IN THE STATE.

WEATHER REPORT.

U.S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 31. Temperatures: 8 A. M., 38 degrees; P. M., 39 degrees; maximum, 52 deres; minimum, 37 degrees; mean, 44

Rainfall for the day, .13; rainfall nce ist of the month to date, 1.39

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 .- For North Orolina - Rain Saturday; Sunday mobably fair; light northerly to

Port Almanac ... Pebruary 1.

th Water Wilmington. 4 03 P. M. If the Emperor of China has 300 mkt, as reported, it is no wonder poor fellow looks as frazzled out he does.

Abill has been introduced in the Intucky Legislature requiring there in that State to register. stnothing is said about requiring in to wear muzzles.

According to the millionaire centhere are 4,000 of them, scatand over this country. But some them are poor fellows, who haven't More than a million or two.

There is a variety of sweet potato pown in Louisiana which pans out 1072 bushels per acre, but there is 4 Georgia man who steps ahead of hat with a tuber which yields 1,445

Dr. Browning, of Philadelphia. the put in a claim for \$190,000 for resting the late C. L. Magee, of fittsburg, thinks he has as much ue for that money as anybody, as the dead man has no further use

It is said that Mr. Dryden, elected U.S. Senator from New Jersey, has hom boyhood found recreation in guring out mathematical conunfrims, and can solve the most difficalt problems offhand. He figured pretty well on that Senate problem,

The New Orleans Picayune, a apital paper in every respect, has entered on its 66th year. It was sarted in 1837 by two printers, one bom North Carolina, the other hom New Hampshire. They are oth dead, but the Picayune is very

The official statement of the busien of Steel Trust last years hows Profit of \$100,000,000. It has on its books contracts for 1,500,000 tons of steel rails, on thich the profit will be \$10 a ton. but Hanna says the Trust must have tariff protection.

The Senate Committee on Forest heervation has reported favorably the bill asking for an approprition of \$5,000,000 to purchase 4000,000 acres of land, in the Ap-Machian regions of North and both Carolina, Virginia and Tento establish an Appalachian prk and care for it.

8t. Louis has an Aldermanic scan-The Board passed a bill grantcertain franchises to a street all ay to run in Forest Park, where Exposition is to be held, for hich it promised to pay \$135,000, ad then when it got the franchise mean company refused to fork

For LaGrippe and In-LPECTORANT. or ale by H rdin's Palace Pharmac

THE MORNING STAR.

WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1902.

LOCAL DOTS.

- Sixty-one arrests were made by the police in January; 23 of the defendants having been white and 39

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- A store at Navassa station was robbed Wednesday night and a quantity of goods and a small amount of money stolen.

- Norwegian barque Viva cleared yesterday for Goole, Eng., with cargo of 4,708 barrels of rosin consigned by Paterson, Downing & Co.

- The annual meeting of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad Company will be held at 11 A. M. Tuesday astead of S P. M. as before stated.

- A discharge in bankruptcy for M. Greenblot, of Lumberton, N. C., was received in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court here yesterday. - The steamer Hurt arrived last

night from Fayetteville; the Hawes

will arrive this morning with a cargo of 800 bags of cotton seed meal from Fayetteville. - Washington dispatch, 30th: The House Committee on Claims today reported favorably on Congress-

man Bellamy's bill for refunding war taxes to Sol Bear." - January was a great matrimonial month for the colored population. Twenty licenses were issued during that period to colored people, while

only nine went to white persons. - The water has been pumped out of the derelict schooner Mary L. Crosby and work will now commence upon discharging her cargo of lumber so as to determine the actual damage

- The congregation of Grace church met last night to practice congregational singing for the dedication service Sunday, to be conducted by Bishop Duncan, of South Carolina. The new organ was used, Mrs. Chasten being the organist.

ed a petition Thursday from the North | without a doubt, the very best that Carolina Association of City School Superintendents in favor of the bill to give the revenue from the sale of government land to the colleges for | will be general accepted with satisfacestablishing mining departments. - The Life Insurance Company

of Virginia, the foremost industrial institution of its kind in the South. will shortly enter the field at Fayette ville. Mr. J. C. Collins, of Wilmington, will be in charge of the Fayetteville office. - The British steamship Polana,

Capt. Holttum, cleared vesterday and will sail at noon to day for Liverpool, Eug., with a cargo of 9,679 bales of cotton consigned by Messra. Alexander Sprunt & Son. She leaves only one steamer in port for a cotton cargo, the Wingrove, Capt. Watson.

