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LOCAL DOTS.

- Christian science service at

Masonic Temple, Room 10, this morn-

ing at 11:15 o'clock. Subject of Bible

- The Atlantic Coast Line is

placing steam heaters in the waiting

room, ticket office and purchasing

agent's department at the Front street

station. Steam will be supplied from

- A protracted meeting is now in

progress at the Baptist church at

Teacheys. Rev. Dr. N. B. Cobb, pas-

tor, is assisted by Rev. Walter W.

Johnson, who will remain during the

ensuing week. Preaching morning

- A Newbern correspondent says:

'The Newbern Naval Battalion, forty

strong, will attend the Exposition at

Charleston, leaving here January

16th. The boys will take their boat-

the Hornet-and a general good time

- Messrs. W. B. Cooper and Jos.

H. Watters have been named a com-

mittee from the Wholesale Grocers'

Association to join those of the Pro-

duce Exchange and Chamber of Com-

merce in petitioning for an additional

passenger train on the Seaboard Air

- The United States buoy tender

Wistaria will leave this morning for

Charleston, S. C., after completing re-

pairs at Skinners' Marine Railway.

Mr. E. P. Bailey will go to Charles-

ton on the steamer as a guest of Capt.

Johnson and Chief Engineer O'Brien.

daughter, Miss Tallulah DeRosset,

have returned from New York.

Friends of Capt. DeRosset will be glad

to know that while there is no imme-

diate improvement in the condition of

his eyesight, he has made arrange-

ments to undergo a treatment at home,

which promises to be very benefic-

- A series of meetings of the

"Church of the Living God," will be

held at Fifth ward hook and ladder hall,

them on Princess street Friday after-

- Capt. A. L. DeRosset and

evening to-day.

lesson "Sacrament."

from the shops adjoining.

and night.

is anticipated."

Line railroad.

o'clock. Miss Cole will sing.

## WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BURBAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 7. Temperatures: 8 A. M., 27 degrees:

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall ce 1st of the month to date, 2.16

P. M., 40 degrees; maximum, 50 de-

es; minimum, 26 degrees; mean, 38

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- For North

rolina: Fair Sunday, except rain western portion; warmer. Monday n and colder; light variable winds, coming fresh southeasterly.

Port Almanac ... December 8, n Rises . . . . . . . . . 6.57 A. M.

Senator Hanna is said to have been e of the financial backers of the thman big gun. But the Gath. an gun went back on Hanna.

Secretary Wilson says tea culre in South Carolina has brought profit of from \$30 to \$40 an acre the growers, which beats cotton

There are about 30,000 negro eters in Indiana which may go far accounting for statesman Crumcker's objections to the laws in the buth which restrict negro suffrage.

There will be little done in Conress before the Christmas holidays at skirmishing and pulse-feeling, hey will not get down to work till hey have filled up on turkey and ther stuffing.

The Portland, Oregon, Woman's llub has followed the example of he St. Paul, Minnesota, club and rawn the line on admitting or affilsting in national conventions with

A Lynn, Mass., man in his will pequeathed \$1,500 to a man who had loaned him \$10 some years beore. Whether this was a case of temorse of conscience or of gratitude is not stated, but whatever it was there was \$1,490 worth of it to the

Congressman Babcock, of Wisconsin, says he is determined to make a fight against the trusts and expects a good deal of support on the Republican side of the House. They already call him the "Trust Smasher," but it seems to us that this is somewhat too previous.

A Rochester, N. Y., woman who got tired carrying the name of Damn jumped into a river and drowned herself. It seems to us that she might have found some other way of extinguishing a name like that without using so much water.

An Austrian professor has be queathed \$15,000 to a museum on condition that it put up in air-tight cases his personal traps and preserve them for 200 years, so that the tight-seers of those days may see how a professor of this day got himself and lived. But where may the

Russel Sage says the way to get rich is to "make your first thousand as soon as you can and then invest it wisely." When you have made your first million or two keep on investing it wisely and you stand a pretty good chance of getting rich, provided you don't indulge in too much extravagance.

