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WILMINGTON TOWING AND

CONSTRUCTION COMPANY.

Very Promising Enterprise.

The Wilmington Towing and Con-

struction Company, organized this

week in Wilmington, has purchased

from Capt. Charles Wessell his exten-

sive river interests and will improve

The new company is composed as

follows: S. P. Adams, president;

Warren G. Elliott, Jr., vice president

and secretary; W. B. Thorpe, treas-

urer, and F. A. Applegate, general

The equipment purchased of Capt.

Wessell consists of the tugs Imperial

and Emma, 20 river flats, three large

barges, a pile drive and hoister and a

small marine railway. To this equip-

ment the new company will add from

time to time as the business demands.

The same offices and wharves at cor-

ner of Ann and Water streets will be

used, and the company will carry on

towing and construction work of all

kinds, such as building wharves,

houses, tanks, bins, etc., of every de-

scription. Mr. F. A. Applegate is

an architect and builder of much ex-

perience and is thoroughly equipped

for the duties of general manager. The

company has ample capitalization and

will spare no effort in placing all its

Capt. Wessell, since the recen

death of his wife, had decided to retire

from active work and will leave this

month for a trip to California. Re-

turning to Wilmington, he will leave

for his old home in Germany to pass

THESE YET WEAR THE GRAY.

Fourth Annual Convention of the N.

Letter Carriers' Association To-day.

the North Carolina Letter Carriers'

Association will be called to order in

his morning. A pleasant and profits

ble session is assured. The local car-

riers have completed all arrangements

for the entertainment of the visitors

Some delegates arrived yesterday

morning from Asheville and Win-

ston-Salem and others came last even-

ing from Greensboro, Durham, Ra-

leigh, Goldsboro and Newbern, After

the business session this morning, the

visitors will be taken to Wrightsville

for an oyster roast and other festivi-

LOCAL DOTS.

-- Baseball, 10 A. M. to-day.

festivities begin.

G. G. Lynch, promoted.

as referee in bankruptcy.

- There will be plenty of time to

remain for the first ball game at the

park and reach the beaches before the

of Mr. S. P. Collier, of Wilmington,

- Partrick Bros. will run their

next excursion from Clinton to Wil-

mington on July 29th, stopping at all

- Did you read the Simmons in-

terview printed in the STAR of yester-

day! Looks like we may have another

good season for a crop of "Red Shirts."

brought down a Fourth of July excur-

sion from Fayetteville and other points

on the river yesterday. There were

about 50 people in the party. The

- The schooner John I. Snow

and Albert T. Stearns arrived yester-

day, the former from Baltimore and

the latter from New York, the first

with fertilizer for interior shipment

- Isaac Baker, colored, started

- The movement of Georgia

Western markets is now at its height.

The Atlantic Coast Line alone, which

- Whiteville News: "The ap-

pearance of Capt. V. V. Richardson on

the streets Tuesday afternoon for the

first time in two months after his acci-

dent was a very pleasant event to his many friends. We hail with delight

Seashore Hotel. He is the well known

Principal of Horner Military School

and will be glad to meet any one who

wishes to consult him in regard to that

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. O'Connor-Cottage for rent.

Seacoast Road-Schedule to-day.

Worth Co.-Cotton ties and bagging

N. F. Parker-A two-pointed pointer.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

- Mr. John C. Davis, of Rock-

ingham, is visiting his brothers, Mesers.

popular educational institution.

Horner Military School.

Lost-Silver watch.

about 150 cars.

boat will return this evening.

- The steamer Highlander

points from Clinton to Burgaw.

and will give them a royal welcome.

