IN THE STATE.

in conflicts with revolutionists. farm, has been arrested, charged with the murder. - The McLean men will control the Ohio State Democratic Convention, which meets to-day. A Georgia grand jury has found true bills against a number of white men charged with white capping outrages on negroes. -N. Y. markets: Money on call steady at 21/2 @3 per cent, last loan being at 3 per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 6 4c; flour weak and dull: wheat-spot weak, No.2 red 75%c; ern-spot weak, No. 2 38%c; rosin firmer; spirits turpentine steady at 471/2

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., August 29.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 71 degrees. P. M. 74 degrees; maximum, 77 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 73

Rainfall for the day, .16; rainfall age 1st of the month up to date, 5.30 Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at S A. M., 1.6 feet,

COTTON REGION BULLETIN Much cooler weather prevailed from the dississippi valley eastward, with general rains, the falls being particularly heavy in South Carolina and Eastern Georgia and Florida. Rain continues in the immediate coast dis-

tricts and clear weather prevails else-FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, Aug. 29. - For North Circles - Brisk northeasterry winds,

Port Almanac - August 30.

roung high on the coast.

san Rises 6.28 P. M. Day's Langth 12 H. 26 M. High Water at Southport 3.51 P M High Water, Wilmington 721 P. M.

The fact that the Match Trust has run the price of matches up about double may provoke some sulphurous remarks.

A thousand vessels cross the Atantic every month from American ports, some of them twice a month, and not a half dozen of them carry the American flag.

There is a man in Pittsburg, Pa., who broke two of a young woman's ribs by hard squeezing and then was mean enough to refuse to pay the Dr.'s bill for splicing.

General Otis has applied the Chilese exclusion laws to the Philippines. And yet they tell us that the Philippines will be ruined without cheap Chinese labor.

Of the 100,000 Quakers, or Friends, as they call themselves in the United States, 5,600 are in North Carolina, and they are among the best people in the State.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat, speaking of the Dreyfus affair, says France is misunderstood. Very likely, and the probabilities are that France does not understand

A train on the New York Central Railway consisting of two ordinary Passenger cars, one buffet and one parlor car, recently made a lively run, making part of the time from 65 to 72 miles an hour.

One of the largest corporations in this country has just been licensed in Chicago. It is the "Towarzstwo Miodziencow Sw Kazimierza Krolewiezaprzy Kosciele Sw Stanislawa Biskupa I. Meczennilla." We do not know exactly what this is, but it must be an immense concern.

Mr. Wm. Henry Ijams was a jam | Medical College as a student. up sticker. For forty-six years he was in the service of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and for thirty years its treasurer, during which time he handled as much as \$25,-000,000 a year. He resigned a short while ago and at the age of seventyseven is in jam up health.

Platt R. Spencer, the originator of the Spencerian system of penmanship, never saw a piece of writing paper until after he was 8 years old. He did his first writing on the walls of houses, on the bark of trees and on the sand. The first penny he

THE MORNING STAR.

VOL. LXIV .-- NO. 137. WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1899.

LOCAL DOTS.

- Ed. Jefferson, colored, was arrested by the police yesterday for an assault. He will be tried to day. - Mr. D. McEachern caught a

monster drum fish on Carolina Beach yesterday. It measured about three eet in length. - The regular, bona fide circula-

tion of THE MORNING STAR is much larger than that of any other daily newspaper published in Wilmington. - Colonel Walker Taylor was

elected first vice president of the State Fire Underwriter's Association at its annual meeting in Greensboro last - Mr. N. L. Smith, manager of

he local branch of Ludden & Bates' Southern Music House, has an advertisement of interest to prospective buyers in the STAR to-day. The local office is 109 Dock street.

- The ambulance horse at the Marine Hospital was incapactated for service yesterday morning by stepping on a nail on Front street in front of Messrs. Holmes & Watters' store. - The steamer E. A. Hawes ar-

rived early yesterday morning from Clear Run. She will clear at about 10 o'clock this morning. The Driver arrived from Fayetteville late last evening. - The big presses at the Cham-

pion cotton compress will be started up to day, However, regular work will not begin for a day or two yet, the object of running to day being principally to test the machinery.

