

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION. One Year, by Mail, \$5.00. Six Months, " 3.50. Three Months, " 1.85. Two Months, " 1.00.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Guaranteed Best-Price, Every-Day. Circulation Larger Than That of Any Other Daily Newspaper Published in Wilmington.

OVERMAN WINS OUT.

Nominated for United States Senate by the Democratic Caucus Last Night. ELECTION TO FOLLOW TO-DAY. Prolonged Contest for High Honor Ended in a Close Fight—Speeches from Overman, Craig and Watson. Sixty-one Ballots to Decide.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 29. Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.: Temperature: 8 A. M., 56 degrees; 9 P. M., 58 degrees; maximum, 69 degrees; minimum, 53 degrees; mean, 60 degrees.

PORT ALMANAC—JANUARY 30.

What China and Japan want is some missionaries to teach them how to cook on stoves. There are no stoves in use by the natives of either country.

LOCAL DOTS.

British steamer Mountby, hence for Bremen, arrived at Fxal Wednesday and proceeded. The annual meeting of the Covenanters, announced for to-night at Immanuel, Presbyterian church, has been postponed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Seed potatoes. Wilmington Grocery Co.—Butter. BUSINESS LOCALS. For Rent—Drug store. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Gas heaters.

THE HUTAFF DAMAGE SUIT.

An Entire Week Will Likely Be Consumed in Its Trial—Proceedings in the Case Yesterday. Unless more rapid progress is made in the examination of witnesses—a condition earnestly striven for by Judge Peebles—the Hutaff damage suit in the Superior Court will likely require the entire week for its completion.

IMPORTANT LUMBER DEAL.

Official Announcement of Reorganization of Angola Lumber Co.—Not Connected With Taxis Concerns. Official announcement was made yesterday of an important lumber mill and timber deal consummated in Norfolk, Va., last week.

TO THE LEGISLATURE.

Compulsory Pilotage Agitation Will Be Transferred There Probably Next Week. It Refused to Concur in Chamber of Commerce's Demands for Amendments in the Law and Submitted a Compromise Measure.

THE BOARD OF NAVIGATION.

It has been stated and is here repeated that there has been and will likely be no agreement upon the compulsory pilotage problem. It is conceded from daily developments, those of yesterday included, that the final settlement of the matter will come after a warm fight in the Legislature, which will probably be precipitated next week.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Bailey Farmer returned to Fayetteville yesterday. Mr. A. J. Todd was in the city yesterday on a business visit. Mr. W. F. Alexander went up to Goldsboro yesterday on a business trip.

OFFICERS OF STATE GUARD CALLED TO MEET IN RALEIGH WEDNESDAY WEEK.

Adjutant General B. S. Royster, of the North Carolina State Guard, has sent out to officers and commanders of companies, the following circular regarding the Dick bill, which was recently passed by Congress.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT WARSAW.

Henry L. Stevens, Jr., the bright little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Stevens, of Warsaw, celebrated his seventh birthday at the hospitable home of his parents on Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

THE ELKS' MINSTRELS TO-NIGHT.

Magnificent Production of Local and Imported Talent—Sea Sale. The sale of seats for the Elks' Minstrels at the Academy to-night goes merrily on and a "rousing" house is assured.

U. S. COURT NEXT WEEK.

An adjourned term of the U. S. District Court will be held at Wilmington next week for the trial of a number of important postoffice cases that had to be postponed from the regular term on account of the sickness in Raleigh of Inspector F. N. Davis, the government's principal witness.

NAVAL STORE QUOTATIONS.

There was no advance in the local spirits of turpentine market yesterday the quotation remaining firm at 81 cents. Savannah bid half a cent higher with no sales.

Y. M. C. A. DINNER.

To-night, beginning at 8:30 o'clock, the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. will give a complimentary dinner to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Association.

THE BOARD OF NAVIGATION.

It Refused to Concur in Chamber of Commerce's Demands for Amendments in the Law and Submitted a Compromise Measure. An informal meeting of the committee from the Board of Navigation was held yesterday afternoon, at the office of Mr. George Harris, with the Chamber of Commerce Committee to report to the position of the Board of Navigation in reference to the pilotage agitation, as agreed upon at Wednesday afternoon's meeting, was set forth in the following:

PILOTAGE MATTER IN SOUTHPORT.

Chamber of Commerce Neighboring Towns Takes an Opposite View. The Southport Standard of yesterday contains an account of a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, held Tuesday afternoon, at which strong resolutions were adopted against any change whatever in the present pilotage laws in effect at that port.

LOCAL DOTS.

British steamer Mountby, hence for Bremen, arrived at Fxal Wednesday and proceeded. The annual meeting of the Covenanters, announced for to-night at Immanuel, Presbyterian church, has been postponed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Seed potatoes. Wilmington Grocery Co.—Butter. BUSINESS LOCALS. For Rent—Drug store. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Gas heaters.

