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#### WEATHER REPORT.

U.S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 18. Temperatures: S A. M., 71 degrees SP. M., 72 degrees; maximum, 82 de grees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 74

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall ace 1st of the month up to date, .98. Stage of water in the river at Fay tterille at 8 A. M., 3 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN. Excepting over South Carolina Beorgia and eastern Alabama, light

moderate showers have prevailed. The temperature is much lower in the Memphis and Little Rock dis-FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, October 18 .- For Carolina: Fair Thursday and Friday: variable winds.

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A number of telephone companies in the West have pooled their issues to fight the Bell Company. This ought to make talk chesp out there while the fight is on.

England levies a poll tax of 25 cents a head on each passenger who crosses the channel from Dover to France. She raked in last year \$89,235 from this tax.

There is one citizen of Illinois whose cornucopia is is pretty full this year. His corn crop is 600,000 bushels. He knows how to grow corn, for his crop averaged 100 bushels to the acre.

The Chicago Tribune pronounces the stewards and servants on the ocean liners the most remorseless bleeders in existence. They are continually playing for tips, and, according to the Tribune, do a tip-top

A Texas man proudly displays a note for \$50 made by Sam Houston in 1837. He devotes his spare moments to figuring out how rich he would be if Sam would come back and pay that note with compound

Ex-Governor Hogg, of Texas, is said to be an expansionist. He began expanding quite early in life and now wears a 22-collar and weighs something less than half a ton. There are a good many expansion hogs in the U.S.

Mark Hanna has spread a pretty big drag net to catch contributions for the Ohio campaign. The Greensboro Record notes the receipt by the postmaster of a little neighboring town, of a request to chip in. The p. m. makes about \$5 or \$10 a year out of his job.

The Dakotas have a record as divorce States, but they are not the only ones. Last year one county in Illinois put 833 ill-paired couples through the mill, one county in Massachusetts 600, and the State of Massachusetts 2.113. For twenty years Massachusetts has averaged a thousand a year.

Some of the correspondents represent Gen. Lawton as a capacious drinker, who is able to "drink any other man under the table," but the General says he never drank a drop of liquor. Maybe he takes water in his and gets the drop on the other bibbers in that way.

## Opera Company Next Week,

Mr. F. L. Hunt, accompanied by his wife, was here yesterday and arranged for a solid week's engagement for the Olympia Opera Company, beginning Monday night. The company is play-

# THE MORNING STAR.

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LOCAL DOTS.

- For other locals see fourth page. - The steamer Driver is expected down from Favetteville this morning. The Seabright went out as usual this morning for Calabash and Little River, S. C.

- There were no transactions on the local market in spirits turpentine yesterday. Purchasers offered only 50@501 cents and those holding stock refused to sell at these figures.

- Justice Bornemann tried Hattie Jones and Lizzie Ward, both colored, yesterday afternoon for dis orderly conduct. The Jones woman was dismissed and Lizzie Ward was taxed with the costs.

- The prayer meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, postponed from last night on account of the ordination of the Rev. E. E. Lane at Immanuel Church, will be held tonight at the usual hour.

- Rev. Edward E. Lane, the new pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, will be the special speaker at the Y. M. C. A. afternoon service Sunday. The hour for meeting has been changed from 5 15 to 5 o'clock P. M.

- Cotton receipts yesterday were 2,125 bales against 2,627 on the corresponding date last year. Over 800 bales of the receipts yesterday were brought from Georgetown, S. C., on the Clyde steamship New York. The price locally remains unchanged.

- Calvin Larkins, colored, was required by Justice J. M. McGowan yesterday to give a bond in the sum of \$25, justified, to keep the peace to ward Lawrence Crawford, also colored. Anna Freeman, colored, was tried for disorderly conduct and judgment sus-

- Mr. Walter Gaylor, of Point Caswell, is in the city, having come here to visit Mr. L. T. Durham, of Neoga, Fla., general manager of the East Coast Turpentine Company, of Florida. They are here to hire thirty turpentine hands and expect to leave with them for Florida in about two

riage of their daughter, Miss Mary Cecilia, to Capt. John J. Furlong, on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, October 25th, at Saint Thomas' Catholic Church. Reception from 6.30 to 12 P. M., at the residence, No. 120 North

- Wilmington Division, North Carolina Naval Brigade, will give a reception and supper to night at the armory, complimentary to the commissioned officers elected on Tuesday night. The commissioned officers of the Wilmington Light Infantry and all commissioned officers of either branch of the State Guard are invited.