- The Holt-Worth Supply Company, of Greensboro, to carry on a general mill and factory business, was chartered by the Secretary of State yesterday. The incorporators are Ernest A. Holt, Hal M. Worth, of Greensboro, and E C. Holt, of Wilmington. Total authorized capital stock \$15,000.

- President Elliott, of the Board of Managers of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, has transmitted to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen an itemized report of the conduct of the institution as prepared by Dr. Thos. R. Little, the superintendent. The data covers the period from July 23rd, when the Board took charge, until Jan. 1st, 1902.

Souvenirs of Yacht Sadie.

Mr. S. P. Cowan, owner of the yacht Sadie, which captured all the races she entered at Wrightsville last season, has presented to each member of his crew a neat little souvenir in the form of an emblem of the Carolina Yacht Club, white with red star in centre, and bearing the inscription in gold letters: "Sadie Won, 1901, July, August and September Regattas. The following composed the crew: Robt. C DeRosset, Chas. S. Grainger, Edwin A. Metts, Jno. VanB. Metts and W. D. McMillan, Jr. Mr. Cowan was, of course, in charge as captain.

Lecture at the Y. M. C. A.

Prof. John B. DeMotte, author of "The Secret of Character Building," will lecture at the Y. M. C. A. tonight as the fifth attraction in the Association course. The lecture will be illustrated and Prof. DeMotte will be assisted by Mr. Truman W. Harrington, an expert. "A Plea for Posterity or the Problem of Heredity' will be his subject. Press criticisms of the lecture by Northern and Western papers are very favorable. Doors open promptly at 8:30 o'clcck.

Prominent Anson Citizen Dead.

News reached the city y sterday of the death at his home near Wadesboro, N. C., of Mr. John J. Dunlap, s prominent real estate owner and business man of Anson county. Mr. Dunlap had finished his dinner as usual and as he was about to leave the table he became violently ill and died within an hour. Mr. Dunlap was interested in several of the most important enterprises of the county and was universally esteemed by all who knew

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

People's Savings Bank-Special. Atlantic National Bank-Dividend Wilmington Gas Light Co-A means E. Warren & Son-Chocolate crackers

SUSINESS LOCALS

B. H. J. Ahrens-For rent.

INJUNCTION MODIFIED

Hearing in the Sewerage Controversy Before Judge Timberlake Yesterday.

THE ARGUMENT WAS HEATED

Company to Give \$15,000 Bond for Restoration of Streets, But Aldermen Still Enjoined From Passage of Ordisance-A Compromise.

Special Star Telegram.

LOUISBURG, N. C., Jan. 31.—The is unction of the Sewerage Company against Mayor Waddell and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington was argued here before Judge E. W. Timberlake by Geo. L. Peschau and E. K. Bryan, Esqu., for the Sewerage Company and Junius Davis and Marsden Bellamy, Esqs., for the city. The arguments were spirited and occupied the entire afternoon.

The injunction, though modified, is continued and the resolution introduced recently by the Aldermen is still enjoined.

The Sewerage Company is required to give a fifteen thousand dollar bond before excavating further, however. It is considered a compromise judgment with the odds in favor of the sewerage people.

The above is the latest from the 'seat of war," as Judge Timberlake's court at Louisburg was humorously dubbed by those who anxiously awaitmatter yesterday.

the able counsel for the city could have done under the circumstances and it is believed that the "verdict" tion by the city, which only contended for some measure that would absolutely guarantee a restoration of the streets to the same condition as they were before the excavations were

The movement to have the Sewerage Company give a bond was inaugurated by Alderman George Harriss some time ago and he introduced segeral ordinances with this end in view. but each of them was turned down like a hot brick by other members of the board who feared that in the passage of an ordinance providing for a bond they would be "recognizing" the Sewerage Company, which "recognition" they claimed they had not hitherto conferred.

