#### OUTLINES.

Heavy rains and storms in the Tennessee valley; the river is rising rapidly. - The depot at Camden, Tenn., destroyed by fire, the result of being struck by lightning. - Tornado at Owingsville, Ky., destroyed s number of buildings. — Admiral Melville, engineer in chief of the navy, is preparing plans for a turbine propelled warship. - Many encounters between strikers and troops took place yesterday in Rome, Italy. - The armored cruiser West Virginia will be launched Saturday, the 18th inst. - Eleven persons were killed and many injured by a tornado near Hanceville, Ala.; the destruction of property was heavy. - Stockholders of the Southern Pacific met yesterday and adjourned without the transaction of business. - Atlas Line steamer Alleghany was badly damaged in collision with a British steamer in New York harbor. -Three persons killed in a tenement house fire in Philadelphia. --- Cyclone in Arkansas killed a number of people and destroyed houses. --President Roosevelt is at Yellowstone Park. -- A village was destroyed and many persons killed and wounded by a volcauic eruption in Colombia. -- A general strike of all trades throughout Holland will be proclaimed. -- New York markets: Money on call steady at 41/07 per cent., closing at 41/07; cotton dull at 10.45c; flour active and firm; wheatspot firm; No. 2 red 801/c; corn-spot

#### WEATHER REPORT.

spirits thrpentine firm at 56%@57.

steady; No. 2 nominal; rosin steady;

strained common to good \$2.27@2.30:

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, ) WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., April 8. Meteorological data for the twenty four hours ending at 8 P. M .:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 66 degrees 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 64 degrees; mean, 68

Rainfall for the day, .02; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 10 inches. Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. Tuesday 14.1 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, April 8 .- For North Carolina: Fair Thursday and Friday: fresh north winds, becoming variable.

#### Port Almanac ... April 9,

Sun Rises	5.35 A. M
Sun Sets	6.29 P. M
Day's Length	12 H. 53 M
High Water at Southport.	5.48 A. M
High Water Wilmington.	8.18 A. M

Dr. Harper, of the Chicago University, made Mr. Roosevelt an LL. D. in Latin. Mr. Roosevelt was too full for utterance and didn't talk back.

The tomb of Mohammed is decorated with \$12,000,000 worth of diamonds, sapphires, and rubies. A good deal of jewelry to put on a dead man.

Among other arguments which are advanced in behalf of good roads is that they are a moral agent. They are no doubt preventives of much lurid profanity.

It is said that the new mineral radium is a great emitter of heat. But while it is worth \$1,000,000 s pound poor people will have to while longer.

If that young bank clerk in Atlanta had another six months he might have made his \$94,000 embezzlement an even \$100,000. In his eight years service he got away with about \$12,000 a year.

The manager of a base ball ground in New York was arrested for letting some fellows play on Sunday. He was arrested under an old law of 1798, which was resurrected for the occasion. He may plead the statute of limitations on that.

A Tacoma dispatch says the gold discoveries on the Tanana River in Alaska are richer than any discovered in the Klondike. But the season is coming on when the navigators of ships want to do some business.

One of the burning questions among Republican statesmen in the West is, who shall first shake Mr. Roosevelt's hand and ride in the car- Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Haar riage with him. By the way Mr. Roosevelt isn't shaking as much as formerly.

Muscatine, Iowa, is a nice, tidy, little Republican town, but it took twenty policemen a few days ago to rescue a negro from a mob which was beating him to death because he shot a white man who struck him. But there isn't any color line up there.

Noting the fact the Mississippi convicts did good work in strengthning the levees to withstand the flood, the New York Tribune thinks they might be employed to advantage in building good roads, a remark which is as applicable to other States as to Mississippi.

# MORNING STAR.

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PRISONER ENDED HIS LIFE.

One-Armed While Convict, Sentenced to Be Hung, Committed Suicide In Halifax County Jall.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., April 8 .- Vance Spivey, a one-armed white man under sentence to be hanged May 16th committed suicide in his cell in the Halifax county jail last night, using a piece of steel from his shoe. He was found dead by the jailor this morning, his throat hacked up so with the steel that he bled to death.