- John Waddill, colored, was the only culprit before the Municipal Court yesterday morning. He was charged with drunkenness and expressed a desire to "swear off" in a literal interpretation of the phrase. He "took the book" and Mayor Waddell after administering the oath, discharged him. He has been a frequent offender.

- Capt. Robert Green, left again yesterday afternoon for Florence to look after the current of travel from the yellow fever districts. Capt. Green makes this visit in the light of intelligence received that a number of travellers have been excluded from Charleston by quarantine and are seeking quarters further North He is unable to say when he will return.

## Capt. McRee's Resignation.

The Lumberton Robesonian of this week confirms the STAR's information published several days ago as to the resignation of Capt. Jos. H. McRee as chief engineer of the Carolina Northern railroad, now in process of construction from Lumberton to Marion, S. C., and adds that Mr. Henry Cumming, a well known young engineer of this city, has succeeded him. Capt. McRee, it is understood, has accepted a position with the syndicate which is now engaged in developing the power on the Yadkin river near Albemarle in Stanly county. Mr. Cumming has previously been assistant engineer in charge of the building of the Carolina Northern railway.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Jas. D. Nutt-Mineral water. T. D. Love-Little Giant soap.

Cumming-See him about that house Gone to Cuba,

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar H. Wright and child left yesterday afternoon on the W. C. & A. train for Havana, Cubs, where Mr. Wright has the responsible position of quartermaster clerk on the staff of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. Mr. Wright arrived here via New York about thirty days ago on a leave of absence and Mrs. Wright and child de cided to accompany him upon the return. Many friends wish them bon voyage and a pleasant life in their new home. Mrs. Wright is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alderman, 517 Dock street.

## Foot Ball.

Manager E. A. Metts, of the O. A. N. foot ball club, is busy trying to ar range games for the Fall and Winter sport but so far has closed not a single engagement. Wilson "doesn't want to play," and Fayetteville, Horner's School and the second U. N. C. teams have not yet replied to challenges. Manager Metts will endeavor to secure games with Charlotte, Greensboro and possibly Guilford College. Practices are now being held almost ing this week to packed houses in nightly and very satisfactory progress is being made.

THE JURY OF INQUEST INVESTIGATED DROWNING

Rendered Verdict in the Case of Miss Katle S. Gause-Sad Funeral Yesterday Afternoon.

The coroner's jury empanelled to inquire into the circumstances of the mysterious drowning of Miss Katie Gause, the story of which was told in yesterday's STAR, after hearing the testimony of several witnesses yesterday morning, rendered the following

"The deceased came to her death by drowning in McIlhenny's (Greenfield) mill pond either accidentally or while laboring under temporary mental

Mr. R. F. Hamme was foreman of the jury, Mr. W. A. McGowan secretary, and the members were the same as those published vesterday with the exception of Mr. J. E. Gause, who was summoned in place of Mr. W. E.

The testimony differed in no material points from the sad particulars published in yesterday's STAR, with the exception of the fact that she was accompanied only by Master Louis Poisson, aged not over 13 years. They were joined by the other children, Masters Fred Poisson, younger brother of Louis, and Fred and Leonard Hamme after they had started home at a branch this side of the pond.

