LOCAL DOTS.

- Wilmington Lodge of Elks has

received a handsome invitation to

- The Organ Fund Society of

Grace Methodist Church met last night,

but deferred the election of officers for

the ensuing year until the next regu-

- A passenger on the A. & Y

train last evening, reported that Mr.

B. G. Hollingsworth's residence in

the southern portion of Fayetteville

- Prof. Gentry's exhibition of

educated dogs and ponies will be given

in Wilmington October 3rd. Mr. W.

O. Tarkington, advance agent, is in

- Wilmington had a fine shower

of rain yesterday afternoon-the first

in several weeks. The shower how-

ever was local and was confined al-

most exclusively within a radius of

- Papers were filed with the

Jno. W. Cotten et al., for \$1,200.

Mrs. W. J. Buhmann, who live in

a reply from them up to last night.

S. W. Sanders-Take notice.

Mercer & Evans-School shoes.

O. P. Cazaux & Co .- Fruit jars.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

for New York.

the city yesterday.

was here yesterday.

night from New York.

yesterday from Newbern.

yesterday from her vacation.

- Miss Fannie Westbrook, o

- Hon. Franklin McNeill and

wife arrived in the city last evening

- Capt. T. J. Green, of Fayette-

- Miss Hasell Love left yesterday

- Mrs. Leo Taylor left yesterday

- Mrs. Owen F. Love went to

- Rev. R. Murphy, Willams,

of Wallace, was a visitor in the city

- Col. G. H. Hall and son, of

Red Springs, were among yesterday's

- Mr. E. M. McIver, of San-

- Messrs. H. B. Short and Mil-

on Calder, left yesterday for Chapel

- Mrs. W. S. Thomson and Mrs.

James F. Cobb, of Cordele, Ga., passed

through the city yesterday en route to

- Sheriff - W. D. McLaurin, of

Scotland county, returned to his home

yesterday after a visit of several days

- Messrs. J. F. Tripp and Peter

Rourk, of Shallotte, were among the

arrivals on the steamer Seabright

- Misses Eugenia and Emliy King

and Mr. T. L. King, of Raleigh, passed

Onslow county to visit relatives.

through the city yesterday en route to

- Mr. H. F. Peirce and family

who have been spending the Summer

at the Pritchard cottage on Wrights

ville Sound, returned to their homes

- Mrs. H. Witcover and

daughter of Marion, S. C., who have

been spending a part of the Summer

at Wrightsville, left yesterday after-

- These names appeared on The

Orton register yesterday: W. E. Mc-

Daniel, Whiteville; S. F. New, Dur-

ham; N. P. Cannon, Charlotte, and J.

- Mr. Thos. E. Skipper, who

came from New York to attend the

funeral of his brother, left for home

last evening. Tom was many years

- Favetteville Observer: Ex

Shertiff and Sheriff-elect Frank Sted-

man, of New Hanover, spent to-day

in the city. He was warmly wel-

Wednesday afternoon.

at Warsaw yesterday.

noon returning home.

L. Hicks, Union, S. C.

adopted home,

Hill, to attend the State University.

ford, formerly of the STAR's compos-

ing rooms, is a visitor to the city.

arrivals at The Orton.

to the beach.

Fayetteville yesterday to visit rela-

ville, arrived in the city last evening.

to attend the Greensboro Female Col-

for Point Caswell to visit her rela-

Rocks Point, is visiting in the city.

Wanted-Experienced stenographer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

five miles of the city.

this season.

was destroyed by fire yesterday.

Danville on Elks' Day, October 2nd,

during the Danville Street Fair and

Carnival.

men of Battery O, First U. S. artillery lost their lives at Galveston. -Cotton mills at Fall River propose to continue curtailment of production. -- Several hundred Chinese and Korean converts murdered by Boxers. -- Storm damage to cotton in Texas exceeds all original estimates. -Fire at Wasnington, N. C; loss over bile, Ala. - Eighty-five passengers on a Gulf and Interstate train great storm last Friday night

blown away or drowned in the - New York markets: Money on call steady at 11 per cent.; cotton quet middefig uplands 11c; flour was considerably stronger and more active: wheat sput lirmer, No. 2 red 814c: gara apat firm: No. 2 46%c; oatssink steady, No. 2 25c; spirits turpen time steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 13 Temperatures: S A. M., 78 degrees sp. M., 82 degrees; maximum, 94 degrees; minimum. 73 degrees; mean, 86

Rainfall for the day, .40; rainfall ince 1st of the month up to date, 0.46 Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Paretteville, N. C. at 8 A. M. yes

belay, 03 feet. COTTON REGION BULLETIN. I in temperatures have again prevalled in all districts. Cloudy weather sit showers is reported from the

central sections. Rainfall at Mobile,

Ala. 2.46 inches. FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, September 13. - For Norm Carolina-Rain Friday and public Saturday; cooler Friday in report portion; fresh, possibly brisk r. winds.