Spivey was sent to the penitentiary first for killing an uncle and while serving as a convict on the Caledonis State farm, he killed a fellow white convict named Moore. For this he was convicted last August and sentenced to be hanged. The case came to the Supreme Court; the judgment of the lower court was confirmed and on Tuesday Gov. Aycock issued an order for his execution on May 16th. On the following night the prisoner ended his life in the extraordinary manner

#### LOCAL DOTS.

- All the banks of the city, both savings and national, will be closed to-morrow on account of Good Friday. - The yacht Cavalier, Capt. Mc-Kown, which has been in port several days, cleared yesterday for Pensacola,

- The N. N. S. Society of Fifth Street Methodist church will give s phantom party next Tuesday night at the parsonage.

- Matilda Jane Smith, colored, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was sent to the roads for 30 days by the Mayor yesterday.

- The store of the Helmes Grocery Company will be closed for Good Friday to-morrow. Patrons are requested to send in their orders to-day.

- The news from Miss Mary Nash, who is seriously ill with typhoid fever in New York, was not so favorable yesterday. However, her friends are yet very hopeful.

and W., C. & A. divisions of the Coast Line are now running as formerly instead of alternating runs to Charleston and Fayetteville. - Wm. H. Smith and Ed Jen

kins, charged with an affray late yesterday afternoon at Front and Dock streets, gave bond at the police station for their appearance in the Mayor's

- Capt. W. R. Kenan is still in Baltimore for treatment. His condition Tuesday was not so favorable and the worst was feared at that time. Nothing definite was heard as to his condition yesterday.

- Wilmington Lodge of Odd Fel lows has elected Mr. B. J. Jacobs delegate and Mr. W. L. Smith, alternate, to the Grand Lodge, which meets in this city in May. Mr. Kelley W. Jewell was recommended for Lodge

- The schooner Future, in charge of that genial Scotsman, Capt. Macdonald, whose name is his passport in any country, cleared yesterday for New York with a cargo of 396 piling, consigned by the Empire Timber Co.,

- Justice Fowler yesterday sent over to the Superior Court: Minnie Murphy, charged with carrying concealed weapons; Alberta Bishop, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, and John Bishop, charged with an assault and battery. All are

- It is said that several of the mayoralty candidates will utilize a scuffle along with coal and wood a stereopticon as a means of publicity and a rally call to their supporters. The views will be displayed on a canvas in the street with pictures of the candidates and suitable text, etc. There's where the picture-sqe part of the campaign will come in.

> - By deed filed for record yesterday D. L. Gore and wife transferred to George Honnett and wife for \$8,000, building and lot fronting 40 feet on Market street, and running back into the block to Toomer's alley, between Front and Second streets, the same being the store formerly occupied by Dingelhoef Bros., jewelers.

Y. M. C. A. Star Course. Dr. A. A. Willets, known the platform world o'er as the "Apostle of Sunshine," delivered one of his characteristic lectures to an audience which appeared well pleased last night in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. Dr. Willets had been here before and on his second visit he appeared to have well sus tained his popularity with the lovers of good, wholesome amusement in this

### Mr. and Mrs. Haar Bereaved.

will sympathize with them in the death of their infant daughter, Margaretta, which occurred at 2:80 o'clock yesterday morning. The funeral will be conducted at 3 P. M. to-day from the late residence, 106 South Front street, and the interment will be in Oakdale.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Banks-Close Good Friday. Hall & Pearsall-Fresh arrivals. Str. Wilmington-For Southport. Holmes Grocery Co.-Good Friday. The Savings Banks-Special notice. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.-Gas stoves.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost-Gold stick pin. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co. - Gas stoves.

THE DAY IN COURT.

Solicitor for Fraternal Order Convicted While Passing Through the City.

MERCY RECOMMENDATIONS.

Judge Peebles Doesn't Like Too Many of Them-Golored Painter in Trouble. Judgment for Several Defendants Pending-Notes.

The Superior Court made fair progress upon clearing the criminal docket yesterday, but as Judge Peebles remarked when a batch of new cases were sent up from the magistrates and grand jury in the afternoon, it appears as if new matters are being put on the docket faster than the court can get them off.

