IN THE STATE.

REMIT PROMPTLY.

these bills should receive prompt

attention; which, liberally construed.

means a very early remittance of

amounts due. As we now employ

no travelling agents, we send all

bills direct to subscribers, and they

are urged to abandon the old habit

LOCAL DOTS.

- The latest addition to the se-

ductive drinks concocted in the Wil-

mington saloons is the Helen D. Nation

- The Mengert Mission Circle of

St. Paul's Lutheran church will give

sociable this afternoon from 3:30

until 6 o'clock in the Luther Memorial

- The British steamship Oak-

lands arrived yesterday from Ghent

to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son:

also the Norwegian barque Albatros,

- Owing to the illness of Rev.

Dr. Carmichael, the Elks' service ap-

pointed for next Sunday afternoon at

- The Warrior's degree will be

conferred upon a candidate at the

regular kindling of the council fires

of Eyota Tribe, No. 5, Improved Order

- Work has been begun on the

mprovements to the third and fourth

floors of the Custom House, the con-

tract for which was recently let to the

- Hanover Lodge of Odd Fel-

lows will confer the initiatory degree

upon fifteen candidates at its meeting

to night. Wilmington Lodge con

ferred the third upon several candi-

mington a chance to vote on it.

- The new city charter has been

- County Commissioner F. A

Montgomery is something of a Nimrod

as well as a guardian of the county's

interests. Day before yesterday, while

bird hunting with a friend in Bruns-

wick, he brought down a fine buck.

- The postal clerks on the Nor-

folk and Western and on the Wil

mington and Newbern roads were

given their semi annual examinations

at the post office yesterday by Mr. T.

P. E am, of Richmond, who succeeds

Mr. G. R. Schutts as examiner for this

- Fifteen barrels of whiskey,

which were seized last March at Long

Creek from H. G. Grady, of Golds-

boro, and which have been in the

Custom House ever since that time,

will be turned over to Mr. Grady by

Deputy Collector C. M. Babbitt to-

day, a satisfactory arrangement hav-

by the owner of the property.

Association—Annual report.

Wanted-To borrow \$3 000.

Lost-Red leather pocketbook.

Wil. Gas Light Co.-Quickness.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. S. A. Schloss returned from

- Messrs. N. A. Currie, of Clark

ton, and E. H. Gaines and C. E. John-

son, of Winston, were arrivals in the

- Mr. J. W. Fleet returned last

night from Norfolk, where he has

been in attendance upon a session of

- The numerous friends of the

Rev. Dr. Joseph R Wilson were glad

to see him out again yesterday after

has been confined to his home

with la grippe for several days, was

- Capt. Jno. J. Furlong, who

- Among the visitors to the city

yesterday, were J. W. Sidbury, Edge

combe; C. Ed. Taylor, John Thomp-

son and W. N. Weeks, Southport; T.

J. Jarman, Jacksonville; L. Vollers,

- Mr. Wm. Struthers returned

vesterday from Grists, where he has

Mr. T. H. W. McIntire, Jr., a son of

had been blind for several years. The

funeral was held last night at 8 o'clock

at the residence, and the remains will

be taken to day to Ivanhoe, Sampson

Do you want 3,000 or 3,000 old

county, for interment.

cheap wrapping paper.

he Woodmen of the World.

his recent protracted illness.

city yesterday.

yesterday.

Point Caswell.

Greensboro and Raleigh yesterday.

Notice-Application.

ing been made with the government

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

People's Savings Bank-Deposits.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

J W. Plummer, Jr.—"Purity kiss."

Wilmington Homestead and Loan

He wasn't hunting for deer, either,

St. John's church has been indefi-

building.

from Guadaloupe.

nitely postponed.

Red Men, to-night.

colored contractor Howe.

dates last night.

district.

of waiting to be called on.

We are now mailing bills to subscribers whose terms have expired,

VEATHER REPORT.

391@40c.

narkets: Money on call steady

per cent ; cotton dull; mid-

uplands 99-16c; flour firmly

wheat-spot quoted easy; No.

