

ville 7 feet.

For the 24 hours ended at 8 A. M. April 17: Heavy rains occurred in all districts excepting the Atlantic coast States The falls in the Mississippi valley were particularly heavy, and accompanied by thunder storms and gales. Slightly higher temperatures prevail east of the Mississippi and couler weather over Texas. The rainfall at Meridian, was 9.24 inches; at Columbus, 4 50; Vicksburg, Miss., 3 58.

west winds.

Sun Rises Sun Sets Day's Length 13 H. 13 M. High Water at Southport. 9 39 A. M. ligh Water, Wilmington, 12.31 P. M

Roosevelt declined to be hitched on as a tail to the McKinley kite. He said "no" with a big cap N.

April 1st there were in the Philippines 63,585 American soldiers, who went there to promote "benevolent assimilation.

This country is now the great copper producer of the world, the output last year being 265,156 tons, more than half of the whole world's production.

Miss Rockefeller, daughter of the oil king is to marry Mr. Prentice of Chicago. Mr. Prentice is a lawyer and is doubtiess an oily tongued chap himself.

Great Britain has the deadwood on the heirs of people who die and leave large estates. She rakes in about \$90,000,000 a year from her "death taxes."

Mayor Van Wyck, of New York, says he will be glad to get out of that office. But there are troops of patriotic New Yorkers who would be glad to get into it.

Some of the English surgeons who have "volunteered" for service with the army in South Africa volunteered for \$25,000 a year. That's thifty surgical patriotism.

The indications are that a good many of the Republican Congressmen who voted for the Porto Rican on the North German Lloyd steambill will be permitted to retire from ship Lahn April 28th for Genos. He

Lumberton, is in the city and is a guest of The Orton.

> - Messrs. Benj. Bell, Jr., and J. F. Post, Jr., returned yesterday morn-

- Dr. George F. Lucas, of Currie, was in the city yesterday on his way to Edgecombe, Pender county. - Mr. T. O. Hunter, a well known travelling man of Greensboro. is in the city calling on the trade.

- Mrs. J. W. Harper has turned from a very pleasant visit to her former home at Winston-Salem, N. C.

Virginia Carolina Chemical Co., at Charleston, is in the city on a business trip.

Mount, is in the city and is being greeted by his many friends in Wilmington.

Charleston office of the A. C. L., and Mr. George G. Lynch, of the A. C. L. at Florence, were visitors to the city yesterday.

time visiting.

yesterday from a several weeks' tour of Edgecombe, Pitt and Sampson counties, where he has been engaged

day to stand an examination before

- Mr. Henry R. Moore will sail

Mr. John Prigge, Formerly of Southport Passed Away Sunday Afternoon.

ing to the University.

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port Methodist Church and of Pytha-- Mr. G. Walter McIver, of the goras Lodge No. 249 A. F. & A. M. of that town, in both of which he re-

tained his membership until the time of his death. He was never married - Capt. J. A. Cutts, of Rocky and moved from Southport to Jacksonville in 1882. The only surviving members of the immediate family are

- Mr. W. N. Royall, of the

port. of Suburb, Brunswick county. He

- Misses Della Clark and Nessie Cotchett left yesterday evening for Tarbor), where they will attend the marriage of a friend and spend some

- Key. P. C. Morton returned

in evangelistic work. - Mr. Frederick Hanks, of Washington, N. C., was here yester-

the civil service board for the position of government boiler inspector.

News was received in the city yes

terday of the death in Jacksonville,

Florida, on Sunday last of Mr. John

Prigge, who for a number of years was

engaged in merchandising at South-

port, and who has a number of rela-

tives here and in Brunswick county.

Mr. Prigge was a brother of the late

G. Prigge, of Wilmington, and was in

the seventy first year of his age. He

was highly esteemed by all who knew

him and was a member of the South-

four nieces, Mrs. George K. West, of

this city, Mrs. Asa Dosher and

Mrs. C. J. Piver, both of South-

also has two nephews, whose resi-

The remains will be brought to Wil

mington this afternoon at 1.15 o'clock

over the W., C. & A. railroad, and

will be interred with Masonic honors

at Oakdale cemetery. All members of

the fraternity are earnestly requested

to meet with Wilmington Lodge, No.