The fourth annual convention of

machinery in first class order.

the remainder of his years.

and extend the service.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILEINGTON, N. O., July 3. Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M .:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 89 derees; minimum, 74 degrees; mean, 82

Rainfall for day, .00; rainfall since Pythian Castle Hall, on Front street, st of month to date, .00 inches. Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., 3.2 feet. COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Temperatures were somewhat lower yesterday in the Wilmington and Charleston districts. Showers have falled in Georgia and local rain in Southern Louisiana.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, July 3 - For North Carolina Showers and copler Friday; Saturday fair; light to frosh west

Port Almanac ... July 4. ---

dan Seta 7.20 P. M. Day's Length 14 H. 51 M. Esh Water at South :- : 7.01 P. M. high Water Wilming ... 9 31 P. M.

A negro died in Philadelphia s few days ago who was born in 1786. He wasn't sick, but just got tired staying in Philadelphia, and laid down and died.

A cable despatch says our J. Pierput Morgan is largely interested in a scheme to bore for oil within a few miles of London. This looks as if John was going right into old

Atlanta claims to be the "best governed city in the United States" and that the people get more for their money, in proportion to the taxes they pay, than the people of any other city in the country.

After all the abuse of the English sparrow as an intolerable nuisance, he has jumped on the locusts in the Washington parks, and is getting fat and saucy on his fare. This entitles the sparrow to fair play.

and the last named light for a lumber In celebrating this great annicargo. tersary we can take a pretty broad sweep on this side, but in our new his Fourth of July celebration early acquisitions it would be highly proper to eliminate all references yesterday afternoon. Policeman D. D. to the "immortal" Declaration of Independence.

There are two Americans in London who are not as much disappointed as Whitelaw Reid was at the failare of the coronation business to materialize, but they are glum over the \$45,000 they are said to have been buncoed out of by a gang of fakirs.

Gen. Wood has rented a house alongside of the house used for a temporary White House, while the old shack is being overhauled and his recovery and hope to see him soon added to. Being neighbors, he and regain his strength. Roosevelt can swap talk across the - Mr. J. C. Horner, with his t hunting each other up

A Washington reporter says that when President Roosevelt swings around on his Western tour there vill be no hand-shaking. Sensible, that. There is no reason why pubhe men should be compelled to go through that trying and foolish or-

The recent 10 per cent. increase in the wages of the 100,000 workmen of the U.S. Steel Trust will increase the pay roll \$4,000,000 a Jear. But a company which reports a net profit of \$37,000,000 for the Past quarter ought to be able to stand that.

THE MORNING STAR.

. WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1902.

INDEPENDENCE

Organized This Week and River Interests Celebration at the Beaches, at of Capt. Charles Wessell Purchased. Southport and in the Surrounding Country.

GLORIOUS FOURTH OF JULY

Annual Regatta by Carolina Yacht Club Public Observance and Oration in "City by the Sea"-Baseball Games at Hilton Park.

The STAR on yesterday gave a pretty full and accurate outline of the features of the Fourth of July celebration in Wilmington and vicinity, notably at the beaches, at Southport and at Lake Waccamaw. On the eve of the patriotic observance, it is safe to say that never before were the preparations more elaborate, nor the prospects for a successful execution of the plans more avorable.

In the city all public buildings will be closed and many of the stores and offices will likewise remain "dark." Merchants say the sale of fireworks has been larger than usual and Young America will assert itself to a degree befitting the hour. The chief attraction in the city will be the baseball games at Hilton, morning and afternoon, Mathison will likely pitch for Wilmington in the first game and Sweeney in the afternoon. The games promise better things than the disaster yesterday afternoon and will no doubt be well worth the seeing. Manager Ellis, of Newbern, who is popular here, promises a good game and the Wilmington team will go in to win.