Yesterday Alderman Harriss and other members of the Board secured signatures of a large number of business men to a telegram to Judge Timberlake stating that the streets had not been restored and the city needed re- 3,507 tons. Total vessels, 23; total lief. One such telegram as to the condition of the thoroughfares is reported to have been sent by the Superintendout of Streets. An Alderman who had hitherto given a favorable impression as to the restoration of the streets, in a communication to Judge Timberlake, is also reported to have later qualified his statement by telegraphing to the city's counsel that his knowledge of the work was solely upon information and not upon personal investigation.

All these telegrams are believed to have had great weight with Judge Timberlake and were no doubt potent factors in the modification of the in-

As stated in these columns yesterday morning, upon the appearance of Messrs. Bellamy and Davis before Judge Timberlake Thursday, he imme diately notified the couusel of the Sewerage Company that its work must stop, pending an adjudication of the matter. This order was strictly complied with yesterday by the contractors and their large force of laborers was "laid off" with the exception of two or three squads which were employed in the work of restoration.

The Aldermen wore a smile of supreme satisfaction as they greeted their constituents yesterday and news from Louisburg was eagerly awaited. It is very probable that the attorneys will return to the city this evening and a special meeting of the city council seems inevitable for to-night. However, the matter may be postponed until the regular session on Monday evening when as lively a time as ten Aldermen and four lawyers can make may be expected.

In addition to the special given above, a private telegram was received last night from Messrs. Bellamy and Davis which stated: "Judge modified injunction against defendants and enjoins plaint if from excavations until t gives \$15,000 bond."

The telegram means that not another clod of earth can be turned until the bond is executed and duly approved by the Board of Audit and Finance.

Will Celebrate 7th Anniversary.

M. McKeithan.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of New Hope Presbyterian church, Brunswick county, will celebrate its seventh anniversary on the second Sunday in February. Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pestor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, will preach the anniversary sermon and other appropriate exercises will be observed. The arrangements committee consists of Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. F. A. Pridgen and Mrs.

Given Last Evening by Pupils of Miss Hamme's Classes at No. 412 Market Street-Programme.

A number of the pupils of Miss Hamme's piano classes gave a delightful recital last evening from 8 to 8:45 o'clock at her studio, No. 413 Market street. Nearly a hundred invited guests were present and all were charmed with the splendid manner in which the programme was executed. The selections were as follows:

4 Romance, (s) Rathburn, Voglin (b) Grieg, Miss Louise John. 5. Evening in Madrid, (Mandohns). Chenet, Misses French, Catlett, Pars-ley, Fishblate and Worth, accompant Miss Fentress, guitar, Miss Bailey,

Margaret John. 8. Last Hope, Gottschalk, Miss Barah Catlett. 9. Message of Love, (Mandolins) Chenet, Misses French, Catlett, and Hamme, accompanist, Miss Virginia

Bailey.

10. Two Larks, Impromptu, Lesche tizky, Miss E. Hall.

PAMOUS GREEN SWAMP LANDS

be fleard in Raleigh Monday.

A large number of Brunswick and Columbus county citizens are expected here Monday on their way to Raleigh to attend a hearing before Judge Purnell in reference to the famous Green Swamp land suit, which has been in the court for years. The suit is brought ed developments in the injunction by the New Jersey and North Carolina Land and Lumber Company While the news is somewhat disaplagainst the Gardner-Lacy Lumber pointing to the large number of citi- Company and forty four Brunswick zens who hoped for a complete disso- and Columbus real estate owners. - Congressman Bellamy present- lution of the restraining order, it is, who have sold timber to the principal

\$3,000 for the prosecution of the matthe duties imposed.

Vessels of 90 Tons and Over That Ar rived During January.

The monthly report of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, harbor master, for January shows arrivals of yessels of 90 tons and over at the port of Wilmington as follows:

American-Ten steamships, 13,448 tons; 1 barge, 1,600 tons; 11 schooners, tonnage, 18,555.

5 barques, 2,548 tons; 1 schooner, 191 tons. Total vessels, 8; total tonnage, 6,449. The grand total number of vessel

was 30, with a combined tonnage of 25,004. The report compares very favorably with that of January, 1901, and shows an increase of about 3,000

MERRY MINSTRELS ARE COMING.

