IN THE STATE.

Cotton advanced from 91 cents to

98 cents on the local market yes-

- Messrs. D. M. McEschern

and R. H. Grant spent the holidays

in and around Maxton hunting birds.

of the Dorcas Society will be held in

- There will be a special con-

vocation of Concord Chapter, No. 1.

R. A. M., this evening, for work in the

- The Charlotte Observer of yes-

says that Capt. W. H. Day is being

spoken of as a possible successor to the

- On account of the inclement

weather the installation of officers by

postponed from last night until next

town of Conway has been connected

with the site by a railroad and a hotel

- The case against Wess Od-

ham, S. G. Watson, and Walter

John Odam, will be tried at 12 o'clock

- Yesterday was one of the

- Wilmington Lodge, No. 139,

I. O. O. F., will install officers to

night. Grand Master M. W. Jacobi

will be present. A number of Odd

Fellows from other lodges in the city

- Mr. Andre Fourchy, assistant

superintendent of construction of life

saving stations, is here to get bids for

material for the Cape Fear stations.

The bids will be opened Saturday and

- Friends of the State Baptist

Female University will be interested

Chief Justice Faircloth left that in-

institution \$20,000. It is presumed

that this amount will be used,

when available, toward the extin-

guishment of the \$45,000 debt upon

- The cold wave predicted by

the Weather Bureau for yesterday

morning was about twelve hours late

in arriving, but it is with us this

morning in pretty good shape and will

be thrice welcome if it will put an end

to the flood of rain with which a long

suffering people have been afflicted

for an extraordinarily extended period.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Masonic-Meeting Concord Chapter

BUSINESS LOCALS.

AN EXCELLENT ENTERTAINMENT.

Brown University Boys Made a Big Hit a

the Y. M. C. A. Last Evening.

and Mandolin Club appeared before a

very large audience at the Y. M. C. A.

last evening and it is the concensus of

opinion that it was one of the best at-

tractions that ever appeared in the au-

The entire programme was well se-

lected and every selection was strongly

encored, to which the young men clev-

erly responded. The readings by Mr.

Myron Powers Davis were splendid

The selections rendered by the

quartette composed of Messrs. Deacon,

Paege, Ward and White, were also

very pleasing. Mr. Howard Joseph

White rendered several beautiful

selections on the 'cello. The entire

programme was admirably presented,

and everybody who attended was

highly pleased with the excellence of

This morning at 8:30 o'clock, at the

residence of the bride's uncle, Capt.

W. R Beery, will be celebrated the

marriage of Miss Lens Mintz, of this

and he was warmly applauded.

ditorium.

the attraction.

Wedding This Morning.

their future home.

Mechanics Installed Officers.

The following officers of Jeff Davis

Council No. 63, Jr. Order United

American Mechanics, were duly in

The Brown University Glee, Banjo

A. Shrier-Remember.

N. F. Parker-Surest way.

For Sale-House and lot.

the buildings, etc.

will attend the installation.

and cottages are being built.

Orion Lodge of Odd Fellows was

afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mark Master's degree.

Chief Justice Faircloth.

Wednesday night.

TERMS OF SURSC One Year, by Mail, Three Months. " Two Months. elivered to Subscribers in the City at 45 Cents per Month.

The Arning Star. LOCAL DOTS.

terday.

OUTLINES.

The River and Harbor bill as completed will provide for preliminary surveys to be made of certain rivers ia North Carolina. - The Senate is expected to give the first few days of its time to the army reorganization bill. -Two trainmen killed in a collision near Melton, Miss., - British steamer Ivydene, from Hamburg for Wilmington, N. C. wrecked on the coast of New Found land; crew escaped. - Ten Germans killed and pine wounded at Tein Tsin while firing a salute -Application made for a receiver for American Building and Loan

on of Georgia. — Lord rived in England from British steamer Tanat Falmouth. hed at Wilsonville,

- Rev. Dr. Blackwell, who has - Hermann been visiting in Norfolk, will get Charleston, S. C., back to the city in time and will hold Geo. Bass, a 14-yearprayer meeting services to night. His and killed by Wm. subject will be "Begin." Columbus, Ga. -- A new beach will be opened government guarantees pernear Couway, S. C., next season. The

of the conditions imposed Theyers. -- The capture of we, the alleged abductor of ng Cudany, is denied. —— Iron ters at Libsburg, Pa., have struck in wages. — Marlaimed in several di-Cape. Colony. —— was firm at 4 ½ @ 10 per Bell, charging them with assaulting

to day in Justice Fowler's court. loan being at 41/2 per duli, middling uplands higher recking denost disagreeable days of the season A cold drizzling rain fell all day, conspiring to make life miserable indoors No. 2 red -spot steady, r; rosin quiet. d \$1.75; spirits

REPORT.