Yesterday the case of chief interest was one in which Harrison Martir, a young man from South Carolina and travelling organizer for a fraternal order, was charged with an assault with a deadly weapon upon Mrs. E. C. Prince, a resident of Delgado. Young Martin came from Durham last Saturday and was paying attention to a daughter of Mrs. Prince. He was on his way to South Carolina to visit his parents and went to the Prince home between trains. He was under the influence of liquor and because Mrs. Prince and her daughter would not drink with him he became disorderly and the lady of the house ordered him off the premises. In passing out the door, led by Mrs. Prince, the young man drew a pistol and pointed it at the woman. She slammed the door and caused his arrest yesterday as he was again passing through, returning from South Carolina. He was also charged with carrying concealed weapons and was given a preliminary hearing in Justice McGowan's court.

The case was taken up last thing during the day in the higher court and the defendant was represented by William J. Bellamy, Esq. Solicitor Daffy conducted the prosecution and his appeal to the jury in behalf of the - The conductors on the Yadkin defenceless home of a widow, was one of the strongest speeches heard in the Court House in a long time. The jury promptly returned a verdict of guilty a few minutes after court had taken a recess for the day at 6:30 o'clock and Judge Peebles reserved his decision until morning when Mr. Bellamy gave

> new trial. During the day attorneys for Capt. W. H. Pemberton submitted the case against him for assault with a deadly weapon and he was let off upon pay-

notice, he would make a motion for a

ment of costs Albert Smith, a well known colored painter of the city, was found guilty of the larceny of about \$6.00 from a colored drayman on the wharf several months ago, but the jury, which remained out from 11:80 A. M. to 5 P M. recommended the defendant to the mercy of the court. In view of several recommendations of mercy recently, Judge Peebles remarked jocularly when the latter was returned: "I am afraid you gentlemen think I am very savage; you recommend everybody to mercy." He reserved judgment in

Smith's case until this morning. Court met at 10 A. M., as usual, and he sheriff returned the talesmen ordered summoned for the day, with the exception of W. G. Baldwin, W. H. Shearin and R. E. Blake, who were not found. John H. Rehder, John F. Divine, John H. Hintze, J. M. Walker and W. W. Thigpen were excused,

The following routine cases were disposed of: Alberta Bishop, assault with deadly weapon; pleaded guilty and sentenced o pay a fine of ten cents and cost. Henry Moore, wilful damage to

personal property; judgment suspended on payment of costs.

Henry Moore, pleaded guilty of carrying concealed weapons; fined \$25

Lottie Davis, assault with deadly weapon; judgment suspended on pay-

Walter Silvy and Minnie Clark, f and a.; verdict guilty and defendants recommended to the mercy of the court; judgment reserved. Walter Silvy, forcible trespass; case from January term 1902 and motion

### Atlantic Yacht Club.

re-instated on the docket.

At the annual meeting of the At lantic Yacht Club in the Mayor's office at the City Hall Tuesday night Mr. Thos. R. Post was elected president; Mr. E. Schulken, vice president; Mr. George P. James, secretary and treasurer, and Messrs. R. W. Price, J. D. Nutt and B. O. Stone, to constitute the executive committee. The office of purser was created and Mr. C. D. Maffitt was elected to fill the same. Many improvements will be made to the club house before the opening of the season. Another meeting of the club will be held Monday night, 20th.

The following gentlemen have been selected as delegates from St. James' Parish to the Diocesan Council, which convenes in Fayetteville May 20th: Col. W. L. DeRosset, Col. Jno. W. Atkinson, Mr. Wm. Calder and Mr. D. H. Lippitt. Alternates: Maj. Wm. F. Robertson, Messre. F. H. Feehtig, H. C. Prince and Clayton

### New York Truck Market.

Telegraphing last night of the general conditions prevailing in the New York truck market, Mesars. J. & G. Lippmann, the well known produce commission merchants of that city say: "Weather very stormy. Receipts light. General conditions un-

ham Battle by Wilmington Light Infantry Last Night-Company in Remarkably Fine Condition.