At Wrightsville Beach the variety of attractions were elaborated upon yesterday. Twenty trains a day will be operated on the Seacoast road according to the well arranged schedule in another column, and cars will connect with all trains. The yacht race will take place over the Carolina Yacht Club course, and there will be an unusually large number of entries. One continuous round of pleasure, with a brilliant hop at night will constitute the features of the day at the Seashore Hotel, while dancing will also be in progress at the Ocean View

pavilion. At Carolina Beach the celebration will be more marked than formerly. The Junior Order United American Mechanics will hold sway there, and they invite all their friends to be with them. There will be sports of all kinds and a delightful ride on the steamer Wilmington, which will make four trips from the city, at 8:30 A. M. 10 A. M., 11 A. M., & P. M. and 7 P. M. Passengers who desire to do so may go through to Southport without extra cost at 8:30 A. M. 2 P. M. and 7 P. M. The returning schedule is as follows: Leave beach for Wilmington 12 M., 5:30 P. M., and 10:30 P. M. Leave Southport for Wilmington, 11 A. M., 4:30 P. M. and 9:30 P. M.

The most appropriate and elaborate -- Mr. C. L. Porter is now acting celebration wil lbe at Southport and train master at Florence, vice Capt. Wilmington people generally are invited. Hundreds will go. The enter-- News and Observer; "Judge tainment committee will leave noth-Purnell has approved the \$2,000 bond ing undone to give the visitors a royal

welcome. The parade, headed by the Southport Cornet Band, will form on the water front at 10:45 A. M. The procession will consist of the band, marshals, school children bearing flags, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, visiting members of the order and citizens. The parade will move directly to Franklin square where the children will sing "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," accompanied by the band. Rev. E. J. Edwards will conduct devotional jexercises and Mayor Swain will introduce Dr. Blackwell, the orator of the day. Dr. Blackwell will have for his subject, "The Privileges and Perils of the Republic," a discussion of national affairs upon broad lines. The refreshment committee will then serve lunch to the visitors and a number of athletic exercises will be observed. The boat races begin at 3:30 P. M. and the start will be from the C. F. T. & T. Co.'s wharf over a five mile course. Mr. A. and was very drunk on Front, be. M. Guthrie and Capt. J. J. Adkins tween Princess and Market streets will be judges; Mr. E. F. Gordon, timekeeper. There are five entries in George committed him to the station | the first class and 10 in the second. There will be a display of fireworks at night and salutes from the fort and

revenue cutter. watermelons to Northern, Eastern and The Compton will make four round trips from Wilmington during the day, according to the well arranged schedule is the principal watermelon line in Georgia, reports a daily movement of in another column. The fare for the round trip on all boats is only 25

Horner Military School, Prof. J. C. Horner, principal of Horner Military School, Oxford, N.C., which is so popular throughout the State, is spending a few days with his family at the Seashore Hotel. Prof. Horner spent yesterday at The Orton lence and have a game of ping pong family, is spending a few days at the in the interest of his school and may be seen now at the Seashore Hotel. Attention is directed to an advertise ment of the institution in another col-

umn.

Summer Cargo of Cotton. The British steamer Whitehall, Capt. Heppell, cleared yesterday for Bremen, Germany, with a cargo of 6,774 bales of cotton consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. The value is \$300,887. It has been perhaps many years since a cargo of cotton was exported from Wilmington so late in the season, an incident freely commented upon on the wharf yesterday.

- There was no quorum for the regular monthly meeting of the Cham-T. E. and James C. Davis, of this city. ber of Commerce yesterday afternoon. Maj. J. B. Broadfoot.

THE MISSIONARY UNION OF WILMINGTON PRESBYTERY

Meets Next Wednesday and Thursday at South River Church--Attractive Programme Has Been Announced

The Woman's Missionary Union of Wilmington Presbytery will meet at South River church, Sampson county, next Wednesday and Thursday. A number of Wilmington people will attend, An attractive programme has been prepared as follows: Wednesday, 12 noon—Devotional Exercises, Rev. V. H. Starbuck; Or-ganization, Roll Call; Report of Treasurer and Secretaries; Words of Greeting, Miss Pearl Murphy; Response,

Miss Annie Paddison.

Afternoon, 2:30—Song Service, Report from Societies, Business. Papers:
How can we make the meeting of our Union most useful and interesting?

Mrs. E. A. MacRae. How can delegates carry back to their home societies the most instructive report of the meeting of the union? Mrs. J. B.