REAU, C., Jan. 2. M., 46 degrees maximum, 50 de degrees; mean, 46

the material is to be delivered by Janhe day, .72; rainfall uary 15th. onth up to date, .74. in the Cape Fear river N. C., at 8 A. M., in the announcement that the late

ST FOR TO-DAY. Jan. 2.-For North estern, occasional tion Thursday: fresh to

fair, except

7.10 A. M. 5.01 P. M. 9 H. 51 M. uthport. 5 49 A. M. ington. 8.19 A. M.

new century in man has cor-

n extra session p subsidy grab ssion. That can stand it

Bryan going to ignore be Democrats in his paper. a woman's departh will be edited by

woman who is suing for divorce says "she suffered in silence or five years." The remarkable thing about it is she wasn't dumb eithei

people have a pull on the color They have lynched five colored denizens within the past two weeks, and they me comparatively amateurs in that business.

The New York Herald rises to ejacuiate: "Our troops should get out of ina. Their place is in the Philippines." Their place isn't in the Philippines. It is at home.

Part of the cargo of the transport Grant arrived at San Francisco from Manila a few days ago consisted of 300 corpses of soldiers who died in the Phillippines. Land-grabbing comes high, but we must grab.

city, and Mr. A. E. McKeithan, of It is said that Queen Victoria is Greensboro. The ceremony will be rapidly breaking down and grieves conducted by Rev. R. H. Herring, an constantly over the Boer war reuncle of the bride. Miss Mittie Mcverses. We are sorry for the old Keithan, of Town Creek, sister of the lady, and we would be sorry for the groom, is here for the wedding. Miss British in South Africa if they were Henrietta Mints, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Mr. Henry McKeithan, brother of the groom, will have no business.

Among the causes alleged for the strike by the bakers of New York the A. & Y. road for Greensboro, is that the places where they work "are dirty, unhealty, swarming with vermin and charged with foul odors." Not very pleasant information for the people who eat the bread turned out from those holes.

stalled by Jr. P. C., J. H. Swinso There must surplus of men in Indiana, to so Boyden near Indianapolis, is a sidow for the eighth time, her eighth husband, Jr. P. C .- J. B. Griffith. C.—Joe F. Craig. V. C.—A. J. Hewlett. A. R. S. -W. R. Hall, A. R. S.—W. H. Hall.
Conductor—F. P. Baldwin.
Warden—C. J. McKeithan,
I. S.—W. F. Butlar,
O. S.—D. J. Benson.
Chaptain—J. A. Kelly.
Trustee—J. D. Peine following the precedent set by two of his predecessors, having just frowned himself. Two of the other seven died from natural causes, and three were divorced.

TAX EXAMINATION.

Another Dull Day in Standing Master Shepherd's Court Here Yesterday.

- The regular monthly meeting NO RAILROAD WITNESSES. the Luther Memorial Building this

Coast Line Officials Will Be Examined Later-New Hanover Citizens Were Introduced -Also Some, from Brunswick and Colembus

The evidence in the railway tax as essment cases before Standing Master Shepherd in the U.S. court room here was again devoid of interest ves terday and the ginger that was expected to have been injected into the sessions by reason of the intro duction of Atlantic Coast line officials as witnesses, was lacking. It was thought that Secretary and Treasurer James F. Post, General Auditor W. A. Riach and others would be introduced in the afternoon but it was found by the attorneys of the Corporation Commission that the examination of other witnesses could not be completed in time. It is now hardly probable that the examination of the railroad officials will be reached to day.