For LaGrippe and Induenza use CHENEY'S

## HE MORNING

WILMINGTON, N. C., SUNDAY, DECEMBER'8, 1901.

During this period he served one or

more terms as president of the Wil-

mington Chamber of Commerce and

was closely identified with other or-

ganizations designed for the upbuild-

Closing his connection with the

firm of Harriss & Howell, Dr. Harriss

engaged in the drug business in 1874

on corner of Front and Market streets

in the store now occupied by Mr. R. R.

Bellamy. Subsequently and until the

time of his death, deceased had been

engaged in the insurance business and

mercantile pursuits. While in the

insurance business, he was for many

years president of the Local Board of

Underwriters. Later he was an acting

Justice of the Peace and was for a

number of years chairman of the

Board of Justices of New Hanover

Dr. Harriss was a devoted member

of the Masonic fraternity and was per-

haps the oldest living Mason in Wil-

mington. He was connected with St.

John's Lodge No. 1 and was one of the

most valued members of that branch

of the order. He was also a member

and officer of the Royal Arcanum and

American Legion of Honor. In the

latter order he was one of a few mem-

bers in Wilmington who, on account

of reverses to the fraternity, remained

with it until the difficulty had been

Dr. Harriss had been for many

years a communicant of St. James'

church and was one of the most de-

voted and attentive members of the

parish. In his church and private life

he was almost without a peer. None

will hear of his death but to regard it

as a personal loss and a blow to the

day morning at 11 o'clock from St.

TRANSPERS OF REAL ESTATE.

**Deeds Recorded at Court House Yesterday** 

for Several Tracts of Value

property transfers are noted.

By deeds filed for record vesterday

Mortimer H. Brown and wife and

John Kent Brown, of Louisville,

Ky., to Lucy Isabelle Brown, of Peters

burg, Va., lot on south side of Mul-

barry street, 50 feet west of Second

street; thence south wardly 89 feet to

G. H. Kelley's line; thence west with

said line 69 feet to alley; thence north

20 feet; thence west 38 feet; thence

northwardly 89 feet to the southern

line of Mulberry street and 115 feet to

the beginning; amount \$1 and other

Geo. Sloan and wife to Hannah L

Sloan, lot on north side of Chesnut

between Sixth and Seventh streets,

W. R. French and wife to R. A.

Wright between Front and Second

streets, size 44x66 feet; consideration,

Lucy Isabelle Brown, of Petersburg,

o DeLeon Fillyaw, lot on south side

of Grace street with 67 feet frontage

on Grace street, extending southward-

ly 69 feet; westwardly two feet to an

alley, westwardly across the alley and

parallel with Grace streets 8 feet;

southwardly with the alley 119 feet to

Vance's alley, eastwardly along said

alley 8 feet; northwardly and parallel

with Second street 98 feet; eastwardly

69 feet and northwardly to the begin-

M. Galley and wife, house and lot

66x165 feet, fronting 66 feet on wes-

tern line of Anderson street, between

OPERA HOUSE OFFERINGS.

Trio of Good Attractions Booked-Rose

Coghlan To-morrow Evening Will

Be Notable Theatre Event.

"How hard would be the way of

evil-doers and how easy the task of

improving social conditions if it were

not for the fool friends of good

causes," says one of the characters in

Rose Coghlan's play, "A Woman of

No Importance," which will be seen

here at the Opera House to-morrow

night. The production promises to be

the most prominent social event of the

season, as the play is generally con-

ceded to be the keenest satire on social

ambiguities and shams produced in the past decade. "Who is that lady?" asks a friend of the man who has just

refused absolutely and mercilessly to

repair a great wrong done to the lady's

son and herself, after a powerful dra-

matic scene. "Oh! she's a woman of

no importance," replied the man airily. From this incident the play

received its title. It is notable that

the curtain descends on every act

upon a scene of intense dramatic

force. The company chosen to sup

port Rose Coghlan is said to have

been selected from the ranks of the

best actors in society plays New York

city can provide, and the entire pro-

duction a costly and elaborate one.