Something of the Burnt Cork Artists Wit Richards and Pringle

The coming of Richards & Pringle's Famous Georgia Minstrels to the Opera House Monday night marks one of the most interesting amusement events booked here this season, so it is claimed by the management. This firm of ambitious amusement manapansionists, for each succeeding season their organization increases in size and expands in every conceivable way.

The world famous Billy Kersands James Moore, the grotesque comedian is seen in the latest darky essenceson and dance; the musical artists, Bailey & Spiller; Toledo, the juggler; Clar ence Powell, the up-to-date black jes ter; Tio Kitchie, the Japanese equilibrist; Ceoper and his wooden figures; Moore & Thomas, the side-walk jesters; Craig, the boneless wonder; and many others, closing with the uproan iously funny after piece, "The Dark-town Policy Players." Seats now on sale at Gerken's.

Pounded Their Chaptain.

much appreciated.

DELIGHTFUL PIANO RECITAL. THE POULTRY SHOW

for the Fair.

 Second Valse, Godard, Misses Alice and Bessie Fishblate, 2. Moonlight, (Reverie), Fisher, Miss Olive Quince. 3 Reverie, Wilson, Miss Louise

6. Melody in F. Rubinstein, Miss

da Evans. 7. La Scintilla, Gottschalk, Miss

Motion to Continue Restraining Order W

On Dee. 12th, last year, upon motion of Messrs. Meares & Ruark, of this city, attorneys for the plaintiff, Judge Purnell appointed Mr. A. T. Clark, of Columbus, receiver of the property in question, and also issued a restraining order preventing the cutting of timber or trespassing upon the lands involved. The question of making this order permanent will be heard Monday. The plaintiff is under bond for ter and Receiver Clark has given \$500 bond for the faithful performance of fore returning home.

HARBOR MASTER'S REPORT.

Foreign-Two steamships, 8,716 tons

same after the passage of a train.

gers, it is said, seems to be radical ex-

A large number of carpenters and joiners, of Local Union No. 899, visited Mr. Charles Kriner, their chaplain, last night with a bountiful supply of groceries, ranging from a pound of of wood to cook the same. Mr. I J. R. Davis, Jr., stated the object of the visit, to which Mr. Kriner, with much feeling, responded. Mr. Kriner is just convalescing from a severe at tack of la grippe, and, of course, s pounding from his shop mates was

The Peanut Situation in Halifax,

Roanoke News: "Halifax county rows the Spanish peanut almost exclusively and the crop last year was just about one-half of what was expected. The State farms lost nearly
their entire crop by freshets and farmers generally report that the crop was
very short. The same conditions appear to have existed in other peanut
sections. Some of the Halifax county
farmers who have heretofore planted
peanuts say they will not plant them
at all this year, while others may become encouraged by the prospects of
higher prices in the future and plant
increased acreage." just about one-half of what was ex-

Many Additional Entries of Fine Birds Were Made Yesterday

MANAGERS MET LASL NIGHT Eighty-one Fine Birds From South Carelina Will be Brought Over and Hundreds Will Come Prom This State-Arrangements.

> "The Poultry and Pet Stock show next week is going to exceed all our expectations," said a prominent member of the Executive Committee of the Wilmington Poultry and Live Stock

Association yesterday. "The exhibits are going to be numerous and of a very fine order," he continued. "Fact is, the only question with the Association now is how it is to handle everything."

An enthusiastic meeting of the fair promoters was held last night and final details for the opening next week were arranged. Secretary Armstrong reported that entries had come in the past few days at an exceedingly lively rate and indications are that the City Hall, where the fair is to be held, will be taxed to its utmost capacity.

The snow will open to the public at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and will remain open each day at convenient hours until Friday at 11 P. M. The judges will begin their work early Tuesday morning, and to this end the management is insisting promptness upon the part of every exhibitor. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged the public and something interesting in poultry and pet stock is assured. The exhibits by local fanciers promise to be exceedingly good.

Yesterday Superintendent Will Bonitz spent his time in securing evergreens for decorating the hall and today carpenters will begin constructing skeleton benches upon which to arrange the coops.