Louis Poisson testified that after reaching the pond Miss Gause gave him a string to which was attached a stone and that at her request he measured the depth of the water on both the north and south sides of the mill house. They both then went to a bridge some distance away and sat down for about fifteen minutes. After leaving the bridge they started home and had gone some distance when the children were met. She remarked to them that she had lost "something" and must return. She told Louis that she had lost her purse. Louis replied: "Miss Katie, I beg your pardon, you had no purse; you gave me some money but you had it in your hand." She replied "I had one in my belt." - Mr. and Mrs. George R. Bate | They then walked to the forks of the have issued invitations for the mar- road and Louis was requested to run around the mill and see if could find the missing article. He did so, and Miss Gause was left waiting for him at the forks of the road. After crossing to the other side of the mill, which, on account of a swamp, he had to go about 200 yards, he heard a cry and a splash, and running up to a view of the scene he found Miss Gause in the pond scarcely able to keep her head above the water and looking upwards. He cried to her to try to swim and threw her a small pine pole, which apparently she did not see or make any effort to catch, although it came in easy reach of her. He then went by the circuitous route to the bank from whence Miss Gause had fallen; called the other children and reached this side of the mill, where the water was deepest, in time to see Miss Gause put her hand to her mouth, go down, come

> up again and sink for the last time. The only other witness was Mr. An drew Sellers, who was passing at the time and came to the scene just as Miss Gause went down for the last time. He started to dive for her but was hindered by John Lanier, who

said it was then too late. The Funeral.

The sad funeral of the deceased lady was conducted from the residence, No. 313 South Second street vesterday af ternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. Milton A. Barber, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church and the interment was at Oakdale cemetery.

The service was an especially impressive one by reason of the sad inci dents of the death and there was a large concourse of friends present. The hymns were beautifully rendered by a special choir consisting of Mr. C. H. Cooper, Mr. H. K. Holden, Miss Annie Adrian and Miss Beery.

The pall bearers were: Messrs. W M. Cumming, M. W. Jacobi, J. H. Boatwright, Mike Cronly, A. J. How ell, Jr., and A. H. Weston.

## Thank Offering Service.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Home Mission Society of Grace Methodist congregation, there will be an interesting service in the lecture room of the church to-night. Members are expected to bring contributions for the "Twentieth Century Thank Offering," which is a fund for the establishment of a school at Baltimore, the site for which and an amount of real estate, valued at \$50,000, and an endowment of \$10,000 have been generously promised by a lady of that city, provided an amount equal to the endowment is secured by the Woman's Home Mission Societies in the South. There will be music and interesting talks by the pastor and Rev. E. R. Welch, who is spending some time in the city. The present week has been set aside by the Methodist Church South as a "Thank Offering Week" and the meeting to night is for receiving the contributions.

Daughters of Confederacy. The STAR is requested to announce that there will be an important meeting of Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, the first of the fiscal year, this morning at 11 o'clock at the W. L. I. armory. A full attendance is desired and members are expected to come prepared to pay their annual dues in accordance with a resolution touching this matter, which was passed at the May meeting.

The quality of our goods and the fit and finish of our suits cannot be surpassed. We guarantee everything. M. H. Curran, Merchant Tailor, 107 Princess street.

THE WILMINGTON MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

The Directors Meet and Re-elect Old Officers-Bent On a Through Train to and From the North.

The Board of Directors recently elected at the annual meeting of the Wilmington Merchants' Association held their adjourned meeting vesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the rooms of the association. The following members of the board were present: Col. W. A. Johnson and Messrs. W. E. Worth, J. H. Thomas, Wm. Niestlie. A. B. Skelding. Secretary P. Heinsberger was in attendance.

On motion, Col. W. A. Johnson was called to the chair, and he stated that the first business was the election of officers, the first in order being a presi-

Mr. A. B. Skelding moved that the former officers be re elected. Old Officers Re-elected.

Col. Johnson, who was president stated that he thought different officers should be chosen, as he believed that rotation in office would be good for the association. He said he had served two years as president, and while he had not lost interest in the association he preferred that some one else be elected president this year. The association had done good work, and he believed that it would accom plish more this year with a new presi-

Messrs. Niestlie, Skelding and Heins perger spoke of Col. Johnson's faithful and successful service for the association, and insisted that rotation would be bad so far as it concerned him. Mr. W. E. Worth sympathized with Col. Johnson and was willing to take the burden off him this year, but Mr. Worth had no following and had to give in to the unanimous demand for the election of the old officers.