Port Almanac September 14 Fun Rises 5.41 A. M

High Water Wilmington. 2.22 P. M Since the Covernor of Porto Rico

has introduced the game of golf there is no reason why the Porto Ricans should not forget their troubles and fall- in love with the

A Galveston inventor has patented a hemp decortating machine which has proved after trial a success. Inventors have been long at work on such a machine, the success of which | tives. will make jute, hemp and flax growing profitable in the South.

The leading negroes of New Orleans have organized a non-partisan, non-sectarian league the object of which is to promote the material and social betterment of the race, by giving them the right kind of talk and instruction. That is level-

Bishop Turner, colored, of Georgia, says he will not stump for Bryan, as reported, but will vote for him, one of the reasons being that while he doesn't know what Bryan might do for the negro, he knows that Mc-Kinley has never done anything but | Charlotte. appoint a few of them to office.

President McKinley's protege, the Sultan of Sulu, has decamped and taken with him \$20,000 that he got hold of some way; but he left his harem behind. That's what's bothering Major Sweet, the American commander at Jolo, as the harem expects him to take charge of it as the next in authority since the other fellow lit out.

Chin Tan Sun, the richest Chinaman in this country, lives in California, where he employs hundreds of white men, runs factories, ewns ranches and lots of real estate in the cities. He came to San Francisco a poor boy, started to work as a cook, but hustled and married a white woman to whom he is devoted

The mayor of Wilkesbarre, Pa., got out of an embarrassing predicament the other day in a Solomonic way. Two women came before him on account of some disagreement. They both insisted on talking at the same time, and would talk in spite of his efforts to keep one quiet while the other talked. In despair he ordered both locked up in a room, by themselves, until their desire to talk subsided. At at the end of three hours they had talked them-Belves out and came out silent, and good friends.

THE MORNING STAR.

VOL. LXVI.-NO. 150. WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1900.

Wilmington's Sympathy for the Galveston Storm Stricken Sufferers.

CONTRIBUTIONS ARE LIBERAL

St. Paul's Lutheran Church Makes Ready Response-The City's Appropriation of \$500-Ladies Inaugurate a Movement to Raise Funds.

The feeling of sympathy on the part of Wilmington people for the Galveston storm sufferers becomes more and more intense as the news of the terrible conditions in and around that ill-fated city becomes more appalling the city making arrangements for the from the columns of the newspapers each day. It is safe to predict that within less than a week the amount contributed publicly and privately will go beyond the \$5,000 mark, about half that amount having already been subscribed.

A joint meeting of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Register of Deeds yesterday transfer Association was held yesterday aftering a fifth interest in property on noon at 4 o'clock for the purpose of Front street between Henderson and giving some substantial expression of Quince alleys, from W. B. Cotten to sympathy for the people of the stricken city. President Jacobi, of the - The local cotton market yes-Chamber of Commerce, briefly stated the object of the meeting, and without terday was quoted firm at 104 cents on debate it was unanimously decided, on a basis of middling, the highest price motion of Capt. T. D. Meares, and recorded since August 1890-over ten seconds by Mr. W. E. Worth and Mr. years ago. The receipts were 4,032 J. A. Taylor, that it was the sense of bales, the heaviest of any single day the meeting that the County Commissioners at the earliest possible mo-- Mr. H. J. Gerken feels much ment appropriate out of the public fund anxiety at not being able to hear from a like amount with the Board of Alhis sister and brother in-law, Mr. and dermen, viz. \$500, and that same be transmitted at once through the proper Galveston. He has wired repeatedly channels to the stricken people. It since the storm, but had not received was also decided as the sense of the meeting, upon the suggestion of Mr. W. E. Springer, that this action need not interfere with personal subscriptions. The churches of the city were likewise requested to interest themselves in the movement and receive a special collection for the fund. The banks and newspapers of the city were also asked to receive and forward subscriptions and when it is consistent with the views of the donors to make the fund subject to the orders of the president of the Chamber of Com-- Mr. N. Jacobi, left last night merce. The meeting was very har-