"Uncle Josh Spruceby" — Inis charming comedy drama will be next

produced at the Opera House Satur-

day night. A carload of scenery and mechanical effects are said to be car-

ried and a saw mill at work one of the

startling mechanical effects. Among

other features are a grand operatio or-

chestra and a concert band.
"The Belle of New York"—With its

merry lythrical jingles, its pretty girls and delightful ensembles, this attrac-

tion will be seen at the Opera House Monday, Dec. 16th. This well known musical comedy is said to be so well

written and it posseses so many de-

lightful features that one wishes to see

Gents' neckwear just received at

Toys, Games, Dolls and fancy goods

are now on display at The C.

it a second and third time.

Polygot's.

Seats are now on sale at Gerken's.

ning; consideration, \$2,500.

Burnett and wife, lot on north side of

66x67 feet in size; consideration \$100.

considerations.

James' church, thence to Oakdale.

tided over.

ing of the town and community.

Harriss & Howell and was one of the foremost business men of the city.

- Rev. Joel Allen will preach at the First Baptist church, morning and teemed Citizen Died Sud-- Dr. Voigt will speak to men denly Last Night. at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 5

HIS DEATH MOURNED BY ALL

Yesterday Afternoon, But in Pew Hours Was Cold in Death. Funeral To-morrow.

The city of Wilmington seldom has occasion to mourn the loss of a more distinguished citizen than that which came in the sudden death of Dr. William White Harriss at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Harlow, No. 314 Chesnut street, last night at 8:30 o'clock.

The news of the death, though octo hundreds of friends and acquaint his office in his accustomed buoyant spirits and in apparent good health.

had been unwell and had been suffering much from indigestion, but few of his friends knew of it, as he was always wont to look upon the bright side of life and seldom complained. He left his office on Princess street as usual about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and came down on Front street to do some shopping before going to his home as usual about an hour later. After completing his purchases he joined his little grand-son, Meares Harriss, and went with him up Market as far as Third street, where the boy left his grand-father to go to his father's home on Fifth street. Dr. Harriss, in the meantime going up Third to Chesnut street and thence to his daughter's home on Chesnut between Third and Fourth streets. Upon arriving at home he complained of feeling unwell and his evening meal was sent to him in his daughter's room. Mrs. Harlow became a trifle uneasy about her father's condition and went to see Dr. Storm to inquire if anything could be done to relieve him of the abject feeling which was unusual with him. She returned to

provide some medicine for her father, Fifth, near Castle street, beginning she found him very ill and as he went Saturday at 3 P. M. Pilgrim B. H. Barto the side of the bed to rest, he fell tow, of Allegheny, Pa, will deliver a series of free discourses on the divine plan of the ages. Bible study classes will be continued as may be arranged. The subject will be illustrated by a large "Chart of the Ages." STREET DIFFICULTY INVESTIGATED. Mesers. Simmons, Pannill and Frank is Justice Powier's Court Yesterday. Justice Fowler yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock investigated cases against Messrs. T. F. Simmons, Henry Pannill and Jno. Frank, charging each of them with a breach of the peace growing out of the difficulty between

noon. Judgment was suspended in the case of Mesars. Frank and Pannill the many traits of manly character upon payment of the costs, and Mr. that were peculiarly his own. Simmons was fined \$10 and costs. Mr. Frank was represented at the hearing by Geo. L. Peschau and Iredeli Meares, Esqs., while L. V. Grady, Esq., appeared for Messrs. Simmons and Pannill. The litigation was inaugurated by Mr. Frank to seek redress of the al leged assault upon him, and the warrant against him was procured at the instance of the defendants in the other Owing to the prominence of the

parties to the difficulty the trial drew a large number of spectators, and the hearing had to be adjourned from the Justice's office to the grand jury room at the Court House. Witnesses for Mr. Frank were Capt. S. W. Skinner, Capt. W. H. Northrop, Dr. M. H. P. Clark, Alderman George Harriss, Messrs. C. C. Chadbourn and Reid French. Messrs, Simmons and Pannill testified in their own behalf, and introduced one or two other witnesses.

