

Meteorological data for the twenty effect from and after its ratification. four hours ending at 8 P. M .: Section 3 in the original bill as pro-

emperatures: 8 A. M., 63 degrees

BARQUE FREIDIG ABANDONED AT SEA. Hospital at Raleigh; \$10,000 to the

port.

predicament the city would be in as to the date of its election, if something definite was not made law. Telegram from private citizens of Wilmington were received which asked that the charter bill be passed, leaving out the section making chief of police elective by the people, and under those cirbenefit of the 4 per cent. interest we pay, and in after years thank us for advising you, as we do now, to

3 P. M. 64 degrees; maximum, 72 deross; minimum, 61 degrees; mean, 66 iegrees

Rainfall for the day, 06 ; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 06 inches. Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 9 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHEGTON, Mar. 9.-For North Carolina: Rain Tuesday and Wed nesday; light to fresh southeast winds.

### Port Almanac .... March 10,

San Rises	6.18 A. M
Sin Sets	6.03 P. 1
Day's Length	11 H. 42 M
High Water at Southport.	5.05 A. I
High Water Wilmington.	7.35 A. 1

Missouri claims to have 20,000, 000 apple trees growing, which it is said is 3,000,000 more than any other State can show.

One of the trains on the New York Central Railroad is to be equipped with wireless telegraphy apparatus for a two-months trial from April 1st .-

There is a splendid opening for another Philip or Alexander in Macedon. But maybe with modern war machinery and methods they wouldn't amount to much.

Mordecai Pepper, of New York, must be a hot number. He got a divorce from one wife and on the same day before sundown married another. She must have been fond of pepper.

It is said that 8,000 different storage batteries have been tried, all of which lacked something. But Edison claims to have solved the problem, and when he makes a claim there is generally something in it.

The negroes are organizing in the Northern States clubs to be called the "Roosevelt Invincibles." If they were the Roosevelt Invisibles they would render him more service. The more they are in evidence the more they will hurt him.

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ew of the fact that Queen In v Wilhelmina, of the Netherlands, has been chosen to name the umpire for the American commission on the Veuezuelan claims, she may reciprocate the courtesy by asking President Roosevelt to name the umpire when she has her next tiff with Henry.

An armless man, an ex-member of a vaudeville company, invaded a gambling room in Butte, Montana.

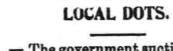
moted by Morton, but later stricken out by agreement, was as follows: "Section 3.-That Chapter 265 of the Private Laws of 1901, be and the same is hereby repealed." That was the clause over which the controversy arose and which came

dangerously near defeating the entire measure. It provides for the election of Chief of Police by the people instead of by the Board of Aldermen, as now.

Morton also had passed through the House to-day a bill to give the New Hanover commissioners concurrent authority with Pender commissioners over Blossom's ferry on the Cape Fear river at Castle Haynes, but it failed to get through the Senate, dying on the calendar. Bills of special local interest in Wil-

mington ratified to-day were: To pay the claim of Mrs. Virginia E. Bunting under direct land tax; bill conferring police powers on the Harbor Master of the port of Wilmington; bill to allow

Summer and Winter resort hotels in New Hanover to procure bar-room licenses for their seasons on payment of six months' tax.



- The government suction dredge Cape Fear came up to the city yesterday afternoon for slight repairs at Skinner's.

- Purchases are not required for the handsome souvenirs that are being given the ladies who visit the Crescent Pharmacy. See advertisement elsewhere. -Mr. Will L. Miller, of the Acme Tea Chest Co., expects another steam-

er here for a cargo of veneering timber some time in May. A part of the car-

go is already in waiting. - The Boys' Athletic Club gave a delightful banquet to its members yesterday to celebrate the first anniversary of its founding. Mr. Will

Duls is president of the club. - Messrs. VanHardin and Lot LeGwin went to New River yesterday morning on a fishing expedition and returned in a few hours with a string of the finest trout seen in a long time by the piscatorial editor.

- Dr. Blackwell's sermon in the First Baptist church Sunday night upon "Murder or the Way of Cain" was heard by a very large congregation. The discourse was timely and was delivered with the characteristic force and interest of the speaker.