; corn-spot strong; No. 2,

rosin steady; spirits turpentine

S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, ILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 14 peratures: SA. M., 31 degrees 43 degrees; maximum, 50 de minimum, 30 degrees; mean, 40

fall for the day, 00; rainfall st of the month up to date, 1.68

FORECAST FOR TO DAY. HINGTON Feb. 14 -For North na-Fair Friday: Saturday, in ng cloudiness and probably rain, in extreme eastern portion westerly winds, becoming vari-

t Almana on a pruary 15. 5 40 P. M Length 10 H 50 M Water at Southport. 4.28 P M. Water Wilmington. 6 58 P.M.

eight be interesting to hear Mr. and Mr. Nation exchanging

said that Andrew Carnegie onate his wealth to educational ntions and limit his living ex s to \$3 000 000 a year.

ontemporary asks why should be a duty of \$7.84 a ton on rails. Why, to keep in with llows who threw into Hanna's

icago is proud of her capacity usume 1,700,000 barrels of beer But the Chicago water isn't palatable. The principal use for it is to float boats and

e Dutch Government gives elmina's husband \$12,000 a h. With this and a little help Wilhelmina he ought to be o get along if he is reasonably

irty years ago the Standard Oil pany had a capital of \$1,000,000. it pays out dividends of about 00,000 annually. The original al wouldu't make pocket change he big bosses in the concern.

ndon is about twice as large as York, but it is run for about 00,000 a year, \$30,000,000 less it takes to run New York. hey don't know how to spend y over there like we do on this greeted by his friends on the street of the pond.

is now said that the water from hicago canal does not mingle the Mississippi water until it s below St. Louis. If this be hat becomes of Chicago's boast it was going to furnish St. Louis pure, drinkable water?

been for several days at the bedside of his aged father, Mr. David Struthers, diana bobs up with a new oil who is critically ill. Mr. Struthers near Hartford city, which ts out 7,000 barrels a day, and thought he was somewhat improved inundated several acres of from his condition of a few days ago. tent land. This doesn't come to the Texas gushers, but it is Death of a Young Man.

g pretty well for Indiana. Mr. T. H. W. McIntire, the wellenry Green Giles, an old soldier kaown Superintendent of Public Ined in an Indiana town, and struction of Pender county, died yestly afterwards committed suiterday afternoon at the family residence, No. 112 Grace street. The young man was 25 years of age, and

He appeared t somewhat ous occasionally, remarked they were after him. It was ght he was joking until a few after his suicide a letter was reed from one of his nine wives, of whom live in Kontucky. n the burgers understood why not himself. They were after

THE MORNING STAR.

VOL. LXVII .-- NO. 123. WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15 1901.

SPLENDID RECEPTION

and we take occasion to say that Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Giles Entertained in Compliment to Miss Murchison.

PLEASING SOCIETY EVENT.

Most Elaborate Social Panction Given in Wilmington for Some Time-The House Magnificently Adorned. Many Guests Present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Giles entertained nearly three hundred guests last night from nine until one o'clock at their elegant residence on Third and Nun streets, in compilment to their daughter, Miss Lucile Murchison." The entertainment was one of the most magnificent ever given in the city, and it will go down as marking an

epoch in the social life of Wilmington. Mr. and Mrs. Giles were assisted in receiving by Misses Mary Calder, Bet tie DeRosset, S. Pitts, May Pitts, Jeanie Peck, Alice Boatwright, Sue McQueen, Martha Williams, Marion Murchison, and Miss Etta Atkinson, of Richmond; and Messrs. Jack Bellamy, Wm. J. Bellamy, F. W. Dick, C. McD. Davis, J. M. Stevenson and Walter Williamson.

Mrs. Giles' gown was trimmed with creme lace and silver embroidery and her ornaments were diamonds.

Miss Murchison wore a white crepe de chene dress, handsomely trimmed with lace ornaments shaded with pink

The residence was gorgeously adorned, the decorations being pink and green. The display of palms and ferns and other tropical plants, with beautiful cut flowers, was the most magnificent ever seen in Wilmington, and the entire decorations, toned by the brilliant illumination from ex quisite chandeliers presented a scene of dazzling beauty. The ladies in their showy evening gowns and the introduced in the House of Represen- gentlemen in conventional evening tatives at Raleigh. Whatever else dress, completed the picture and made esteem in which the bride and groom may be done with it, the Legislature it altogether the purest vision of love are held by their numerous friends. should give the white men of Wil- liness.

