WEATHER REPORT

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I A DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 25. emperatures: 8 A. M., 56 degrees: P.M. 92 degrees; maximum, 59 deminimum, 51 degrees; mean, 55

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FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 .- For North mins: Fair Wednesdsy and Thursbrisk northwest winds on the st diminishing Thursday.

Pert Almanac---February 26

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The tax delinquents in the State New York are \$65,000,000 behind taxes. The controller has unraken the large sized job of col-

In Corea when officials are found empt they put them out of the of temptation by cutting their adsoff. This proves to be a very fective way of stopping the pecutions of the peculator.

General Weyler wants the queen ment of Spain to give him a free and to deal with the racket where in Spain. She gave him a he hand to do that thing in Cuba, m now she wishes she hadn't.

meph Jefferson celebrated his lid birthday anniversary at his finter home at Palm Beach, Fla., day last week. Joseph is one the gentlemen who has no reason he mad because he was born.

Turkey has devised a new way to Mold debts, provided they are not arge. She orders a warship hit and includes the debt in the of the ship, which the builders and over to the creditor govern-

1901 the United States printed worth of postamps, stamped envelops and cards. Uncle Sam has a mopoly in this business, but occounterfeiter gets in little work on him.

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le letters received by the crown at of Europe range from 150 to a day. The Pope remore letters daily than all the med heads combined, from 22,to 26,000. It requires thirtyacretaries to handle and answer eletters received.

tentary Long, it is reported, raign from the cabinet. He to comment to make on the ent's decision on the Schleythe old farmer who spilled his of apples driving up a hill. He

THE MORNING STAR.

WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1902.

LOCAL DOTS.

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- Christian Science service at the Masonic Temple, Room 10, this evening at 8 o'clock.

- Frank Mumford, an old offender, went to the station house last night for being drunk and down.

- Cape Fear Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., conferred the initiatory and first degree upon two candidates last night.

- Friends will regret to know that Mrs. E. P. Bailey is very ill with pneumonia. She was some better yesterday afternoon.

- Congressman Bellamy is informed by Special Agent Boushee that six new rural delivery routes have been selected in Robeson county.

- The House Committee on Libraries has ordered a favorable report on Congressman Bellamy's bill authorizing the erection of the Shipp monument on government property in Charlotte.

- Mr. Gaston D. Phares has returned from Baltimore where he purchased a new and complete line of furniture and furniture novelties. He will open his new store, Nos, 110-112 Market street, about March 1st.

- Forty-five negroes working on the Florence water works system and receiving 60 cents per ten-hour day struck for \$1.00 yesterday. The contractors say they will import negro laborers to take the strikers' places.

- Attention is called to the advertisement of F. H. Krahnke, the merchant tailor, which may be found in another column. His spring patterns are arriving and he is prepared to please the trade both in style and quality.

- A Pythian well up in the history of the order reminded a reporter yesterday that the late Gen. T. F. Toon was at one time a member of Stonewall Lodge No. 1, K. of P. of this city. Gen. Toon joined Stonewall lodge while a conductor on the W. C. & A. railroad.

- Pitcher A. B. Hopkins, of last year's Wilmington baseball team, writes Mr. Clem Wescott that he will be here March 15th to spend a few days with him. Hopkins thinks of organizing an independent team in Wilmington for the season and will be assisted in the enterprise by Mr. Wes-

- Sarah Hall and Jennie Mc-Call, colored, had a fight Monday night at Fourth and Bladen streets. Policeman W. C. Moore piloted them to the station house and their disorder cost each a \$5 fine, in default of which they went to the county convict squad

- Susan Williams was bound over to Superior Court by Justice Fowler vesterday on a charge of larceny, and in default of bond she was committed. A warrant was sworn out against the woman for trespass, but upon investigation she said she had stolen some clothing and would return it, whereupon the indictment was changed to larceny.

March Musical Pete.

