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BOND ELECTION.

Board of Audit and Finance Refused to Concur in Resoluand conductors on street avannah are on a strike. tion by Aldermen. electrical storm at Green-

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> Was Adverse to Regality of an Election Under Act of 1891-Even the Law Authorizing Election Not Properly Passed by Legislature.

The Board of Audit and Finance in special session yesterday afternoon at o'clock declined to concur in the action of the Aldermen in calling an election on the bond issue for sewerage, the various machinations of which are already well known to the public. The decision not to concur was in conformity to an opinion of Eugene S. Martin, Esq., who had been employed by the Board to advise the members as to the legality of the proposed election.

Mr. C. W. Yates presided at the meeting in the absence of Chairman McQueen and all members were — The battleibip Iowa in place of the Wisconsin present. The following is the opinion of Mr. Martin as read before the board: c side of the Isthmus of ffairs become serious over C. W. Yates, Esq., Chairman pro tem of the Board of Audit and Finance of the City of Wilmington:

DEAR SIR: -On the 7th inst. you on behalf of said Board submitted to me, for an opinion, the following questions, to wit: Whether the election, for the issuing of sewer bonds by the city provided for by the Board of Alderman at the Aldermen at the meeting held on eat-spot strong, No. 2 red the 5th day of August, 1901, would be vand in law? And whether, if such election should result in favor of issuentine quiet and easy at 35 ing said bonds, the bonds so issued would be valid in law?

The ordinance in question is (as stated in the ordinance) in pursuance of, and based upon an act of the Gen-eral Assembly entitled "An Act to authorize the city of Wilmington to establish sewers and for other pur-poses" ratified the 6th day of March, 1891, being Chapter 242 of the Private Laws of 1891. The answer to the foregoing questions therefore involves a construction of that act.

the first eight sections thereof the for the day, .08; rainfall whole scheme for the construction and f the month to date, 3.08 management by the city authorities of vater in the Cape Fear river

public sewers only.

Section 9 provides: "And for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act and for paving, grading and improving the streets and sidewalks of said city" the Board of Aldermen of said city were required to cause an election to be held at the same time with the election for aldermen in March, 1891, at which election the qualified voters of said city might vote for or against the issuing of bonds of said city for "Sewerage" and "for street improvements" not exceeding in amount \$200,000 as provided in said

Rain Tuesday and probably SEC. 10-That if a majority of the av fresh northeasterly winds qualified voters were in favor of said onds, the same should be issued, etc. SEC. 11. That the authorities of said city shall annually levy a tax to pay interest on said bonds at maturity,

the principal thereof, etc. SEC. 12. That if the result of the election held in March, 1891, shall be against the issuing of either of said bonds (that is for sewers or for street improvements, as the case may be) "the Board of Aldermen may at any ngest recorded run that we r read of was made by a times or times afterwards again submit to the qualified voters of said city Dover Castle, Eng., which the question of issuing said bonds.' run in 1366 and is still SEC. 13. That should bonds to the

amount of \$200,000 be issued that at least one-half of the amount derived from the sale of said bonds shall be ndian languages contain no used exclusively for paving, grading and improving streets; but should the designate stealing. The Inelection result in favor of bonds for street improvements alone, bonds for not need any word of that ney just go on and do their this purpose alone should issue and be so used, not exceeding in amount \$100,000; and should the election be in favor of bonds for sewerage alone. then bonds not exceeding same amount "Progressive" Democratic should be issued and used for that Ohio isn't making much purpose alone.

It appears that the election was held in finding men to accept its in March, 1891, as provided in said act and the proposed issue of bonds ions. So far out of seven for both sewerage and street improve-ments was voted down by the people. ked to run for something Under these circumstances, two questions are now presented for consideration: (1). Has the Board of Aldermen nsterdam or some other dam power under said act to again call an lection to determine whether bonds nade her own clothes. Judgshould be issued at any time in its discretion, or only at some particular the fit of the old man's time? (2). Can an election for issuing e wouldn't be surprised at bonds 'for sewerage" alone be held or must the election be for bonds for both sewerage and street improvements? In other words, can bonds for either sewerage or street improvement be voted for separately and at differof the boom towns. The

people don't believe in Answering the first of the above things, but hold their own questions, I am of opinion that under ttle more. In 1890 the popsec. 12 of said act, the Board of Aldermen has power to call an election at was 3,961, and now it is 3,any time in its discretion and is not restricted to any particular time, provided, of course, the requirements of the acts as to notice, etc., are ob-served, and therefore, the Board has Hetty Green didn't have any hame after Admiral Dewey. power to call the election at the time provided in said ordinance. she named her dog Dewey

