IN THE STATE.

WEATHER REPORT

U.S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., March 17. 'emperatures: 8 A. M., 60 degrees; SP. M., 57 degrees; maximum, 64 de-

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, March 17.-For North Carolina: Fair, colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair; fresh north winds.

Port Almanae-March 18.

Sun Rises	6.08 A. M
Sun Sets	6.10 P. M
Day's Length	12 H. 2 M
High Water at Southport	2.50 A. M
High Water Wilmington	5.20 P. M

The Republican statesmen in Washington are having a sweet time with the sugar kickers.

A negro girl arrested in Baltimore for stealing bread was asked why she stole the bread and frankly confessed that it was because she didn't see any pie laying around loose.

The Smithfield Herald, one of our best weekly exchanges, entered its twenty-first year last week, and we are pleased to learn from it, with bright prospects for the future.

A small flock of sheep take part in a play now on the boards in the North. It is said that the sheep play their part better than some of the two-legged performers.

Beaumont oil is forging along as fuel. A tank steamer has been put on between Port Arthur and Philadelphia, and the Standard Oil Company runs tank steamers from Port Arthur to New York.

It was an Indiana Grand Army man who was sued by a woman for \$15,000 for surreptitiously helping himself to three of her kisses. She evidently looked upon it as grand

They are catching lake fish in the Mississippi now, which some through the canal connecting lake Michigan with the river. The pioneer adventurers were herring about eight inches in length.

An intoxicated darkey butted into a Washington street car a few days ago. The car excaped with a dent in the dash board, which looked as if it might have been struck by a spent cannon ball.

A Cherokee man who moved from Cherokee, in this State, to Missouri, Writes his friends that Missouri is a pretty good State, but he cannot become thoroughly reconciled to it Branch. ecause he has not been able to run up with "good old corn bread and Notice to Mariners. buttermilk."

A Maryland man died the other day at the age of 105 years. He attributed his longevity to the fact that for the past fifty years he had consumed on an average a quart of whiskey and a pound of tobacco every week. Preserved in alcohol, as it were.

Booker Washington says it isn't the educated negroes who commit the crimes which reflect so much on the race, but the ignorant and shiftless class. This is true, but you couldn't drive education through the skulls of that class with a pile

THE MORNING

VOL. LXIX.--NO. 149. WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1902.

AT FAYETTEVILLE.

Annual Convention North Carolina State Sunday School Association To-night.

THE WILMINGTON DELEGATION

The Exercises Will be Opened by Dr. Blackwell of This City-The Programme, Entertainment. Etc.—The Officers.

Wilmington will send a large delegation to the annual convention of the North Carolina State Sunday School Association, which convenes in the Presbyterian church at Fayetteville this evening and continues throughout Thursday, evening. The Association, as is probably well known, is composed of all the Sunday schools in the State of every denomination. The officers of the Association are as fol-

Prof. Geo. H. Crowell, of High Point, president; Prof. S. M. Smith. Elon College, general secretary; H. N. Snow, Durham, statistical secretary . H. Weathers, Raleigh, treasurer.

ville, Tenn.; Charles Ross, Chapel Hill; Hon. B. R. Lacy, Baleigh; T. P. Johnson, Salisbury; S. G. Neville, Charlotte; J. H. Tucker, Asheville;

Vice Presidents-First District, Rev. J.Y. Old, Elizabeth City; Second, Rev. grees; minimum, 57 degrees; mean, 60 W. C. Whitaker, Enfield; Third. Dr. J. L. Nicholson, Richlands; Fourth, Rainfall for the day, .03; rainfall Dr. C. C. Hubbard, Worthville; Fifth. ince 1st of the month to date, 2.25 Rev. J. D. Andrew, Burlington; Sixth. W. B. Harker, Maxton; Seventh, M. B. Stickley, Concord: Eighth, Rev. W.