The rattle of musketry in the direction of Hilton early last evening prompted many inquiries as to the cause thereof, not only on the streets but in the newspaper offices and at the police station. The Wilmington Light Infantry was indulging in its first sham battle for the spring season, and any alarm as to the crack

of the Springfields was easily allayed. The company, under command of Capt. Alex. P. Adrian, went out to the old golf links on a special car and had an extraordinarily fine skirmish drill and drill in extended order movements in furtherance of orders recently received in view of the organization of the National Guard. The drills were perfectly executed and the voiley firing was pronounced exceed ingly good. One thousand blank carridges were used in the sham battle.

Capt. Adrian divided the company nto two platoons, commanded by Lieuts. Geo. P. James and J. McRee Hatch, respectively. The extended order drill was first observed. Then one platoon was assigned to holding a given position until routed by a sec ond. This second platoon in turn took position behind an embankment, throwing out its pickets, who were discovered by the scouts of the opposing force and utterly routed, their position being taken. After the platoon drill, the men were thrown into company formation and carried through a kirmish drill.

Company C. is now in excellent condition and could easily be recruited to 100 men if such was permissible-The boys are looking for the new kbaki uniforms daily and any day after April 15th, Col. T. H. Bain and an inspector of the U.S. army are expected in connection with an exchange of guns for the new Krag Jorgensens. No official information has been received in regard to the place and time

REV. R. R. GOODSHILD DEAD.

Vell Known Methodist Minister Died in Brooklyn, N. Y., Sanitarium.

Rev. R. B. John, presiding elder of the Wilmington District, M. E. church. vesterday received a telegram announcing the death of Rev. A. R. Goodchild in a sanitarium in Brooklyn, N. Y. whither he had gone for treatment several months ago.

Until last December Rev. Mr. Goodchild was engaged in the active ministry of the Methodist church until preed to give it up by reason of ill health, and last served as pastor of the Southport circuit in the N. C. Conference. He had been in charge of pastorates at Littleton, Bertie and Southport since his transfer from the Virginia Conference in 1889. He was born in London, Eng., and was about 45 years of age. He leaves a wife and hundreds of friends to mourn their loss The interment will be at Windsor. Bertie county, N. C.

### Home on a Puriough.

Calmar D. Walker, of this city, returned home yesterday on a thirty days furlough, after a service of three years in the United States marine corps in China, Japan and the Philippine Islands. He enlisted for five years, and consequently has two more years. He seems, although not yet 21 years old, to have stood it well. He was for a time on the United States monitor Monadnock. His command is now stationed at the United States navy yard at Brooklyn, N. Y., where he will report for duty at the expiration of his leave of absence. Mr. Walker is a son of Mrs. E. J. Walker and a nephew of Mr. J. B. Mercer. both of this city.

The "Royal Grand Bouncers."

The "Royal Grand Bouncers." Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves have elected officers for the ensuing vear as follows: President, W. F. Morris; vice president, Alex Powers; secretary and treasurer, J. E. Bunting. Subsidiary officers were named as follows: W. F. Morris, L. H. E.; J. M. Murphy, R. H.; W. O. Meeks, G. C.; Alex. Powers, G. C.; E. C. Yarborough, C. I.; R. H. Vaughn, K. M. D.; H. Z. Clowe, K. of R. S. M. D. Arrangements are being made for the Line at that point. annual banquet next month.

Wilmington Presbytery.

Wilmington Presbytery met yesterday afternoon at Kenansville, N. C. Rev. Congdon W. Trawick, of this city, was appointed to preside as moderator and Rev. A. McFadyen, of Clarkton, was chosen to act as secretary. Among the delegates in attendance are: Rev. J. M. Wells and Mr. B. F. Hall, from First church; Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure and Mr. J. P. Stewart, from St. Andrew's church; Rev. A. McFadyen and Mr. D. A. McKee, of Clarkton, and Rev. J. C. Story, of Southport.