319, at the Masonic Temple this after-

noon for the purpose of attending the

funeral, which will be from the resi-

dence of Mr. George K. West, No. 706

Chesnut street at 5.30 o'clock P. M.

Friends and acquaintances of the fam-

ily are also invited to be present at the

KNOCKED DOWN AND ROBBED.

dences are unknown.

funeral.

and Mrs. L. P. Swain,

lenburg Declaration of Independence. The trip will be made on the Hornet and will be down the river and out to sea for a short distance. Each member of the division will be entitled to invite a certain number of guests, A meeting of the base ball contingent of the division was also held last night and steps were taken to put a first class team in the field for practice this week. Mr. S. A. Matthews was elected manager and Mr. J. N. Sweeney captain. The challenge of the A. C. L. team will be accepted, and a series of games for the championship will be instituted at an early

L'ELITE GERMAN CLUB

date.

Gave Delightful Easter Dance Last Night in Germania Hall.

L'Elite German Club gave a delightful Easter dance last night in Germania Hall, in which quite a number of couples participated. Music was by the Italian string band and the german was gracefully led by Mr. Platt Davis with Miss Belle Latimer. The following couples participated in the festivities:

Miss Belle Gore with Mr. Joe Arm. strong; Miss Annie Harlowe with Mr. Zach Bell; Miss Mary Allen Short with Mr. George Catlett; Miss Belle Latimer with Mr. Platt Davis; Miss Ida Evans with Mr. Pierre Holmes; Miss Lula Finch with Mr. Richard Meares; Miss Jennie Burbank with Mr. Thomas Meares; Miss Julia Parsley with Mr. George Thomas; Miss Ida Brown with Mr. Willie Watters; Miss Margaret Bridgers with Mr. Strudwick Nash: Miss Elizabeth Burriss with 4r. Willie

Walker. Chaperones-Mrs. Joe Watters and Mrs. W. Catlett.

N. C. Home Building Association.

noon that the tug has lost none of her old time prestige, both in power, speed and carriage. The trip was greatly enjoyed by the guests of the occasion, who, while not experts in mechanism, can attest the success of the occasion from point of hospitality and pleasure.

Democratic Executive Committee.

There was a meeting of the New Hanover Democratic Executive Committee in the grand jury room of the court house yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock, the session of which continued until after 8 o'clock last night. It is understood that several matters of importance were taken up, but as the attendance was confined exclu

sively to members and as those pres ent refused to disclose any of the pro ceedings a report of the same could not be obtained.

presided, and those present were Messrs. J. G. L. Gieschen, D. Mc-Eachern, G. Herbert Smith, W. E. Springer, J. W. Branch, M. G. Tienken, Geo. T. Bland, J. D. Kelley, E. S. Lathrop, A. O. McEachern, G. C. Simmons, B. R. King and W.

It is learned that the question of calling the Senatorial convention was

DEMOCRATIC RATIFICATION MEETING.

Fayetteville, N. C., April 30th-Mounted Procession-Old Time Welcome.

The Democratic candidates for State offices-Governor, Lieutenant Gov-ernor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Commissioner of 'Agriculture, Commissioner of Labor and Printing, two Corporation Commissioners-will address the people of this section of North Caro-lina at Fayetteville, Monday, April

Harper. An adjournment of the court was taken at 2 o'clock in the afternoon until this morning at 9.30 o'clock.

Will be Married at Home.

NEW YORK, April 17.-Lettuce is in Owing to slight illness of Miss good demand on the New York mar-Fairinda Payne, her marriage to Mr. ket at from six to seven dollars per Cameron Farguhar MacRae, of Raleigh, will not take place in St. James barrel. Fancy asparagus will bring six dollras per dozen bunches and Episcopal church as was announced, but at the home of Mrs. Payne at the choice from four to five dollars. Radishes are bringing two dollars per dozsame hour. Only the immediate relaen bunches. Beets sold to-day for tives and a few friends will be present. five dollars per hundred bunches. Mr. Cameron Farguhar MacRae, of Raleigh, the groom-elect, arrived last Wholesale Produce Commission Merevening. He is accompanied by Messrs. Samuel Hinsdale and James C. chants. MacRae, Jr., of Raleigh, and Mr.