> gates will follow and Mr. Marion Lawrence, of Toledo, Ohio, will address the convention on "The Demands of the New Century upon the Sunday School." After the announcement of had until Wednesday morning.

will be the leading Sunday school workers of the State. Mr. Marion Lawrence, of Toledo, Ohio, will be present and will have a place on the programme every day. Mr. Lawrence is possibly the leading Sunday school worker in America to-day. The railroads of the State have given reduced rates and the town of Fayetteville free entertainment to all delegates. Mr. R. A. Southerland is chairman of the entertainment committee.

FUNERAL OF JNO. L. BARNES.

Although the weather was most unchoir, composed of Miss Carrie S. White, Mrs. Jas. D. Smith, Mr. W. L. Williford and Mr. W. H. Alderman. The floral tributes were un-

Morris, Roger Moore, Walter Daggett, Will Taylor, Ed. Taylor and James Sinclair.

burn, Jno. W. Hewett and Jordan

Tuesday evening.

Notice is given by Commander W. L. Field, inspector 6th Lighthouse District, that on March 18th Bald Head shoal buoy, black, No. 5, 2nd class can, went adrift. This buoy will be replaced as soon as practicable.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice-In bankruptcy. Raiford & Smith-New saloon. E. Warren & Son-Easter eggs. Sam'l Bear, Sr. - For sale or rent, Independent Ice Co.-Begin at once,

BUSINESS LOCALS. Standard Co. - Wanted. Cash Paid-For old U. S. stamps.

Music and Souvenirs at Polvogt's

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. W. R. Bonsal, of Hamlet, was here yesterday. - Mr. J. F. Woodward, of War-

saw, is at The Orton. -J. B. Brinkley, of Wananish, N. C., is at The Orton.

- Mr. I. S. Call. of Wilkesboro, s registered at The Orton. - Mrs. Jno. F. Divine left yesterday to visit at Petersburg, Va. - Lieut. Garrison Ball, of Fort

Caswell, came up to the city yester-- Friends will regret to know that Capt. Sam Carmon continues very ill.

- Mr. W. B. Muse left vesterday to take a course in the Massey Business College, Richmond, Va. - Geo. Rountree, Esq., went to

Raleigh vesterday to argue before the

Supreme Court the case of Moore vs. Navassa Guano Company. - Miss Janie Redd Burgess, of St. Vincent's Hospital, Norfolk, Va., who came here to nurse Mr. Jno. L. Barnes during his recent fatal illness,

returned home yesterday. - Mr. Charles E. Taylor. Jr. the agent, is distributing to his friends handsome art calendars advertising the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States-"Strongest In

The World." - Among the delegates who will eave this morning to attend the S. S. convention at Fayetteville are Dr. Blackwell, Miss P. Britt, Mr. P. Heinsberger, Mr. W. H. Sprunt, Mr. W. B. Cooper and Mr. W. M. Cumming. They will be accompanied by Mr. Marion Lawrence, who spoke last night at the First Baptist church.

JOSEPH MURPHY IN "KERRY GOW.

Theatre Attraction Last Night Deserved

Larger Patronage Than It Received. favored with a larger audience at the school. How to hold the big boys in theatre last evening to enjoy his inmitable production of the rollicking, good-natured, Irish comedy, "Kerry Gow," which came to the city improved for its age and redolent of Old Ireland, "her humor and her pathos, her wit and her belligerency, her trials and her endurance, her suffering and her courage."

Mr. Murphy was every whit himself and the company with which he has surrounded himself makes well nigh an all-star caste.

Opening Baseball Game,

The opening baseball game of the season was played yesterday afternoon at Eleventh and Red Cross streets by junior teams styling themselves 'Fourth Street Sluggers" and "Spring Chickens." The last named team was victorious in a score of 17 to 7. Britt. Wade and Davis composed the battery for the "Fourth Streeters," while Morris, Banks and Bowser did the same honors for the victors. The pitching by Morris, Banks and Wade and the catching by Bowser is said to have been very good, while Davis was credited with many errors.