After the matter had been discussed. the old officers were re elected as fol-

President-W. A. Johnson. Vice President-M. W. Jacobi. Secretary and Treasurer-P. Heins-

President Johnson then appointed he following standing committees: Executive Committee-W. E. Worth (chairman), A. B. Skelding, DeWitt C. Love, Geo. R. French and Ino. F. Garrell.

Auditing Committee-J. H. Thomas (chairman), William Niestlie and R. W. Hicks. A Through Train.

President Johnson stated that at the recent annual meeting of the association, the efforts to secure a through train to and from the north on the Atlantic Coast Line were renewed and a resolution was adopted instructing and urging the board of directors to take steps to lay the matter before the Coast Line authorities. The president stated that the sooner this work was entered upon the better, as a through train was an absolute necessity for Wilmington. He urged that a very decided movement be inaugurated with a view to having a through train put on as early as possible. He said it was very important that the matter be

taken up and pushed. After unanimous concurrence in the views of the president, the president upon motion, appointed the following committee to place the matter of a through train before the Coast Line authorities: Messrs. James Sprunt. chairman, C. W. Worth, E. P. Bailey,

W. E. Springer and B. H. J. Ahrens. President Johnson urged the committee to get together as soon as possible and go ahead with the movement.

Rates for the Masonic Fair.

The matter of securing reduced pas senger rates to Wilmington on account of the Masonic Fair to be held November 13th to 25th, was also brought up and discussed. On motion, the president appointed the following committee to go before the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line authorities and ask for a reduced rate for the Fair: President Johnson, chairman, and Messrs. D. C. Love. R. W. Hicks, M. W. Jacobi and W. E. Worth. It was on motion of Mr. D. C. Love that President Johnson was made a member and chairman of the com-

The board of directors then adjourned till the regular meeting time, 3 P. M on the first Wednesday in November.

SLAPPED LITTLE WHITE GIRL.

Outrageous Occurrence in City Yesterda y Merited Rebuke by a Brother.

An outrageous affair is reported to have occurred yesterday afternoon in the vicinity of Fifth and Campbell streets. The particulars of the affair. as furnished a STAR representative by Mr. J. W. Blomme, who has a store in the vicinity, are as follows:

Yesterday afternoon, while little Miss Forbe Herring, the thirteen-year old daughter of Mr. T. J. Herring, who resides at 313 Campbell street, was returning from Hemenway school with a party of schoolmates of about her own age, she was set upon near the corner of Fifth and Campbell streets by a negro girl of about eighteen years of age, who was also returning with a party of her school mates, from the colored school, corner Fifth and Campbell streets. The little Herring girl was violently slapped about the face several times by the negro girl, she being powerless to resent the attack by one of five years her senior

and of probably twice the strength. Master Repton Herring, aged 15 years, heard of the attack upon his sister, and overtaking the negroes, administered a substantial rebuke to both the aggressor and a sympathizer, who addressed some insulting remarks to ing employment to 150 to 400 hands, de-the young man. the young man.

LOVELY BLUE AND WHITE HOME WEDDING.

Mr. LeRoy Baxter Rogers and Miss Arabella Gore Pledged Their Troth-An

Auspicious and Charming Affair.

One of the most beautiful home wed lings that have taken place in the hymenial annals of Wilmington occurred yesterday evening at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gore, 604 Dock street. The bride was their daughter, Miss Arabella Gore, one of Wilmington's most popular young ladies, and the groom was Mr. LeRoy Baxter Rogers, a popular young gentleman also of this city, highly esteemed for his splendid qualities and fine business capacity.

It was a blue and white wedding, the decorations being white and blue, and the happy affair was most auspicious and charming in every respect. The parlor in which the ceremony was performed, was a scene of exquisiteness, the floral decorations consisting of royal palms, ferns, carnations and other cut flowers.