Evening, 8 P. M.-Missionary ad dress, Rev. Dr. Preston.
Thurday, 9:30 A. M. Devotional service, President. Consecration Service, Mrs. B. F. Hall. Papers-What is the Duty in Developing Interest among the Children? Mrs. J. C. Stu-art; Is it Best to have Each Society Working for Some Specific Object in the Foreign Field? Mrs. J. J. Pearsall: Direct Answers to Direct Prayers and Lessons we Shold Learn from Them, Miss. Eliza Murphy; Question Box, Business; Address, Mrs. Geo. C.

Afternoon, 2 P. M.—Song Service, Memorial exercises: The New Presbyterian Church in Mexico and its interest to us, Miss Kitty Cromartie; Our new Field in Cuba. Mrs. O. L. Clark; Business; Praise Service, Miss Bessie

WILMINGTON LODGE, I. O. O. F.

Officers Installed Last Night for Ensuing

Term-Standing Committees. Deputy Grand Master Kelly W. Jewell assisted by Past Grands B. J. Jacobs, J. J. Hopkins, J. R. Turrentine, Jr., and C. C. Chadbourn last night installed the following officers of Wilmington Lodge No. 139, I. O. O. F., to, serve during the ensuing term:

SPG-CCChadbourn. N G-R J Shepard. V G-E Y Davis. RS -J M McGowan. FS-R H Northrop. Treasurer—J T King. Chaplain—P H Murphy. O G-E D Craig. I G-G A Peterson. Warden-T G Landin. Conductor-Wm Sheehan. R S to N G-J W Batson. L S to N G-J J Craig. R S to V G-L O Ellis. L S to V G-W H Rothwell. RSS-RH Shue. L88-GH. Alford. Organist-J W Fleet. The following committees were ap-

Relief-E D Craig, first ward; P H Murphy, second ward; R H Northrop. third ward: J H Boatwright, fourth ward; K W Jewell, fifth ward; J B Coley, Delgado. Auditing-B J Jacobs, J B Turren-

tine, Jr., W C Smith. Supervising Committee-J J Hopkins, J F Littleton, J T King. Hall-E Y Davis, Wm Sheehan, E D Craig.

NEGRO SHOPLIFTERS CAPTURED.

Cleverly Trapped by Police Early Yester-

day Morning-Held for Grand Jury. Charged with the larceny of two pair of pants from Wilmington's Big Racket Store, Sam Long, Jr., Robert Hicks and Ed Holland, colored, were sent over by the Mayor yesterday for the grand jury in default of \$50 bond. Walter Ellis and Jessie Telfair, colored, were recognized as witnesses to appear in the higher court.

The negroes were arrested at Thirteenth and Market streets at 4 o'clock vesterday morning by Policemen C. E. Wood and I. F. Huggins and the stolen property recovered. The negroes visited the store early Monday morning when few of the clerks were down. They were detected in the theft but ran from the clerks and the arrests were not made until yesterday

FUNERAL OF MRS. CARL MUGGE.

Impressively Conducted by Dr. A. G. Voigt

Yesterday Afternoon. The funeral of the late Mrs. Johanna Mugge, wife of Mr. Carl Mugge, was conducted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the late residence on Princess street, thence to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church. The services were impressively conducted by the Rev. Dr. A. G. Voigt, and many friends of the deceased lady and bereaved family were in attendance. The floral tributes were numerous and exceedingly pretty.

The remains were tenderly laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery, the following having acted as pall-bearers, Honorary, Dr. Wm. J. Loye and Mr. P. Heinsberger; active, Messrs. C. W. Polvogt, J. H. Rehder, M. Rathjen, J. G. L. Gieschen, John Haar and Capt. F. W. Ortmann.

Payetteville Third Precinct.