East Wilmington Running Race.

A large crowd of spectators witnessed an exciting running match at Mills & McClellan's race track in East Wilmington yesterday afternoon between Mr. Robert Stokeley's horse "Dick." ridden by Mr. Gordon Grant, and Mr. Walter Taylor's horse "Charlie," ridden by the owner. "Dick" was successful in the race; time not given. Both horses are from Wrightsville and afforded a splendid contest. Other races are scheduled for the coming

Was it inadvertence?

The STAR endorses the following from the Raleigh Post. It is hoped some satisfactory explanation can be

"In selecting the companies of the State Guard to act as guard to Gov. Aycock and accompany him to the Charleston Exposition the oldest and most distinguished company in the State was overlooked, inadvertently we are sure. We refer of course to the Independent Light Infantry of Fayette-ville, an organization which has maintained itself in the service of and in superb loyalty to the State for more than a century. We confess we sym-pathize with the "Old Guard" in their disappointment.

Rural Delivery Routes.

Washington special to News and Observer: "Representative Thomas has the premise of the department that the rule as to rural free delivery routes only starting from railroad points, will be relaxed as to Trenton, Jones coun-ty, and probably Richlands, Onslow county. He was also promised an inspector at an early day to inspect the routes from Faison and other points in Duplin county and Newbern and other

Excursion to Bald Head.

About 200 persons went on the steamer Wilmington's excursion Sunday to Bald Head. Although the weather was very rough here, those on the steamer say that it was pleasant weather for most of the trip. At Bald Head many of the excursionists went over the tramway a distance of three miles on a vehicle drawn by mules. The experience was both novel and pleas-

Brunswick Superior Court.

Brunswick Superior Court convened yesterday morning. Judge Robinson, Solicitor Lyon and a number of attorneys went down on the steamer Wilmington yesterday morning. There are 87 cases on the civil docket and 34 on the criminal.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS VOTE OF THANKS TO

a Large Audience.

AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Questions Proposed and Answered-flis Work,

A large and deeply interested audi ence assembled at the First Baptist church last night to hear and receive from Mr. Marion Lawrence, of Toledo, Ohio, General Secretary of the International Convention, who arrived in the city yesterday morning from Raleigh upon invitation of the Ministers'

Secretary of the International Convention since July, 1899. For ten years prior to that time, he was General Secretary of the Ohio Sunday School Association. He has been Superintendent of the Washington Street Sunday School, Toledo, for the past twenty-four years and is recognized as the foremost Sunday School worker in America to-day. His address last night was listened to with much pleasure and profit.

Mr. Lawrance said in substance that the Sunday school idea is to put God's words into the heart of a living spiritfilled teacher. Last Sunday's lesson illustrated it-where Philip, the hot hearted teacher, met the Ethiopian and led him to Christ. A whole-souled teacher should be spelled, sometimes, whole "soled"-who will go out and walk after the pupils. Save a child of six is better than to Save a child of six is better than to valuable work, and to express its save a man of sixty. The childhood is thanks therefor." the battleground of the Kingdom. The school is not for children only, but for the whole community to study the 'Twas a pity that Mr. Joseph Murphy Bible. We have only one church Sanday Moraleg Blaze Caused a \$9,000 and his splendid company were not member out of five in the Sunday the school? Build a wall of fathers between them and the door. This is the

> -it's a force. Nearly all of our theo-Sunday school chair that young Mr. R. H. Strickland, which was in preachers may learn what a Sunday school is, and how to use it as a force. First. The social power of the Sunday school. Twenty-six million people are now in schools, and the only club-like life that they will ever enjoy. The social life of the school is limitless. Develop it. The Sunday school is for everybody. The nations of the earth come together on the Sunday school pistform, as on no other pistform. On Easter of 1904 the world's Sunday school convention will be held in Je-

The Sunday school is not only a field

sixth sense-common sense.