A great throng of friends were in attendance to witness the happy union of hands and hearts, and the ceremony was beautifully and impressively performed by the Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, Ph. D., D. D., the distinguished pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The bridal party began the procession up stairs, descending the steps to the parlor door which was entered by the bridesmaids in this order: Misses Margaret M. Ashe and Elizabeth G. Kirkham, of this city; Miss Alma Brown, of Wilmington, and Miss A. S. Herring, of Clinton, N. C.; Mr. James Woodroe, of Wilmington, best man, with Miss Lena Rodes, of Charlottes. ville, Va., first maid of honor; the bride leaning on the arm of the groom; Miss Lilly Vance White, of Edenton, N. C., second maid of honor. Miss White, following in the wake of the couple, bore the wedding ring. As the procession entered Miss Henrie Shepard, artistically played on the piano the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, and while the ceremony was being performed by Dr. Blackwell, she render ed "Narcissus" in sweet and low notes. When the marriage had been pronounced, the inspiring strains of Mendelesohn's wedding march proclaimed the joyous event. In the midst of their relatives and friends Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were the recipients of unceasing

felicitations. The bride was attired in an exquisite gown of white taffeta silk and wore a tulle veil caught with diamonds and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and maidenhair fern. The maids of honor and bridesmaids wore lovely dresses of blue organdy over white silk, and their bouquets were red carnations and maiden-hair fern.

The presents received by the couple were very numerous and included beautiful and valuable articles in great variety. After the wedding dainty refresh

ments were served, and a few minutes before 7 P. M. the bridal party took carriages and were driven to Front street station, where they boarded the 7 o'clock train on the Atlantic Coast Line for Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia New York and other Northern cities. The bride wore a handsome tailor-made going-away gown of brown broadcloth. They expect to be gone two weeks, when they will return and visit Mr. Rogers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rogers, at Mullins, S. C. They will be at home. No. 114 South Sixth street, after November 1st.

Mr. Rogers came to Wilmington from Mullins six years ago and has since been a valued attache to the wholesale grocery house of Mr. D. L. Gore, his father-in-law. For some time he has travelled for the house and is popularly and widely known in North Carolina and South Carolina.

Among those who attended the wedding were Mr. Rogers' brother, Mr. L L. Rogers, of Mullins, his cousin. Mr. W. R. Rogers, and Mr. J. O. Gasque, of Marion, S. C.

Women's Auxiliary.

At the meeting yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. parlors to reorganize the Women's Auxili ary, Mrs. A. J. Howell, Jr., was made president, Mrs. A. D. McClure vice president, Mrs. W. L. Latta secretary

and Mrs. M. S. Willard treasurer. Committees on decoration and refreshments were appointed for the ban quet to be given to-night at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to the members of the as-

The reception and banquet will be given from 8 to 10.30 P. M. The banquet will be preceded by a concert in the auditorium.

Marriage Last Evening.

Last night at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 418 South Sixth street, Miss Helen A. Scott, daughter of Mr. Benjamin H. Scott, was happily united in marriage to Mr. James R. Hill, a popular employe of Mr. J. O. Brown's Carriage Shop, on Princess street, and a son of Mr. Owen Hill. The ceremony was performed in his usual pleasant style by Justice J. M. McGowan, after which an informal reception was tendered the happy young couple.

Pointer to Wilmington Capitalists.

Newbern Journal: Stock was subscribed yesterday for a new canning industry for Newbern, the authorized amount being \$30,000, which was taken by E. B. Hackburn, J. H. Potter, W. G. Willett, G. D. Potter and William Dunn. The location of the plant will be at Riverside, on the Neuse river, and the daily capacity 10,000 cans, giv-

CALLED MEETING OF WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY

Rev. Edward E. Lane Ordained As Evan-

gelist of Wilmington Presbytery-In-

stallation of Rev. D. P. McGeachy. Wilmington Presbytery met in called session at Immanuel Presbyterian Church, this city, last night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of ordaining Rev. Edward E. Lane, pastor in charge of that church, as an evange-

list of the Presbytery. The following ministers and elders were noted in attendance: Rev. A. D. McClure and Elder J. H. Thomas, of St. Andrews' Church; Rev. D. P. Mc Geachy, of the Burgaw group of churches; Rev. R. Murphy Williams, of the Wallace Presbyterian Church. and Elders B. G. Worth and W. S. Warrock, of the First Presbyterian | purchases for a grocery house which Church, this city.