- Four hundred and seventythree bales of cotton were received on the Wilmington market yesterday, 472 of which came in over the W. C. & A. railroad. The price remains quiet at 5; cents for middling against 52 cents on the corresponding day last year.

- It is probable that Col. A. M Waddell will take part in the great Kentucky campaign this Fall. He has been invited to do so by Senator Blackburn who is a personal friend of Col. Waddell. Reference to this matter was inadvertantly omitted from yesterday's STAR.

- Probably the last excursion under the management of Hatch Bros., of Mount Olive, will arrive from Goldsboro this morning and the party will be taken on a special train on the Seacoast road to the beach. Passengers will be taken on from Goldsboro to Rose Hill exclusively.

- The STAR is informed that Al. G. Field, Tommy Donnelly, Doc. Suigley and Billy Everhart, all members of Al. G. Field's Greater Minstrels will attend the ball game Friday afternoon between the Portsmouth and Wilmington teams as the guests of

John W. Blomme, of this city. - John Robinson, colored, was sent to jail by Justice Fowler vesterday afternoon to await trial by the Criminal Court for larceny. He is charged with breaking into a chest and stealing a number of carpenter's tools from Sam Jones, also colored. He admitted the theft and said he turned the goods over to a man on one of the sharpies on the river.

- The schooner John C. Smith, Capt. Kneeland, arrived yesterday afternoon from New York with a cargo of salt for Messrs. Worth Co., and Hall & Pearsall. This is the first trip of Capt. Kneeland to this port in about fifteen years. He was here on the Sarah L. Davis at the time of the destructive fire on Water and Nutt streets about that number of years ago.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Race-Carolina Yacht Club. E. M. Green-Card in denial. N. L. Smith-Pianos and organs. The Star-Young printer wanted. Jno. W. Plummer-Just received.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. J. D. Leigler, of Eloree, C., is in the city. - Mr. E. F. Gordon, of Southport, came up yesterday on a business

- Mr. T. W. Bass, of Latta, S. C., was among yesterday's arrivals n the city.

- Mr. E. H. Walton, of Sparkman, is among the wholesale purchasers in the city.

- Mr. David Brown, of Buie, Robeson county, was here yesterday, making business calls. - Mr. R. J. Hester, a prominent

pusiness man of Elizabethtown, is in the city on a business trip. - Mrs. R. F. Ottaway and Miss

Bessie Ottaway, of Brunswick, are on a visit to Mrs. J. E. Nelms. - Mr. Irvy Taylor left yesterday afternoon for Davidson, N. C., where he will enter the North Carolina

- Mr. O. J. Carroll, ex-United States marshal, and at present proprietor of the Carrolton Hotel, Ra-

leigh, is registered at The Orton. - Mr. V. S. Stevens, of Southport, who has been spending a vacation of a week or ten days at Blowing Rock, was here yesterday, returning

to his home. - Mr. E. T. Pullen, of Rocky Point, was a visitor in the city yesterday. He recently returned from an extended business trip to points in the

North and West. -Mr. T. B. Eldridge, of the editorial staff of the Raleigh Post, is 7th at a low rate, enabling those who in the city for a few days and was a ever had was invested in a sheet of STAR visitor last evening. We were glad to see the "old boy."

NO NEWS FROM SLOAN AUGUST RACE TO BE

The Absent Cashier of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company.

NO CHARGE AGAINST HIM.

Not Believed Guilty of Any Criminal Act. Confidence in Bank Absolutely Restored-Large Deposits Yesterday-Usual Business.

Absolute confidence in the unshaken condition of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company, and in the announcement by the president and the directors that the bank has lost nothing by the departure of Cashier George Sloan, has certainly been established, as was clearly demonstrated yesterday, especially by the fact that the deposits received during banking hours were very much in excess of checks cashed, and that quite a number of those who drew out their deposits under stress of the flurry of excited apprehension caused by the discovery of the absence of the cashier Monday re-deposited their money during the day.

The bank did the usual routine of business yesterday, and any one calling at the banking house during the day and not aware of the conditions which existed on the day previous could scarcely believe that so complete and highly gratifying a change could have taken place in so short a time. The bank was, however, prepared for any emergency which might have arisen, having at hand ample currency to pay any and all depositors who might apply for withdrawal and that too with the bank's own funds.