Injured by Palling.

Mr. M. G. Chadwick, keeper of the County Home, received a terribly braised hand as the result of a fall from a moving train at Bargaw last week.

Mr. Chadwick was a witness in the Cape Fear lumber case on trial at Burgaw, and being anxious to get home at ight, he ran for the cars and attempt-

pe as the train flew alon for the State University; \$854 to the making new records for every mile. appeared nothing but a blur of green and brown."

Delightful Lodge Affair."

weren't looking for scenery along the

route; they wouldn't have seen it for

The special communication of Orient Lodge No. 395, A. F. & A. M. for work in the sublime degree of Master Mason last night was the occasion of a delightful social affair which was at- tire appropriation should be paid by tended by many. An elaborate programme of interesting events was fol-

lowed by a sumptuous banquet. The music was by the Orient Lodge quartette, composed as follows: Mr. Ed. Harding Munson, director: Mr. O. H. Cooper, first tenor; Mr. Chas. McMillen, second tenor; Mr.U. M. Robinson, first bass; Mr. H. Holden, second bass Mr. Burdis Anderson, baritone. The reception committee was composed of Past Masters M. S. Willard, H. G. Smallbones and J. W. Jackson. The

lodge exercises were presided over by Worshipful Master W. D. McMillan. State at the Exposition.

tions.

A bill passed and was ratified appro-

have had opportunity to observe with

care the works and actions of its mem-

bers and I am glad to say that I have

seen nothing said or done which did

not in my judgment proceed from a

sincere and honest desire to advance

the best interests of the State. We

commit our work to the fair and just

consideration of those who have con-

fided to us their political interests. It

affords me great pleasure at this last

losing hour of the session to say that

## Wilmington's Last Chance.

Promptly at 5 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Collier, who has left no stone untest on the journal. turned to bring Mme. Lillian Nordica and the Duss Metropolitan Opera House Band and Orchestra to Wilmington, will close, finally, the subate; twelve laborers for the House and scription lists with which he has perten for the Senate. sonally canvassed the city; and those now at the book stores of DeRosset

and C. W. Yates & Co. will be open until the same hour. dent of the Senate faced each other and Now, it's up to the public. If they Speaker Gattis of the House said: want this superb musical organization "The work of this General Assemthe guarantee must be given by Wil bly is now done. For sixty days we mington. The expenses of bringing have labored faithfully for what we conceived to be the best interest of all the company, it must be remembered, the people of our beloved State. As will be large, and this does not come the presiding officer of this House. I

out of the guarantee.

#### Justice Fowler's Court.

In Justice Fowler's court yesterday Lizzie Jackson, the colored woman arrested Saturday for perjury, was held for the higher court and in default of \$100 bond she went to jail. Henry Reynolds, a negro arrested by Constable Savage Saturday night for the larceny of a bucket nearly filled with jelly from the Palace Bakery, on Market street, was also sent to jail in default of \$100 for his appearance at the Superior Court.

Reception at Grace Church.

A reception will be given in the annex of Grace Methodist church Thursday evening from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock. It is given under the auspices of the Epworth League, and is for the entire membership and congregation. While

the best local talent. An enjoyable time is anticipated.

> Reception This Evening. In houor of Dr. and Mrs. Calvin S. Blackwell, a reception will be given The Garlands in Hard Luck.

Cargo of Rosin Consigned by Wilmington State Normal and Industrial College. The Senate devoted over two hours Firm Lost\_Fally Insured. to a vigorous and at times bitter fight