A splendid pavilion, improvised for the occasion, was joined to the east side of the north parlor and it was there that those inclined to dancing gave vent to their desires. The pavilion was decorated in bamboo and other shrubbery and on the back grounds of white were hung many crimson hearts, which were quite in keeping with St. Valentime's day. Two brilliant are lights were suspended from the center of the pavilion. Hollowbush's Orchestra, of Raleigh, was engaged for the occa sion and discoursed its very sweet st

The supper, which was laid on a beautifully decorated table, was prepared and served by expert caterers from Washington, D. C. Handsome candelabra were placed on each of the four corners of the table and the center piece was a beautiful bowl of brides maids roses. The supper was a most delicious and elegantly served one.

The function was pronounced by each guest present to have been one of the most luxurious and elaborate social affairs ever given in the city.

THE ORGAN FUND SOCIETY

Decided Definitely to Buy Instrument for Grace M. E. Church Very Soon.

There was a meeting last night of the Young People's Organ Fund Society of Grace M. E. Church in the lecture room of the building, at which it was decided definitely to purchase a handsome new pipe instrument ac cording to the plans as sent by Moller, the well known manufacturer of Hagerstown, Md., the order to be placed just as soon as all the subscriptions made at the rally last Sunday are paid in. It was expected that all these amounts would be received during the past few days, but for a combination of reasons it was difficult to make a clean sweep of the collections at once and so the placing of the order, the young people regret, will have to be deferred until the balance of the money is in hand, which it is sincerely hoped will not be

The new instrument will cost an even \$3,000 and will be second to none in the city, or the State for that matter. The fund without the outstand ing amounts is already about \$2,375. The organ which will be purchased is highly recommended by Bishop Duncan, who recently had one installed in his church at Spartanburg, S. C., and with which the congregation was so highly pleased that it led to a duplicate order for one of the same instruments by Converse College, of Spartanburg. It is said by experts to equal any \$5,000 instrument now on the market.

The Councillor's Wife. K Jerome's play entitled "The Couna very entertaining manner. The supporting company was unusually strong and the stage settings and effects were very pretty.

Will Build Observation Tower. The government has asked for bids for 1,100 tons of broken stone, 81 tons of granelithic stone and 1,420 barrels of Portland cement for the construction of an observation tower at Fort be opened at 9A. M., March 9th; for the named, but the duties or emoluments cement, March 18th, and for transport- will not be materially changed. The newspapers at your own price? If so, call at the STAR office. They make a

BEAUTIFUL HOME WEDDING.

Miss Eliza McPherson and Mr. Morrison W. Divine Plighted Their Troths at the Hymenial Altar.

Miss Elizabeth Goelet McPherson and Mr. Morrison W. Divine were united in marriage at 6 o'clock yesterday evening at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. J. H. Hardin, corner Fourth and Dock streets. The wedding was very pretty and was witnessed only by members of the immediate fam'ly and a few very intimate friends of the contracting parties. The house was handsomely decorated and presented a very effective scene. The ushers were Messrs. T. Morgan Currentine, H. H. McIlhenny, H. L. Miller and A. Sidney Williams. They wore boutonnieres of white carnations.

the first of the attendants to enter he parlor were two little flower girls, Misses Meriel Everett and Sophie Northrop, nieces of the bride. The ormer wore a white mulle dress, rimmed with lace and light blue ribbon, and carried a basket of light blue carnations and ferns, and the latter wore a similar dress, with trimmings of lace and pink ribbon, and carried a basket of pink carnations and ferns. Miss Rosa McPherson, maid of honor, and sister of the bride, came next and she met at the door the groom with his best man, Mr. Chas. C. Chadbourn. The bride then followed and with the groom, took their stand before Kev. Father C. Dennen, of St. Thomas' Pro-Cathedral, who performed the solenm ceremony.