A correspondent at Fayetteville writes the STAR that at the adjourned primary of the Third precinct of that town, held Tuesday night, there was a Hale ticket and a Bellamy ticket for delegates, and that the Hale ticket received 44 votes and the Bellamy ticket 38 votes. There were several candidates on both tickets who received 82 votes, the full number cast. The claims of Major Hale were advocated by Messrs. J. H. Myrover and J. W. Atkinson, while Mr. Bellamy's cause was championed by Mr. W. C. Troy

ANOTHER SHUT-OUT.

Krause Started Off Well, But Lost His Game Yesterday by Score of 14 to 0.

SYMON WAS VERY EFFECTIVE

Contest Abounding in Hitting and Double Plays by the Visitors--Great Day at the Park for the Fourth-The Result of Other Cames,

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 0; Newbern, 14 Charlotte, 16; Greensboro, 7. Raleigh, 4; Durham, WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY. lewbern at Wilmington. Charlotte at Greensboro. Raleigh at Durham.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Newbern 4 Greensboro750 harlotte 3 .750 Durham 1 Wilmington 0

'Tis a story of another gruesome defeat and the third shut-out in the first four games of the new series. The score was 14 to 0 and it was like getting, money from home inigreat, large rotund wads for those Newbern slugers, who jumped on Krause for ten singles and five doubles. Symon was on the slab for the Truckers and was problem unsolvable for the Sailors.

The first two inning sgay epromise of much better things than ultimately folowed and in the second when Lawson had gone out, third to first, Hines singled to left; Fisher got life on Fillman's error and O'Neill drew a pass, filling the bases. Grand stand and bleachers were praying for a run but timore, representing the Maryland Krause, next up beat the air and Holland flew to second.

It was in the third that Newbern opened the pyrotechnics with two men down. Wind singled to left, went to second on Dommel's error and Symon and Fillman went out from the inield. A balk by Krause at this crucial stage sent Devling to first and Wind home. This completely took the nerve out of the young pitcher. Devlin stole second and went to third on O'Neill's error. Randolph walked and Foster singled, sending both base runners home. Thackara hit to short and on error at first, Foster scored while Thackara was caught between first and second. Gettig led with a two-bagger in the fourth and managed to score, while Templing and Wind were going out, short to first. The fifth came and went without runs, but the sixth forever precluded the possibility of Wilmington's catching up. Foster and Thackara each singled and Gettig fanned. Templing singled and Wind hit to Mathison, who erred, allowing "Thack" and "Reddy" to go home. Another error by Mathison allowed Templing third and he scored on Symon's hit to third and out at first. Fillman drove a two-bagger to centre. Devlin singled to left and both scored on errors. Randolph drew a pass and Foster drove a two-bagger to right, scoring him. Thackara kindly went out,

third to first. In the seventh McGinnis distinguished himself by taking a line drive to centre in one hand, off the willow of Gettig. Templing hit double and scored on Wind's single. Symon fanned while Wind stole second and third and came home on Fillman's double to left. Daylin out, second to left. Both teams held one another down well for the remainder of the game.

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

123456789 RH004107200-14151 Wilmington..000000000-0 4 4 Batteries: 'Symon and Thackara; Crause and Fisher.

THE TABULATED SCORE. NEWBERN.

"illman, ss 5 1 2 0 3

Devlin, 2b 4 2 2 5 7

Summary: Bases stolen, Newbern 4. Two base hits, Gettig, Foster, Tem-plin and Fillman 2. Double plays, Fillman to Devlin to Foster 2, Symon to Devlin to Foster, Foster unassisted. Base on balls, Symon 4, Krause 3. Struck out, Symon 3, Krause 2. Wild pitch, Krause. Balk, Krause. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Mr. Gwaltney.

The Romance of a Shet-out, Thrilling Story in 9 Innings.

- Wilmington will win a game to

- Hines made a great grip of a fly in left field. - McGinnis made a grand onehand catch of a fly in centre.