Association Course Tuesday.

"The Labadies," in a rare combination of wit, wisdom and humor, will be the third concert in the Association Course at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night. These entertainers have some very favorable press criticisms and the Association Amusement Committee feels confident it has in the "Labadies" an attraction well worth the seeing. Reserved seat sale begins to-morrow

Oganist of Baptist Church.

Miss Cannie Chasten has been elected to, and it is learned has accepted, the position of organist at the First Baptist church. The congregation feels itself especially fortunate in se- graduate studies in medicine at the curing the services of Miss Chasten, famous Bellevue institution in New and she has been given entire control | York. museum and the professor's traps be of the choir, which will be reorganized and reinforced.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Geo. O, Gaylord—Great activity. Ledger Meyer-Christmas orders. J.T. Burke-Watches that keep time.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted-Men and women. Big Returns-Small investment. H. A. Martindale-Hogs for sale.

conflict. One-fourth on millinery at Poly-

DR. WM. W. HARRISS.

Distinguished and Highly Es-

Went Home from His Office as Usua

curring at night, spread quickly over the city and was a pronounced shock ances, who on the afternoon previous had seen him upon the streets and at

Dr. Harriss for the past several days her home and going to the room to

into a deep unconsciousness and life was almost extinct in a few seconds. Dr. Harriss, before his death, was the oldest living native-born male citizen of the city. He was born in Wilmington Jan. 13th, 1824, and was, therefore, in the 78th year of his age. He had resided here practically all his life, and was perhaps better known and more highly esteemed than any man in Wilmington. His characteristic good humor, his genial disposition, his high sense of honor and unswerving devotion to his conception of the right, had endeared him to a very large number of people of all classes and conditions. He was charitable to a fault, generous in his views and uniformly courteous to all. None knew him but to love him and admire

Dr. Harriss was a member of one of the oldest and most distinguished families of this section, and leaves very large number of relatives to whom the sympathy of the community is extended in this, their hour of great bereavement. Of the immediate family there are now surviving, three sisters, Mrs. Dr. John D. Bellamy, Mrs. A. J. Howell and Miss Mary Harriss, of Wilmington, and five sons and daughters, Mr. George N. Harriss and Mrs. W. L. Harlow, of this city; Mr. Thos. B. Harriss, of Savannah, Ga.; Mr. W. W. Harriss, Jr., of Gainesville, Fla., and Mr. Jno. B. Harriss, of Havana, Cuba. The lamented Mr. George Harriss, who died about two years ago, was a brother of the deceased and was intimately associated with him in business

for many years. Dr. Harriss' wife, to whom he was married in 1848, was Miss Caroline M. Brown, who preceded him to the

grave about eight years ago. Dr. Harriss received his early education at the then celebrated Colton School of Fayetteville, N. C., where he was prepared for college. He entered the University of North Carolina and graduated that institution with the degree of A. B., in 1842. Before his death he was the oldest living alumnus of that institution and had been since the death of the late Dr. A. J. DeRosset about five years ago. After his graduation he returned to Wilmington and read medicine with the late Dr. J. D. Bellamy, but afterwards graduated with distinction from the celebrated Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. Later he pursued post

After completing his education Dr Harriss came to Wilmington and practiced for a number of years until about 1858, when he became a member of the firm of Harriss & Howell, composed of the late George Harriss, Dr. Harriss and Mr. A. J. Howell. The shipping industry of Wilmington was then at its zenith and the firm had the principal ship brokers' offices in the city. A large wholesale commis-

sion business was also conducted. When the war came, Dr. Harriss cast his lot with the Confederacy and enlisted as a surgeon in the C. S. A. serving with great distinction and efficiency until the close of the

For several years after the war he remained a member of the firm of Polygot Co's store. GATTIS' NAME AGAIN

Before Methodist Conference at Fayetteville a Second Time Yesterday Morning.