Rev. A. D. McClure was chosen moderator, and Rev. R Murphy Wil liams clerk.

Rev. Mr. Lane was formally re ceived into the Wilmington Presby tery from that of East Hanover, Va. he having expressed a desire to begin the evangelization work as pastor of Immanuel Church.

The Presbytery then heard the trial sermon of Mr. Lane, which was a clear and logical presentation of Bible truth from Romans, X: 14-15, which, with other branches of the examination, was approved and Mr. Lane duly ordained. The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. R. Murphy Williams | gogics in the University. and the ordination prayer was fervently offered by Rev. A. D. McClure. The matter of the installation of Rev. D. P. McGeachy, as pastor of the Pike, Hopewell and Mt. Williams Presbyterian churches, was taken up and the following dates for the services, with ministers and elders to

conduct the same, were appointed: Pike church-Second Sunday in No ember; Rev. A. D. McClure and Elder Sidbury. Hopewell church—Third Sunday in November; Rev. Edward E. Lane and Elder Murray.

Mt. Williams church-Fourth Sun day in November; Rev. R. Murphy Williams and Elder Bannerman. After the benediction was pronounced, Rev. A. D. McClure, the officers and quite a number of the members of the First Presbyterian church,

chapel is sustained, went forward and extended the right hand of fellowship. The Presbytery adjourned to meet, unless previously called together, at Faison Presbyterian church in regular annual session.

under the care of which Immanuel

BRUNSWICK SUPERIOR COURT.

Two Days' Session Adjourned Yesterday. Case of Manslaughter and Larceny.

Brunswick Superior Court, Judge E. W. Timberlake presiding, and Solicitor C. M. McLean prosecuting, adjourned a two day's session yesterday at noon and the judge and solicitor and visiting attorneys, among them being Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, Hon. Franklin McNeill, and Esquires E. K. Bryan, Brooke G. Empie and W. J. Bellamy, came up on the afternoon boat. Judge Timberlake and Solicitor McLean left in the afternoon for their

Sheriff D. R. Walker also came up, bringing with him Ed Burton, colored, convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary, and Sam White, colored, convicted of the larceny of an ox and sentenced to twelve months in the State prison. He lodged them in New Hanover jail last night and will take them to Raleigh this morning.

Burton is the negro who about three months ago shot and killed another colored man on the Brunswick county road, about eight miles from the city, the particulars of which were published in the STAR at the time. Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy represented Burton, and submitted to a verdict of manslaughter. The shooting was so apparently in self defence and only technically a crime that Judge Timberlake intimated that he would immediately ask the Governor for his pardon. Burton is a negro of excellent character.

Thirty-five Professions. Interest in the protracted meeting at the First Baptist Church continues on the increase. The Rev. Dr. Blackwell is preaching earnest and effective sermons daily-at the 4 P. M. and 8 P. M. services. So far there have been thirtyfive professions.

At last night's service the subject was "Sowing and Reaping," and the sermon was a convincing one. There were two professions. Mr. Wolfsohn sang with fine effect the song "Drift-

The usual services will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon and 8 o'clock tonight. At the conclusion of the 4 o'clock service, the ordinance of baptism will be administered to ten or twelve candidates.

High School Foot Ball Team.

The foot ball team of the Tileston High School, which had such a successful career last season, was reorganzed last night at a meeting held at the Y. M. C. A. The following officers were elected: H. G. Smallbones, Jr., manager; L. B. Wiggs, captain. The team decided to play two games

this season with local teams, and offer an opportunity for a number of games with teams from other cities, as teams at Goldsboro, Fayetteville and Red Springs are anxious to tackle the High

On account of the North Carolina Industrial Fair (colored) Baleigh, N. C., October 31st to November 3rd, 1899, trip tickets to Raleigh and return at \$3.50; tickets on sale November 1st and 2nd, final limit November 5th, 1899.

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

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. J. C. Stanly, of Marlville, was in the city on business yesterday. - Mr. A. V. Cox of Richlands. was in the city making business calls vesterday.