Practices are now being held regube given Tuesday evening, March 4th, by the N. N. Society of Fifth Street M. E. Church, in the lecture room of the building. The programme for the event is about complete and it will embrace a galaxy of numbers that will eclipse all former efforts of the society. including as it does, vocal and instrumental selections in solo, duet and quartette. Some of the best talent in the city will be called into requisition for an execution of the programme and a rare musical treat is in store for all who attend.

in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Gray, formerly of Charlotte, now of this city, were most charmingly entertained at a dinner party in their honor by the "Y. M. C. A. Club" in the Association building on Monday evening. The dining hall was very prettily decorated and the menu consisted of the most choice delicacies. After dinner a select musical programme was rendered. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robinson chaperoned the party of young people.

Overhauling Distilleries.

Deputy Collector C. M. Babbitt, of Newbern, was here yesterday and superintended the replacing of two wood distilleries, owned by Mr. T. J. Gore down the river, with the latest improved copper stills. One of the plants is known as the "B. M. Roberts" still. The capacity is not increased by the change but the Deputy Collector is required by law to be present and make the legal transfer.

Pire From Lamp Explosion.

The explosion of a lamp at the residence of Mrs. Julia H. Harrison at 8:40 o'clock last night caused a damage by fire of \$20 to furniture and \$15 to the building, which is owned by Capt. J. C. Morrison. The department responded to an alarm from box 32 but the flames had been extinguished by the time the apparatus reached the scene a few minutes later.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Gaston D. Phares-New store. Mercer & Phares-Dissolution. H. J. Bierman & Co.-Don't miss. S. W. Sanders-Unlucky Corner. Wilmington Savings & Trust Co .-Bear in mind.

BUSINESS LOCALS. Wil. Gas Light Co.-No trouble. THE LOCAL MILITARY.

Companies Are Enthusiastic at Further Prospect of Charles-

ton Exposition Trip. WEEKLY DRILLS LAST NIGHT

Naval Reserves Will Go With North Carolina Brigade Aboard the Hornet and the Light Infantry Will Likely be in Governor's Escort.

The Wilmington military is manifesting a lively interest and a commendable enthusiasm in the proposed trip to Charleston upon the occasion of North Carolina Week at the Exposition, April 7th to 14th, inclusive.

Both the Wilmington Light Infantry, under the command of Capt. A. P. Adrian, and the Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves, in command of Lieutenants H. M. Chase and N. N. Davis, had satisfactory drills last night with comparatively full ranks. The members of both companies are delighted with the prospects of the trip and each day brings renewed assurances from headquarters that the troops will attend the Exposition.

The Light Infantry will doubtless attend with other companies as the Governor's escort. It is expected that this week the twelve companies of the State Guard which are to form the composite regiment which will be the escort of the Governor will be chosen. The plan is that each of the three colonels shall suggest the four companies of his regiment which in his opinion are the most meritorius. The idea is that the transportation of

the composite regiment will be paid. The W. L. I. is in the second regiment, commanded by Col. W. B. Rodman, of Wanhington, N. C., and has with it the regimental band. This combined with the further fact that the company is one of the best in the State Guard makes it certain that it escort. The other companies comprising the regiment are from Tarboro, Greenville, Goldsboao, Raleigh, Hertford, Washington, Clinton, Edenton, Wilson, Lumber Bridge and Maxton.

Lieut. Chase, commanding the Naval Reserves, read to the Division last night an assuring letter from Capt. W. T. Old, of Elizabeth City, commanding the N. C. Naval Brigade. There are now only a few details to be brushed saide and it will be made certain that the Wilmington sailors will take the trip on their cruiser, the Hornet, which is now being put in readiness by members of the Division. The Charleston trip will doubtless take the place of the annual cruise and the expenses will most probably be paid by the govern ment. The other divisions of the N. C. Naval Brigade will also take the cruise. There are divisions of the Brigade at Wilmington, Kinston, Elizabeth City, Newbern and Windsor. Battery A, of Charlotte will like ly take the trip from .here also aboard the Hornet.

It will be especially gratifying to have the local companies at the Exposition for "Wilmington Day," April larly for the grand March musicale to 11th, coming as it does during North Carolina Week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

Members of Mr. Geo. E. Leftwich's Class Spent a Delightful Evening.

The Sunday school class of Mi Geo. E. Leftwich, of the First Baptist Church, gave a most charming little reception last night on the fourth floor of the Atlantic National Bank building, corner of Front and Princess streets.