The second of said questions cannot n utilized the dog's name by he answered with so much confidence as the first, because of the language of it on her door-plate. She said act; especially of sections 12 and keeps away beggars for 13, which makes it doubtful whether who don't want to tackle an election for sewerage bonds alone can be held, when both classes of bonds have heretofore been voted

I am of the opinion, however, that an election for sewerage bonds alone hable offence to call a man would be valid, notwithstanding the Hanna" against his wishes. previous election in March, 1891, ber of workmen a few days though only a construction of said act he Supreme Court can remove d a fellow workman by calling doubt as to the meaning of the act. To properly answer the questions sub-mitted by you, another matter besides the act and ordinance must be conand the judge fined every sidered.

The act of 1891 above mentioned provides not only for the issue of bonds, but also for a tax levy to pay the same and the interest thereon. This question is, therefore, involved: Was the act of 1891 passed in a man-ner prescribed by Article II, Section 14 of the Constitution of the State? If it was not, then the act, the election and bonds (if issued) would be invalid.

To ascertain if said act was passed as prescribed by the Constitution. I have carefully examined the journals of the House and Senate for the session of 1891, when said act was passed. Without going into details, from what appears in the journals, and in view of a recent decision of the Supreme Court of this State (Glenn vs. Wray, 126 N. C. 730) I think that there are

good grounds for holding that the act was not passed as prescribed by the Constitution and is invalid. The Supreme Court alone can definitely de-cide the question. For the reason stated above I am of opinion that the election provided for by said ordinance, and any bonds issued in pursuance thereof would be invalid and

Having arrived at this conclusion. I have not deemed it necessary to dis-cuss the sufficiency of the ordinance itself. As the matter is of general importance, I have stated my reasons fully. Yours, truly, Yours, truly, E. S. MARTIN.

LOCAL DOTS.

-For other locals see fourth page.

- There was no meeting of the County Board of Education yesterday on account of the lack of a quorum. - About 300 colored people left

on an excursion to Newbern yesterday. The train was in charge of Capt. John -An excursian via the A. C. L.

to Charleston is announced for Saturday, August 24th. Fare for the round trip will be \$3.00. - As the STAR employs no trav-

elling agents, bills are sent direct to subscribers. These bills should receive prompt attention. -The Organ Fund Society of Grace M. E. Church will give anohter

lawn party at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Grafflin, corner of Third and Walnut streets, this evening. - An excursion from Asheboro and High Point via Greensboro is scheduled to reach Wilmington Thurs-

day, returning at 8 P. M. the following - Rev. Dr. Tupper, of Atlanta, will arrive the latter part of this week to supply the parish of St. James' as rector in the absence of Rev. Mr. Horsfield, who is away for a month's vaca-

- Hanover Seaside Club will give another of its enjoyable club frolics at Carolina Beach Wednesday and Wednesday evening. The event is being arranged by he House Committee, consisting of Messrs. Henry Gieschen C. F. W. Rehder.

- E. E. Ellsworth and wife, of Virginia, transferred by deed recorded yesterday to Charles Edward Smith and wife, for \$200, the house and lot, 60x85 feet, at the southest corner of Eighth and Wooster streets. Allen E. Jackson and wife also transferred to Mary Ann Blocker, for \$390, a lot on the east side of Ninth between Queen and Wooster streets.

TDE CONFEDERATE VETERANS

Local Camp Made Arrangements Last Night for Re-union at Wrightsvile Sound-Delegates Elected.

Matters pertaining to the forthcoming encampment of the veterans of the State at Wrightsville tc-morrow were chiefly considered at last night's regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254, U. C. V., over which Commander James I. Metts presided and at which Col. W. J. Woodward acted as secretary in the absence of Capt. Henry Savage, the adjutant.