It was hoped by the State's counsel to finish the hearing here this evening, but it looks now as if this will not be done, and the hearing at Warsaw to morrow and Saturday may have to be postponed. Col. Hinsdale, when asked about the matter last night, said he was unprepared as yet to make any announcement regarding the matter. To day's session will and travel very inconvenient on the likely be taken up with the examination of New Hanover county assessors and others acquainted with real estate

conditions here. The examination was resumed at 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning and was conducted by Messrs. Hinsdale, Connor and Gore for the State and Messra Rountree, Shaw and Busbee for the railroads. The first witnesss was Mr R. B. Davis, port warden of Southport. He testified to a true and over valuation of a large number of lots in his town. Messrs. Minus Meares, A. A. Williams, T. E. Bardin, J. M. Brown, S. W. Owen, M. W. Pridgen, Snowden Singletary and Charles Gore, assessors from Columbus county, were also introduced and testified to similar conditions in their

In the afternoon New Hanover witnesses were called, of which there are about fifteen or twenty, including the railroad officials, who have been subpœnæi. Only two of this number were, however, examined yesterday. They were Mr. J. T. Kerr, of Cape . Fear township, and Mr. D. McEachern, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

Mr. Kerr was an assessor in 1899 and was also at one time a member of the General Assembly of North Carolina. He testified as to no uniform rule of undervaluation and the purpose of himself and his co-assessors to value real estate at its actual cash, valuation. Upon cross examination he gave instances of the sale of real estate at a much higher price than the tax valuation, but gave reasons, in his opinion, for the seemingly inflated purchase figures.

Mr. McEachern testified that he was a member of the board of equalization in 1899 and an assessor in 1895; that as an assessor then, he tried to assess property at its true value in money; that in his opinion the assessors in 1899 greatly increased a number of the valuations in Wilmington; that the board of equalization greatly reduced the assessment on a great many tracts of real estate in Wilmington to nearer what the members of the board deemed an actual cash valuation. He detailed a number of valuable lots in Wilmington, which he considered now over-assessed. He said the purpose of the board in assessing bank stock was to place it at actual cash value and not to make an arbitrary under assessment; that he

had no knowledge of any design or purpose by the assessors or board of equalization to under-assess property. Mr. McEachern was rigidly cross-examined by the railroad attorneys and admitted that a number of Wilmington citizens had valued their personal property at a very low figure when considered in the light of cost price, but not with reference to what it could be sold for at cash sale. He further stated that he thought there was more cash on hand and on deposit

than had been listed for taxation in Some of the other witnesses from New Hanover county for examination are Deputy Register of Deeds Jno. Mc-Laurin, Messrs, Andrew Smith, Geo. Harriss, A. D. Brown, W. F. Alexander, C. H. Alexander, D. J. Fergus and Capt. Jno. Barry.

morning at the usual hour. Really Transferg.

Deeds were filed at the Court House

vesterday as follows: W. G. Farmer and wife to Robt. C. Merritt and wife, property 66x65 feet on the southeast corner of Princess and Eighth streets; consideration

Samuel W. Westbrook et al to Adam G. Latts, of New York, a tract of land situated on the eastern side of ha Holly Shalter road where the loss crock branch crosses same; con-

Mrs. Mary J. Ritch to Mrs. Julia A. Worth, a tract of property on Green-ville Sound, being a part of the Leade Hook tract: consideration

TO ATTEND INAUGURATION.

Wilmington Light Infantry Decided to Go to Raleigh January 15th - Naval Reserves and Veterans.

The indications now are that Wilmington will be well represented at Governor Avcock's inauguration in Raleigh on January 15th. It has been definitely decided by the Wilmington Light Infantry to accept the invitation to attend and participate in the ceremonies of the occasion; the Naval Reserves are also individually considering the matter of being present; the talk among quite a large number of Confederate Veterans is that it would be very appropriate and pleasing for Cape Fear Camp to attend in a body, and the general impression premils that a much larger delegation of ivilians will attend the exercises this term than ever before.

ast night at the armory and while all the members were not present, it was decided to go. The meeting was held after the usual drill by Capt. Adrian and was very enthusiastic. The com pany will likely go on a special train. The Naval Reserves, as a division, have not yet met for a consideration of the invitation to them to attend, but will meet Tuesday night after regular drill. Lieutenant Skelding, commanding, is quoted as having expressed himself favorably inclined toward an

A meeting of the W. L. I. was held

acceptance. The question with the veterans of attending will likely come up at a special meeting, if it is seen that a desire

to go is expressed by a majority of the members of Cape Fear Camp.

PERSUNAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Miss Callus Newell returned to Norfolk yesterday.