### Gentry's Dog and Pony Show,

Charleston News and 'Gentry Brother's Dog and Pony Show gave two performances at the Base Ball Park yesterday. The engagement here was closed last night. There was a large attendance at the matinee and again last night and the wonderful intelligence of the animals brought forth the heartiest applause. The Gentry show is run on a greater scale than when it was last seen in this city. There are more trained perthis city. There are more trained performers and the improvement was so marked that it was a matter of favor-able comment. The parade yesterday morning was witnessed by a large

#### SOLDIERS IN FIERCE FIGHT. BOARD OF DIRECTORS GOOD WORK BY THE Y. M. C. A.

**Merchants' Association Members** 

Yesterday Afternoon.

in Regular Monthly Meeting

Il Names Reported to Collection Bureau to Be Compiled for Information of

The Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association held a most interesting and enthusiastic meeting yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. President John H. Rehder presided and Secretary P. Heinsberger was at his post as secretary. In addition to the Directors present there were a number of individual members also, who manifested a lively interest in the proceed ings. Those present, in addition to the officers named, were Vice President C. M. Whitlock, Messrs. W. E. Worth, Marcus W. Jacobi, Sol Bear, J. M. Solky, Geo. O. Gaylord, J. H. Thomas, B. Solomon, A. O. Schuster,

While most of the business was of a routine and private character, there was a general discussion of the good of the organization and those present pledged their support to make the Association what it should be during the coming year.

ant to instructions a book containing all the names reported to the collection bureau since its establishment, to gether with the amounts of claims and disposition of the same, had been compiled and that the manuscript is now in the hands of the printers for publication. The names are arranged in alphabetical order, suitable for ready reference by those who desire to ascertain to whom to extend

a line of credit. The Murchison National Bank was upon application, unanimously elected to membership.

families of each.

A large number of members of the Association were reported delinquent in payment of dues and the secretary was instructed to forward to each a circular letter of the form previously

The secretary's statement of collections from persons reported to the Association by members was very satis.

After transacting other business of a private character, the meeting adjourned.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Caswell, is at The Orton. - Miss Bessie Lucas, of Society

- Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dock left yesterday for a visit to Savannah. - Hon. Chas. F. Warren, of

- J. P. McNeil, Esq., of Florence was here yesterday on professional business. - Miss Callie Black, of Point

McLean Black, of this city. - Friends of Mr. Asa W. Allen will regret to know that he is still

- Mr. J. H. Stone, of Stone

C., is in the city on a business trip. - Mr. P. W. Delano, paymaster, United States Navy, is in the city on

Harriss, 108 South Fifth street. - Messrs, Nathan O'Berry, of Goldsboro; J. F. Woodward, of Warsaw, and D. W. Roper, of Edenton, were arrivals at The Orton last night

MR. R. E. BLAKE A WITNESS.

Assisted in Straightening Out Case o Mistaken Identity in Charlotte.

Mr. R. E. Blake, of the firm of R H. Beery & Blake of this city, has returned from Charlotte where he appeared as witness for E. P. Virgin and W.F. Adams, two young men arrested March 30th in Charlotte on the charge, Davis, that they were implicated in the recent robbery and safe blowing at Mount Olive. The young men were at once dismissed for absolute want of testimony. The Charlotte Observer of yesterday reports Mr. Blake's testi-

mony as follows:

## Interesting Report Made by General Sec-

BOOK OF DELINOUENTS.

Members - Two Deaths An-

nounced-New Member.

W. E Springer and M. G. Tiencken.

The secretary reported that pursu-

The secretary in a feeling manner announced the death of two members since last meeting, viz.: Mr. P. H. Hayden and Col. W. J. Oroswell. Those present spoke of the services of those gentlemen to the community and the secretary was instructed to write a letter of condolence to the

- Mrs. P. L. Bridgers returned yesterday from Raleigb. - Lieut. Philip Yost, of Fort

Hill, S. C., is visiting in the city.

Washington, N. C., is at The Orton.

Caswell, is visiting her sister, Miss Ida

confined to his home by illness.

Brothers Company, Little River, S.

a brief visit, the guest of Mr. Geo. N.

-- Mr. J. A. White and family have removed to Rocky Mount, N. C. Mr. White has taken a position as electrician with the Atlantic Coast

Mr. Blake then made a statement. He said that he was of the firm of Beery & Blake, hardware and stove dealers of Wilmington, this State. He had known the defendants for several years and had done business with them. They had always impressed him as being high-class gentlemen.