Second. The Sunday school is than in the soldier's camp.

power education. The Sunday school is the mother of all the day schools. The best mind and heart of the country is teaching in the Sunday school and there are one million and a quarter of these teachers at work. Many of these are day school teachers. The lesson helps have the brightest things from the brainest people in this land. Fourth. The Sunday school is the power spiritually. The day school is a school of instruction; the Sunday school a school of impression. Eightythree per cent. of those who join the churches come out of the Sunday school. The best missionary in a \$7.45. Ivanhoe \$4.70, Jacksonville home is the child that goes home to \$5,85, Jonesboro \$4.25, Kinston \$7.45,

and sings the Sunday school songs, and prays the Sunday school prayers. The child is the most popular thing in universe. Jesus put the little child in their midst, and it is there yet. After the lecture a "round table

series of questions was conducted Generally it is better to ask questions. should be reviewed. How keep order? Keep the class busy.

were unique and satisfactory, showing himself a master of vast experience. At the regular weekly ministers' Y. M. C. A., Mr. Lawrance gave some practical suggestions concerning the taking of a Sunday school census, a the pastors for several weeks. He gave definitely ascertain the number of go across the line into North Carolina. children in the city who attend the In South Carolina the division is not Sunday schools and the number who do not.

Mr. Lawrance is the guest of Rev. M. Wells, Ph. D., while in the city and will leave this morning with the Wilmington delegation to attend the convention at Fayetteville.

Fish flouse Broken late.

During Saturday night the fish pack ing warehouse of Ed. Taylor & Co. on the wharf, was broken into by unknown parties and 21 roe shad were stolen. The shad were packed in ice pment and the loss is between

HONOR ST. PATRICK. JUDGE WALTER CLARK

Appreciation of His Work in Preparing Regimental filstories - Cape Pear Camp of Veterons.

The regular monthly meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 264, U. C. V., was held at the W. L. I. armory last night, Commander Metts presiding and Adjutant Henry Savage at his post. The report of the Treasurer was read

and approved. The committee made report that it had approved the applications of Comrades W. D. McMillan, E. H. Moore and Geo. Merritt and the same were

accepted by the camp. The application of Wm. A. Moore was read and referred to the memberahip committee Circular letters . Nos. 150, 151 and

152 were read and ordered on file. On motion of Comrade W. L De-Rosset, the commander was requested to appoint delegates and alternates to the Dallas re-union and also the sponsor for the camp.

On motion of Comrade Oldham the action of the camp in the matter of Comrade W. L. Harlow was considered and on motion the matter

was laid on the table. Comrade A. M. Waddell offered the following, which was unanimously adopted:

"WHEREAS, Hon. Walter Clark, a gallant soldier of the Confederacy, has with very great labor and conscien-tious care, and without asking or receiving any pecuniary reward, pre-pared and had published in five volumes a complete history of the North Carolina regiments in the Con-federate service,

"Resolved, That the thanks of all true North Carolinians are due to Judge Clark, and Cape Fear Camp No. 254 desires to place on record its appreciation of his distinguished and

FIRE IN MAXTON, N. C.

A special from Maxton says that at to an alarm it was found that the store of Mr. J. M. Burke was enveloped in flames. Scarcely before the crowd arlogical seminaries are now putting in a rived the flames leaped to the store of close proximity, and soon the two houses, being wood structures, were in ashes.

For a time there was considerable fear that Messrs. Currie & Patterson's store, the bank, McNutt's drug store and the sale and feed stables of A. J McKinnon would be destroyed, but by the heroic work of Maxton's improvised fire department these buildings

insurance in the following companies: Pennsylvania, \$1,500; Pledmont, of Charlotte, \$1,250; Firemen's Fund, \$1, 000; Aetna, \$1,000; Virginia Fire and Marine, \$250. Mr. T. B. Peace's loss is \$800, with \$300 insurance in the Commercial Union, Mr. Strickland's loss is \$600 on stock; no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to have started either

Charleston Exposition Rates.