PROCEEDINGS IN DETAIL

Mr. W. B. Springer, of Wilmington, Elected a Delegate-Blahop Hargrove Made a Characteristic Address to the Body-Afternoon Session.

The Favettevile Observer contains the following report of the fourth day's session of the North Carolina Conference in that city yesterday: Conference met at 9:30 this morning.

Bishop Hargrove in the chair. Devoional exercises conducted by Rev. L. C. Thompson. Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved. Rev. F. E. Dixon was announced as a transfer from the Pacific Confer-

Rev. R F. Bumpass was placed on committee of second year and C C. Covington was placed on the Epworth A memorial to the General Confer-

ence was read by Rev. N. B. Watson in regard to having question asked in the conferences as to how many copies of the Organ are in circulation. On motion of B, R, Hall the cre-dentials of D. A. Futtrell were restored. Some time ago he surrendered these

and withdrew from the ministry and membership of the church, but recently he joined the church again and has been doing acceptable work as supply. Rev. J. E. Underwood, presiding older of the Warrenton district, announced that during the past year Rev. O. Ryder, who was appointed to Scotland Neck station at the last session of the conference, had gotten into trouble and had surrendered his credentials and withdrawn from the The funeral will be conducted Mon-

> Rev. T. H. Law, D. D., the agent of the American Bible Society, was introduced to the conference and ad-dressed the body in behalf of the interest he represents.
>
> The vote whereby the name of T. J.

> ministry and membership of the

Gattis was not referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, on motion of W. S. Roan, was reconsidered. Mr. Roan then moved the reference of the name to the superanat the Court House, the following nuated relations. Messrs. Roan, Cole and Nash made earnest speeches, filled with the spirit of brotherly kindness, in support of the motion. Dr. Yates also made one of the best of talks, saying that, although Mr. Gattis has declared he could not get justice, we will show him that he is mistaken. The name of T. J. Gattis was then referred.

Dr. Gibbs moved that the Bishop be instructed to draw a draft on Dr. Moore, treasurer of trustees, for \$90 in favor of the joint Board of Finance. The motion was carried. Question 20, "Are all the preachers blameless in their lives and official administration," was resumed: R. A. Bruton, J. G. Johnson, A. D. Betts, C. W. Robinson, N. E. Coltrane, H.

E. Tripp, L. H. Joyner, A. P. Tyer and T. J. Daily passed examination of character and made their reports. At this juncture of the proceedings Bishop Hargrove made a speech to the conference in which he strongly insisted that the preachers should not be careless about giving attention to all the organizations of the church and especially those societies supervised by the women of the church. He also insisted that the church should devise means to take proper care of the for-

ferent parts of the territory embraced n certain Southern Methodist Conferences. The speech was listened to with much interest by the preachers. Drs. L. L. Nash and A. P. Tyer spoke of difficulty in the way of organizing Woman's Home Mission Societies in this conference. Bishop Hargrove urged the necessity of supporting this institution of the church.