The bride wore a very becoming white silk gown, trimmed in duchesse lace, and a tutle veil. She carried a lovely bouquet of bride's roses and her ornament was a diamond sunburst gift of the groom. The maid of honor was attired in a white organdie dress and her bouquet was of white carnations. The bridal presents were magnificent

and consisted of a variety of silverware, cut glass, fancy work, etc. The bandsome gifts attested the high The bride is one of Wilmington's most popular young ladies and the

groom is one of the most successful, as well as one of the leading business men of the city. Mr. and Mrs. Divine left on the evening A. C. L. train for a bridal

tour north. They will be at home at the residence of tapt. J. F. Divine on Grace street when they return.

THE CUNCERT TO-MUHT.

Elaborate Programme Arranged by Mr Goodwin and Miss Van Wagner, Assisted by Local Talent.

Music devotees of Wilmington are ooking forward with much interest to the piano, violin and vocal recital at the Y. M. C. A. to-night by Mr. Arthur C. Goodwin and Miss Edith Van Wagner, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, assisted by Mrs. W. L. Latta, Miss Lillian Caldwell and Miss Hattye Taylor, of this city. The following programme has been arranged for the event, which promises to be a delightful one indeed:

PART ONE. (1.) Two movements from suite for piano and violin, "Andante Sosten uto," and "Allegro Ma Non Troppo, (Carl Goldmars), by Mr. Alfred Cow-ell Goodwin and Miss Edith Van

Wagner. "Nymphs and Fauns, (2) Song, H Bemberg), by Mrs. W. L. Latta. (3) Violin solos, "Romanze," Svendsen); "Gavotte," (Ries), by "Romanze, (Svendsen); "Gave Miss Van Wagner.

Miss van Wagner.

(4) Recitation, "Soul of the Violin,"
by Miss Hattye Taylor.

(5.) Piano solos, "Mazurka in E
Flat," (Leschetizky); "Prelude in C Sharp Minor," (Rachmaninoff); "Une Tabatiere." Musique Valse Badinage, (Liadoff); "Concert Etude in G Flat," "The Waves," (Moskowski), by Mr. Goodwin. (6.) Song, "L'Arditi Waltz," (Ar-

PART TWO. (7.) Violin solos, "Legende," and Mazurka," (Wieniawski), by Miss Van Wagner.

diu), by Miss Caldwell.

Mr. Goodwin.

(8) Song with violin obligato, "For All Eternity," (Angelo Mascheroni), by Mrs Latta. (9) Piano Solos, "Deus Chants Polonaizes," (Chopin Lisz). "Rhap sodie Hongroise," No. 12, (Liszt), by

(10) Recitation, (Selected), by Miss Taylor. (11) Two movements from suite for piano and violin, "Scherzo-Vivace" and "Rondola Russe," (Ed. Schutt), by Mr. Goodwin and Miss Van Wag-

Fuueral of Capt. Geo. Morrison.

The funeral of the late Capt. George Morrison, whose death was announced in these columns yesterday morning. was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o clock from the lodge at Oakdale cemetery by Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield, rector of St. James' Episcopal church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. W. H. Wilmington theatre-goers enjoyed a Green, M. Cronly, Alex. Greenebaum rare treat at the Opera House last and Capt. A. L. DeRosset. Capt. left his father still quite sick, but he night by the presentation of Jerome Morrison was in his 78th year, and has cillor's Wife." Eric Hope, the lead- in yesterday's STAR. They are Mrs. C. ing man, spoke his lines with great | D. Stearn and Miss Ida Morrison, both force and skill and carried his part in of whom live at Seattle, Washington.

U. S. Court Clerks.

Senator Pritchard has introduced a bill in the Senate empowering Judge Purnell to appoint clerks of the U.S. District and Circuit Courts with offices at Wilmington, Elizabeth City, Newbern and Raleigh, each of whom shall execute a bond as now provided by law for clerks of the circuit and ton to Fort Caswell, on March 15th. is H. L. Grant, of Raleigh.

FIRST WARD DEMOCRATS.

Club Reorganized Last Night and Recommendation Made of Aldermen from That Division of City.