On account of North Carolina Week \$5.15, Fair Bluff \$3.05, Greenville Pembroke \$3.10, Rocky Mount \$5.50, Rowland \$3.05, Red Springs (via Fayetteville) \$8.75, (via Bennettsville) \$3.40, Scotts Hill \$4.95, Sanford \$4.40. Tarboro \$5.90, Whiteville and Wadesboro \$3.40. Tickets to be sold April 6th, 7th and 8th, final limit ten days from date of sale.

No News from Grounded Steamer. Steamboat men here yesterday were unable to get particulars regarding the unknown steamer ashore on Cape Lookout shoals, near Beaufort, N. C. The telephone line between the Cape Lookout light house and Beaufort went down Sunday and no advices have reached here beyond the fact that the Compton and Jones have arrived on the scene, but on account of the heavy seas are unable to go alongside. Definite news is expected today.

On the Charleston Train,

necessary, the three cents per mile rate prevailing and separate cars hauled for whites and blacks. The division is effected by handsome portieres suspended from an iron rod. The Charleston-Wilmington local passenger has just been fitted with the portieres, which make a great improvement too, in the appearance of the ent, too, in the appearance of the

More Pine Asparagus.

Sons of the Emerald Isle Paid Homage Yesterday to Their Patron Saint.

THE DAY IN WILMINGTON.

Celebration of High Mass and Augual Sermon at St. Thomas' Pro-Cathedral. Meeting of Hibernian Soclety-Easter Ball.

every true Irishman in Wilmington yesterday in a style befitting the great. est day in the Irish calendar. The shamrock was everywhere in evidence and the lines of "Wearing The Green" was upon the lips of every loyal son and daughter of the Emerald Isle. The first event on the day's pro-

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated by

gramme was the celebration of High Mass at St. Thomas' Pro-Cathedral by Revs. Father Dennen and Marion at 9:30 o'c'ock in the morning. The service was attended by a very large congregationt, including members of the Hibernian Benevolent Society, who gathered by order of their president at the Hall on Third street and marched in a body to the church. The procession was headed by Capt. Robert Green, chief marshal, and there was a goodly number in the procession. After mass, the annual sermon was delivered in most happy style by Rev.

Father-Marion. It was enjoyed much

by all present.

In order that members of the society would have an opportunity of seeing Mr. Joseph Murphy, the celebrated Irish actor, at the theatre last night, the annual meeting of the society was held in the afternoon. Mr. Thos. Quinlivan, although he said he preferred the honor would go to some one else, was unanimously re-elected prescounty Senator Currie procured the passage in the last Legislature of a no fence act. The fence has twice been destroyed, and unless it can be kept up the no fence law in Bladen comes ident; Mr. Wm. Flanagan, vice-president; Mr. F. P. Donlan, secretary; Mr. Dan Carroll, assistant secretary, Mr. Dan Quinlivan, treasurer, and Mr. Thos. Murrin, color bearer. Capt. Robert Green was chosen chairman of the sick committee; Mr. Dan. Quinivan, chairman of the finance committee, and Mr. Timothy Donlan, chairman of the executive committee.

The annual address was delivered by Mr. John Dyer in his characteristic, able and fluent style.

Arrangements were set on foot for the annual grand Easter ball on Easter Monday night. The following general committee of arrangements was named : Messrs. M. O'Brien, Timothy Donlan, Thos. Torpy, Thos. Quinlivan, Maj. D. O'Connor and Capt. Jno Barry. The committee will appoint sub-committees and make every arrangement to give one of the grandest Easter events in the history of the society.

EXCITEMENT IN BEAUFORT.

Negro Who Poisoned Dr. D. T. Tayloe and Pamily, of Washington, in Danger of Lynching.

[Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., March 17 .- Gov

ernor Aycock and the Adjutant General, of the State Guard, received telegrams to-night from the Sheriff of Beaufort county asking that the Washington (N. C.) Light Infantry be called out to prevent the lynching of Jim Walker; colored, who was arrested there to-day on the charge of poisoning Dr. D. T. Tayloe, wife and four children. The town has been in a state of excitement all day. A small box of arsenic was found on the negro's person. He had been employed by Dr. Tayloe as coachman, and was discharged. He admits putting a teaspoonful of arsenic in the food, but says he wanted to poison the

The Light Infantry has been ordered subject to the sheriff's orders with instructions to prevent the lynching at all hazards.

LOCAL DOTS.

- It is announced that Mr. C. E. Collins, of this city, and Mrs. L. B. Pridgen, of Armour, will be married to morrow at the home of Mr. Collins' brother, Mr. J. W. Collins, at the latter place.

- The two menhaden fish factories down the river are preparing for the opening of the season here about April 1st. The Cape Fear Company will operate three and the Atlantic Company two steamers. - Ed. Bryan, colored, an ex

Eastern District of North Carolina, county of New Hanover Sa.: On this 15th day of March, A.D. 1989, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 31st day of March, A.D. 1999, before Samuel H. MacBae, Referee of said Court, at Fayetteville, N.C., in said district, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon; and that notice thereof be published in The Morning Star, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors, and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the Court that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, as stated. Witness, the Honorable Thomas E. Purnell, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1902.

By WM. H. SHAW, Deputy Clerk. deputy sheriff, was tried by Justice Fowler yesterday for an assault upon his wife. He was also held in the sum of \$25 to appear in Justice Fowler's court Friday and answer the charge of -At a meeting of the Governing for providing for first and second-class Board of the Carolina Yacht Club yesterday it was decided to build two new

dressing rooms at the club house on

Wrightsville and to make other im-

provements. The new dressing rooms

will be on the site of the old ones which will be torn away. - Subscribers who receive bills for subscriptions due the STAR are reminded that it is not fair to expect a publisher to supply them with news for nothing. Many, however, seem to think otherwise. As soon as a bill is received a prompt remittance should

- Rev. Walter L. Lingle was ished the "agricultural editor" with a called unanimously, to the pastorate very fine specimen of asparagus, of the First Presbyterian church, of which is excelled by none seen this Rock Hill, S. C., Sunday to succeed eason. It is of the "Palmetto" vari- Bev. Dr. Alexander Sprunt. This is ety and was raised by Mr. Shepard on the second time the congregation has his splendid farm, eight miles from extended Mr. Lingle such a call; and Wilmington, in Harnett township. | it is thought he will accept.

PENDING THE ARRIVAL OF OUR NEW WAGONS, SHIPPED TWO WEEKS AGO, WE WILL

Begin at once the delivery of Ice IN CARTS AND SPRING WAGONS.

All orders will receive prompt attention.

BELL 'PHONE 68. mar 18 tf

TROUBLE OVER LINE FENCE.

Governor Offers Reward for Supposed

Incendiaries in Bladen County.

[Raleigh News and Observer.]

"Senator George Currie, of Bladen

county, came up yesterday morning

to see the Governor in regard to the

burning of the stock law fence be-tween Bladen and Columbus coun-

ties. As a result the Governor has

issued a proclamation offering \$200

reward for the apprehension of the person who burned the fence between

"It seems that in Columbus the fence law prevails. Hence it was nec-

essary to build a fence between that county and Bladen, for which latter

to naught, for stock can be run at

large in Columbus. Some weeks ago

the county commissioners of Blade

went to the expense of rebuilding the

fence, but last week it was burned

down for a distance of eight miles.

The fence cost the county \$135 a

DIRD.