Rev. J. N. Cole submitted the report

eign element that is coming into dif-

of the committee on trial in the case of R J. Moorman. This report stated W. M. Cumming and wife to James that Mr. Moorman had taken stimulants upon his physician's advice and the committee found that the charge of immorality was not sustained. J. E. Underwood made a motion that Green and Miller streets; consider-Mr. Moorman's case be referred to the committee on conference relations and

The next business before the conference was the election of delegates o the general conference. were instructed to retire from the room to count the ballots. The conference is entitled to four clerical and four lay delegates. On the first lay ballot, J. G. Brown was elected and on the second W. E. Springer and J. H. Southgate were elected. The first clerical ballot resulted in the election of J. C. Kilgo, who received 88 of the 184 votes cast. At

this writing the balloting is still going The call of the 20th question was resumed and concluded, the characters of the preachers on the Washington. Warrenton and Elizabeth City districts being passed and their reports

There was an afternoon session presided over by Rev. Dr. E. A. Yates.

Algonquin Back in Port, The revenue cutter Algonauin is in at Southport from Charleston where she participated in the elaborate demonstration by land and sea in honor of the opening of the Exposition. Col. A. M. Waddell, mayor of the city, who was a guest of Capt. Willey on his splendid ship, came up to the city on the steamer Wilmington and reports a delightful trip. The cutter will not come up to the city until Monday.

Died at Delgado.

Mrs. Annie Turner, wife of Thomas Turner, died at her home at Delgado, Friday noon of consumption. She is survived to mourn their loss by husband and two children. The burial took place vesterday at Delgado. Another death occurred at Delgado at 5 o'clock the same afternoon. The deceased is Fernie Strother, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Strother, who have the sympathy of many friends.

Trimmed millinery and felt shapes one-fourth off regular price at Polygot's this week.

To keep the department busy. The Polygot Co. are selling millinery one-fourth off.

THE CASE OF ABDUCTION.

Were Found Not Guilty and Dis-

VonGlahn of the long, tedious trial

The Mayor, in dismissing the case, said the public would probably hear of the matter again, but that from the evidence he did not find probable last night to spend a few days at his

Bellamy, Esqs., appeared for the defendants and City Attorney Bellamy after a visit to friends in the city. prosecuted the case.

N. C. COLONIAL DAMES.

Invited Through Their President to Become Guests at Charleston Exposition of South Carolina Society.

The following communication in-

Wilmington, N. C.
Dear Madam—The South Caroling name a day to be celebrated as Colo-Our Colonial Dames will receive you in their building over two hundred years old, surrounded by relics of the days which gave them their name and cause of being.

your stay notable and pleasant, Yours very truly, LEE C. HARBOY, Chairman Convocation Committee. State papers are requested to reprint the foregoing.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Highest Prices Recorded-Desperate Efforts of Bears-Situation in Hands of Producers and Owners.

[Special Star Telegram.] NEW YORK, Dec. 7. - The New

affirmation yesterday of his previous they have sold have been unsuccess stence will be wanted at prices muc

Secretary Turner Here. Mr. W. W. Turner, formerly general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association in Wilmington, arrived in the city yesterday from East Arcadia on his way home to Virginia. Mr. Turner is at present not engaged n Y. M. C. A. work, but will spe several months at home in an effort to regain his health. He will be the guest of friends in Wilmington for a few days.

Defendants in Police Court Yesterday charged -The Prosecution.

After a preliminary investigation lasting two hours in the police court, yesterday at noon, Gussie Grier and Mamie Brock, both white, were acquitted of the charge of abducting thirteen-year-old Maggie Bentley, particulars of which offence were given in these columns yesterday morning. The hearing was before Mayor Waddell. who arrived from Charleston in time to relieve Mayor pro tem.

The evidence disclosed an environment of total depravity at the Bentley home and the character of the mother from whom the child was alleged to have been abducted was shown to be of a very low standard. It was also shown that the child left home of her own free will and accord and that her own young life had already begun to conform to the example set by the parent. The child was attired in her own clothing at the trial yesterday and a complete transformation was the result. She bears all the evidences of the poverty and depravity that was shown from the evidence to encircle her home and the pity was expressed that there was not some re-

Herbert McClammy and Marsden

viting the North Carolina Society of Mrs. George Wilson Kidder, to be present at "Colonial Day" at the Charleston Exposition, is printed by Mrs. George Wilson Kidder, presi-

dent Colonial Dames, 101 S. Third St.

