrs. T. C. Lewis, John Cowan, Jas. I. Metts, C. H. King, Joe Merritt, H. C. Evans, Wm. Blanks, Geo. W. Huggins, A. B. Cook, B. F White, Josh. T. James, R. S. Love-who attended as a special guard of honor There were many beautiful floral offerings. The pall bearers were Messrs. Oscar Pearsall and Jas. A. Montgomery o Orion Lodge; W. W. Hodges and Benin Bell, Cape Fear Lodge; Maj, T. D. Love Messrs. T. B. Lippitt, Moseley Hubbard and Gabriel Holmes. Rev. F. W. E Peschau conducted the funeral rites of the order of Odd Fellows at the grave.

WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Celebration on the 20th-Excursion to Carolina Beach, Etc.

The Wilmington Light Infantry wil celebrate the 20th of May with an excursion to Carolina Beach, a dinner, and target shooting. The boat will make three trips from the city, and the fare will be fifty cents for the round trip. Among the attractions will be a fancy drill by twelve members of the company who appeared at the Opera House with the Specialty Company, a foot race-100 vards dash-for a prize. The Second Regiment Band will probably accompany the excursionists, The dinner will be prepared by the Messrs. Hinton, and will be open to all comers—for a con- law meets his retribution as swiftly as

The 20th is a legal holiday, and as most places of business will be closed it is expected that there will be a large attendance to enjoy the day's sports at | and hell; there is another world that Carolina Beach.

Weather Forecasts.

The following are the weather fore-

casts for to-day: For Virginia and North Carolina, rain,

portion, northeast winds. For South Carolina and Georgia, showers, continued low temperature, except slightly warmer in extreme northwestern portion and slightly cooler in winds.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON

At the First Presbyterian Church Last Night by Rev. Moses D. Hoge, D. D. of Richmond, Virginia.

A large and attentive audience assembled last evening at the First Presbyterian Church to listen to the eloquent Rev. Moses D. Hoge, D. D., of Richmond, uncle of the pastor of that church. Those of our people who had heard this eminent divine were glad to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing him again, while those who heard him last evening for the first time were not disappointed, for he sustained ably his enviable reputation long since established

After preliminary devotional exercises he announced as his text Mark 10; 44, 45-"And whosoever of you will be the chiefest shall be servant of all, for even the Son of Man came not to be ministered unto but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many."

It is, he said, wonderful to notice the different impressions the mere announcement of a text makes in the same congregation. There are notable instances in the life of our Lord. He once said, "if any man serve me, him will my Father honor," and then He said, "now is my soul troubled, and what shall I say? Father save me from this hour," &c., and the voice from heaven spoke to comfort Him, and some said it thundered, others that an angel spake; what a difference between the inarticulate tones of the thunder and the voice of an angel; yet that was the impression made on the people. I trust that in this text we may hear

more than an angel's voice, even the voice of our Lord, summoning us to - A game of base ball was played | disinterested service rendered all over whom we have any influence, for the sake of Him who gave His life for all. In vivid contrast with the spirit of the text is the spirit of these Gentiles. The oppression of the Romans, wringing from the people what was not due them; going back to their homes only to be succeeded by another horde as avaricious -reminding us of some men who in these days go into office bankrupt, and go out great capitalists-the money kings, the most arbitrary kings of our day-who sometimes to humiliate a rival would wreck the commerce of the country and the fortunes of men who have honestly accumulated them. The Lord said, not so with those who are His. He had just listened to an ill-timed discusion, between at least two of His disciples and their petitions: "Master we would that thou shouldest do for us whatsoever we desire"-and I hope that you will realize that the worst thing that could happen to you would be to have every prayer answered-and then their request to sit at his right and left in the kingdom. The text contains Christ's gentle rebuke of their ambition, and aims by His own example to teach them the spirit of service. This is not the spirit of the sons of men; the unregenerate have never seen the beauty of the apostolic saying, "Let that mind be in you which was in Christ Jesus, who took

upon him the form of a servant." Man loves to stand erect; to be selfsupporting; to succeed by his individual effort. The man of the world prefers to say, "I stand among you as one who rules." The world is so full of tyranny that this is not to be wonderd at; there is a shrinking on the part of multitudes at the thought of rule, and we have come to apply the principle to spiritual life. This chafing at the idea of service is founded on an utter misapprehension. If God created us, if He is the one supreme, independent source of power, there can only be service on our part.