An entry of 81 fine birds was received yesterday from South Carolina and the North State exhibit will be even larger. Some fine hounds and other dogs with a number of pet rabbits of all varieties have also been entered and this department will be watched with much interest by many. Arrangements have been made to keep the show open until after the theatre performances next week and by this convenience many will take occasion to visit the hall adjoining be-

ENTERPRISING WILMINGTONIANS.

Improved Railway Gate Invented by Young Men Which Promises Well.

Messrs. George S. and Wm. D Sumlin, of this city, yesterday receiv ed from their attorneys, Mesers. Evans Wilkens & Co., of Washington, D C., letters patent for an improved railway gate, which they recently invented and which appears to be a serviceable and meritorious device. The letters patent date from Jan. 28th, 1902, and are for seventeen years.

The invention relates to railway gates adapted to serve as cattle guards and the object is to provide a pair of swinging gates adapted when closed to extend across a railway track in combination with improved mechanism so as to be operated by the flange of a car wheel, to unlock the gates and swing them open and providing means for automatically closing the

The Mesers. Sumlin have not yet decided what they will do with their invention, but it appears very certain that they have a "good thing" and will profit largely by it.

THE COTTEN-RIDDLE NUPTIALS.

Beautiful Ceremony at Grace Episcopa Church, Petersburg, Wednesday. The following special to the Rich

mond Dispatch will be read with in-

PETERSBURG, VA., Jan. 30.-Notwithstanding the marked inclemency of the weather, a large and fashion able assemblage filled Grace Episcopa church Wednesday evening at o'clock to witness the marriage of Miss Bessie Meade Riddle to Mr. Jno.

ton, N. C. The church was handsomely decorated and the vested choir, with Proessor John Moglan Bird at the organ. furnished beautiful music. Right Rev. J. B. Cheshire, Bishop of North Caro-lina, a relative of the groom, officiated, assisted by Rev. John Ridout, rector of the church. Miss Lina V. Noterius was maid of honor, and Mr. Joseph Cheshire Cotten, brother of the groom, was best man.

The following gentlemen were the ushers and groomsmen: Morton Rid-dle, William Cotten, James Heartswell, sugar to a sack of flour, and a nice E. Clifc Cohen, R. B. Davis, Henry L. Plummer, Dr. John Mann, and Dr. young ladies served as ribbon girls: Misses Ann Peabody Riddle, Mary Banks, Elizabeth Bragg and Mary Goode Stevens.

> Maffitt-Gray Wedding. Friends in the city yesterday re-

ceived the following invitation: "Mrs. Walter C. Maffitt requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Lottie Jenkins, to Mrs. Richard Wilson Gray, on Wednesday evening, February 13th, at 6:30 o'clock, 406 West Twefth street, Charlotte,

- Mr. and Mrs. James. B. Waters will leave on Monday for Maysville, N. O., where they will reside in the future, Mayaville being Mr. Waters' old home. 'All their friends regret to lose them, but success and prosperity are wished for them.

PERSUNAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. E. L. Middleton, of Cary,

N. C., is at The Orton. - Mr. J. D. McLean, of Maxton, N. C, was here yesterday.

- Mr. Geo. A. Croft returned from a business trip South yesterday

- Col. A. M. Waddell is still con-

fined to his home with an attack of neuralgia and la grippe. - Misses Katherine and Eloise Vick, of Councils Station, N. C., are

visiting friends in the city. - Messrs. D. H. Green, East Arcadia, and B. H. Dillon, Charlotte, were Orton guests yesterday.

Earle and C. W. Carter, of Fall River, Mass., are registered at The Orton, - Miss Fanny Taylor has returned home from a visit to her sister,

Mrs. C. E. Borden, Richmond, Va.

- Messrs. J. L. Potter, E. M.

- Miss Moale, of Baltimore, who has been visiting the family of Mr. G. Herbert Smith, has returned home. - Mrs. W. J. Martin, of Raleigh, has returned home, after a ten days'

sit to her parents and friends at Wil-

mington. - The STAR is requested to say there will be a tea served at the club house of the Cape Fear Golf Club this afternoon. Members of the club and guests are invited.