The discussion was opened by a review of the action at last meeting by Col. F. W. Kerchner. Capt. Metts, of the local entertainment committee, also gave a review of the work that had been done in anticipation of the coming of the veterans and read the general orders, as have already been published in these columns.

The following delegates to the reunion and encampment were named from Cape Fear Camp: Col. W. L. DeRosset, Junius, Davis, Esq., Capt. James I. Metts, Capt. L. S. Belden, Capt. W. R. Kenan and Dr. E. Porter; alternates, Capt. Walter G. MacRae, Dr. W. D. McMillan, Dr. J. C. Shepard. Dr. J. E. Matthews, Mr. Jesse Wilderand Capt. T. C. Lewis.

All the above were requested to inform the Commander of the camp as to whether or not they would be able to attend. The Commander was authorized to appoint others in case any of them are unable to attend.

A special committee was appointed to request the Second Regiment Band to visit the camp during the Veterans' stay at Wrightsville.

The Commander requested two or more comrades to present themselves at headquarters in camp to give information and secure the names of all visiting comrades to be entered in a book for the use of the camp.

All the members of the camp were ordered to assemble in front of headquarters on the camp grounds at Wrightsville at 3 P. M. Thursday, on which day the Veterans will be addressed by General Matt. W. Ransom. This will necessitate all Veterans from Wilmington, leaving the city on the

2:30 P. M. Seacoast train. On motion, the regular time for meeting of Cape Fear Camp was changed from the second Monday of each month to the third Monday at

Among those in attendance upon last night's meeting were Col. F. W. Kerchner, Capt. Metts, Col. Woodward, Col. Cantwell, Dr. J. E. Matthews. Capt. W. M. Stevenson, Capt. R. M. McIntire, Capt. Geo. W. Huggins, Capt. T. D. Meares, Mr. T. O. Bunting, Dr. W. W. Harriss, Mr. P. H. Hayden, Col. Jno. D. Taylor and

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Star Office-Help wanted. Rock Spring Hotel-For rent. Prof. Dick Lietgen-Free lecture. Str. Compton-Grand family excur'n Masonic-Meeting St. John's Lodge. Stuart House-Board at Southport, games, in which the Giants lambast- tary.

GIANTS LOST AGAIN.

Tarboro Won From Wilmington Yesterday in a Score of Ten to One.

HITS AND ERRORS BUNCHED

Made It a Hands Down Victory for Bryan Tar Bables-Some General Notes of North Carolina Baseball World. Charlotte Defeated Turtles.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 2; Tarboro, 10. Charlotte, 4; Raleigh, WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Tarboro at Wilmington.
Raleigh at Charlotte STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Raleigh 19 10 .65

Tarboro 14 13 Wilmington 12 Charlotte 12 In a game pregnant with errors, de void of interest and unsatisfactory to the more ardent rooters and rooterinas, the Tartars won hands down from the

locals yesterday afternoon in a score

of ten to two. The fireworks started in the firs inning. Martin was safe on error of Stewart: Pulsifer sacrificed him to second and Kemmer scored him on a single. The locals scored on a pass to Clayton, which netted a run on a wild throw to first by Bush, the ball having gone under the bleachers and Kemmer's avordupois having prevented him from going under the seats after it. Devlin and Frost were out from

second; Warren from third.

In the second and third innings both teams were blanked and the scroe remained tied. In the fourth the Tartars put four scores in cold storage. Spratt was safe on Frost's juggling; Lehman singled; Gilligan flew to short and Spratt scored on Bush's safe hit. Marten hit to third and Lehman was out at the plate. Pulsifer hit double and Bush and Martin crossed the rubber, he having later been scored on Kemmer's single. That put an end to the run getting until the seventh, when cushions and when Morrisey was out from third, Spratt jolted the spheroid pleman crossed the pag. Spratt stole third and scored on Tnack's wild throw to third. Lehman got Pullman jury. service and Gilligan singled. Then Bush got two bags and Lehman and Gilligan crossed the home plate. Mar-

flew to left. The eighth did not increase the was out from short and Gilligan after being presented with his base, scored on wild throws of Thackara and Frost. Bush fanned: Martin singled but Pulsifer drove out to second. The lonesome run of the locals got a companion at the last turn at the willow. Frost hit beautifully for a couple of cushions and Allen was safe on Lehman's error. McGinnis forced Allen at second and on the throw, Frost scored. Thackara and Cranston were out from third and short.