There were about 150 voters present at the meeting of the First Ward Democratic Club last night and after reorganizing for the forthcoming mu nicipal campaign, a ballot for Aldermen to be voted for at the primary next month resulted in the election of Messrs. J. F. Maunder and C. L. Spencer over Messrs. Martin Rathjen and Z. E. Murrell, whose names were proposed by friends in attendance upon the meeting. The club was called to order by Vice President Wm. Sheehan at the request of President Jno. N. Bennett, whose voice was impaired by a recent attack of la grippe. A motion was made to reorga nize and Capt. Jno. Barry was called to the chair. Capt. Barry and Mr. George T. Bland were nominated for president, but Mr. Bland withdrew and Capt. Barry was elected unanimously. The election of secretary was next entered upon, and Mr. Blaud was chosen unanimously to fill that position over Mr. Ed. Smith, the only other gentleman nominated. Mr. W. T. Parker was elected vice president of the club by acclamatiion.

The club then proceeded to make recommendations for Aldermen. Mr. J. M. Woolard stated that he would decline a re election to the office, and placed in nomination his colleague from the First Ward, Mr. C. L. Spencer. Mr. Reuben Grant nominated Mr. M. Rathjen; Mr. Wm. Sheehan, Sr., named Mr. J. Frank Maunder, and Mr. B. W. Dukes asked recommendation of Mr. Z. E. Murrell. A ballot was then taken, and Messrs.

W. T. Parker, W. H. Cox. J. A. Lewis and Wm. Sheehan were ap pointed tellers. The result of the vote was Maunder, 75; Spencer, 49; Rathjen, 23, and Murrill, 13.

The meeting adjourned subject to call of the chairman and secretary.

HAWLEY-OATES NUPITALS.

Popular Young Couple Married Yesterday at Residence of Mr. J. E. Bunting.

Miss Caroline Hawley daughter of Mr. I. B. Hawley, of Fayetteville, was happily married to Mr. David T. Oates, of Fayetteville, at 6.15 o'clock yesterday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Bunting, 307 Walnut street. The wedding was a quiet home affair, and only a few relatives couple were present. The parlor was tastily and effectively decorated, and at the appointed hour the bridal party entered and stood before Rev. James Carmichael, D. D., who conducted the ceremony.

The bride entered with her brotherin law, Mr. J. E. Bunting, who gave her away, and through another door entered the groom with his best man, Mr. J. L. Kerr. The bride was attired in a navy blue broadcloth dress.

After the ceremony the guests were served with delicious refreshments. The bride and groom left at 7 o'clock P. M. on the A. C. L. train for a trip north. They will be at home in Fayetteville in two weeks.

Miss Hawley, the bride, is a very accomplished young lady and is exceedingly popular here, as well as at her home in Fayetteville. The groom is one of the most promising young lawyers of the State and is the City Attorney of Fayetteville. The popular young couple has the best wishes of a host of friends.

SAMPSON MURDERER ACQUITTED.

Lee Kirby Not Guilty of Killing on Ac

count of His Insanity. Lee Kirby, the young white man who last October killed his brother inlaw, Mr. Lee Murrill, at Clinton, Sampson county, N. C., was this week found not guilty of murder, under charge of the court, on account of the insanity of the defendant. By order of Judge Hoke. Kirby was transferred from the jail to the asylum for the criminal insane. Readers of this paper will remember that both men were drunk at Clinton and Murrill, who was attempting to get Kirby to go home with him in a buggy, was severely cut about the arms with a knife, from which wounds he subsequently bled to death. Kirby knew nothing of the crime when he awoke next morning in jail and his grief soon unbalanced his mind.

The following gentlemen composed the jury in the case: C. C. Corbett Elbert Strickland, R. F. Morrisey, H. C. West, T. W. Crumpler, J. H. Honeycut, D. A. Culbreth, F. M. White, Allen Daugherty, R. D. Butler, M. H. Oats, D. D. Sikes.

Seamen's Priend Society.

