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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The postoffice at Elizabeth City, N. C., was robbed Sunday night by burglars. Advice from Apia says that both native factions are surrendering their arms...

LOCAL DOTS.

The Mayor disposed of several cases of disorderly conduct at yesterday's session of the City Court. Note change in Carolina Beach and Southport schedule. It is getting better and better...

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AFFAIRS OF THE CITY.

Various Matters Considered at the Meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

THE SANITARY COMMITTEE.

Reports and Recommendations—Street Improvements—Fire Department. License Taxes—Light Contract. The Street Car Line.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held yesterday at 11 A. M. Present, Mayor Waddell, City Attorney Iredeed Meares, City Clerk and Treasurer B. F. King, and Aldermen McRae, Taylor, Montgomery, West, Worth, Spencer, Hanby, Woolard, Parker, and Springer.

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WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU. WILMINGTON, N. C., June 5. Temperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

PORT AIRMAR.

Port Airmar—June 6. Sun Rises 4:46 A. M. Sun Sets 7:11 P. M. Day's Length 14 H. 25 M. High Water at Southport 6:46 P. M. High Water, Wilmington 10:16 P. M.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday, with showers in western portions in the afternoon; probably showers Wednesday; light southeasterly winds.

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THE WILMINGTON HOMESTEAD AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

will hold its Thirtieth Annual Meeting in the City Court Room, June 13, 1899. All stockholders are hereby notified to be present, or have their shares represented by proxy.

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THE NEW HANOVER CRIMINAL COURT.

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THE 1899 TAX LEVY.

Fixed by the County Commissioners at 25 Cents On the \$100 Valuation. PUBLIC ROADS IMPROVEMENT.

Road Tax Levy Made and Road Machinery Soon to be Purchased—Route to be Worked by the Board—An Important Meeting To-day.

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The Finance Committee had previously estimated the amount of money which will be required to meet the current expenses and provide the various special funds and they recommended, through Col. Roger Moore, the following levy, which after protracted discussion and investigation, was adopted:

General expenses, 3 3/4 cents of the \$100 valuation; military, 1 cent of the \$100 valuation; roads and bridges, 10 cents on the \$100 valuation (this is in compliance with the provisions of the new road law); bonded debt, 3 1/2 cents on the \$100 valuation; hospital, 4 cents on the \$100 valuation; total, \$1.56.

The State Levy is 43 cents, which with the levy stated above makes 95 cents taxes to be levied upon the \$100 valuation in the county. The State poll tax is \$1.25, so that the total poll tax will be \$2.85.

The motion to adopt the above levy was made by Commissioner McEachern, seconded by Commissioner Holmes. objection was made to the levy by Commissioner Alexander on the ground that the increased valuation of property being made by the assessors would provide additional revenue, so that the levy could be made lower.

Chairman Moore held a conference with Mr. T. O. Banting, of the Board of assessors, who informed him that the completion of the new property tax valuations would be completed to-day when the exact increase of valuation could be ascertained.

In view of the fact that it is required by Statute that the levy be made at the first meeting in June of each year, the Board voted that the levy recommended by the Finance Committee be adopted with the understanding that in case the increased valuation was sufficient to warrant it a general reduction would be made in the property valuation.

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SURF BATHING—STILL WATER BATHING.

Board of Aldermen and located the site for the proposed post house to be erected by the city. They selected four acres of the old "Fair Ground" on the County Home tract.

Report of Officers.

Register of Deeds Biddle, reported \$19 paid the treasurer as the county's share of the proceeds from the sale of marriage licenses.

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Carolina Beach and Southport Schedule.

ON AND AFTER JUNE 6TH, BOAT LEAVES FOR CAROLINA BEACH.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

M. E. Church, South, Wilmington District. Magnolia, Florence, June 10-11.

Wilmington Seacoast R. R. ON AND AFTER JUNE 1ST, 1899.

Schedule of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad will be as follows.

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Prof. Neilsen's Remedies.

Prof. A. C. Neilsen, of Wilmington, N. C., manufacturer of the "Beef Oil Lintiment," has been here and has effected many a cure.

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5000 pounds Wool. 5000 pounds Beeswax. HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID.

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