- Capt. J. H. Sloan returned to without a dissenting voice. President Jacobi in this connection - Mr. F. M. Foy, of Scott's Hill, stated that he had received a letter enclosing check of \$100 for the fund from - Mrs. Chas. King returned last Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son; also, \$5 from Iredell Meares, Esq. Liberal contributions from members - Mrs. J. W. Newkirk returned and friends of St. Paul's Lutheran Church amounting to \$252, including - Miss Cannie Chasten returned a gift of \$100 from Mr. Andrew Smith

are referred to in another column. Capt. C. H. White, Assistant City Clerk and Treasurer, with the appro-

ter to the Mayor of Galveston: "DEAR SIR-The Board of Aldermen of this city, met yesterday in special session and appropriated \$500 to the relief fund of your city. I am directed to remit that amount with an expression of profound sympathy from the Board, which speaks as well for our

Several contributions were announced and those present were thor oughly enthused over the prospect of a successful event for such a charitable cause. Committees were appointed to further arrange for the benefit, and in order to give it as wide scope as possible it was decided to hold another meeting this afternoon at 5.30 o'clock, to which every lady in the city of Wilmington is most cordially invited. The STAR is urged to emphasize to them the importance of being present promptly at

Another commendable movement on foot by the ladies will appear from the call issued in another column to meet at the residence of Mrs. Roger Moore this afternoon at 4.30

o'clock. Offer by Southern Express Company.

Capt. J. R. Williams, agent of the Southern Express Company in this city, requests the STAR to announce that his company will receive and forward free over its lines to point of transfer with connecting companies, contributions of money and clothing for the benefit of the Texas sufferers. Such shipments must be addressed to properly constituted relief committees at Galveston or other cities in the State of

Texas. Kind Words From Raleigh.

The Raleigh Post of yesterday, in speaking of the action of the Aldermen Wednesday, editorially, says: "Wilmington's response to the cry of distress from Texas is as generous as ago a "printer's devil" in the STAR it is prompt, a typical illustration of office. He is succeeding well in his her people under all circumstances of

- Mrs. J. W. Rourk, of Savannah, Ga., passed through the city yesterday, returning home from Shallotte, N. C., where she has been visiting recomed by the citizens of this, his native town, and heartily congratulated latives and friends. While in the city on his election for sheriff of New Han- she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rourk.

TO IMPROVE NIXON STREET.

Merchants' Association Directors Passed Resolutions Recommending This

The board of directors of the Merchants' Association, at a meeting held yesterday afternoon, decided to urge upon the early improvement of Nixon street, between Fifth and Ninth, which is now in very bad condition for vehicles by reason of the heavy sand along this portion, which connects with the Castle Haynes road, which has recently been macadamized and which affords the only entrance into the city by truckers and other farmers in Cape Fear township, who complain that the Castle Haynes road improvement is worthless for the reason that they have to burden their vehicles only to an extent which will allow their stock to pull over the short sand stretch inside

merchants along this line is found in the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted at a meeting held yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the rooms of the Association in the Seaboard Air Line building:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this neeting that the improvement of Nixon street from Fifth to Ninth street earliest possible moment.

In this connection it may be noted that the Streets and Wharves Committee of the Board of Aldermen is already turning its attention to this improvement. At a recent meeting of the Aldermen, Alderman Taylor, acting chairman of the committee, reported that the work would likely be under way very soon by the city and county jointly, as he believed the County Commissioners would readily agree to an equitable proposition looking to the joint improvement.

was in the chair and those present Worth, Wm. Niestlie and R. W. Hicks.

DEMOCRATS OF ONSLOW

Held Largely Attended Ratification Meeting at Jacksonville Wednesday. Thomas and Cook Spoke.

The Second Regiment Band returned yesterday on the Newbern train from Jacksonville, Onslow county, where it contributed largely to the success of the big Democratic ratification meeting held there Wednesday in celebration of the sweeping Democratic victory of August 2nd, the present year.