NEW YORK TRUCK MARKET.

as Telegraphed Last Night.

[Special Star Telegram.]

DIED.

cemetery. Friends and acquaintances of the

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M

Brethren of Wilmington Lodge and sister

Lodges of the city and visiting brethren are requested to assemble at 4 30 o'clock, at Ma-sonic Temple, to attend the funeral services of our deceased brother, John Prigge, of Pythagoras Lodge No. 249 Interment at Oakdale Cemetery. By order of W. M. THOS. F. BAGLEY.

S. W. SANDERS

"The Unlucky Corner."

Grape Nuts, Postum Cereal. Extra Nice Corn Beef. White Florida Cabbage. Big Fat Hens-dead and alive. North Carolina Hams-old and new. A barrel of New Orleans Molasses just tapped pronounced the Finest Yet. Oranges, Dates, Big and Little Primes. Agent for Tate Springs Water.

MASONIJ TEMPLE, April 18th, 1900.

THOS. F. BAGLEY, Secretary.

family invited to attend.

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Messrs J. & G. Lippman's Daily Quotations

J. & G. LIPPMAN,

Jones Fuller, of Durham. Mr. and PRIGGE-At Jacksonville, Fis., Sunday, April 15th, Mr. JOHN PRIGGE, aged 71 years, and a brother of the late G. Prigge, of this city. Mrs. Samuel H. MacRas, of Fayettewille, are also here to be present at the Funeral from the residence of Mr. George K marriage. West, No. 706 Chesnut street, this (Wednesday) afternoon at 5 o'clock. Interment in Oakdale

Marriage This Afternoon.

of Burlington, and Mr. E. H. Wil-

This afternoon at 6 o'clock, in St. James' Episcopal Church, Miss Kate DeRosset, daughter of Col. and Mrs. W. L. DeRosset, will be married to Mr. Charles Alonzo Scott, of Burlington. Mr. Scott, accompanied by his cousin, Mr. H. W. Scott, Mr. W. C. Lindsay of Salisbury, Mr. J. H. Holt

liamson of Fayetteville, arrived last evening, and were charmingly entertained at a full dress reception at the home of the parents of the bride-elect. Mrs. W. L. Holt and Mrs. Herbert Lutterloh, of Fayetteville, are also here to

attend the wedding.

Marriage this Morning.

This morning at 8.30 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wescott, No. 211 South Fourth street, Miss Olivia Pearl Wescott will That's the question that goes with every purchase here. If it's not satisfactory, bring it back to-day-to-morrow-next week-and get your money. It is this absolute assurance of fair dealing that re-tains our trade. Our customers know that "money back" is not a cry set up to deceive the unwary into buying, followed by all sorts of undue excuses and quibblings to avoid returning money on dis-pleasing purchases. One of our maxims reads: "For you to remain disatisfied is to make us more dis-satisfied." It isn't to-day's trade we're depending on-it's to-mor-row's-next week's-next modit's-next year's! We want you to be so well pleased with your treat-ment here and with what you buy here, that you'll come again and again. And we will remark right now that our efforts to please have been so uniformly successful that calls for "money back" are rarely made. But it's here just the same, for any and all demands that may be made for purchases returned as undestrable.

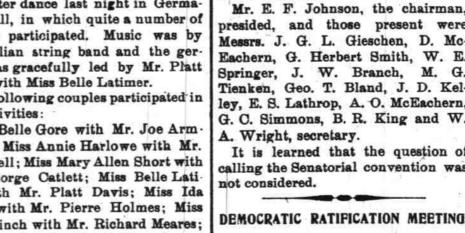
W. MURCHISON & CO., HARDWARE, &c., mar 9 tf WILMINGTON, N. C.