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The tabulated score tells more minutely the story of the disaster. THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

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THE TABULATED SCORE. AB R H PO A E

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Cranston, rf 3 0 0 2 0 Sweeney, p...... 3 0 1 0 8 2 Summary-Two base hits, Frost, Stewart, Pulsifer, Hempleman, Spratt (2) and Bush; double plays, Frost to Devlin, Hempleman to Kemmer; base on balls, off Stewart 3, off Bush 3; struck out, by Stewart 8, by Bush 5. Time of game, 1:40. Umpire, Mr.

Mace. Attendance, 400.

Wanted, a Team to Beat Tarboro One Game.

- Inability to hit the ball and loose fielding will beat any team. - See the games to-day. An agree-

able surprise may confront you. - Hopkins wil pitch for Wilmington in the first game and Allen in the

second. yesterday. Likewise, the Wilming-

ton jackscrews. - The Tartars took twelve hits from Stewart's delivery, while the Giants could find Bush for only three.

- Two games this afternoon for one admission. The first game will be called at 2:30 and the second at 4:30. - The "co-o-o-ld drinks" dispensed on the grounds don't suit the Giants at all. What they need now is "hot stuff."

from their lethargy and turned the Turtles on their backs yesterday by a score of four to one. - The funeral director of the Ra-

ed the Turtles out of their shells If our memory is not at fult the Turtles CHARGED WITH ARSON s ood fourth in that ser es

WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1901.

- Newman, a big slab artist with record, was last night signed by Manager Cowan. He will join the team on the 17th.

- Dommel, the new player just signed by Wilmington, is expected here to-day, but it is not known whether he will arrive in time for the games this afternoon or not.

- Wanted, a team to defeat Tarboro in one of the two games to be played tc-day. Choice of games allowed. Apply at Hilton Park either at 2:30 or 4:30 P. M.

- New Orleans Picayune: "The following telegram tells the tale: 'Your offer of \$600 for Stanley and Atz accepted. Will give you refusal of Smith's release at end of sesson. Sherwood Higgs."

- Wilmington has never desired to be higher than second in the present series. Should the Giants close at the top what would become of the eleven pennant games, the net receipts from which go to the individual players? They still have a good chance to go to second place, provided they play ball.

- If the Giants make a bard and successful fight for second place they will have great crowds to see the eleven pennant games. And it is the gate receipts that will be the prominent feature to the individual players in these games. Very likely, sixty per cent. will go to the winners and forty per cent. to the losers.

Hornets Lambasted Turtles.

Raleigh00010000-15 Charlotte 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 *-4 9 Hooker and Gates

THE SUPERIOR COURT CONVENED YESTERDAY

Large Number of Submissions and Sev eral Cases Heard by Jury-Commitments to County Roads.

morning at 10 o'clock, Judge Oliver H. Allen presiding and Solicitor Ronto 1. Hempleman led off for two officials got down to work immedi reached at 6:30 o'clock yesterday evencases were swept from the docket, to say nothing of several that went to the

> The following were drawn as grand jurors for the term: John F. Little ton (foreman), Thomas Belcher, L. D. Bishop, John Roddick, Eugene Fillyaw, S A. Brewer, H. G. Saunders, E. Childs, Geo. T. Quinn, C E. Herring, W. C. Armstrong, Robt. L. the place Merritt, H. W. Strickland, W. H. Hardy, John G. Wagner, James Millan. Mr. C. M. Harris was sworn in as bailiff of the jury.

Judge Allen's charge was less than an hour in length, but it was an able one, clearly delivered and within the comprehension of all who listened. He laid especial stress upon the value of an oath and the penalties attached to violation.