The meeting was attended with a degree of success fully up to the expectations of the unterrified Democracy

In the morning Prof. D. B. Sampson, principal of the Belgrade High School, delivered an address along educational lines, which was listened to attentively and enjoyed by the large number present, which included many ladies and children.

later in the day and at noon a big basket picnic was spread. After dinner Hon. C. R. Thomas, Congressman treating in a comprehensive manner the issues of the national campaign. ocratic Elector from the Third district, pression upon his hearers.

Members of the band speak in the most appreciative terms of the hospipresent say that though the band carfurnished better music. Mr. W. L. band and played B flat cornet. President Monroe also accompanied it.

Lieut, Smith at Galveston. days have elapsed since the storm abated its fury and as the Galveston has not put in her appearance, the department is apprehensive as to her

day morning from St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. A. D. McClure, the pastor, assisted by Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, D. D. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The remains were laid to rest in Bellevue cemetery. The following acted as pall bearers; Messrs, J. B. Hand, J. A. Barnes, J. H. Thomas, T. S. Toler, N. M. McEachern and S. W. Holden.

Mr. Chadbourn Slightly Better.

that time.

KINSAULS IS REPRIEVED.

Has Been Given Two More Weeks to Live. Intercession of a Methodist Minister in His Behalf.

[Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., September 13 .-Governor Russell has reprieved Archie Kinsauls, the Sampson county murderer who was to have been executed to morrow, until Friday, September 28th. This action was taken because of Kinsauls' condition resulting from attempted suicide last Friday, when he was to have been hanged. His neck is still in bad condition, and he is said to be trying to starve himself to death to prevent disgrace and the horror of perishing on the gallows. Governor Russell has been flooded with petitions in this case and last evening Rev. H. E. Tripp, the Methodist minister from Clinton, was here eseeching for further reprieve for the condemned man.

Kinsauls' wife is exerting every effort in behalf of the life of her husband. She has personally worked up a petition for commutance in Wilmington.

Rev. Mr. Tripp brought with him to Raleigh a letter from Dr. A. M. Lee, Kinsauls' physician, stating that the condemned man is now in a very feeble condition. His throat is very sore and it will be several days before the wound will heal. He further stated that he would ask, if not inconsistent with the Governor's own idea, that the execution be stayed long enough for the wound to heal.

Governor Russell also to day postponed the execution of Drayton Medlin, a white man, until Friday, October 19th. Medlin was tried in Dallas, Gaston county, for the murder of Superintendent Brown, of a cotton mill in which Medlin worked. He was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged at Dallas. His execution has been postponed because of urgent petitions to the Governor to give time to examine properly prayers for commutance of Medlin's sentence to life

To-morrow Chancey Davis, a negro, will be hanged at Tarboro for burning Battle's residence at that place. Governor Russell has declined to inter vene and the negro will pay the penalty for his crime of arson on the scaf-

THE NATIONAL CAMPAIGN.

Second Ward Organized for the Fray Other Clubs Will Follow Suit To-night.

The Second Ward White Supremacy Club, President W. E. Springer in the chair and Secretary R. C. Sloan at his post, set the pace for her sister wards last night in reorganizing for the national campaign. There was a splendid attendance and enthusiasm marked the proceedings throughout. The organization decided to take upon itself the name of "Bryan and Stevenson Democratic Club of the Second Ward" and all the old officers were elected for this the third campaign, the club having remained intact since the memorable campaign of 1898. The constitution and by-laws governing the club in the State campaign were adopted. It was decided to hold weekly meetings on Thursday nights in the rooms of the Merchants' Associ-

The other clubs of the city are called to meet to-night at the several places designated in yesterday's STAR at the authorization of Chairman Johnson and it is sincerely hoped that honest Democrats seeking the triumph of Democratic principles will be present in large numbers.

There are peculiar reasons why Wilmington Democrats should show no laxity of effort in politics and to night's meetings should be marked by enthusiasm and numbers.

CAROLINA CLUB REGATTA Will Be Sailed This Morning Over th

Banks' Channel Course.

The Carolina Yacht Club regatta which was postponed from last Saturday, will be sailed this morning over

the club course, beginning at 11 o'oclock. The "Little Alice," Capt. S. P. Cowan, and the "Question," Capt. Aubrey Parsley, will be the only entries, and as these are considered to be the fastest sailing yachts in the club, the result of this morning's race will be looked forward to with keen interest by the many admirers of the two boats and their crews.

The race will be the first of a series of three in which the "Lord Cup" will be contested for. The winning yacht in to-day's regatta will be presented with the "champion flag."