- Mr. A. J. Johnson, of Clear Run, was here yesterday. - Mr. R. M. Shepard has re-

turned from a visit to Charlotte. - Miss May O'Hanlon has returned from an extended visit North. - Mr. Alva Smith, of Hallsboro,

was among last evening's arrivals in

- Misses Irene and Sallie Claire Bass, of Warsaw, are here on a visit to Mrs. B. C. Moore. - Miss Rena Johnson has return-

ed to Waynesboro, Va., after spending the holidays at home. - Col. K. M. Murchison came

up from Orton plantation yesterday for a short stay in the city. - Dr. J. Harry Honnet left last night for New York, where he will

resume his position in the Eye and Ear Hospital. - Mr. Al. Smith and wife left last night for Baltimore, after a visit to the br de's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Montgomery.

- Dr. Charles T. Harper, City Superintendent of Health, who has been spending his vacation in Baltimore, returned home last evening.

- The STAR regrets to note that Dr. W. W. Lane, superintendent of the City Hospital, is very unwell. Dr. A. H. Harriss, is attending to the duties of superintendent in his ab-

- Mr. Will L. Miller, manager of the Acme Tea Chest Co., returned yesterday from a trip to his logging camp up Cape Fear river. He was accompanied on the trip by Mr. J. Emmett Benton, who went on a hunting expe-

- Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kirby, formerly of Southport, but now of St. Philips, N. C., are here for the marriage this morning of Mrs. Kirby's brother, Mr. A. E. McKeithan, of Greensboro, to Miss Lena Mintz, of this city.

- Among yesterday's Orton registrations were W. H. McMullen, Faison: Paul Mattocks, Onslow county: H. C. McNair, Maxton; Postoffice Inspector Jere Conelley, Washington, D. C.; Senator J. A. Brown, Chadbourn.

- Mr. Marray Sullivan arrived last night from Washington, where he has been on a visit to his father, Senator W. V. Sullivan, of Mississippi. He is the guest in the city of Mr. W. V. Sullivan, Jr., assistant en-

gineer on the Algonquin - Rev. R. B. John, presiding elder of Wilmington district, N. C. Methodist Conference, and his two little daughters, Margaret and Louise, have arrived in the city and are for the present at Mr. Allison Alderman's. No. 213 North Second street. Later the family will occupy the parsonage on Grace street.

Returning Collegians, respective colleges yesterday were Aycock came down to consult with a Misses Julia Parsley and Addie Gay-lord, to St. Mary's, Raleigh; Messrs. Cortland Curtis, of Southport, to Chapel Hill; Edwin Wooten, Fred Bonitz and Russell Foster, to the A. & M., Raleigh; Milton Elliott, to the University of Virginia; Dr. Ed. J. Wood, to the University of Pennsyl-

enheto in Rivers. On account of the great abundance On account of the great abundance of rain during the past week or more the water courses leading to Wilmington are much swelled, amounting at last accounts yesterday to almost the proportions of a freshet. Capt. Irving Robinson, of the stanmer E. A. Haves, which arrived last night from Delta on Black river, reported that stream very high but the water not yet out of its channel. NEW LINE OF STEAMERS.

Georgetown, Charleston and Wilmington Steamboat Co. in Process of Forma. tion at Pirst Named Place.

Messrs. Mark Moses, J. B. Steele and Abe Moses, corporators, of Georgetown, S. C., have opened the books of subscription to the capital stock of the new steamship company for the operation of a line of boats between Wilmington, N. C., Georgetown and Charleston, S. C., reference to which was made in these columns some time ago in connection with a garet Peirce and her guests. notice of the purchase by Mr. Moses of four steamers in Charleston from the South Carolina Steamship Com pany at a cost of \$17,500.

The capital stock of the new cor poration is \$30,000, and the principal office of the company will be at Georgetown. The business proposed to be carried on is the transportation of freight and passengers along the line and towing.

The four steamers purchased by Mr Moses are the Planter, which has To City Subscribers. often visited this port; the Merchant, Jno. M Cole and Eutaw. It is learned that not only will the steamers operate between Charleston, Georgetown and Wilmington, but also upon the Santee and Pee Dee rivers and other navigable inland water courses in the two States.

CAUGHT AT THEIR GAME.