The following cases were heard and disposed of during the day: Joe Mason, assult and battery with deadly weapon, submitted; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Joe Mason, carrying concealed weapons, submitted; judgment suspended on payment of costs. Annie Arrington, slander, submitted and on recommendation of prosecutor, judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Charles Raleigh, submitted to assault with deadly weapon; fined \$5 and

Thomas Brown, assault and battery with deadly weapon; capias and continued. Americus Holmes, larceny, nol pros.

with leave. Mary Porter, sci fa, costs paid. John Hudson, carrying concealed

weapons, nol pros. with leave. Americus Holmes sci fa, judgment absolute; to be discharged on payment Emma Grant submitted to assault

pended on payment of costs.

C. C. Bordeaux, assault with deadly weapon; costs paid. Ben Richardson, assault with deadly

with deadly weapon; judgment sus-

weapon; guilty; sixty days on public Ben Richardson, carrying concealed weapons; not guilty.
Francis Bruard, allowing ox to run

at large; plead guilty; fined \$5 and Mallie Russ, laceny; plead guilty; judgment suspended.

Mallie Russ, larceny; eight months in penitentiary and four months on county roads. John Bell larceny; fifteen months

Joe Blocker, larceny; eight months on county roads. The following talesmen were sum-

moned for to-day: R. R. McCartney, C. C. Harris, F. W. Foster, J. W. Lewis, L. F. Harper, J. T. Sholar, B. Mott, Wm. M. Hankins, Wm. M. Hawkins, J. T. Brown, Jr., James D. MacRae, Chas. N. Brewer, L. Bluen-- The Raleigh derrick broke down thal, C. D. Gilbert, W. P. Woodcock, H. Heide, James A. Driver, W. Frank and Thos. J. Gore.

Underwriters Coming. The annual meeting of the North

Carolina Fire Underwriters' Association will be held at the Seashore Hotel August 18th, 14th and 15th. It is expected that a hundred members from all over the State will be in attendance, besides a number of special agents. A local committee consisting of Messrs. W. W. Hodges, M. S. Wil - The Hornets have been aroused lard and Swift M. Boatwright will provide entertainment for the insurance men while they are here. Col. Walker Taylor, of this city, is presileigh Post seems to feel better than he dent of the of the association and Mr. did at the close of the first series of W. J. Griswold, of Durham, is secre-

plenty of speed and a great batting Mr. H. Hauser, Watchmaker and Jeweller, Arrested Yesterday by Police.

Led Chief Schnibben to Have Suspicions of Incendiarism and Insurance Commissioner Young Has Been Asked to Pursue an Investigation.

Mr. H. Hauser, "the Swiss Watch naker," No. 122 Market street, was arrested early yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police Furlong on a charge fos arson preferred by Chief Charles Schnibben, of the Wilmington Fire Department. At the City Hall at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon he was admitted to bail by Mayor pro tem. H P. West in the sum of \$350, Mr. Sol Sternberger, Jr., and Capt. F. W. Ortmann having become sureties for him in that amount, and the defend ant having indemnified the bondsmen by a mortgage on his partially burned

graphed for by Chief Schnibben yes for a couple more cushio is and Hem- ing a large number of submission terday and who will make a further inquiry into the alleged incendiarism. Until Mr. Young arrives Chief Schnibben refuses to disclose the nature of the revelation which came as a result of his investigation. Unofficially it is learned that there are evidences of the use of gasoline, kerosene and other explosives, but these re-

The building in which Mr. Hauser

arson proceedings by Hon. Jno. D. lamy is engaged in the prosecution. It

Pannill Roof Paints.

Mr. Henry Pannill, manager of the chemical department of the Pannill Paint and Paint Solder Manufacturing Co., of this city, are on their way to fighting the flames in the building, Buffalo with an exhibit of their factory's product at Wilmington. Saturday they were in Baltimore and gave a demonstration of the merits of their roof paint. The Sun says that to the first floor. Both were up, howthe exhibition was wonderful. Mr. ever, yesterday. Pannill painted under water and stopped leaks while streams were pouring through apertures in a tin bucket. The bottom of an ordinary sifter was also painted and made to hold water. Capt. Skinner and Mr. Pannill yesterday gave an exhibition in Philadelphia.

Seashore Arrivals.