Mr. Charles Payne, of Washington, N. C., who has been here on a visit to his cousin, Mr. H. G. Fennell, was called home last night by a telegram conveying the very sad news of the death of his father, Rev. C. M. Payne D. D. Dr. Payne's death was very sudden, as his son was reading a posta card from him saying that he was well when the telegram was delivered. Dr. Payne was pastor of St. Andrew's Church for ten years, from 1874 to 1884, and was much beloved by his congregation and others who knew him. After he left Wilmington he went to Concord, and from there he moved to Washington, where he was pastor of the Presbyterian church at the time of his death.

turned from Charlotte, where he spent a pleasant vacation with relatives.

FIRE IN WASHINGTON

The Loss Estimated at Over One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

IT BROKE OUT ABOUT 1 P. M.

Razed Until 5 O'clock-List of Sufferers. Fire Departments at Greenville and Rocky Mount Wired for Help. Many Persons Prostrated.

[Special Star Telegram.] WASHINGTON, N. C., Sept. 13 .-Washington is in ashes. From Water street, beginning at the oyster factory up the street a distance of two hundred yards, or near to the Crystal Ice Company's factory, and from the corner of Water street up Market street to Main street, our town lies in ruins; never surpassed in our town's history since the Civil War, and the property loss far exceeds that of the war, when our town was burned by the Yankees, the loss being approximated at one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and upon a careful examination it is presumed the loss will far exceed these figures.

The fire originated in Brabble's res taurant about one o'clock, caused from a defective stove flue, and in a few minutes the building was a total loss and the fire had spread to all adjacent

buildings. Estimates of Losses. The following is an approximate es timate of the loss at this time, 9 p. m. O. B. Wynne, bar, \$1,000; W. Farrow's bar, \$1,000; J. S. Farren & Co., oyster canning factory, \$30,000; W.A. Bridges' barber shop, \$100; W. T. Farrow, tenement house, \$2,000; E. S. Hoyt, building, \$800; L. E. Kidd, grocery, \$1,700; Bonitz's grocery, \$500; M. F. Watson, restaurant, \$50; J. W. Mayo's fish house, \$800; J. M. Gaskill, fish house, \$1,200; Fulford fish house, \$500; John Harris, sail maker, \$700; E. K. Willis, wholesale grocer, building and stock, \$10,000; Washington market house, \$6,000; Washington Light Infantry armory, damaged \$300; E. Peterson, wholesale grocer, building, \$5,000, stock, \$25,000; Dr. Willis, wholesale grocer, \$6,000; W. B. Rodman, building, \$4,000; C. H. Sterling, fish house; \$1,000; A. H. Latham, grocer, \$1,500; H. Jewell, \$1,200 on stock; John Chesnut, bar, \$1,000; W. B. Rodman, law office and library, \$3,000; Dr. J. C. Rodman, building, library and instruments, \$3,500; McBergeon, grocer, \$3,000; Miss M. M. B. Rodman, damage to dwelling, \$500; Mrs. Christine Jarvis,

residence and furniture, \$3,000; Spencer Bros., building and stock, \$30,000; C. M. Little, building and stock, \$3,500; W. B. Windley, building, \$500; W. Bailey, stock, \$500; Charles Warren, colored, \$200; H. W. Hollowell, building and stock, \$1,500; E. Peterson & Co., building and stock, \$300; T. M. Willard, stock, \$250; T. F. Brown, building occupied by colored tenants, \$500; M. J. Wright, buildings, \$2,500; M. J. Wright, stock, \$3,000; C. F. Smith, stock, \$2,800; several restaurants on Water street, owned by Wright, Brabble, Stilley and Swindell, valued

about \$200. These are approximate estimates; some of our most conservative men saying that the loss will exceed two hundred thousand dollars.

The Telephone exchange is damaged to a very considerable extent; Manager Bell says it is impossible to estimate their losses. The Fulford Hardware Company, Brown Drug Company and Thomas' Bargain House were considerably damaged by water.

Greenville Sent Assistance, All citizens of the town, both white and colored, did valiant service. The fire raged from one fifteen to five o'clock. Many were prostrated by the excessive heat, we having had no rain for several weeks.

Mayor Studdart wired the fire departments of Greenville and Rocky Mount for assistance, as the whole town was at one time in danger. The Greenville fire company is now on the scene, and the fire is under control. The promptness of our sister towns in responding to the call of the mayor for assistance will ever be remembered.