Man did not decide when or how he would be born or where he would die; "in Him we live and move and have our being." Man cannot be independent because he cannot by any foresight prevent the inevitable which is approaching him. Man must be a servant, because of the physical laws which environ him. He is comfortable just as he lives in

obedience to those laws. We see all nature moving in obedience to these laws; because of them the rains come and the tides throb, and all the processes of nature move in accordance therewith. Man must be obedient because of the moral law. Moral law is a synonym for harmony and happiness; a violation of that law means anarchy and ruin. I do not say the violator of moral the results are far more terrible. There is another world, which lives in disobedience to moral law and all is anarchy lives in harmony with moral law and all

is happiness and heaven. Yet this is arguing from a lower plane; let us come up higher. Submission to the authority of a rightful ruler, instead of being degrading, is continued low temperature, except a patent of nobility. The regnant men slightly warmer in the extreme western of the world have been the men who were called servants. Look through the Book-Abraham, Moses, Elijah, Daniel, Peter-all were called servants of the Lord, and Paul calls himself a slave, using the original meaning of the word, extreme southeastern Georgia, north because One had come and bursting the thing he saw was the face of the child

vice was the true nobility of manhood. But he bid the patriarchs prophets, and apostles disappear, for a greater is here-Christ comes and says, "I stand among you as one who serveth." "The Son of Man came not to be ministered to." Where did he get that title? It occurs fifty or sixty times, but in every instance save one, is used by Christ himself; the one exception is when the martyr, Stephen, was being stoned. He looked up into the parting blue, and as God's glory smote him on the face, he said, "I see the Son of Man." Christ calls Himself the "Son of Man" because he took on Him our flesh; became our brother, represented our race. "As in Adam all die, so in Christ shall all be made alive." Because God as a spirit could not die on the cross, Christ took on himself our nature-except sin-that he might sympathize with us, love us, and die for us. O son of man, illustrating what our humanity was before sin tainted it, and what our humanity will be when grace has ennobled it, what do we not owe Thee! What could the worlddad to the possessions of Him for whom all things were created, what power could the world bestow on Him who had all principalities and to whom all powers were made subject? There was nothing left for Him to receive but service. His life was an illustration of the texta life of healing the sick, pardoning the penitent and comforting the sorrowing. When our dear Lord came to make His valedictory address, we read that He said all things had been accomplished that had been committed unto Him. What new miracle can we expect? Yes, a miracle, for he girded himself with a towel and washed their feet! Who will say that service is degrading, when the glory of God is enhanced thereby? And who so lowly that you would not bow at their feet if by so doing you could do

free in the Gospel, and he saw that ser-

them any good? This spectacle has given to the world new ideas. When Christ said, "I came into the world to minister," they were the most creative words ever uttered; for out of them has come all the sweet charities that have ministered to mankind. And they were not only creative, but revolutionary. They have reversed, reconstructed the ideas of the world as to what constitutes true greatness. The world has honored the men who have attained fame by battle and the sword. About one hundred years ago Andrew Fuller, a noted Baptist divine, wrote a book called "Evil Things Passed Under Sweet Names," and about two hundred years ago Dr. South-the Sydney Smith of his day-wrote a book called "The Fatal Force of Words." The world has been fooled by words, but Christ came to teach us that the only fame is the fame of service. I thank God for the change.

Less and less respect is paid rank and influence, here and abroad, and more and more is it asked what a man has done to deserve an honor he seeks. I trust the day is not far distant when only those who serve the world with disinterested noble service, will be accounted worthy of honor. The death of the Earl of Shaftsbury was deeply regretted, not alone for his high position and influence, but because of his work for the shoe blacks and factory women. Dr. Chalmers was great when electrifying Scotland with his eloquent discourses, but greater still when leading poor children through the lanes of Edin-

burg to school. All are called to work. No man ever had a right to a place in the church who did not try to find out what was his work; there is not a drone in the hive of God. You need not go to frozen zones or to equatorial regions. The man who lives on the same block may be a heathen; try to do something for him. Not the ministers alone are called; whenever every church member says "I have an individual work which nobody can perform for me," the power of the pulpit will increase a thousand-fold.