Mesars. Heide & Co., the owners' on the feature of the appropriations agents in Wilmington, yesterday rebill which required the \$10,000 appropriation to the A. and M. College to be ceived a cablegram from Marcoris, paid for the first year out of the Treavia Hayli, stating that the Norwegian sury instead of out of the funds of the barque Freidig, Captain Christo-State Board of Agriculture. The conphersen, which sailed from Wilmingtention in the Senate was that the enton for London Feb. 21st with a the Board of Agriculture. The rollcargo of rosin consigned by Messrs. call ballot on accepting the report of the Murchison & Co., of this city, had conference committee agreeing to the payment of the \$10,000 from the State been abandoned at sea. The master Treasury, was a tie. 20 to 20. and Presiand crew were saved. No particulars dent Turner cast his vote for concurwere given further than is stated here. rence, thereby closing the fight. Senators Glenn and Lamb filed their The Freidig was is splendid vessel and carried 6,700 barrels of rosin, protests. Agreement was necessary to perfect the enactment of the general valued at \$13,943.14. The cargo was appropriations bill, carrying \$1,050, 000 appropriations to the State institu fully insured.

Verdict For Plaintiff.

priating \$10,000 from the State Trea Pender Superior Court adjourned sury, not otherwise appropriated, to Saturday night as was expected and the St. Louis exposition. Also, a bill Judge Peebles left for Kinston to hold creating a commission to represent the In the House, King. of Pitt, called up important case at the Pender term was his bill for a constitutional amendment that of Rowe and Dosh vs. Cape Fear for the division of the school fund paid by the races, urging that it should pass.

liams.

Lumber Company, of this city, involving an alleged trespass on timber-It was tabled and King entered his proed lands by the defendant in the ac-A bill was introduced, passed and tion. The jury Saturday night reratified to regulate employes of future turned a verdict in favor of the plain-Legislatures. It provides eleven pages tiff for \$3,978, whereupon appeal was for the House and seven for the Sentaken to the Supreme Court by the defendant, which was represented by When the Senate hour for adjourn-Rountree & Carr and J. T. Bland. ment had arrived the doors between Plaintiffs were represented by Stevens, the Senate and House swung open so the Speaker of the House and Presi-Beasley & Weeks and Bruce Wil-

Disorderly Colored Persons.

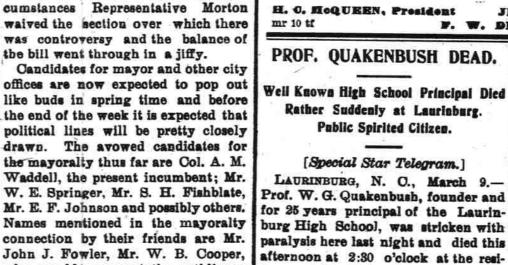
Policeman Leon George arrested four festive colored gentlemen in the vicinity of Seventh and Church streets last night. Henry Payne was disorderly and when taken to the station house a pistol was found on his person, multiplying his troubles in the police court this morning. The other three were William Eagle, Henry Taylor and John Philyaw, who will have to answer nothing more grave than drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

#### n the discharge of the duties of presiding officer, I have had the kind and Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee was in session about an hour and a half yesterday evening on the preparation and consideration of its forthcoming annual report. No other business of importance was transacted. Those present were President James H. Chadbourn, Secretary James Kyle and Messrs. Jno. A. Arringdale. G. J. Boney, I. M. Bear, S. P. McNair and L. B. Rogers.

His Leg Broken,

Samuel Rivenbark, 20 years old, an employe at the Fore & Foster mill. suffered a painful fracture of the leg. also adjourned without a day. Many members left on the afterbetween the knee and ankle, as the noon and evening trains for their result of a truck falling over on him yesterday morning. He was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital where Dr. Akerman set the broken



Mr. E. F. Johnson and possibly others. for 25 years principal of the Laurin-Names mentioned in the mayoralty burg High School, was stricken with connection by their friends are Mr. paralysis here last night and died this John J. Fowler, Mr. W. B. Cooper, afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the resiwho would represent the anti-liquor dence of Dr. Peter John, with whom element, and Mr. M. S. Willard, whom he had made his home for some years. Lenoir court this week. The most it is said the wharf interests will sup-