The District Court of The United States for the Eastern District of North Caro-lina. In the matter of A. C. McKinnon, Bank-rupt. In Bankruptcy. To the Honorable Thomas B. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. A. C. McKinnon, of Martop, in the county of Bobeson and State of North Carolina, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1960, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully compiled with all the requirements of said Acts and of the or-ders of the Court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the Ceurt to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts except such debts as as e ex-cepted by law from such discharge. Dated this 16th day of April, A. D. 1900. A. C. MCKINNON, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON. Eastern District of North Carolina, ss.: On this 16th day of April, A. D. 1900, on reading the foregoing petition it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1900, before the said Court at the office of the undersigned refe-ree, in Fayetteville, N. C., in the said district, at one o'clock in the afternoen; and that notice thereof be published in THE MORNING STAR, a newspaper printed in said district; and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. Witness my hand at Fayetteville, in the said district, on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1900. SAMUEL H, MACRAE, apr 18 it Referee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Eastern District of North Caro-lina. In the matter of W. Speight, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. To the Honorable Thomas E. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. W. Speight, of Maxton, in the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1900, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congrees relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly sur-rendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the require-ments of said Acts and of the orders of the



Conversion of permitted to retire from	ship Lahn April 28th for Genoa. He	KNOCKED DOWN AND ROBBED.	N. C. Home Building Association.			-:- 'Phone 109, -:-	and has fully complied with all the require-
Congress at the end of their terms.	has purchased passage of Mr. A. D.		At a meeting yesterday afternoon of	Robeson, Scotland, Richmond, Samp-	be married to Mr. E. Maury Fry, a		Court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed ly the Court to
	Wessell, the company's agent in Wil-	A White Man Procured Warrant for the	the Board of Directors of the North	son, Bladen, Harnett and Moore, and	The factor and for the second	Springfield Hams 15c, just a few more days.	prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable
Small Boys Fought.	mington.	Alleged Highwaymen.	Carolina Home Building Association,	other counties are invited and expected	man from New York. His brother,	TAKE NOTICE.	against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts,
Two young mhite	- Mrs. J. B. Mercer and children		held in the Seaboard Air Line build-	to join in extending these representa- tives of the white womanhood and	Mr. C. H. Fry, who arrived in the	apr 6 tf	except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge. Dated this 16th day of April, A. D. 1900. W. SPEIGHT, Bankrupt.
Two young white boys, aged ten	returned yesterday morning from Al-	Mr. A. Odom, a white man, formerly	ing, the following officers were elected	manhood of North Carolina an old	city Monday evening, will be his best		W. SPEIGHT, Bankrupt.
		of Brunswick county and aged about	for the ensuing fiscal year:	time Highland welcome, such as we	man, and soon after the ceremony		ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.
an altercation yesterday on Market	account of the serious illness of Mrs.	50 years, reported to Justice Borne-	President-Mr. C. W. Yates.	used to give the lamented Vance in the	Mr. and Mrs. Frye will leave on the	Fruit.	Eastern District of North Carolina, ss.: On
		mann last night about 10 o'clock that	Vice President-Capt. Henry Sav-	days of yore.	north-bound A. C. L. train for an ex-	I I MILE	this 16th day of April, A. D. 1900, on reading the
one of them received a painful cut	Mercer's mother, Mrs. Lilly, of that	he had been knocked down, his pockets	8/79	A mounted escort will attend the candidates to the grounds, and it is	tended bridal tour.		this isth day of April, A. D. 1900, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1900, before the said Court, at
about the head by being thrown.	town. The STAR is glad to announce	cut and robbed of between \$5 and \$6	Secretary and Treasurer-Mr. F. H.	likely that many a "red shirt" will be			the office of the undersigned referee in Fay-