Funeral at 4.30 o'clock this (l'uesday) after

noon from residence. Interment in East Wil-nington. Friends and acquaintances invited

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- Schooner Annie Ainslie, Capt. Strout, arrived yesterday from Carteret, N. J., with cargo of fertilizer, If you miss Polvogt's Opening this week you will miss a treat. Will soon be in full swing,

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT

IMPLEMENTS. For sale by H. rdin's Paince Pharmacy Which we are selling at prices SOUTHERLAND—Mrs. SUSAN L. SOUTHER-LAND, rejict of the late Newkirk Southerland, at her home in Wallace on the 17th, in her 82nd that must attract the atten-

> Hardware, Tinware, Cutlery, Guns. Ammunition, &c.,

> > we have not space to go into de-

make personal examination.

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United States District Court in and for said District. Fourth Division. In the matter of W. T. Dupres, bankrupt. No. 75 In bankruptcy. Petition for discharge. To the Honorable Thomas E. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. W. T. Dupree, of Dunn, in the county of Harnett, and State of North Carolina, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 7th day of February last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the Court teuching his bankruptcy. Wherefore, he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are exempted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 18th day of Earch, A. D. 1902.

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Geo. Hackney, Wilson; Rev. C. S. Blackwell, D. D., Wilmington; R. A. Southerland, Fayetteville; J. W. Bryan, Goldsboro; Rev. A. D. Thaeler, Bethlehem, Pa.; T. B. Parker, Hills boro.

M. Curtis. The exercises will open at 7:30 P. M. with devotional sesvice by Dr. Blackwell, of Wilmington, who will have for his subject "The Sacred Canon," and a song service led by Rev. Eli Reece, of New York, assisted by Miss Bessie Gaster. The address of welcome will be by Rev. Jno. A. Oates: response by Dr. W. G. Bradshaw, of High Point. The enrollment of dele-

committees adjournment will be The speakers during the convention

Remains Laid to Rest in Bellevne Sunday Afternoon -The Services

favorable, there was a large attendance at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock upon the funeral services over the remains of the late Jno. L. Barnes, which were conducted in an impressive manner by Dr. Blackwell, the pastor. The funeral hymns were "There Are Green Hills Far Away," "Good Night" and "Asleep in Jesus, and they were beautifully sung by a select

usually large in number and very The interment was in Bellevue cem etery, and the following acted as pall bearers: Honorary, Dr. W. J. Love and Mr. L. Stein; active, Messrs. Oscar

Remains of Mrs Sarah Rhew.

The remains of the late Mrs. Sarah E. Rhew were carried to Edgecombe on the W. & N. train yesterday. The funeral was conducted there yesterday afternoon. The pall bearers to the station were: Dr. Wright Hall, Messrs, John Walton. Joe Everette, M. Marsh-

Mr. Marion Lawrance, International Secretary, Delighted

Suggestions as to Methods and Means.

aspiration for Sunday school work Union, of Wilmington. Mr. Lawrance has been General

rusalem. power civil: It makes good citizenship. The Sunday school is the best police force in the State of North Carolina. You can guard the interest of the State better in the Sunday school Third. The Sunday school is the

Sunday school. Hundreds of the conversions of the hardest men are wrought by the child that goes home

Question. "Is it better to ask questions than to lecture to the class?" Answer. Should the superintendent review the lesson at close? Not all the truth

More than twenty questions were fired at Mr. Lawrance and his answers conference yesterday morning at the question which has been considered by the cue, so to speak, by which they can

1 o'clock Sunday morning in response

Mr. Burke's loss is \$8,000, with \$5,000

from the explosion of a lamp or a defective flue.

at the Exposition the Coast Line has announced round-trip fare to Charleston from the following places at the rates given: Wilmington \$4 25, Goldsboro \$5.15, Newbern \$6.80, Fayetteville \$3.75, Burgaw 5.10, Olinton \$5.35, Chadbourn \$3.20, Dunn \$4.25, Elrod \$3.05, Faison, Willard, Wallace, War. saw, Wilson, Teacheys, Mount Olive, Pikeville, Rose Hill and Fremont

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