A Washington dispatch, dated Feb. 13th, says that Senator Pritchard introduced a bill to pay to the Seamen' Friend Society, of this city, \$2.500 for use and occupation of its building by Federal troops during the civil war. Readers of this paper will remember that at the annual meeting of the society a short time ago a committee was named to push the matter, and a hope was expressed that the bill would successfully pass. The bill also carries with it appropriation for the estate of Thos. W. Nicholson, of Halifax county, \$13 975 for supplies during the war, \$3,400 for use of premises of Jno. I. district courts. At present there are Rowland, of Beaufort county: \$3,500 Caswell. The bids for the stone will only Deputy Clerks at the places for schooner belonging to John Myers & Sons, of Beaufort, and also to pension the widow of James Edwards. ing 1,290 tons of stone from Wilming- only clerk now in the Eastern District Third North Carolina Infantry, at the W. H. Sprunt and Mr. Goodwin is rate of \$13 per month.

County Commissioners Disapprove of the Substitute Regarding Its Sale.

LOCAL MILITARY COMPANIES.

They Came in for a Share of Discussion at a Special Meeting of the Board. Other Recommendations to the Legislature.

A special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held Wednesday afternoon, at which were pres ent Messrs. McEschern, Holmes and Vollers, and at which an expression of disapproval was made in the matter of the substitute to House Bill No. 45, introduced by Capt. George L. Morton in the State Senate with reference to the sale of the old court house on Princess street, by which substitute the net proceeds of such sale will go to Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves, in the event a majority of property owners sanction by petition such a disposition of the fund.

The following resolution touching the point at issue was unanimously adopted by three of the four members

Resolved: That it is the opinion of this board that the entire net proceeds of the sale of the old court house should be applied as provided for in Section 7, Chapter 128, Public Lawsof 1891, and that it would be unwise to divert the proceeds from the said purchase; also it would be a bad precedent to establish of furnishing an armory to a naval or military organization at the expense of the county, especially as it is expected annually to contribute funds to aid in maintain ng said companies.

The clerk of the board was instructed o send copies of the resolution to New Hanover's representatives in the General Assembly, now in session at Ra-

With reference to the proposed additional act concerning the welfare of the Wilmington Light Infantry and at Wilson. He was 63 y ars of age, W.lmington Division, Naval Reserves. | and is survived by his wife and a son. it was further resolved that the bill authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners to contribute to the companies named, is approved. provided it is not made mandatory that such appopriation shall be made. The clerk was also instructed to send Senator Morton and Representatives Rountree and Willard expression of the sentiment of the board in that particular, both of which instructions

APPOINTED COMMERCIAL AGENT.

Bananas, Oranges, Ap,les, Pears and Coccanuts just arrived. Candy Factory in Norfolk & Western Railway Will Be Repfull blast. Don't buy bakery supplies before resented by Capt. T. C. James.

Capt. Thos. C. James has been ap pointed commercial agent in Wilmington for the Norfolk & Western railway, and he will assume his new duties to day. Mr. De Los Thomas, division freight agent of the Norfolk & Western, is here to assist Captain James in opening the office.

Captain James has been for some time inspector of the Associated Railways, and he is a thoroughly competent and capable railroad man, besides being very popular in Wilmington, his native city. The fact that the Norfolk & Western railway is estab lishing a commercial agency in Wil mington is a significant fact, and shows that the tusiness here is growing and they deem it important to have an active representative here all the time. Captain James hasn't selected a location for his office yet.

A Hoo Hoo Concatenation.

The lumbermen of this and adjoining States will meet in Hoo Hoo Concatenation at Sumter, S. C., on Feb. 22. A similar meeting of the organization, which is composed exclusively of mill men, was held several months ago at Washington, N. C., but the one at Sumter will be the first one of its kind ever held in South Carolina. The Grand Snark of the Universe, Mr. Wm. B. Stillwell, of Savannah, Ga., will be present to conduct the ceremonies. There are fifteen or twenty candidates for initiation in the order and after these exercises a royal banquet will be given complimentary to them, The committee which has the Concatenation in charge is composed of Messrs. Wm. B Stillwell, F. R. Sealey, Z. W. Whitehead, Geo. V. Denny and D. B. Neal.

Mr. Banck Has returned.