The only good evidence a man can give that he has ever been converted is that he is willing to obey and work. can't disparage emotional religion, but it is to practical religion what the steam is to the machinery-not to make a noise, but to move the piston that moves the engine. Emotional religion is good only when translated into labor. Many sing "Do I Love the Lord or No?" How will they settle it? Obedience is the test of love. You can never enter into the violator of physical law, but I do say | full fellowship with Christ until you learn to work with and for Him. Christ is building up a temple-your bodies are His temple-and every act is adding a stone. The whole structure rests on faith; perseverance is the engineer, brotherly kindness the cement, memory, love, joy, decorate the walls, and over the completed structure hope erects the beautiful dome out of which aspiration looks and longs for heaven.

A youth, when shipwrecked, strapped around him a belt filled with gold. A little girl said, "Please save me; I have no one on the boat to save me." He dashed off the belt and taking her on his back was cast insensible on the shore and when he opened his eyes the first bars of his captivity had set him | filled with joy to see that he still lived. on a business visit to Wilmington.

Which think you had the greater joy; the rescuer or the saved? We are sailing over life's tempestuous sea, and if, after we reach the haven, we find one who owns us as the instrument of their delivery. I think it will add to the matchless glory and beauty and charm of heaven.

Dr. Hoge will preach again in the First Presbyterian Church to-night at 8.15 o'clock.

FIRE AT MAXTON.

Business Block Burned-Losses

Insurance. A special to the STAR from Maxton, N. C., says that fire broke out in that place about 2 o'clock vesterday morning. It was discovered in C. A. Holland's store, and before anything could be done had gotten well under way, reaching O. S. Hayes' grocery house, then the Maxton Drug Co.'s and Mc-Caskill's building, then to Dr. Moore's and consumed the entire block north of the railroad. The losses are as follows: C. A. Holland, loss \$5,000, insurance \$500. O. S. Hayes, \$1,600; insurance \$600. Maxton Drug Co., \$1,500; insurance \$500. J. C. McCaskill, \$1,200; insurance \$600. Dr. Moore, \$150; no insurance. F. W. Kerchner, \$400; no insurance. But for the rain the town would have been burned.

particulars of the fire, as given in the letter below, viz:

MAXTON, N. C., May 13. by a very disastrous fire last night about 2 p. m. It was first discovered on the roof of the stores of Mr. C. A. Holland and Mr. O. S. Hayes. The flames spread rapidly, and but for the rain and the to Wrightsville is to be made in 19 heroic efforts of the citizens, the whole business portion of the town would have been burned up. The losses are as follows:

C. A. Holland, store, \$800; no insurance. Stock of merchandise, \$4,000; insurance, \$500. O. S. Hayes, merchandise, \$1,200; insurance, \$450.

Maxton Drug Co., merchandise, \$1 500; insurance, \$500. J. C. McCaskill, store fixtures, \$1,400

Maxton B. and L. Association, store \$400; insurance, \$200. John Leach, stock considerably dam-

aged, probably \$300. The origin of the fire is unknown, but t is supposed that the stores were robbed and then fired. A man was seen to run from where the fire was when it was

REAL ESTATE SALES

first discovered.

Of City Property by Auction Yesterday. Sales of real estate in the city by auction, were made yesterday, through Messrs. Cronly & Morris, auctioneers,

House and lot, 33x85 feet, south side of Wright street, to John Sheehan, \$350. Vacant lot on Third street, 66 feet south of Harnett street, 33x77 feet, to L. J. Poisson, \$185.