"Sunday, the 22nd of March, the gentlemen went to church and took dinner with me," said Mr. Blake, "I also saw them at my church that also saw them at my church that night, the night the postoffice was robbed at Mount Olive, which is 65 miles from Wilmington." He also saw them in Wilmington at 10:80 G'clock the next morning.

retary Dushan to the Board of Directors at a Recent Meeting. Some estimate of the good that has

been and is now being accomplished by the Young Men's Christian Association may be gathered from the following interesting and accurate report made by Secretary Dushan to the Board of Directors at their last meet-On September 1st, 1902, the Associ-

ation owed in bills about the city more than \$1,000, which have all been paid. The running expenses have all been met promptly each month, and there is no reason to doubt the ability to continue doing so. The membership has been increased from 288 to 318. Thirty-two persons have professed conversion to Christianity as a result of the work done in the Sunday after-noon men's meetings and Bible classes. The gymnasium work has been good, 120 different members are enrolled in the classes, and 216 classes have been conducted since Sept. 1st, with an at tendance of 4.525. Nine social events were conducted

with;an attendance of 1,835. The reading room and library have been patronized by about 4,000 men. There have been 32,700 visits to the building. Several visits to the sick were made, others have been helped in various Twenty-six men were directed VAYS. to good boarding houses. Situations have been secured for some men, and other features could be mentioned to show that this institution is doing a good all-round work for the men and boys of the city,

The gymnasium classes will be coninued until June 1st. Dr. McClure's Bible class for young men will continue to meet on Monday evenings at 7 o'clock. A pleasant feature connected with this is the supper which is served to all who attend just previous to the teaching of the lesson. This is free to those who attend, thus enabling men to go direct to the Association from the office or other place of em-ployment, without loss of the time required in going home. The class loses at 8 o'clock and does not interfere with the plans of the evening.
The books of the Old Testament are
now being studied.

Mr. Plagier's Generosity.

The Florida Times Union of yesorder prints a haif tone cut of the handsome new gymnasium just completed at the Florida Agricultural College and donated to the State of Florida by Mr. Henry M. Flagler at a cost of \$20,000. It is described as one of the most striking buildings in point all know Mr. Dick, who has been s of architecture on this continent, for it is of the strict Oriental style, being a copy of one of the finest palaces in

Florence Ice Factory Destroyed.

Weston's ice factory at Florence was completely destoyed by fire early yesterday morning, causing a loss of \$12,000, against which there was \$6,000 insurance. The plant was 15 tons capacity and was completed late last Summer. The first fire thad been started in the factory the day before it

DIED. HAAR—At 2:30 A. M., Wednesday, April 2th, 1903, MARGARETA, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Haar, aged two months and seven

was burned.

Funeral services will be held at the house, 10 outh Front street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS STEAMER WILMINGTON

Will make her regular trip to Southport and out to sea Sunday, April 12th. Leaves 9:30 A. M., arrives back at 6:30 P. M. Fare 25 cents for the

To the Voters of Wilmington. I respectfully announce that I am a cand late for re-election to the Mayoralty.

## Good Friday.

TO-MORROW. GOOD FRIDAY Our place of business will be

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### APRIL 10TH

BEING GOOD FRIDAY, NO BUSI-

NESS WILL BE TRANSACTED BY

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past twenty years.

Mr. Reilly, my nephew, has been in charge of the business for the past several years and is thoroughly familiar with it. I will personally guarantee that all business entrusted to their care will be handled with dispatch and integrity. Thanking my friends for their generous patronage,

I am yours, very sincerely, D. O'CONNOR.

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April 4th, 1903.

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To the Voters of Third Ward.

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TO WHOM THIS MAY

I hereby notify the public that I have this day purchased the wrecked Schooner J. H. Buttrick and cargo, and all persons are hereby warned not to trade for any of the cargo or trespass on said wreck.

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CONCERN.

Wilmington, N. C., April 6, 1903. SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS.

I announce myself a candidate for Alderman from the First Ward, subject to the Demo-