Mr. Otto Banck, manager of the Wilmington branch of the Robert Portner Brewing Co., after an absence of two months at his old home in Germany, has returned to Wilmington. Mr. Banck speaks glowingly of his trip and says he attended a banquet at which were seated 27 Bancks, all grown. He saw a part of the magnifi cent naval procession at the funeral of the late Queen Victoria.

Colored Author and Lecturer.

Charles W. Chestnut, the distinguished colored author and delineator of the negro character, North and South, gave a platform reading last night at the colored Congregational Church, Nun between Sixth and Seventh streets. The entertainment afforded is spoken of as being of a yery high order and was enjoyed by a large audience of colored people.

Noted Musicians.

Miss Edith Van Wagner, violinist, and Mr. Alfred Cowell Goodwin, pianist, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, arrived in the city yesterday evening. Miss Van Wagner is the guest of Mrs. the guest of Rev. A. D. McClure.

WHOLE NO. 10,450 } Money Deposited_

will bear INTEREST from that date at the rate of FOUR per cent. per annum, compounded quarterly. OUR MOTTO: Safety Corress, Promptne s, Liberality. WE SOLICIT YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT.

The People's Savings Bank,

DIRECTORS:-H C. M'QUEEN, J. S. ARMSTRONG, C HOLT, I. W DIVINE, J. H. CHADBOURN, JR., W. G. WHITEHEAD. H. C. McQUEEN, President,

Paithful Servant Cone.

school," who is known by many fam-

lies in the city, died yesterday in the

94th year of his age, at his home near

Third and Queen streets. For many

years he was butler for the late

Joseph Anderson and was also em-

ployed by several families in his

younger days as a gardener. He was

well liked for his polimness and other

sterling qualities which have become

more or less foreign to the younger

generation of his race. In his declining

years he found many of the survivors

of his old "marster," who minister-

ed to his wants and kept him comfort-

Florence Times, 13th: The erecting

hop, a department of the Atlantic

Coast Line shops here, is being en-larged. Mr. M. H. Johnson, foreman

of the roadway forces, is to day laying

the foundation of an addition of 60x1211 feet. The addition is being built on

the north side of the erecting shops.

An increase of rooms has been long

needed, the officials say. There are six

Capt. J. H. Baker, a prominent citi-

zen of Rocky Mount, died of heart

disease at his home at three o'clock.

Monday afternoon. He was a Confed-

erate Veteran and served in the War

as Captain of Co. "K," 20th N. C.

Infantry in Iverson's Brigade. He

was, until six years ago, a merchant

For Whooping Cough

use CHENEY'S EX-

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Andrew Mayronichols,

Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

Friday, Feb. 15,

Admission, 25 cents.

8.30 P. M.

MILLIONS of

Delicitus Goods.

riday, Feb. 15, Piand, Violin and Vo al Recistal with Recistations by Mr. Arthur C. Goodwin and Miss Edith Van Wagner, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, assisted by Mrs. W. L. Catta, Miss Lilian Caldwell and Miss Hattie Taylor.

To Lovers and Consumers of

are sighing for a

"PURITY KISS"

"BON TON KISS"

They should be in every family who have children.

20 and 25 cents.

ANNUAL REPORT

To the North Carolina Corpora-

tion Commission

OF THE WIGHINGTON HOMESTEAD AND

Loan Association of Wilmington, N. C., for the year ending December 81, 1900.

ASSETS.

LIABILITIES.

Report for the Year Ending Decem-

ber 31, 1900.

RECEIPTS.

DISBURSEMENTS.

of the year

In conformity with law, I hereby certify
that the above is a true copy of the sworn
statement of the Wilmington Homestead
and Loon Association, on December the Sist,
1900, new on file in the office of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

This the 6th day of February, 1901.

FRANKLIN MONEILL, Chairman.
H, C, BROWN, Clerk.

Cash on hand January 1, 1900.......\$
Subscriptions on shares......
Mortgages redeemed (in whole or in

part)..... Other loans redeemed.....

Transfers
In tlat ons.
Gen'l profit and loss account
Bills payable.

Other disbursements, in detail:

Due shareholders, due installments

\$18,423 27

\$117,441 46

\$117,441 46

Sweets Throughout the City.

LADIES and LASSIES

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