- Mr. Neill Emerson, of Boston, s at home on account of the serious illness of his grandmother, Mrs. Eliza C. Davis. Mrs. Davis' condition was reported more favorable yesterday.

BASKET BALL LAST NIGHT.

Young Men Defeated Business Men and

A. C. L. Forfeited to Naval Reserves. The second of the series of basket ball games in the Y. M. C. A. League was played last night to an enthusi-astic attendance. The Young Men defeated the Business Men in a score of 33 to 9 and the A. C. L. forfeited its game to the Naval Reserves by non-appearance. The score was en- was born in 1815, and the mystery of

tered on the league records 2 to 0. follows: YOUNG MEN Davis, E. Y. (capt.) guard ... Williams forward.Little (capt) Scott forward Irving Hopkins.....centre.....Smith Officials—Umpires, W. L. Latta and J. T. King; timekeeper, W. R. Dozler; referee, N. M. Wetzel; scorer.

Cutting Affray at Delgado.

Gilbert Foard.

News reached the city of a severe cutting affray at Delgado vesterday evening. Geo. Godwin, a fifteen-year old boy of the village, engaged in a difficulty with J. H. Johnson, aged 21 years and an operative in the mill there. The result of the altercation was that Johnson was slashed severely in the left breast to the ribs, and he will be laid up for some time in consequence thereof. Godwin was arrested by Constable Sheehan soon after the difficulty and was carried before Justice J. M. McGowan, who placed him under bond with his father in the sum of \$50 for a preliminary hearing Monday at 4 P. M.

NORTH CAROLINA BASEBALL LEAGUE

Cities in North Carolina Asked to Send Delegates to Raleigh Wednesday. [Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 31.-The Raleigh Athletic Association adopted resolutions this afternoon calling on North Carolina towns interested in baseball to send delegates to a meeting in Raleigh February 5th, to consider the organization of a State League. The towns expected to have representation are . Wilmington, Charlotte, Raleigh, Greensboro, Newbern, Winston, Lurham and Tarboro. A telegram from Newbern said : "Newbern is prepared to enter the State League and awaits particulars."

SOLUTION POR THE PROBLEM.

Mr. Gore Thinks the Sewerage Company

Should Give Bond and Work Go On. Editor Wilmington Star, City. Whittaker Cotten, Jr., of Wilming-DEAR SIR:-About the sewerage muddle here, I think if the Sewerage Company would give a bond for double the amount it would take to put the streets in order after the excavations are made and filled up, then the city government should let them go shead and finish their sewerage system as quick as possible. In the meantime, the city government should have an expert looking after the work carefully to see that it is done in a first class manner. I think this is all that is necessary, and if it could be done immediately, the Sewerage Company should agree to it and be satisfied and the city should be satisfied. Yours, truly, D. L. GORE.

> History of the Denominations. Rev. Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell, pas

tor of the First Baptist Church, will preach to-morrow night at 7:80 the first of a series of sermons on the history and doctrines of the great denominations. His subject Sunday night will be "The Roman Catholic Church." At the morning service his subject will be "Obedience the Proof of the Truthfulness of Truth."

Cumberland School Closed. Fayetteville Observer, 31st: "Pub-

lic school No. 8, Flea Hill district, has been closed temporarily on account of a smallpox scare. Miss Loula Crumpler is the teacher, and recently her brother died in Sampson county of smallpox, and as Miss Crumpler had visited her brother the parents of the children got frightened, and it was thought best to close the school,

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Atlantic National

FEBRUARY 1, 1902.

The directors of the Atlantic National Bank having declared the usual dividend of one per cent. for the month of January, same is now payable. Resident stockholders will please call for their checks.

ANDREW MORELAND, Cashier,

Special Attention

WHOLE NO. 10,747

Is called to the fact that deposits made with us to-day. Saturday, February 1st, will draw 4 per cent. from to-day. DO NOT DELAY in making a start. Once begin to save systematically and it will soon become a habit easy to continue and leading to permanent success. Why not open a savings account with us at once?

The People's Savings Bank,

JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President H. C. McQUEEN, President. P. W. DICK, Cashier.

NORTH CAROLINA NAVAL HERO.

Capt. Johnston Blakely, Intrepid Sea-

fighter, Spent His Childhood Here.