GALVESTON SUFFERERS.

Members and Friends of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Made Generous Donations-Others Acknowledged.

By request the STAR publishes the following acknowledgement of contributions for the Galveston sufferers from members and friends of St. Paul's Lutheran Church: Andrew Smith, \$100; B. H. J.

rens, \$10; Edward Ahrens, \$5 Charles VonKampen, \$5; A. G. Voigt, \$5; J. H. Rehder, \$5; J. D. Doscher, \$5; M. J. Rathjen, \$5; Jurgen Haar, \$5; Jno. H. Kuck, \$5; E. P. Bailey, \$5; H. F. Haar, \$5; J. W. Duls, \$5; A. D. Wessell, \$5; J. W. H. Fuchs, \$5; M. G. Tieken, \$5; Martin Schuibben, \$5; Jno. F. Rulfs, Sr., \$5; F. E. Hashagen, \$5 G. L. Gieschen, \$5; J. M. Meyland \$5; F.W. Ortmann, \$5; L. Hansen, \$5; Henry Duls, \$2; F. G. Punke, \$2; Hanke Vollers, \$2; J. H. Boesch, \$2; J. G. Kuhlken, \$2; Mrs. A. Otten, \$2 Peter Mohr, \$2; Wm. Tienken, \$2; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hutaff, \$1; A. G. Rochers, \$1; J. H. Brunjes, \$1; Geo. Heyer, \$1; Mrs. A. C. Heyer, \$1; Wm. Niestlie \$1; N. H. Lockhart, \$1; Louis Bissinger, \$1; F. A. Bissinger, \$1; G. Henry Haar, \$1; C. P. B. Mahler, \$1; H. Gie-schen, \$1; F. Fuchs, \$1; Jno. C. Boesch, \$1; Mrs. C. Adrian, \$1; Mrs. C. B. Bel-lois, \$1; E. P. H. Strunck, \$1; G. F.G. Tienken, \$1; M. V. Olsen, \$0c.; Miss A. Stemmermann, 50c.; G. J. McMillan, 50c.; J. G. Loftin, 50c.; cash (three 50c.; I. C. Loftin, 50c.; cash (three donors), \$1. Total, \$252.00. (Signed) A. G. Voig

A. G. VOIGT, ANDREW SMITH, Committee. PENITENTIARY A BURDEN.

Again Badly in Need of Funds--Treasure Worth Refuses Assistance—Ald for

WHOLE NO. 10,320

Galveston Sufferers. [Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., September 13.-At meeting of citizens late this after-

noon nearly three hundred dollars was raised for the Galveston sufferers and a committee was appointed to solicit contributions to-morrow. The penitentiary, which has so long been a burden on the taxpayers of the State, is again badly in need of funds. This morning the management tried to get from the State Treasurer's office \$35,000, but Treasurer Worth declined to let them have it. He says the peni-

Treasury last year, which the Legislature provided for as a loan, but that none of it has ever been paid back, and instead demand has been made for the \$50,000 appropriated for this year. A voluntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed by W. E. Jones, a dry goods merchant here. His liabilities are \$22,000, and his assets about \$6,000 Another bankruptcy petition filed today was by D. D. Blue, of Aberdeen,

tentiary drew \$55,400 from the State

DEATH OF MISS BURR.

His liabilities are only \$975/

Miss E Kate Burr, daughter of the late Talcot Burr, Sr., and Mrs. Emily Burr, and sister of the late Col. James G. Burr, passed away at 10 o'clock Wednesday night, September 12th, on Wrightsville Sound, after a life of great usefulness, carrying out her mission in this world with the highest and noblest effort.

Miss Burr was for many years a prominent teacher in the Wilmington schools, being one of the principals of the well known school of Misses Burr and James, and having taught in this city for more than forty years. He health having failed about eight years ago, work to which she had devoted her whole life, but even throughout her affliction she assisted in no small way toward the development and elevation of the young intellect. it having become necessary for her to give up teaching entirely on account of the failure of her eyesight some two years ago. She was for a long while a faithful member of St. James' Episcopal Church, being prominent in both Sunday school work, ministering to the sick and needy, fulfilling her duty to God and standing as a beautiful example of a pure, Christlan life. Being of such a lovable disposition and possessed of remarkable intel-lectual ability, it was a privilege as well as pleasure to be about her. For long time she was secretary of the Ladies' Memorial Association of this city, having been identified with that organization from its infancy.