Other sales made, but subject to confirmation, were the following: House and lot on Seventh street, be-

Vacant lot, north side Market street between Twelfth and Thirteenth, 66x150 feet, to Col. Jno. W. Atkinson, for \$625.

tween Dock and Market; lot 50x66,

Lot northwest corner Front and Walnut street, 25x89 feet, to B. H. J Lot north of above, 281/2x89 feet on

Front street, to B. H. J. Ahrens, \$950. Lot north of above, 29x89 feet, to Col. Jno. W. Atkinson, \$900. Office and lot on Princess street, op-

posite court house, 45x66 feet, to L. J. Poisson, \$2,050.

The Sound place "Arcadia," to D. B. Cutlar, Jr., \$3,200.

POLICEMEN'S EXCURSION.

The Brotherhood to Meet in Wilmington

The police officers of the city held a meeting last night and resolved to have an excursion on the 11th of June next. Sergeants D. S. Bender and F. T. Skipper and officer Kunold were appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements and the meeting adjourned to assemble this evening and decide whether the excursion should be given to Carolina Beach or Ocean View.

The members of the force are expecting a "big time," and no doubt they will have it. The Police Brotherhood of North Carolina will meet here on the 10th of June in annual convention and delegates are expected from nearly every town in the State, and also from Columbia and Charleston, S. C.

A Ridiculous Rumor. The reports published in a number of our North Carolina exchanges to the effect that the Union depot and the shops of the Atlantic Coast Line are to be removed to Rocky Mount are absolutely without foundation. No such change has ever been considered, and no such change will ever be made. This statement may be relied on, as it comes from the highest official sources. It is possible that the shops of the Norfolk and Carolina Railroad may be located at Rocky Mount, but even this has not yet been definitely settled.

- Mr. P. Linehan, of Raleigh, is

Contract Advertisements taken at proportion

tely low rates. Ten lines solid Nonpareil type make one square.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

THE SEASIDE SEASON.

The Work of Preparation-Some of the Resorts Already Open - Increased Transportation Facilities.

Great preparations are making by the" hotels and transportation lines for the accommodation of the heavy business expected during the present season. At the summer resorts there is unusual activity. The Island Beach Hotel, at the Hammocks, with Mr. Will Hunter as lessee, and the Ocean View Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach, under the proprietorship of Mrs. Sarah H. Owen, are already open, and the Oceanic Hotel at Carolina Beach, under Messrs. E. L. & J. H. Hinton, will be ready for business in a day or two, Mr. Horner has charge of the Atlas House property, on Wrightsville Beach. He will give his personal attention to the saloon, and if he does not find a suitable person for the hotel he will take charge of that also. Mr. Jas. A Hewlett is also making preparations for his friends. His saloon is already open, and his restaurant will be open in a few days. At Wrightsville, Capt. Manning and Mr. Stokely need no special preparation, both keeping "open house" the year 'round.

The transportation lines will have better facilities this season than ever before. The New Hanover Transit Last night's mail brought further Company have two steamers, the Wilmington and the Passport, both firstclass boats and fast runners, the former being a regular "hummer." The Wil-EDITOR STAR:—Our town was visited | mington Seacoast Company announce that, beginning on the 17th, they will run several trains, each way, except Sunday, and the run from Wilmington minutes. Sundays there will be a train leaving Ocean View at 9.30 a. m. for the accommodation of the "truly good," who can attend church in town and leave on the return trip at 1 p. m., reaching home in time for dinner.

The regular schedule for Carolina Beach has not yet been announced, but with the facilities the managers now have at their command, it cannot fail to to be all that the public can desire.

"Hope" Fire Company.

The "Hope" steam fire engine company, of Florence, S. C., are making extensive preparations for a grand excursion to the Hammocks, June 10th. The train will run from Sumter and will stop at all way stations as far as Marion. The indications are that the excursion will be a great success. If they have the opportunity, the people of Wilmington should show the "Hope" boys some attention. It will be remembered that they came gallantly to our assistance when the great fire of 1886 was at its

Episcopal Convention,

We are informed that tickets for the round trip to Newbern, for those wishing to attend the meeting of the Diocese of East Carolina, will be on sale on the 18th and 19th inst., at \$7.45 each, good to return at any time up to and including the 25th instant.

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