[Charlotte Observer, 31st | The last of the North Carolina Booklett series contains sketches of "A North Carolina Naval Hero and His Ouick Heating Daughter," by Dr. K. P. Battle. The naval hero was Capt. Johnston Blake-ly, a native of Ireland, in his childhood and youth a resident of Wilming-ton, a student of the University of North Carolina and an officer of the United States navy. As commander of the Wasp, second ship of that name, in 1814, he captured and burned in the western entrance of the British Chan-

nel the British warship Reindeer having repelled her attempt to board his vessel and then boarding her, after desperate hand-to-hand fighting. All her officers were killed or wounded and the captain's clerk surrendered the prize. Blakely afterwards captured the Avon and the Atlanta and other-Placed in Your Bath Room. mysterious fate is the sea. A daughter, Maria Udney Blakely,

her father's disappearance made the babe the centre of universal sympathy. The teams which played lined up as The North Carolina Legislature, always economical to the point of parsimony, adopted her as the ward of the State-her mother lived in New England—and annually voted \$600 for her education until 1829, when Mrs. Blakemarried a gentleman of the Danish Island of St. Croix. Maria Udney married a Danish nobleman in 1841 and died with her infant son in 1842. Both J. Fenimore Cooper and Theodore Rocsevelt accord the highest praise to Capt. Blakely as an intrepid

sea-fighter. He was only 33 years old when he met his mysterious fate.

CAPT. HOLTIUM DEPARTS. Popular Steamer Master Returns Thanks for Many Courtesies Shown. Ekitor Morning Star: Through the medium of your paper beg to express to all of my very dear riends, both in the city of Wilming-

ton and the suburbs, my sincere good

wishes and thanks for the cordiality

and good will accorded to myself

and officers during our stay in the

port, which has made the same very

leasant and is fully appreciated.

Wishing one and all the best of good wishes and prosperity of the city of Wilmington, respectfully, C. H. HOLTTUM,

Master Steamship Polana, Church Notices. Bladen Street Methodist Church: Rev. Geo. B. Webster, pastor. Service: at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. B. bbath | cuooi 3:30 P. M. Prayer service every Wednes iay a: 7:30 P. M. A cordial welcome extended to all. Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets. There will be the usual services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 4 o'clock to the afternoon. Southside Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Weester streets, Rev. R. H. Herring, pastor. Services 11 o'clock A. M. and 7 30 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting service every wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Services in St. James' Church. The Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple.

11 oly Communion and sermon 11 o'clock. Eunday School 3:45 P. M. Evening prayer b o'clock. The services at St. I all a Episcopal Church on Sunday will be as follows: Morning service and sermon at 11 A. M., Sunday School at 30 P M. Evening service and sermon at 7.30 P.M. The subject of the Rector's discourse in the morning will be "Talking with Jesus;" in the evening. 'Sanctified Zeal." It is hoped that an attractive offerbory solo may be sung at one or both services.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. John M. Wells, Ph. D., pastor, Divine services at 11 A. M., and at 7 30 P. M. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3:55 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thursdays at 8:00 P. M. The public cordially invited to all services. Pews free. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. Mc Chire, D. D., pastor. Living services at 11 A M. and 730 P. M. Sabbath School at 3.30 P. M Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 12 P. M. The public invited. Seats free. Beligious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow, (Sabbath) afternoon, at 3 o'clock by Rev. A. D. Ecolure, D. D. Beamen and rivermen are respectfully invited. All are welcome.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner Fourth and Brunswick streets. Bev. J. J. Payseur. pastor. Services to morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Bunday School at 3.30 P. M. Weekly prayer and praise meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to all services. all services.

Fifth Street Methodist Church, situated on Fifth street between Nun and Church, Rev. John H. Hall, pastor. Services on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday afternoon at 3.00 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to all. Grace M. E. Church, corner of Grace an Fourth streets. Pastor, Rev. J. N. Cole. See Vices Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8.09 p. n Sunday School, W. B. Cooper, supt., 4.30 p. n Weekly prayer meeting Wednesday at 8.00 p. n A cordial welcome to all. Visitors to the cit pecially invited. Seats free.

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