- Policeman Stead is off duty to attend the State Fair. He left yesterday morning.

- Miss Bettie Johnson left last vening for Raleigh to visit friends and see the State fair. - Mr. Sam Wertheimer, the well

known Baltimore travelling man, is registered at The Orton. - Mrs. Pender, of Tarboro, arrived here last evening on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. L. DeRosset, Jr. - Mr. A. C. Bridgers, of Lumber-

he will establish in Lumberton. - Rev. C. L. Arnold, former rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, has returned to his home in Cincinnati. after spending some time in the city. the guest of friends.

- Elders J. W. S. Harvey, E. Fisk and B. R. King, Messrs. L. G. Sanders and A. L. Price, and Mrs. W. D. Baldwin left for Mt. Olive yesterday to attend the Advent Conference.

-Mrs. M. C. S. Nobles and children accompanied by Mrs. Noble's sister, Miss Mary Yarborough, leftyesterday morning for Chapel Hill to join Prof. Noble, Professor of Peda-- Capt. James I. Metts, com-

mander of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, U. N. V., went up to Raleigh vesterday to attend the annual meeting of the North Carolina Confederate Veteran Association which met last night. - Elders E. Fiske, J. W. S.

Harvey, B. R. King and Messrs. H. G. Saunders, C. L. Price and Mrs. W. A. Baldwin left yesterday for Mt. Olive to attend the Eastern Conference of Second Adventists in session at Jones' chapel, near Mt. Olive.

CAPE LOOKOUT HARBOR OF REFUGE.

Meeting of the Board of Engineers in Wilmington Yesterday to Report On Plans

for a Great Breakwater.

A meeting of the board of engineers in charge of river and harbor works, appointed to report on the plan for making Cape Lookout, N. C., a harbor of refuge, met in the engineer's office in this city yesterday. The members of the board in attendance are as follows: Major E. H. Ruffner. in charge of river and harbor improvements at Charleston, S. C.; Major T. L. Casey, in charge of the engineer corps at Norfolk, and Capt. E. W. VanC. Lucas, in charge of the river and harbor improvements at

Wilmington. Congress some time ago authorized a survey to be made at Cape Lookout with the purpose of formulating plans to make a harbor of refuge for vessels during stormy weather on the coast of North Carolina. The plans contemplate the construction of a great breakwater and the cost will be up in the millions.

The survey for the comtemplated work at Cape Lookout was made some time ago and the object of the meeting of the board of engineers yesterday was to examine the maps of the survey and report on the feasiability of the plan and the probable cost of the work, ogether with other data of importance n connection therewith,

The board finished up the work for which it met and will make its final report to the chief engineer at Washington. The recommendations of the board, of course, could not be given out for publication until it goes to headquarters.

Frederick The Great." -

The box sheet for Mr. Lewis Morison's presentation of "Frederick The Great," which will be the attraction at the Opera House Saturday night, begins to-morrow morning at Gerken's and there promises to be a general rush for seats. The staging and equipments for this play are strictly metrepolitan and the scenery, carpets, furniture tapestry, bric-a-brac and other properties are owned by the company and not one piece of local equipment is brought into use. Two cars are required for the transportation of this magnificent staging and Mr. Morrison, a prime favorite with Wilmington theatre-goers, gives the public his personal assurance that "Frederick The Great" is the most elaborate and superior play, that he has ever given

To Be Married in Raleigh. Mr. George E. Murphy, the popular

young drug clerk at the pharmacy of Mr. J. D. Nutt on Front street, and Miss Daisy Newbury, the accomplished daughter of Mrs. F. A. Newbury, No. 810 Market street, left on the 9:45 A. C. L. train yesterday morning for Raleigh, where at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon they were to be married, Rev. W. C. Norman, former pastor of Grace M. E. Church, officiating. They were accompanied by Miss

Annie May Newbury, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Lottie Hobbs, of Clinton, a sister of the groom, The bridal party will return Friday morning and Mr. and Mrs. Murphy will be at home to their friends after

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