Prof. William Graham Quakenbush was born in Orange county, N. C. A few days before the election a primary is to be held and upon that day about 53 years ago. He was educated the real contest will come, for it hardat Bingham School and at the University of Virginia and was a member ly supposed that the Republicans will put out a ticket. That everything may of the faculty of Bingham's for a short be arranged for the primary a meeting time. In 1876 he went to Laurinburg and established the Laurinburg of the City Democratic Executive Committee will be held at the City High School at which institution hundreds of young men and women Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. The committee is composed as folwere prepared for college or business. He said early in life that it was his lows: First ward, J. M. Woolard, B. purpose to teach until he was 50 years C. Moore; second ward, T. C. James, of age and true to the promise to him-Daniel Quinlivan; third ward, W. H. Yopp, T. Donlan; fourth ward, N. F. self, in 1901 he retired from active life and spent his closing days in quiet. Parker, W. F. Robertson; fifth ward, Prof. Quakenbush married Miss J. P. Montgomery, George W. Millis. Katie McBryde, a daughter of the The committee will first organize

Rev. Dr. D. D. McBryde, of Cumberand then set a date for the primary; land county, and a sister of Mrs. Jas. specify what officers shall be voted for S. Worth, of Wilmington. She lived in the primary, and transact all other business incident to the campaign. It but a short time. Prof. Quakenbush was known all over the middle and is stated that while the law prescribes eastern section of the State as a that only the Mayor and Board of thorough and efficient educator. He Aldermen shall be voted for in the regwas a man of great public spirit; kind, ular election, the Executive Commitcharitable and a safe counsellor. He tee may give the people a chance of was a member of the Baptist church recommending any minor officers that and his religious life was most exthey may desire in the primary. emplary. His community has suffer-Of course the result of the pried a distinctive loss in his demise. mary would not be legally

binding upon the Board, but it is generally supposed that in such instances PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. the Aldermen would be morally bound to ratify the action of the people ex-- Miss Lucy Latham left yesterpressed at the primary. However, day for Clinton to visit for some time. that is a question for the Committee's - Miss Mary Borden and Mrs. E. decision to-night. If it should decree that the will of the people may be ex-

R. Wootten went to Richmond yesterpressed for the office of chief of police, day. chief of fire department, city clerk and - Mrs. L. A. Shepard, of Jacktreasurer or city attorney, for instance, sonville. N. C., is the guest of her sisthe committee could call for an exter, Mrs. T. J. Pratt. pression from the people upon those - Mr. P. H. Sears, superintend-

officials. New Lodge at Whiteville,

- Mr. S. A. Schloss, manager Last night a flourishing lodge, of the Charlotte Academy of Music, Knights of Pythias, was instituted at left yesterday afternoon for the Queen Whiteville, N. C., with a charter list City. of about 25. Wilmington Pythians

- Mrs. D. McEachern and Misses who went up vesterdev afternoon to

. rull intor tion on application in person or by mail.

## THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK.

**Opposite** the Postoffice.

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

Rather Suddenly at Laurinburg.

Public Spirited Citizen.

[Special Star Telegram.]

ent of the Whiteville Lumber Co.,

spent Sunday in the city with friends.

# **Hot Weather**

is approaching, and now is the proper time to connect with our sanitary sewerage system. Our rates are LOWER than the rates charged for a sanitary sewer service in any other municipality on the Atlantic coast.

The Wilmington Sewerage Co. mr 10tf

### TO-NIGHT.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC PAYTON SISTERS IN A FINE PRODUCTION OF "BOUND BY AN OATH." All new specialties. Popular Prices-10, 20 and 35 cents.

Seats now on sale at Plummer's. Only matinee Saturday. mr 10 1t

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am ples furnished on application.

SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS,

Wilmington, N. C., 18 Market street

Fresh Goods.

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Just arrived per steamer to-day:

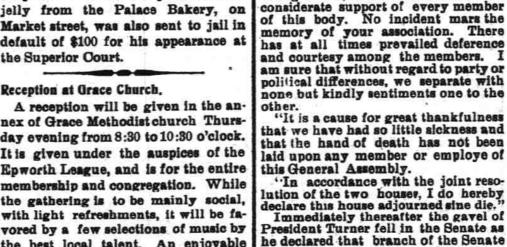
Maple Sugar and Oream (in cans). Tour-nades, Kitchen Bouquet, a delightful fiavoring for Soups, Gravies, &c. Graino-Truffes (extra peeled); Codish Waffles, Pickied Salmon, Kippered Salmon, Smoked Hallibut, fat brollers. The above with a full line of Imported Oneese. Just arrived this day. For sale by

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No. 15 South Front street. Bell 'Phone 14, Inter-State 'Phone 66.