Among vesterday's arrivals at The Orton were A. J. McKinnon, Maxton H. S. Ledbetter and son, Rocking ham: W. I. Linkhaw, Lumberton: Mrs. W. H. Battle, Greensboro: Kemp P. Battle, Jr., 3rd, Greensboro; T. M. Brookshire, Charlotte: J. C. Cowell, Dunn; Herbert Mc-Donald, Fayetteville; J. W. Kornegay and J. C. Loftin, Mount Olive.

THE FIRE SUNDAY NIGHT.

stock. The charges as preferred by Chief Schnibben grew out of a fire which occurred at Mr. Hauser's jewelry and watch-making establishment about 8:30 o'clock Sunday night. Mr. Hauser's place is nearly opposite the Bonitz House and at the time indicated, Mr. W. A. Bonitz, clerk at the hotel, discovered smoke issuing from the building. The curtains to the front window of the store were drawn down and Batteries: Stocksdale and Curran: the flames had gained much headway when they were discovered and the department reached the scene in response to a telephone alarm sent in by Mr. Bonitz. The firemen, however, through heroic work soon had the blaze subdued and Chief Schnibben. under standing instructions from the City Fire Commission and Insurance Jacobs accompanied his father. Commissioner Young, of Raleigh, set about to make an examination of the city, who recently underwent a surgi-The August term of the New Han- causes leading to the fire which re- cal operation for appendicitis at St. over Superior Court for the trial of sulted in Mr. Hauser's arrest as stated Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, got criminal cases was convened yesterday above. Immediately after the fire the place was put under strict surveillance and no one allowed to enter the visitors duplicated their work of dolph Duffy prosecuting. Judge Al- the burned store. His action the fourth inning, making the score 9 len, Solicitor Duffy and other court was taken pending the arrival here to day of Insurance Commissioner ately, and before adjournment was Young, of Raleigh, who was tele-

ports are neither denied or affirmed agony but the ninth did. Lehman Shearer, H. L. Peterson, Sr. E J. by the authorities who have visited

Mr. Hauser charges the fire to an incendiary, whom he thinks dropped combustibles through the skylight on the roof, as both the store on the first floor and the residence apartments of Mr. Hauser and family on the second were found securely locked, Mr. Hauser having gone to Wrightsville beach at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon and his wife having gone to Baltimore some time ago for treatment at a lospital. In these statements prov ing an alibi Mr. Hauser is fully corroborated by a number of witnesses, but the authorities do not seem to attach importance to the fact of his ab

sence at the time of the fire. lived and conducted his business is of brick and belongs to Mr. L. Hansen. It is not damaged to a great extent, but the stock is pretty badly smoked and charred. Chief Schnibben estimates the total loss to building and contents at \$400. Mr. Hansen is fully protected on the building by insurance with J. H. Boatwright & Son. Mr. Hauser has \$500 insurance in Col. Walker Taylor's agency on his tools; \$200 on a large clock Mr. Hauser has invented and upon which he says he has spent four years' labor; \$400 on household and kitchen furniture and \$200 on his general stock. All the last named items are insured in companies represented by J. Van.B. Metts and the total insurance on contents aggregate \$1,300.

Mr. Hauser is represented in the Bellamy, while City Attorney Belis probable that a preliminary hearing will be given the defendant this week.

Capt. S. W. Skinner, President, and

HORSE ****

The S. P. Cowan Livery Co.

"Match It"

you can.

- Ex-Governor Russell and wife xpect to leave this morning for New

York to spend some time. - Mrs. W. G. Sale and children left vesterday to visit at Lynchburg.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

WHOLE NO. 10,601

- Miss Lula Johnson, of Warsaw, is the guest of Mrs. Fannie J. Mitchell, No. 7 South Fourth street. - Mrs. Lee J. Taylor and chil-

dren, of Newbern, are visiting. Mrs. Minnie Mitchell, North Sixth street. - Col. S. B. Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Rodolph Duffy, arrived yesterday to spend some time in the city.