violently to the pavement. His wound	that she is now much better.	in money. Mr. Odom lives on Eighth	Stadman	seen among the crowd, as it will tend		I have just received by steamer the very finest to be had.	etteville, N. C., in the said district, at one o'clock in the afternoon: and that notice thereof be
was dressed by Dr. W. E. Storm and his assailant recognized	- Mr. Samuel S. Nash, of Tar-	between Queen and Wooster streets,	Attenner Han Ing D Ballamy	to emphasize where we stand on the	Street Workman Injured.		published in THE MORNING STAR, a newspaper printed in the said district, and that all known
his assailant recognized with his father	boro, arrived in the city last evening	and says that he was returning to his	Autorney-Hon: Vilo: D. Denning.	burning question of White Suprem-	Mr. Frank Chadwick, a member of		creditors, and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show
for his appearance this morning at the Mayor's court.	to attend the wedding of his niece,	home when he was set upon about 9	a line Mandan Amel 08ml	The ladies are cordially invited to	the street force, was painfully injured		appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the
a court.	Miss Kate DeRosset. Mr. Nash is	o'clock on Queen between Seventh	Commencing on Monday, April 23rd, the sleeping car line between Wil-	come out and hear these advocates of	yesterday afternoon by the falling of		cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. Witness my hand at Fayetteville, in the said
Howland's Pardon.	pleasantly remembered in Wilmington	and Eighth streets by a negro and a	mington and Wilson, which now	all that is noble and good in our civil-	a stone upon his back while he was in		district, on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1900. S. H. MACRAE,
The The		white man with the results as stated.	leaves Wilmington at 6.50 P. M. and	ization, as special provision will be	a stooping posture in the excavation		apr 18 1t Referee in Bankruptcy.
The qualified statement published in the STAR vesterday	K. Nash.	He procured a warrant from Jus-	arrives at Wilmington at 9.20 A. M.,	made for them.	being made for the gutters on Market	Extra Fancy Bananas,	
the STAR yesterday morning relative	-H 1. Stevens and L A Bass.	tice Bornemann and upon the same a	WITT DM GINGDHLINGUL, AND IN NOW	The men should come prepared to	between Front and Water streets. He	Fresh Cocoanuts.	Special Meeting
to the pardon of Fred Howland by the Governor was vestered	lon Face of Wanter man have not		thereof a line of buffet sleepers will be established between Wilmington and	join the mounted procession; but come	was attended by Dr. D. W. Bulluck		Howard Relief Fire Engine Ce.
Hori was yesterday verified and	torday to confar with their Wilming	negro named Brown and a young white boy named Marine were arrest- ed and brought before the court, from	Washington, D. C., leaving Wilming-	women and men of North Carolina,	and later sent to his home, where he is		
let Will be set at liberty Man	ter nastren C. D. Weske Ver nole	white boy named Marine were arrest- ed and brought before the court, from whence they were sent to jail in de-	ton daily at 6.50 P. M., arriving at	and let us declare to the world thus	now doing very well.	T W PLUMMER Jr.	Members are hereby notified that a Special Meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon,
the will come to the start of stary	ton partner, o, D. Wooka, May, Tota	ou and brought before into sent	Washington at 7.01 A. M.; leave Wash.	early in the campaign how this section		J. W. I LOMMINI, VI,	April 18th, at 4 o'clock, at the company quar-
HIS DOONLA	sito to suo suis tot damagos against	HACHOU HACH HOLD BORN IS JUNE	Sector 2 (V7 P M GEVING SI WIIMING-	shall go. H. L. COOK,	N 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		April 18th, at 4 o'clock, at the company quar- ters for the purpose of accepting plans, appro- priating funds and empowering a committee to act in regard to the proposed company building. By order of the President. apr 18 it J. G. L. GIESCHEN, Sec. & Treas
his be will go to Norfolk to make	the city recently instituted by Herbert	this manufactor of 10 ciclock manage	ton 9.20 A. M. As indicated above,	E. R. MACKETHAN,	- Mr. R. Howell, of Goldsboro,	P. SWatch for my Ice Cream	act in regard to the proposed company building.
nome in the future	D. I Coorson, & rormor momen, who	this morning at to o crock where the	these cars will be able to furnish buffet lunches to passengers.	Secretary.	was here yesterday.	apr 18 tf	apr 18 it J. G. L. GIESCHEN, Sec. & Treas
	was injured in an accident.	liminary investigation will be held.	Inficition to hassenform				