The entertainment began at o'clock and lasted until about 10:30 o'clock. The class consists of fifteen boys and fifteen girls, and each and every one of them was most delightfully entertained. After some time spent in pleasant social intercourse, those present enjoyed a spread of splendid refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cakes, candy and fruits.

Present besides members of the class were Dr. Blackwell, the pastor, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Leftwich and Mrs. A. S. Holden, who acted as chaperones for the merry party of young folks.

Southside Baptist Church. The pulpit committee of Southside

Baptist church held a conference at the Sunday school fund. Invitations the home of Mr. J. F. Littleton Mon- have been mailed to a large number day night and decided upon extending of young people who are looking fora call to a pastor to succeed the Rev. ward with much pleasure to an even-R. H. Herring, who resigned several ing of splendid entertainment. The months ago. For the present the affair is in general charge of Miss name of the minister to whom the call Anna Savage assisted by Misses Annie will be extended is not given for pub- Ramsey, Kate Holden and other promlication. A congregational meeting inent young people of the Sunday of the church will be held Sunday School. morning at which time it is expected that the committee's action in this regard will be ratified. A full attendance of the members of the church is requested.

Capt. Lucas in Washington.

A Washington special to the Ra leigh Post says: "Captain Lucas, the government engineering expert in North Carolina, who came here from Wilmington to appear before the House Committee on Rivers and Harbors, presented in a strong way the necessity for the Cape Fear improvements. Captain Lucas made a very favorable impression on the members, who did him the unusual honor of summoning him here after regular hearings had been closed,"

Regular Dinner from 11 A. M. to 8 P. M. at the Dixie Cafe, 117 Princess

FAREWELL TO A PYTHIAN.

Chancellor Commander of Clarendon Lodge Will Leave Saturday for Atlanta.

Exercises Last Night

Mr. J. L. Daddow, an esteemed citizen of Wilmington and a valued employe of the car shops of the Atlantic Coast Line, will leave Saturday for Atlanta, Ga., where he will take a position with the Georgia Car and Manufacturing Company. His departure from Wilmington will be a source of much regret to numerous friends here. but nowhere will the loss be more keenly felt than with his brethren of Clarendon Lodge No. 2, K. of P., of which he is the esteemed Chancellor Commander.

Last night the regular session of Clarendon Lodge resolved itself into something of a farewell meeting to Mr. Daddow, at which there were numerous expressions of regret at his intended departure. Remarks of that character were made in a formal way by Dr. W. C. Galloway and Col. Walker Taylor, while around a banquet board prepared later in Mr. Daddow's honor, there were numerous other expressions of kindly feeling for the retiring Chancellor. To all of them Mr. Daddow responded in words of warmest appreciation.

Mr. Daddow came to Wilmington three years ago from Roanoke, Va., where he was employed for 15 years by the Norfolk & Western. During that time he has gained a knowledge of his craft which fits him for the highest position. Mr. Daddow will carry with him to his new home the very est wishes of a host of friends.

During the lodge exercises of Clar endon last night the second rank was conferred upon Messrs, W. B. Thomas and W. W. S. McPhatter.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

Sailor Reported Drowned-Oneida in Port Schooner With Ties for Boston.

The Clyde Line steamship Geo. W Clyde arrived yesterday morning from New York. The Oneida, which was grounded in Winyah Bay, near Georgetown, S. C., Saturday and Sunday, also arrived yesterday and expected to proceed last night to New York.

The British schooners Benefit and Evolution arrived yesterday, light, from Havana. They are consigned to J. T. Riley & Co., and will receive cargoes of lumber. Capt. Faulkner, of the Benefit, reported the drowning, while on the voyage over, on Feb. 12th, 2 P. M., of Edward Wheaton, a sailor of Hantsport, Nova Scotia. A heavy sea was running and the wind blowing a gale at the time. Wheaton was sent up to furl the vessel's jib and in some way he lost his footing and went overboard. A boat was lowered and everything possible done to recover the body but without avail. His relatives were telegraphed from here of the young man's sad fate.

The schooner Ralph M. Haywood was cleared yesterday with a cargo of 10,460 cypress cross ties for Boston. The ties are consigned by the Hall Tie. and Lumber Co., of Richmond, Va. Mr. R. N. Floyd is the representative in this section, of the consignor.