Two Colored Youths Arrested on Suspicion of Stealing from a Store.

Yesterday morning about 2 o'clock Policeman E. R. Chadwick, while passing the store of Mr. J. W. H. Fuchs, corner of Front and Orange streets, saw a negro boy moving around in the back part of the store. The boy saw him and quickly disappeared. The officer immediately notified Capt. John J. Furlong and Sergeants Davis and Williams at the City Hall of his delicacy? If not, call at the Uniucky Corner and try it. Manufactured by The Suburban wick went to the rear of the building. wick, went to the rear of the building and effected an entrance into the oyster roasting place of Mr. Geo. R. Smith. which is in the basement. There they | Be A Fool. found two colored boys about fourteen years of age lying down pretending to be asleep. Their names are Albert Howe and William Spencer, and they are employed by Mr. Smith, who had given them permission to sleep there. It was found that one of the boys had climbed up into the store through a hole in the floor 7x12 inches, which is used as a kind of elevator for send-

ing oysters etc., up stairs. The boys were taken to the City Hall and locked up. Their care will come up before the Mayor this morn-

Chief Parmele suggests to all mer chants that they keep lights burning in their stores at night so that police men may be able to see any one mov ing around in them.

POSSIBLE RAILROAD DEAL.

Interesting Rumor from Greensboro Regarding Purchase of Property. [Special to News & Observer.]

GREENSBORO, N. C., Jan. 1.-There is apparently some truth in the rumored sale of the Mt. Airy and Sanford division of the Southern Railway to the Norfolk and Western, wired to the News and Observer from this place last night, though it is impossible to learn the details. A gentleman who is well up in railroad matters said to-day that, in his opinion, the sale if there is such a thing, is the result of an understanding or pooling arrangement said to have recently been entered into in New York between the Southern, the Seaboard Air Line, the Atlantic Coast Line, the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore and Ohio, the Norfolk and Western, and probably other roads. In his opinion, this particular division of the Southern is to be operated by the Norfolk and Western or account the Norfolk and Western on account of the speculiar construction of the road, convenience and economy coming into consideration.

The Chief Justiceship.

Local politicians were amusing To please woman-kind

themselves yesterday with conjecture of Governor Russell's probable action in the appointment of a successor to the late Chief Justice Faircloth. The most interesting surmise was that Russell would resign as Governor and be appointed to fill the position, which lasts two years longer, by the new Governor Reynolds. Other possibilities mentioned in this connection are Chas. A. Cook, Robinson, Timberlake, Bynum, Linney, Furches and Judge A. M. Moore, of the Eastern District Criminal Court, whose term

Governor Aycock flere. Governor-elect Chas. B. Aycock,

expires this month.

of Goldsboro, arrived in the city last evening from his home and is being greeted by his admirers here at The Among those who returned to their Orton, where he is a guest. Governor

> Committed to Default of Bond. Jim Brock was tried in Justice M Gowan's court yesterday on a peace warrant sworn out by James Nobles, and was placed under a \$50 justified bond to keep the peace for six months. Being unable to give bond, he was committed to jail.

HOUSE PARTY NEAR WARSAW

Young People Delightfully Entertained at

Home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Peirce.

[Special Star Correspondence.] WARSAW, N. C., January 2.- Durng the Xmas holidays the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Peirce, near Warsaw, has been the scene of a delightful house party. The attractiveness of the young people who were entertained and the hospitality of the host and hostess, together with a series of gaieties, has rendered the occasion a most happy one. On Xmas day a beautiful dining was given by Mr. and Mrs. Peir in honor of Miss Mar-

More the rece and her guests.

Among the guests were Miss Eleanor Watson, of Salisbury; Miss Sethelle Boyd, Barium Springs; Miss Susie Saunders, Washington; Miss Nellie DeVane, Faison; Miss Mary Faison DeVane, Warsaw; Messrs, James C. McEachin, Wilmington; J. O. Carr, Wilmington; George Matthis, Clinton; James Watson, Salisbury; Gilchrist McCormick, Maxton; Alman Griggs, Norfolk, Va.; Ferdie Johnson, Clin ton; John DeVane, Fayetteville; Moseley Faison, Warsaw, and Frank DeVane, Faison.

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Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M. OMPANIONS.—There will be a Special Convocation Thursday evening, January 3d, for work in the Mark Master's Degree.

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