THE BOARD OF NAVIGATION.

It Refused to Concur in Chamber of Commerce's Demands for Amendments in the Law and Submitted a Compromise Measure. An informal meeting of the committee from the Board of Navigation was held yesterday afternoon, at the office of Mr. George Harris, with the Chamber of Commerce Committee to report to the position of the Board of Navigation in reference to the pilotage agitation, as agreed upon at Wednesday afternoon's meeting, was set forth in the following:

PILOTAGE MATTER IN SOUTHPORT.

Chamber of Commerce Neighboring Towns Takes an Opposite View. The Southport Standard of yesterday contains an account of a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, held Tuesday afternoon, at which strong resolutions were adopted against any change whatever in the present pilotage laws in effect at that port.

LOCAL DOTS.

British steamer Mountby, hence for Bremen, arrived at Fxal Wednesday and proceeded. The annual meeting of the Covenanters, announced for to-night at Immanuel, Presbyterian church, has been postponed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Seed potatoes. Wilmington Grocery Co.—Butter. BUSINESS LOCALS. For Rent—Drug store. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Gas heaters.

THE BOARD OF NAVIGATION.

It Refused to Concur in Chamber of Commerce's Demands for Amendments in the Law and Submitted a Compromise Measure. An informal meeting of the committee from the Board of Navigation was held yesterday afternoon, at the office of Mr. George Harris, with the Chamber of Commerce Committee to report to the position of the Board of Navigation in reference to the pilotage agitation, as agreed upon at Wednesday afternoon's meeting, was set forth in the following:

PILOTAGE MATTER IN SOUTHPORT.

Chamber of Commerce Neighboring Towns Takes an Opposite View. The Southport Standard of yesterday contains an account of a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, held Tuesday afternoon, at which strong resolutions were adopted against any change whatever in the present pilotage laws in effect at that port.

LOCAL DOTS.

British steamer Mountby, hence for Bremen, arrived at Fxal Wednesday and proceeded. The annual meeting of the Covenanters, announced for to-night at Immanuel, Presbyterian church, has been postponed.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Seed potatoes. Wilmington Grocery Co.—Butter. BUSINESS LOCALS. For Rent—Drug store. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Gas heaters.

LEGISLATURE YESTERDAY.

Anti-Saloon Movement Before Committee. Mr. Cooper, of New Hanover, Made a Statement—Proceedings. [Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 29.—Almost all of to-day's session of the Senate was devoted to an extensive and at times an animated discussion of a bill to provide for an election on the question of a dispensary at Tarboro.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted Raw Furs. 20,000 O'POSSUMS. 10,000 COONS. 5,000 SKUNKS. 3,000 FOX. 2,000 MINKS. 1,000 OTTERS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Printer Wanted. Wanted, one first class compositor who has had experience on a daily morning paper. Must have good recommendations as to habits and qualifications. Address THE MORNING STAR, Jan 17 if Wilmington, N. C.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the next General Assembly for the purpose of chartering a line of railroads between the States of North Carolina and Virginia.

SEED POTATOES.

235 Bags E. R. Potatoes. 189 Bags Ohio Potatoes. 160 Bags Bliss (en route). 218 Barrels Milled. 230 Gross Globe Matches. 190 Gross Coast Matches. 240 Gross Atlantic Matches. 160 Gross Little Star Matches. 1 Gross Matches, free with 10.

LANDS PESTED.

The privilege of hunting on my lands near Wilmington having been denied, all persons are hereby warned against shooting, hunting, ransacking or otherwise trespassing on said lands.

W. B. COOPER.

Wholesale Grocer, Jan 18th Wilmington, N. C.

A GAS HEATING STOVE.

Is just what you need for the bath-room or bed-room. We are selling Gas Heaters and Radiators at Reduced Prices.

GAS, ELECTRIC AND COMBINATION FIXTURES INSTALLED AT COST.

Consolidated Railways, Light & Power Co.

CASH PAID FOR Beeswax.

If you have some to sell ship it to us and will allow you 27 1-2c Per Lb., F. O. B. Wilmington.

Williamsville Mfg Co.,

Williamsville, Mass. sep 21 3m su we fr

Wanted Raw Furs.

20,000 O'POSSUMS. 10,000 COONS. 5,000 SKUNKS. 3,000 FOX. 2,000 MINKS. 1,000 OTTERS.

FINE BUTTER.

We are now receiving the Celebrated BOSCOBEL PRINT BUTTER, in one pound blocks. This, we believe to be the finest Butter for sale in Wilmington.

FISH PRIVILEGES.

The Shad Benches will be rented at Front Street Market upon the cash premium plan Friday, January 30, at 12 M.

WILEY'S CANDIES.

THE BEST MADE. PALACE PHARMACY, 186 South Front Street. Jan 1st Call both Phones 55.