Y. M. C. A. BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

Second Series of Contests Arranged Last Night-New in the Field.

The Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball League met last night and arranged the schedule of games for the second series of contests for the Zoeller cup. There was a good attendance at the meeting and enthusiasm ran high. All the teams were materially reinforced, and the "Big Five" team was organized to take the place of the A. C. L. organization, which retired from the league during the first series. A number of matters of detail in the arrangement of schedule were left over until today, but it is enough to know that the second series will be notable for good, fast ball playing.

The first game in the second series will be played Thursday night at the City Hall between the Business Men and Big Five teams. Admission will be 10 cents, and the public is invited.

'Stocking Party" To-night.

A unique and novel entertainment in the nature of a "stocking party" will be given to night at Immanuel Presbyterian church for the benefit of

Colored Stevedore Injured.

George Gilmore, a colored stevedore employed at the Clyde Line wharf suffered a severe bruise of the foot while working in the hold of the steamship Oneida yesterday noon. One of the heavy boards used as a cover fell through a hatch of the steamer, barely missing the negro's head and crashing down on his foot. The negro was attended by Dr. E. S. Pigford and later sent to his home.

Resigned Chief Clerkship.

Mr. W. H. Brown, chief clerk to Capt. T. D. Meares, general agent of the Seaboard Air Line Company in this city, has resigned his position after 23 years of service. He will engage in the brokerage business with der the firm name of Brown Bros.

THE BEACH SEASONS.

Transportation companies, - hotel

Preparatory Work to the Rush of Summer Visitors is Being Done.

AT THE SEASHORE HOTEL Annex Will Not be Built, But Bowling Alley, Pool and Billiard Pavilien Will be Erected - At Carolina Beach.

people and other property owners on the beaches have begun their annual preparation for the opening of Wil mington's seaside resorts, which for the season of 1902 augurs especially bright and promising Probably the most important consideration to travellers and erstwhile residents at Wrightsville beach was the recent purchase by Hugh MacRae

& Co. of a controlling interest in and the reorganization of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad Company. Many hoped for the conversion of the system into a trolley line, but with the banishment of those hopes come the assurance from the directors of the new company that the property will be overhauled and improved as much as the support will warrant, and along this line beach enthusiasts will have much to welcome.

The Seashore Hotel will be materially enhanced, in value and convenience, although the company does not just now see its way clear to make the material enlargement of its capacity that was in view some time

A meeting of the hotel company was held yesterday morning in the office of Mr. George R. French on Front street. It was decided to abandon the idea of building an annex to the southern end of the hotel, but instead of the annex will be erected a building for pool, billiards, and bowling, behind the hotel and between the railroad track and Wilmington boy now residing in Banks' channel. The building will be 130 feet long and 40 feet wide. A tenfoot piazza will extend entirely around the building and the verandas on the western end will be made suitable for a boat landing. The front part of the structure will be devoted to pool, billiards, etc., and in the rear will be a double bowling alley, all of which will contribute much to the entertainment of guests and the public. The utmost order will prevail and no drinks will be allowed in the building. It will be for both ladies and gentlemen and will cost about \$2,500. The contract will

be awarded in a few days. Manager Hinton says the hotel will open June 1st, and that the prespect is bright for a repetition of the phenomenal business of last season. Inquiries are already coming in about rates. The North Carolina Medical Society, State Association of Bankers, and several other prominent organizations will gather there for their annual meetings.

The Carolina Orchestra, of Raleigh, newer and larger than ever, has been engaged for the season.

At Carolina Beach the work of preparation has already begun. Capt. Harper, since last season, has had the steamer Wilmington made entirely new by the installation of new machinery throughout, and other improvements. The railroad from "Harper's Pier" to the beach is also being gone over and the rolling stock overhauled. There will be additional attractions at the beach to last season and a successful year's business may be safely predicted.

To Beautify Caswell Grounds. Sealed proposals in duplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received by the government until noon, March 27th, for the construction of granolithic walks at Fort Caswell, according to plans and specifications made by the United States engineer. The walks are being built to beautify and make convenient the grounds about the fort which will necessarily follow the filling in of the sea wall which is now about completed. It is said that all the grounds about Caswell will be turfed and the post made one of the prettiest along the Atlantic coast.