While it was not necessary to accept a single tender of financial aid President Norwood and the directors very much appreciate numerous offers of assistance from banks of neighboring cities in this and other States. A notable telegram from an individual was that received early in the day from Mr. Harry Walters who is vice president of the bank. It was as

Mr. J. W. Norwood, Wilmington: Wire me at the Cloisters, Newport, if you want me to send you money. I will supply whatever may be re-

(Signed) H. WALTERS. The Big Safe Opened.

About 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Thos. Torpy, master machinist at the A. C. L c r shops, assisted by Thos. Castine a helper at the shops, forced open the big safe in the bank, the combination to which is known only to Mr. Sloan the absent cashier. In opening the safe Mr. Torpy tried to use an explosive but was unsuccessful, having finally forced the door open by knocking off the knob and rolling back the main spindle of the lock. It was in the safe thus opened that the cash balance of last Saturday's deposits the, last received by the absent cashier, was believed to be, together with certain securities, etc., the cash amounting to \$807.

President Norwood found the cash and securities all intact, so that there is every indication that Mr. Sloan had misappropriated no funds at all. The cash accounts were found to be carefully adjusted, Mr. Sloan having charged against the cash his salary

due up to Saturday. No News From Mr. Sloan. No tidings whatever were received from Mr. Sloan, the absent cashier yesterday. A movement has been inaugurated by his relatives and friends in conjunction with a certain secret order of which he is a highly esteemed member, to ascertain his whereabouts and get him to return to the city. It is still the general opinion that he is in some way demented, wherever he may be. There are many who believe he will very soon return to the city of his own accord. Why he should have left the city as he did when no criminal charge is made against him is a great mystery.

A board of survey to determine what disposition to make of the schooner Nellie Floyd, which was damaged in a collision with a mudscow down the river a few days ago. was held yesterday, but the report and conclusions arrived at are witheld from publication and will be forwarded to the owners at New York with recommendations. The board consisted of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, port warden; Mr. L. H. Skinner, ship carpenter; and Mr. Robt. Beery, representing the Underwriter's Agency.

No Place Like Wilmington.

Mr. Junius Whitaker, who has been in the city and on Wrightsville Beach and Sound the past several weeks, will leave this morning for his home in Winston. He is a son of Editor J. B. Whitaker, Jr., of the Winston-Salem Sentinel. Like every one else who gathered from the advertisement. gets a taste of genuine "lower Cape Fear hospitality," inhales the balmy sea breezes and takes a dip into our matchless surf, he is convinced that there is no place like Wilmingtoneither for permauent residence or a Summer resort.

Seaboard Air Line.

Parties availing themselves of the cheap rate offered by the Seaboard Air Line to Philadelphia the latter part of this week will have an opportunity to visit Niagara Falls at a yery low rate. The Pennsylvania Railroad will run a special train from Philadelphia to Niagara Falls on the desire, to visit the great curiosity. Apply at office of Thos. D. Meares, General Agent, for information.

Followed by a Brilliant Dance To-night Carolina Club House Will Close September 15th.

RE-SAILED TO-DAY.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon the Au gust race by the Carolina Yacht Club will be re-sailed over the club's course in Bank's Channel, Wrightsville Beach, and following the race will be a brilliant dance in the club house, continuing until 11 o'clock. This will be the last dance Carolina Club will give this season, the announcement being authoritatively made that the club house will be closed on September 15th.

All boats which enter the races this afternoon must report at 3.30 o'clock and the contest will begin at 4 o'clock There is very much uncertainty now regarding the possible result of the races. Until the recent additions were made to the fleet there was every indication that the Mabel would score record in the coming race which would entitle her captain to the Commodore's cup, which has been tendered the club by Commodore Ancrum Lord's brother as a challenge cup. However, since the excellent record made recently by Mr. C. W. Worth's new boat as well as that of Commodore Lord, the prospect is not so positively assuring for the Mabel. If she wins this afternoon she will secure the cup, but if she does not, no matter what other boat wins, the cup cannot be awarded until the Fourth of July race next year.

There will be a late Seacoast train leaving the beach at 11 o'clock instead of 10 o'clock, the usual time.