- The game was umpired with satisfaction to both sides by Mr. Robert H. Gwaltney. - Joe Boucher, late of the Wil-

mington team, has been appointed an official umpire by President Busbee. - Two games to-day-one at 10 A. M., and the other at 4 P. M. Give the boys a good attendance at both games.

day. "Thack" is popular in Wilmington personally and as a ball player.

- "The romance of a Shet-Out"-a thrilling story in nine innings-by the Horse Editor. Will be out Satur-

- Philbin and Traeger, of Raleigh, have been released and a Wake county player and Ferris signed in their - It was an interesting game be-

ause everybody wished to see by what ingenious method of playing Wilmington could possibly shut itself out in three out of four games.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. C. Bonner Southerland arrived from Norfolk yesterday. - Mrs. D. W. Bulluck is visiting at her old home in Whitaker's, N. C.

- Mr. C. H. Robinson, Jr., of Atlanta, is here for a few days' visit to his old home.

- Mr. John Morris has taken a position as engineer with the Independent Ice Company. - The STAR regrets to note that

Mr. E B. Burkhimer is seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia. - Mrs. E. N. Penny and children went to Rocky Mount yesterday to

visit Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Nash. - Miss Janie Coltrane, of Conord, N. C., is spending a week with her cousin, Mrs. A. D. McClure.

- Misses Nell and Annie Hinsdale, of Raleigh, are guests of Miss Eliza Metts, on Greenville Sound. - The Misses Slaton, of Tar-

boro, and Miss Mary Graves, of Chapel Hill, are guests of Miss Della - Mr. Eugene Thompson, of Bal-Life Insurance Co., is a guest at the

- Mr. W. J. Craig, general passenger agent of the Coast Line, left yesterday to spend "the fourth" at his old home in Augusta. - Raleigh Times, 2nd: "Miss

Seashore Hotel.

Luta Upchurch left this morning for Wilmington, where she will spend the Summer with her friend, Miss Maude L. Vaughan." - Mrs. W. S. Glenn, of Spar-

tanburg, S. C., accompanied by her two charming little daughters, Misses Martha and Emma, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. McClure, on Red Cross

-Mrs. J.L. Pinner returned Wednesday night from Baltimore, where she had been at the bedside of her son, Mr. Frank Pinner, who has been very ill. He is now on the road to recovery his numerous friends will be glad to

WILMINGTON SCHOONER ABANDONED.

Ida C. Schoolcraft in Bad Condition Off Lookout-The Nimbus Safe. [Special Star Telegram.]

BEAUFORT, N. C., July 3. - Wreck ers have abandoned the schooner Ida C. Schoolcraft. She has five feet of water in her hold and is hogged high up on the beach. The Luckenbach Wrecking Company's steamer pulled the schooner Nimbus off the beach and the vessel is now on the outer reef waiting for the next high water when the steamer expects to float her. She is tight and all O. K.

[The Ida C. Schoolcraft is 304 tons Capt. Boyce, and sailed from Norfolk yesterday a week ago with cargo of coal for one of the fisheries at Old Brunswick. She was built in 1884 and her home port is Somer's Point, New Jersey. The four masted schooner, Nimbus, 810 tons, Capt. Stahl, is bound, light, from New York to Savannah. The stranding of both yessels was previously reported.

House Party At Beach.

A number of prominent young society people of Atlanta arrived yesterday on a chartered Pullman car and are guests of Miss Mabel Powers at a delightful house party on Wrightsville Beach. In the party are Miss Roline Clark, Miss Laura Harrison, Miss Sadie Morris, Miss Lucy Newman, Mr. John P. Glenn and Mr. John D Stewart.

Burned With Acid Mr. Charles Hardy who is employed at the Navassa Guano factory, was seriously burned about the eyes with some acid in the chemical department yesterday afternoon. He was brought down to the city on the tug Navassa and sent to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he was resting

Mrs. Joel E. Farrow Dead.

very well last night.