Miss Burr was the last of a genera tion of four children, and while her relatives were few, yet she was not without friends, as was daily demonstrated by the attention and devotion shown by many of her old pupils and friends, who will never cease to love and cherish her memory.

The funeral services will be held from St. James' Episcopal Church this morning at 9.30 o'clock.

River and Harbor Notes.

The British steamer Strathord, light for Norfolk, passed out at Southport at

3:45 P. M. yesterday. The schooner B. I. Hazard, with lumber from the Cape Fear Lumber Company for New York, cleared yes-

The Norwegian barque Vardoen, 549 tons, Capt. Jenson, arrived at quarantine at 8 A. M. yesterday from Tybee, Ga., and is consigned to Messrs. Heide & Co.

The British schooner Lillie, 311 tons, Capt. Davis, from Barbadoes, arrived at quarantine at 8 P. M. Wednesday and is consigned to Messrs. George Harriss, Son & Co., for a cargo of cross ties.

The steamer Driver arrived in port yesterday from up the Cape Fear | WILMINGTON SEA COAST R. R. river having made connection with the Johnson at Kelley's Cove from Fayetteville.

The steamer Compton cleared yesterday morning for her regular trip to Calabash and Little River, S. C. The Seabright will proceed this morning.

Tileson Athletic Association.

At a meeting of the Tileston Athletic Association last night at the Y. M. C. A., Mr. Harry G. Smallbones, Jr., was elected captain of the '00 foot ball team to succeed Mr. Edwin Wootten, who has gone to school. Messrs. Frank Pinner and Joe Loughlin were elected advisers to the captain. Messrs. Norcum Sweeney, Leslie Wiggs and Harry Smallbones were appointed a committee to select a suitable team cap. A committee composed of Messrs. J. Loughlin, E. Brown and L. B Wiggs was appointed to draft a suit. able constitution and by-laws for the Association. The prospects for a successful foot ball season are very bright and the Association will put a strong team on the gridiron.

Faneral of a Child.

The funeral of Dr. and Mrs. George C. Worth's infant daughter, Lucy, was held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning from the residence of Mrs. D. G. Worth, No. 411 South Fourth street. Rev. A. D. McClure officiating. The remains were interred at Oakdale Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Fred Bolles, Walter Daggett, Alfred Maffit and Clayton Moore.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.

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val of the Board of Audit and Finance, yesterday telegraphed the \$500 appropriation made by the city to the storm sufferers and mailed the following let-

city generally, for the people of Galveston in their present great misfor-

The Ladies Inaugurate a Movement. A large and enthusiastic gathering of ladies at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday morning decided to give a concert and festival next Tuesday night for the benefit of the fund. A number of the best singers in the city have offered their services for the entertainment, and it is assured that an interesting

programme will be arranged.

the hour named.

such character."

Work Necessary.

the city limits. An expression of the views of the

s a crying demand, and that the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby requested to improve this street at the

At the meeting yesterday afternoon Col. W. A. Johason, the president, were Messrs. M. W. Jacobi, W. E.

of Onslow, and nearly two thousand people were present, many of whom had not forgotten their red shirts worn so significantly a few weeks

There was a horseback procession from the Third district, made a speech Hon. H. L. Cook, of Fayetteville, Dem-

also spoke and made a splendid imtality extended them by the good people of that county and those who were ried only twelve instruments, it never Harvey, an experienced musician, who is now with the Ludden & Bates Music House here, accompanied the

The many friends in Wilmington of Lieut. F. W. Smith, who was so popularly known among the revenue cutter Algonquin's clever officers; but who was recently transferred to the cutter Galveston, at Galveston, Texas. feel very apprehensive as to his fate. The vessel was anchored in the harbor when the storm began and she has not been heard of since. It is supposed that she ran out to sea, but as several

Puneral of Mr. Skipper. The funeral service of the late Ira Skipper was held at 10 o'clock yester-

A telegram yesterday from Mr. Chas. C. Chadbourn at Chadbourn stated that his brother Mr. Joseph C. Chadbourn, who was stricken with paralysis Wednesday, was slightly better but was still unconscious up to

Dr. C. M. Payne Dead.

- Mr. Edmund R. Foster has re-