PRESENTED TO DR. HOGE.

Pretty Silver Service From the Congrega tion of the First Presbyterian Church. Left Yesterday for Richmond.

As a testimonial of the very high esteem in which he is held; of the appreciation of his faithful and unselfish labors, covering a period of many years, the congregation of the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning presented to its retiring pastor, Rev. Dr. Peyton H. Hoge, a very pretty and costly solid silver tea set of five pieces, with a beautiful cut glass bowl handsomely trimmed in sterling silver. The presentation was made through a committee of the officers of the church, among them being Mr. James Sprunt, Mr. B. G. Worth, Mr. B. F. Hall, Mr. W. M. Cumming, Mr. P. Pearsall, Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Capt. W. S. Warrock and

Capt. W. R. Kenan. The formal presentation was by Mr. Hall, in well chosen words, which were responded to briefly and feelingly by Dr. Hoge.

Dr. Hoge left for Richmond, Va. yesterday morning, but the service will be suitably engraved and sent to him at Louisville, Ky., where his pastorate will formally open at Warren Memorial church on the third Sunday in September, at which time he will preach his initial sermon. His family are now visiting at Waynesboro, Va., but will join him in their new home in about a month.

Refused to Pay Pare. The three young men, who were tried in Justice McGowan's court off with costs. yesterday morning by Justice Harriss Northrop, Jr. One of the number, a young man named Coleman from Rockingham, N. C., was fined \$5 for refusing to pay fare and was bound over to the Criminal Court for assault with a deadly weapon, it having been alleged that he snapped a pistol at Capt. | costs. Edgar Hinton, who with Capt. W. H. Bowden, was in charge of the train. He paid the fine and put up cash security in the sum of \$100 for his appearance at the Criminal Court in November.

The other defendants were fined \$2.50 and costs.

L. V. Grady, Esq, was attorney for the defendants and E. K. Bryan, Esq., represented the Seacoast road.

Chance For Investment.

Mr. Geo. W. Woodward, City Clerk of Durham, advertises in the STAR today that by virtue of a resolution passed by the Board of Alderman of that city at a recent meeting, he will receive bids until September 14th, for the purchase of one thousand shares of the par value of \$100 each, same being the entire stock owned by the city of Durliam in the Durham and Northern Railway Company. Each bid must be accompanied by \$500 in cash or a certified check for that amount on some responsible bank, as an evidence of good faith on the part of the bidder, which shall be returned to the owner if the bid be not accented. Further particulars of the sale may be

Returned From Syracuse.

Mr. W. P. Monroe, Assistant Chief of the Wilmington Fire Department, returned yesterday morning from Syracuse, N. Y., where he attended the twenty-seventh annual convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers. He reports a very pleasant and most profitable session of the convention and says that many new ideas in fire fighting were gathered from experienced men from all parts of America. The convention will meet next year at Charleston.

Read the advertisement of the East Carolina Real Estate Agency in this issue of the STAR. It offers for sale some very valuable farms. MINSTREL SHOW FRIDAY.

Al. G. Fields Will Bring An Unusually Strong Aggregation of Talent This Season.

To-morrow the sale of reserved seats will open at Gerken's for the Al. G. Field's Greater Minstrels performance at the Opera House Friday night, this being the inaugural feature of the theatrical season in Wilmington. It is the general opinion of theatre goers here that Manager Schloss could not have selected a stronger attraction than Field's minstrels as the 'opening wedge" for a successful season.

In amusements Al. G. Field has established a reputation for refined performances which have drawn him clientelle of which he should be broud. Ladies and children who never patroniz similar entertainments patronize the Al. G. Field Greater

This year Field's company contains many new and novel features, much that is better than he has offered before. The famed Faust family of Acrobats, the Nondescript Trio, the octette of solo singers, the funny comedians, the big cornet band, Everhardt the German Jongleur and the boy choiristers make a combination of talented people such as is rarely brought to this city. Friday at noon the minstrel troups

will give a grand parade which will be well worth seeing.

FORT CASWELL TARGET PRACTICE.

Patrons of the "Old Time Excursion" Fri day Will Probably Witness It.