Grand Secretary Coming.

Grand Secretary B. H. Woodell. of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., in North Carolina, is expected to arrive in Wilmington from Raleigh and make official visitation to Cape Fear and Wilmington lodges, of this city, on next Tuesday and Thursday nights, respectively, Mr. Woodell will exemplify some of the unwritten work of the order, for which duty he is especially fitted, he having attended the is needless to say that the enthusiastic Odd Fellows of Wilmington will give the Grand Secretary a cordial welcome

Negro Woman Well Fined. Polly Mack, the negro woman ar-

rested Monday for using insolent and boisterous language to Col. Jno. L. Cantwell, who remonstrated with her about unnecessarily taking up too much room on the sidewalk, was fined \$10 and required to pay the costs, amounting to \$4.45, in the municipal court yesterday. The woman nurses for Mr. F. Bissenger and was rolling a baby carriage on the sidewalk at the time of her offence. Marsden Bellamy, Esq., and Dr. R. T. S. Steele were witnesses for the prosecution. his brother, Mr. John H. Brown, un- The woman arranged to pay the penalty imposed.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

arrived last night. - Friends of Maj. Thos. Hall McKoy will regret to to know that he is very sick.

- Mrs. T. R. Kerr, of Jacksonville, N. C., was registered at The Orton yesterday.

- Mr. Dan Hester, of Chadbourn,

- Miss Fannie Moore, who has been visiting Mrs. Bishop Pridgen, left yesterday for Raleigh.

- Col. N. A. McLean, of Lumberton, was here yesterday on his way to Whiteville to attend Columbus Superior Court. - Fayetteville Observer, 25th:

The condition of Mrs. N. E. Bunting who is now at the Marsh-Highsmith Sanitarium, is about the same." - Mr. J. J. Croswell, the popalar and enterprising Southern Express route agent, arrived via the

Carolina Central railroad yesterday. - Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Worth returned Monday from Florida. Mr. Worth attended an enthusiastic meeting of the Ice Manufacturers' Association while away.

- Capts. F. B. Rice and J. T. Borden, U. S. steamboat boiler and hull inspectors, passed through the city yesterday, returning from an effi cial trip to Newbern.

- Mr. W. D. Sumlin, the clever night clerk at the postoffice, is con fined to his home with la grippe. M Herman Meredith, of the day force s on night duty in his stead.

- Rev. N. H. Harding of Wash ngton, N. C., returned home yesterday after having spent several days here in attendance upon a committee meeting of the East Carolina Diocese.

- Miss Amelia A. Branton, an aged lady and sister of Mrs. J. M. Mc-Gowan, suffered a second stroke of paralysis Monday afternoon. Her friends will be glad to know that she was doing yery well yesterday. - Mr. S. C. Morton, a popular

Mississippi, arrived yesterday on a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. C. Morton. He is being cordially greeted by numerous friends here. - Mr. S. H. Fishblate, who recently returned from New York, brings the news that Wilmington's former townsman, Dr. J. Harry Hon-

nett, is succeeding remarkably well in

the metropolis. He has a large and

growing practice. - Mr. J. H. Rehder left last night for New York to purchase Spring and Summer goods for his Street bridge. Miss Gardner has been for several weeks.

NEGRO ACCIDENTLY KILLED

Patally Shot This Morning Near Chadbourn's Mill by an Associate. Projecting With Pistol.

Ebbie Eagleton, a colored youth, aged about 18 years and employed at the Cape Fear Lumber Company's mill, was shot and fatally wounded this morning about 1:30 o'clock at the house of Rosa Thompson, colored, near Second and Harnett streets. where a party was in progress. Jesse Windom, another negro youth, confessed the shooting, bu

said it was an accident and surrendered himself about half an hour later to Police Captain N. J. Williams, who was summoned to the house by a telephone message sent by one of the colered women in the house from the Fourth street bridge hose reel station. Windom says Eagleston was drunk and fearing he would do harm with the weapon he asked him for it. Eagleston handed the pistol to Windom handle-foremost and as the exchange was about to be made Eagleston jerked it back. and some way their fingers got on the trigger and the pistol went off, the ball taking effect in the negro's abdomen and killing him al-

most justantly. Coroner Bell was notified of the death and will hold an inquest to-day. Windom is held at the police station pending the verdict. He has nine witnesses summoned to prove the truth of his version of the affair.

SIXTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

First Battalion, Boys' Brigade of America, Will Feast Priday Night.

The First Battalion, Boys' Brigade of America, organized and commanded by Col. Walker Taylor, will celebrate the First Presbyterian church. The anniversary address will be by

the Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph. D., pastor last two sessions of the Sovereign of the First church, and in addition Grand Lodge of the United States. It here will be short speeches by others. Supper will be served by the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters. The Brigade is now in a most flourish ing condition and the anniversary celebration promises to be most auspicious. The organization now numbers 38 well drilled officers and men.

Euraged a Saloon Keeper.

Walter Silvey again came under the eye of the police Monday night but he escaped arrest. Silvey walked through the saloon of Mr. Carl Stern. No. 208 North Water street, and passed out the back door. He was evidently looking for some one in the saloon at the time, for he came to the door very soon and hurled a bottle with much fury into the crowd that was standing at the counter. Mr. Stern. the proprietor, snatched a pistol from a drawer and fired at Silvey but he escaped. Policeman B. R. King and others rushed in but Silvey had fied. TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

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DON'T MISS

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The Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, 108 Princess Street.

C. E. TAYLON, Jr., "ashter.

feb 26 tf Sewerage Bond Arrived.

The bond required of the Wilmington Sewerage Company by the terms of the recent compromise with the big Department Store near Fourth Board of Aldermen, arrived vesterday and will likely be passed upon by the away looking after millinery styles Board of Audit and Finance at a called meeting this week. The bond is given with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore, and is in the sum of \$15,000. The conditions to the bond, according to the compromise, have aiready been published in these columns.

Charleston Train Late.

The Charleston train, due here at 11:30 Monday night, did not arrive until 6 o'clock yesterday morning. The cause was that at St. Stephen's, S. C., between Charleston and Florence, one of the Coast Line's big engines pulling an extra freight train, left the track and unavoidably blocked traffic about five hours. No serious damage was done. A wrecking train

was sent out from the Florence shops.

The Rains a Blessing. Florence Times, 25th: "The recent rains have proved a blessing along the Northeastern railroad, where the famine of water for a long time gave the Coast Line a good deal of trouble, interfering seriously at times with the operation of trains. The situation is somewhat relieved and it is expected that water will shortly be plentiful. This is hoped at least. A good many of the wells have been deepened and one or two new tanks built, including one at Santee canal.

Will be Married To Night. Miss Maggie F. Howell, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Howell, No 505 Wooster street, this city, will be married to night at 8 o'clock at the residence of her parents to Mr. C. Edward Bender. The ceremony will be performed in the presence of a few invited guests by the prospective bride's pastor. Rev. Jno. H. Hall.

The Storm Down the River.

Parties, who came up the river yesterday, said that the storm Monday night was very severe near the coast. About the only damage reported was the overturning of a shed by the wind its sixth anniversay Friday night in at the plant of the Cape Fear Fisher-Abbie Chadbourn Memorial Hall at ies Company, at Old Brunswick. No damage to shipping has thus far been reported.

> Hauser Case in Supreme Court. The case of H. Hauser, held in the county jail here under sentence of ten years for having set fire to his store. will probably be decided in the Supreme Court with other Fifth district cases next Tuesday. The matter was fixed up on appeal several weeks ago,

An Approaching Marriage.

and will likely be heard this week.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage to-night of Miss Maggie H. Craig, of this city, to Mr. Wm. G. T. Keen, a popular employe of the Atlantic Coast Line. The ceremony will be performed at the residence of the bride's mother.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT. For sale by H rdin's Palace Pharmac

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thing in our line wait until you

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DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Mercer & Phares has this day been disto:ved by mutual consent, W. Mercer & Co. having purchased the one-half interest of Gaston D. Phares. All liabilities are assumed by Mercer & Co., and all claims of the late firm must be paid to Mercer & Co. This day and date, February 17th, 1962.

W. T. MERCER. GASTON D. PHARES.