- Rev. Frederick H. T. Horsfield, rector of St. James' parish, left yesterday evening for Cambridge, New - Messrs. Herman S. Meredith

and F. R. King left yesterday for Charlotte and Asheville, to spend a vacation of ten days. - Mrs. J. H. Land, Jr., of Chadbourn, passed through the city yester-

day, returning home from a visit to her parents at Warsaw. - Measrs. Alex. Boon, B. J. Jacobs and J. T. King left vesterday for Elizabeth City to attend the Grand

- Mr. George P. James, of this home last night. His friends we lighted to see him looking well.

NAVAL RESERVES WILL CRUISE.

They Leave On Night of August 31st. Howitzer Target Practice To-day. After a very creditable inspection by Lieut. H. M. Chase last night, the Wilmington Division Naval Reserves met in regular monthly session and

transacted a number of items of business. Vice President J. H. LeGwin presided and Mr. C. E. McMillan was at his post as secretary. The most important decision reached during the session was to take an outing on the cruiser Hornet, leaving the city on the night of Aug. 31st and returning Sept. 3rd. The Reserves will go to Southport and out to sea for a short distance on Sept. 1st and will return to Southport on the 2nd, to participate in an elaborate Labor Day celebration which is being arranged there. All

priated out of the Division fund last night. This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the Hotchkiss gun squad, commanded by Lieut. Chase, will go down to Wrightsville Beach for target practice. The boys hope to have Battery A, of Charlotte, to join them for a competitive shoot. The Charlotte battery is now at Camp Aycock.

expenses for the trip were appro-

Soldiers For Caswell. Fifty-six recruits for the garrison at Fort Caswell, under command of First Lieutenant W. K. Naylor reached the city from Columbus, Ohio, yesterday morning via the Atlantic Coast Line. They came in two sleeping cars and were given dinner at the Bonitz House. In the afternoon they left for the fort. Lieut. Naylor, after conducting the men to Caswell, will return to his command with the Ninth Infantry, U. S. A.

County Commissioners. The County Commissioners were in special session yesterday afternoon for a short time considering taxation matters, which were given out to be of no special interest to the public. The clerk was instructed to write a letter to the secretaries of the A. C. L., S. A. L., and W. S. C. railroads asking for a list of the names of resident stockholders in their respective corporations All members were present except

Piremen Hurt.

Commissioner Vollers.

At the fire on Market street Sunday night Assistant Chief Monroe, while was seriously burned about the neck and hands. Ladderman James Winberg was also injured by falling through a trap-door from the second

- The children from the Odd Fellows' Orphanage at Goldaboro will reach the city this morning and go immediately through to Southport on the steamer Compton, according to the arranged programme of entertainment.

Pipkin's Next Excursion

Will be from Goldsboro to Norfolk Washington and Buffalo September 4th, 1901. This will be a nine-day trip, and the fare from Goldsboro to Buffalo and return will be only \$19.00.
For full particulars, route, etc., write
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Leave Wrightsville. Encampment, I. O. O. F. Master Joe BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND OCEAN VIEW. eave Wilmington. Leave Ocean View. 12 45 P. M. 6 15 P. M. 10 20 P. M. 5 00 P. M. SUNDAY EXTRA. Leave Wilmington Leave Ocean View.

> Leave Ocean View. Leave Wrightsville. REGULAR SCHEDULE, DAILY. eave Wilmington. BUNDAY TRAINS.

> SUNDAY EXTRA BETWEEN WRIGHTSVILLE AND

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Steamer COMPTON, Capt. I W. A. Sanders, will leave her wharf at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday. 14th inst. morning, for Southport and return,

leaving Southport at 3:30 P. M., and reaching the city at 5:30. Four Hours at Southport. Fare for the round trip 25 cents. Breeze de-

lightful. Plenty of room and excellent accom-

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FREE LECTURE. Professor DICK LIETGEN will give a lecture to-day at 12

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August 6, 1901. Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 2 o'clock P. M. on the
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the construction of Quarters for Detained
Orews at the U. S. Quarantine Station, Cape
Fear, N. C., in accordance with drawing and
specifications, copies of which may be had at
the discretion of the Supervising Architect, by
applying to this office or to the Medical Officer
in command at Southport, N. C. JAMES KNOX
TAYLOR, Supervising Architect.
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REGULAR MONTHLY COMMUNICATION this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to