It seems very probable that the much talked about target practice with the big guns at Fort Caswell will be held on Friday of this week, the date announced for the "old time excursion" by Capt. Harper on the steamer Wilmington down the river, touching at the pier, at Southport, at the forts, going thence 5 miles out to sea. If the practice is held on Friday the excursionists will have an opportunity to witness it from the decks of the Wilmington. With favorable weathere conditions there is no doubt that Capt. Harper will have one of the largest crowds he has carried this

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad-1 bale cotton 7 easks spirits turpentine, 50 barrels tar. W., C. & A. Railroad-471 bales cotton, 32 casks spirits turpentine, 97 bar rels rosin, 111 barrels tar, 20 barrels crude turpentine. A. & Y. Railroad-11 casks spirits turpentine, 137 barrels rosin, 90 barrels

C. C. Railroad-7 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 65 barrels ar, 32 barrels crude turpentine. Steamer E.A. Hawes-55 casks spirits

urpentine, 145 barrels tar. Total-Cotton, 472 bales; spirits turpentine, 112 casks; rosin, 334 barrels; tar, 461 barrels; crude turpentine, 52 barrels.

Mayor's Court.

In the Mayor's Court yesterday C. A. Smith, a colored lineman, was charged with throwing glass promiscuously on the streets. He was working at corner Third and Princess streets, and in putting in some new insulators for the telephone company arrested for creating a disturbance on he knocked the old ones from the the Seacoast train Sunday night, were | brackets with a hammer. He was let

Henderson Hayes, colored, who spends most of his time in serving on the convict street force, was again sent up for thirty days on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Dave Green, colored, for being drunk and down, was fined \$5 and

Salen Sarilane, for peddling with out licence, was required to pay the costs and the tax required for conducting such a business.

Purser R. C. Banks.

Mr. R. C. Banks, who has filled the position of purser so successfully for Capt. Jno. W. Harper on the steamer Wilmington during this season, retired from the service last night to serve as receiving clerk with the Champion Cotton Cotton Compress Company, a position which he has filled during the past several seasons. In fact he has been in the employ of Alexander Sprunt & Son during the several months of each year in which the compress is in operation, for the past fourteen years.

Mr. Banks has filled the position of urser for the Wilmington in an eminently satisfactory manner, playing a strong "second fiddle" to the able lead of Capt. Harper. Truly there was never a boat with more clever and accommodating officers.

His Purposes Misconstrued.

Elijah M. Green, a respectable colored man of Wilmington, of whom it was alleged in a recent article in the Brooklyn Eagle, that he had been sent by Mr. James Sprunt, president of the | Wilmington Medical Society. Champion Compress and Warehouse Co., to induce colored refugees to return to Wilmington for work during the cotton season, has a card in this morning's STAR denying such allegations and declaring the article a fabrication of the whole cloth. A card was published in yesterday's paper from Mr. Sprunt with reference to the same matter, which proves the absolute incorrectness of the newspaper statements referred to.

The East Carolina Real Estate Agency has excellent facilities for selling farms and timbered lands. It advertises all property and makes only a nominal charge unless a sale is made. For terms etc., address R. G. steps will be taken to insure promp and regular delivery

A TERRIBLE CRIME

NEAR DURHAM, N. C.

Brutal Assault by a Negro On a Little White Girl-Much Talk of Lynching.

Special Star Correspondence. RALEIGH, N. C., August 29.

Late last night the details of a terri ble crime committed near Durham reached this city. About dark, near the county convict camp, some three miles from the town, Melvin Parker, a convict, assaulted and raped little Bettie Hurdieston, the eight-year old daughter of Wm. Hurdieston, a respectful farmer. Parker was a trusty at the camp and usually employed in carrying water to the convicts. On one of his trips for water, just about dark, he came upon the some two hundred yards from home and proceeded to carry out his devilish designs. This done, he hurried back to the camp and was preparing to try to escape, when the father of the girl, who had learned of what had happened, notified the guards. They at once took Parker into custody, and he is now in camp

under close guard. There was much talk of lynching when the news reached Durham. The feeling against the brute is said to be very strong. Soon after the assault Dr. Johnson was summoned and he found, upon

examination, the girl's story of the negro's conduct was true. Storm Sufferers. A telegram from Newbern say those who went to relieve the wants of the storm sufferers on the coast have returned; that the supplies al-

ready sent are sufficient, and no

further outside help is required. Con-

ributions will be returned. Early last night Capt. Jno. G. B. Grimes, a well known and aged citizen here, tripped over a piece of car-pet in the Capital Club rooms and fell, sustaining painful injuries to his left hip. It is feared that a bone is broken.