Mrs. Mary E. Farrow, wife of Mr. Joel E. Farrow, No. 803 South Seventh street, died this morning at 1:30 o'clock at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, whither she went some time ago for treatment. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Off For the Black Pish Grounds. A party of about 25 local anglers left this morning at 2:30 o'clock on the tug Alexander Jones for the black fish grounds. The weather conditions were regarded as very favorable to a fine day's sport.

Saperintendent W. N. Koyall. Charleston News and Courier, 3rd: "General Superintendent Royall, of

the first division of the Atlantic Coast Line, will leave here this morning for Glenn Springs, where he will spend a week before leaving for Wilmington. He has received orders to report for duty on July 10. The office here has Thackara was given the glad hand by many enthusiastic admirers at the park and on the streets yester. Charleston."

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CAROLINA BEACH!

Which will be one of the most delightful places to spend the Fourth. Music and Dancing all day until the last boat leaves at night. Refreshments at reasonable prices.

Baseball in afternoon by local teams, Sack Races, Races for Bathing Suit and other amusements. Ladies and children can rest assured that the best of order will be preserved. Southport.

There will be a big Fourth of July celebration in Franklin Square. The committee in charge have prepared an elaborate programme. Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, D. D., of this city, will be the orator of the day. Following the ceremonies there will be sports of a varied and intensely

SCHEDULE, STEAMER WILMINGTON. Leave for Carolina Beach, 8:30 A. M., 10 A. M., 11 A. M., 2 P. M.

and 7 P. M. Leave for Southport, 8:30 A. M., 2 P. M. and 7 P. M. Leave Beach for Wilmington, 12 M., 5:30 P. M. and 10:30 P. M. Leave Southport for Wilmington, 11 A. M., 4:30 P. M. and 9:30 P. M. Fare 25 cents. Take your choice.

JNO. W. HARPER.

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THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS

'PHUNE 605.

Arrangements for Appointment of County Boards-Other Raleigh News [Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., July 3.—The State

Board of Elections met here to-day

will full attendance and adopted the following resolution: "Resolved, That the chairman of this Board be instructed to communicate with the State chairmen of the Democratic and Republican parties and request them to furnish a list of their respective county chairmen, and when furnished, that he notify the said county chairmen to send s

list to the State chairmen of their respective parties, of names for County Board of Elections in pursuance of Section 6, Election law, of 1901." The next meeting of the Board will be held in pursuance of the above resolution in Raleigh on the 4th of August, at which time County Boards will be appointed for the various counties in the State, and such other business will be transacted as may

come before the Board. Governor Aycock to-day re-appointed all the old directors of the North Carolina railroad for another twelve months' term.

Now Orleans Minstrels.

A. G. Allen's New Orleans Min- Leave Wilmingstrels gave a performance under canvas at the corner of Sixth and Red Cross streets last night. A street parade was given shortly after noon.

Clerk at Wilmington. Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. William H. Shaw has been appointed clerk of the Circuit and District courts at Wilmington. He was formerly deputy clerk for both courts. This is in accordance with the new act passed April 15th through the instrumentality of Congressman Bellamy."

DIED. FARROW—At the James Walker Memorial Hospital, this morning at 1:30 oclock, Mrs. MARY E. FARROW, wife of Joel E. Farrow, of this Funeral notice later.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT. Furnished Cottage or

Wrightsville Beach. D. O'CONNOR. jy 4 3t

on Fourth of July. Leave Wilmington. Leave Southport. 8,15 A. M. 2 00 P. M. 7,(0 P. M. 10.30 A. M. 4.80 P M. 9.30 P. M. Fare for round trip, 25c. This boat runs through without transfer. W. A. SANDERS, jy 3 2t Master.

Schedule Steamer Compton

FOR RENT.

Building on the corner of Chesnut and Water streets, now occupied by Messrs. C. C. Covington, J. T. Biley and others, from first day of October next. Will rent the whole building to one man, or divide it up among different parties. Will let rent note or lease run any time from one to five years. Any one wanting to rent, apply to

jy 2 2 W

D. L. GORE.

Notice of Dissolution.

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