Hoping that your Society will attend in large numbers, and that we will have the opportunity of making

York cotton market closed the week at the highest prices recorded since the publication of the government report. This is in spite of most desperate efforts made by the bears to minimize the importance of the report and offset it by ridiculously big crop esti-mates from Mr. Neill and other aleged authorities. Mr. Neill's recrop estimate of 11,250,000, is a con-fession of desperation on the part of those who sold cotton on the strength of any such absurd figure, and they are to-night much chagrined to find that their efforts to recover the cotton It looks as if the cotton world had commenced to appreciate the extraordinary situation with which it is confronted and it is evident that even if the crop should exceed the government estimate and reach 10,000,000 bales, which seems altogether improbable, that every bale of cotton in exhigher than those now current. The situation is entirely in the hands of the producers and owners of cotton at the South. They have only to ask full prices for the cotton they hold to secure them. The world must buy, and in my opinion is going to buy very

Poultry Show in January.

Outside fanciers are fast becoming interested in Wilmington's poultry show to be given at the City Hall, Jan. 1st-4th. The committee vesterday received letters from Mr. L. F. Lucas, Lucama, N. C., who will make an exhibit of Barred Plymouth Rocks exclusively, and from Mr. J. W. L. Thompson, of Burlington, who writes that he will have a good exhibit of Buff Plymouth Rocks.

Visit The Polygot Co. for holiday

that ensued.

formatory to which she could be sent.

Society of Colonial Dames, having been invited by the Woman's Department of the South Carolina Inter-State and West Indian Exposition to nial Day at the Exposition, they have selected February 13th for that occasion. Our Board extend to the State Society of North Carolina a cordial invitation to visit our city at that time and join with us in a befitting celebration of the event. No city is richer

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wallace went to Kenansville yesterday to

spend Sunday. - Rev. P. C. Morton is conducting a series of meetings at Louisburg. N. C., and in Pitt county.

- Mr. Ernest M. Brogden left old home in Goldsboro.

- Miss Nellie Faison returned to her home at Faison, N. C., yesterday, - In the absence of the pastor,

Rev. J. W. Craig will preach at the

usual hours at Market Street M. E. church to-day. - Mr. John W. Gafford, who has been pursuing a literary course at the State University, returned home yesterday morning. His friends in the

city are glad to learn that his health is

Special Meeting of Aldermen.

much improved.

It is more than probable that Mayor Waddell will call a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen, to be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, for the purpose of taking into consideration a proposition for assisting in the work of furnishing the James Walker Memorial Hospital. The Board of Managers of the institution has made every effort, it is learned, to secure a sufficient amount of money for the work, but there still remains a small amount to be raised, which the city and county will be called upon to supply. The required number of Aldermen have signed a request to in colonial memories and buildings. Mayor Waddell to call the extra ses-

sion of the Board.

Notes of the Shipping. The Clyde steamer Geo. W. Clyde arrived in the city Friday night from Georgetown, S. C., and cleared yesterday evening for New York. The Norwegian barque Hutitu arrived yesterday from Liverpool with a cargo of salt. The British steamer Jessmore arrived yesterday from New York for a cargo of cotton from the Champion

Select your holiday goods from

Polygot Co. have their holiday goods on display.

MARRIED. WILLIAMSON — BELLAMY. On Tuesday, November 18th, 1901 a. St. James' church, by Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield, James Waiter Wil-liamson and Eliza McIlhenny Bellamy.

HARRISS—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Harlow, No. 314 Chesnut stree; last night at 8:30 o'clock, Dr WILLIAM WHITE HARRISS, in the 78th year of his age. Funeral to-morrow (Monday) morning at 1 o'clock from St. James' church, thence to

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Oakdale Cemetery. Friends and acquainta

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