Fatally Hurt. Sunday, while playing with some boys in the Capital Hose Company's engine house, James Lanier, one of the smallest men in the world, fell sustaining fatal injuries. He is still living, but his physician says there is no possible chance for his recovery. James Lanier, or "Boss," as he is nicknamed, is not over three feet high and is 27 year old. He has had many offers from shows, but declined them Some years since he was exhibited for a while at various towns, but he did not like it. He has a sister who is nearly as small as himself.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Durham Jail Attacked by Lynchers.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., August 29.— An Observer special from Durham, N. C., says that a large crowd surrounded the jail there all day and at 10 o'clock to-night demanded that a negro named Parker, who is alleged to have committed a crime against an eight year old white girl last evening be delivered them. The jailor told them he was not there, but the crowd would not leave until a committee of five went through the iail and found that the negro had been secretly taken away early in the night. Large bodies of men then entered the surrounding woods in search of the negro, and if found he will likely be quickly disposed of. There is a good deal of excitement in Durham to night and at 9 o'clock the mayor issued a proclamatiom closing all bar rooms. The accused negro is a convict "trusty and passed his victim while carrying water to the chain gang, three miles

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice August 29th, 1899.

WOMEN'S LIST. Miss Minnie Armstrong, Miss Acline Brown, Mrs. TW Battle, Miss Jane Byrd. Miss Annie Dudley, Miss Julia Davis. Miss Annaliza Femon. Mrs. A. Goodwin. Mrs. Mary Hayes, Miss Romer Houston. Miss Minnie Johnson. Mrs. J M Logan, Miss Gertrude Large. Miss Arril Johnson. Mrs. W HL Kent. Mrs. A H Mood, Bettie Moher, Miss Hester McDowell, Rachel Mitchell. Miss Banner Payne. Miss Sarah Williams, Emma Whitson, Sarah Williams, Emma

Blanche Wilson. MEN'S LIST. J M Byrd, John K Blair, P B Baker, Sammie Britton, W C Burgim, W. F. Broadnax. W H Calvin. Geo. W. Gage. W D Harrell. Ted Irwin Claude Judd. Robt. E Lee. Jno. W Odenthal. M E Paris. Jacob Robinson. Thos. Ridder, J C Rogis. W E Snell. W A Turner. Walter Whiedon, Thos. F Winstead, N Wright, James Watson, Wilmington Commercial College. B F Yarbrough.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE. Martha Aowel. Lin Mills. Arinnie Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for

n fifteen days they will be sent to the lead letter office MISS MARY C. DARBY.

September Weather. The Weather Bureau record at the Wilmington station, for a period of twenty-eight years shows the average

deg. on the 25th, 1887. The greatest amount of precipitation in 24 hours was 7.50 inches on the 10th, 1882; the average for the month

is 5.85 inches.

condition in September to be as fol-

Mean temperature, 74 deg.; highest,

96 deg. on the 22d, 1875; lowest, 42

A well attended meeting of the Wilmington Medical Society was held last night at the office of Dr. W. D. Mc-Millan. Only private matters of interest to the medical fraternity were discussed. Those present were Dr.

W. C. Galloway, president; Dr. F. H.

Russell, Secretary; Drs. Wm. J. Love,

L. A. Love, C. D. Bell, J. F. Schon-

wald, D. W. Bulluck, C. F. Harper and W. D. McMillan. To City Subscribers. City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to

deliver their papers. In all such cases

FIRST FULL PRACTICE.