Ice Cream, Sweet and pure for Sunday, \$1.00 Per Gallon: Always on hand new and SWEET CREAM 50c QUART.

John W Plummer In



the other day and holding the butt of a gun in his toes made the boss of the shebang toe the mark and hand over \$5 which the armless fellow, whom the gambler didn't re- gard as 'armless, had lost in play some time before. The itest scientific discovery re- porte. '.s a claim by Dr. Carza, of Paris, that he has invented an elec- trical machine by the aid of which the blind can be made to see, al- though they may have been born blind. It takes the place of the eye and transmits light to the brain just as the telephone conducts sound to the ear.	<ul> <li>was leaving wn violently ly the train or took him bee call.</li> <li>MENTS.</li> <li>an oath."</li> <li>bt weather.</li> <li>-Qaick roads.</li> <li>the popular pastor and Mrs. Black- well are most cordially invited. The reception is held now instead of later, because Mrs. Blackwell will leave this week for the future home of the family in Norfolk, Va.</li> <li>Charleston Claims Championship.</li> <li>Concluding an account of the vic- tory of its Y. M. C. A. team over Sa- vannah Friday, the Charleston News and Courier of yesterday says: "Charleston is undisputed basket ball champion of the South Atlantic States, as Wilmington, Augusta, Co- lumbia and other teams say they pre- fer to practice another year before</li> </ul>	tain Doherty, which cleared Saturday for Glasgow, Scotland, with a cargo of gum logs, appears to be pursued by ill luck. On her way to Wilmington a few weeks ago she went ashore at Big Kinnakeet, N. C., and had to put back for repairs. Arriving here a log alipped from the derrick used in load- ing her and jabbed a hole in her water copartments; a part of her crew de- serted later, and Saturday night she went ashore in the river near the "dram tree." At 6 o'clock yesterday morning she was floated without dam- age, but she had proceeded only a mile further down when she again went aground. The tugs Jones and Blanche	at No. 917 North Sixth street. Woodmes of the World. Messrs. Jno. E. Wood, J. W. Fleet and Geo. C. Jackson, of Live Oak Oamp No. 6, of this city, are attending the Grand Camp, Woodmen of the World, in session at Kinston this week. The order in Wilmington is in a most flourishing condition and the representatives carry extraordinarily good reports to the Kinston meeting. Mr. William Prior has taken charge at the "Hotel Townsend," at Red Springs, N. C, and will conduct that popular hestiery in an up-to-date manner. The public may be assured of the best and most courteous treat-	Assist in the exercises, were Capt. J. C. Morrison, Messrs. H. E. Bonitz, R. S. Collins, D. D. Barber, J. D. Nutt and George Branch. The new lodges re- cently organized at Clarkton and Chad- bourn also sent large delegations to assist in the installation exercises. Not From Wilmington. In the Associated Press account of a wreck in which five persons were more or less injured on the L. & N. road near Birmingham, Ala., Sunday, the name of a passenger, Fisher Wil- liams, colored, of Wilmington, is given as among those slightly hurt. No such person is known in Wilmington	<ul> <li>Capti R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, passed through the city Sun- day on his way to Jupiter, Fla., to join Mrs. Paddison who is visiting there.</li> <li>Dr. Jno. C. Wessell, of the A.</li> <li>C. L. relief department, with head- quarters at Waycross, Ga., spent Sun- day in the city with "home folks," re- turning yesterday afternoon.</li> <li>For Asthma use CHE- NEY'S EXPECTOR-</li> </ul>	Bell 'Phone 680. feb 28 tf Administrator's Notice. Having this day qualified as administrator of the setate of the Rev. Henry Eppes, deceased, all estate of the Rev. Henry Eppes, deceased, I HAVE FOR SALE
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