WHOLE NO. 9,995

By Wilmington Athletic Association Base Ball Team To-day-Line-Up Thursday-Mr. Parker Umpire,

This afternoon the first practically full practice by the Wilmington Ath letic Association base ball team will be held on the Hilton Park diamond. The players are arriving rapidly. Kenna, Gwaltney and Person are already here. Mills, of Wake Forest, Oldham, and Ferdie Johnson are expected this morning, and LeGrand will doubtless reach here to-morrow morning. The line-up for Thursday's game, the first of the series with Portsmouth, has been practically completed with the exception of the right fielder. It will be about as follows: Oldham, catch; Kenna, pitch; Brunson, first base; LeGrand, second base; Ferdie Johnson, third base; Mills, short-stop; Person, left field, and Gwaltney, center field

A friend in this city received a letter yesterday from Mr. W. M. Bowden, of accompanied by five hundred dollars Cortsmouth, in which the statement is in cash, or a certified check for that made that Portsmouth has an A 1 team, composed of some of the very best boys in Virginia.

Mr. E. J. Parker has been chosen as umpire for the series of games here. He was the chief umpire for the Rocky Mount, Newbern and Kinston league which flourished a few seasons ago, and is an excellent and impartial um-

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Young Printer Wanted.

À YOUNG PRINTER WHO WISHES TO FINISH HIS TRADE ON A MORNING DAILY MAY SECURE EMPLOYMENT AT THE OFFICE OF

Will be re-sailed over the Club Course Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Yachts will report at 3.30 P. M. By order of the Regatta Committee. aug 30 1t JAMES T. MUNDS, Purser.

The August Race of the

Carolina Yacht Club

FOR SALE. That desirable property situated on the north side of Dock street, running from the corner eastwardly 142 feet and 6 inches, with a frontage on South Water street of 33 feet. The same is at present occupied by Mr. Thos. J. Gore and others. Also, the Wharf in front, 33x60 feet.

Apply to WILKES MORRIS, August 27th, 1899.

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WILMINGTON SEACOAST R. R. ON AND AFTER JUNE 1ST, 1899,

the Schedule or the Wilmington Seacoast Rail road will be as follows: DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. SUNDAY.

Every Friday and Saturday night, on account of Club and Hotel dances, the 7.15 P. M. rain will leave the beach at 11.00 P. M. intead of 10.00. R. OSCAR GRANT, Supt.

A Card in Denial. WILMINGTON, N. C., AUGUST 29, 1899. To the Star: I returned to-day from an excursion trip to the North at my own expense, and am astonished and distressed to see how some of the Northern newspapers have told lies about me. I was not sent North by Mr. Sprunt, and he never asked me to speak to refugees. He did not know I was going, and I did not speak to any one but four or five of the good stevedores whom I said could likely get a job at the press next month. whom I said could likely get a job at the press next month.

I go North on an excursion every year, and I am always careful in what I say not to cause strife or bad feeling. Some of our men get work there in the Summer, and others, like the foolish persons who talk to Northern newspaper reporters and mislead the public, cause the colored people at home to be ashamed. I did not speak to any refugees about coming back. The men I spoke to went away for work in May and June last, intending to come home when the cotton season opened.

E. M. GREEN. aug 30 1t*

At The Unlucky. SPEAKING of Tea.

I am selling a blended Tea for that beats the world and cannot be replaced for 40c. Try it.

Don't you love Stuffed Mango Pickles? We have them, and my, don't they taste good.
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owned by the city of Durham. At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Durham, held on the 25th day of August, 1899, it was ordered by said Board that, "The entire stock owned by the City of Durham in The Durham and Northern Railway Company, be offered for sale, as a whole, in the following manner: The City Clerk shall advertise for sealed bids, for said stock, to be ber, 1899, at twelve o'clock M., the City reserving the right to reject any or all bids. Each bid must be

Northern Railway Company,

not accepted. "If a sale be made, the proceeds thereof shall be placed to the credit of the sinking fund, provided for the payment of the bonds issued by the Town of Durham in aid of The Durham and Northern Railway Company, under Chapter 140 of the Laws of 1887, and the interest or dividend arising therefrom shall be applied and used to reduce the taxes

By virtue of the foregoing resolution, I will receive bids as therein provided, until twelve o'clock M. of the 14th day of September, 1899. The stock to be sold consists of One Thousand Shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each. It was issued to the Town (now City) of Durham, in exchange for bonds of the par value of one hundred thousand dollars after a subscription to that amount had been made by said Town. Persons desiring further information may address me or Victor S. Bryant, City Attorney, at

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