WEATHER REPORT.

ork markets: Money on call steady

2@2; per cent.; cotton quiet at

.75c; flour steady; wheat-spot easy.

o. 2 red 821c; corn-spot quiet, No. 2

te; oats-spot dull, No. 2 38e; rosin

eady; spirits turpentine quiet at 491

U.S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,) WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., May 4. Meteorological data for the twenty-

ours ending at 8 P. M .: Temperatures: S A. M., 63 degrees; P. M., 61 degrees; maximum, 75 deees; minimum, 57 degrees; mean, 66

Bainfall for the day, 1.32; rainfall nce 1st of the month to date, 1.46

Stage of water in the Cape Fear ver at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. unday 9.8 feet. COTTON REGION BULLETIN. Temperatures are somewhat higher n most districts. Fair weather has

ontinued in the central and western

ections. Local rains have fallen in he eastern districts. FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, May 4.-For North Carolina: Fair Tuesday, except howers along the coast. Wednes-

ay fair; light northeast winds be-

oming variable. Port Almanac-May 5.

6.50 P. M.

in Sets.....

With an advance of \$2 a hundred n beef, the Beef Trust got back hat \$25,000 Missouri fine long ago.

o make cotton the leading crop of Porto Rico, which is said to be well dapted to it. The estimated output of gold in

It is said that efforts are on foot

he Klendike for the present year \$15,000,000; \$3,000,000 more han last year. That \$1,500,000 given by Mr.

arnegie for a Temple of Peace at The Hague may also be a donation to Carnegie Temple of Fame." That Sicilian, who was found

Z. W. Whitehead, Sunday received a kuilty of sixty-three offences and handsomely framed picture as a prize whose sentences aggregate 189 years, for punctuality and good scholarship at the First Presbyterian church Sunseems to be in for life, unless he can eneak out some way. day school. - It is estimated that nearly a

Canada hasn't any Chinese exclusion act, but she charges them \$100 head tax for the privilege of quatting in that country. That's a pretty good exclusion act.

This country isn't as short on charge of the Corps of U. S. Engineers volcanoes as some people think. There are 18 in the States and 11 at Wilmington, has also been placed in charge of the Norfolk disn Alaska. As a general thing they trict, vice Col. J. B. Quinn, who has are on a vacation, but occasionally been transferred to Savannah. There one of them resumes operations. is a scarcity of competent men in this branch of the government service, hence the assignment of Capt. Wins-

President Baer told the Interstate Commerce Commission, in New York, that as boss of the coal combine he has "the power to close the mines." And he does it, too, when he concludes that is the thing to do.

It is said that Tom Johnson, of Cleveland, deprecates the movemevement to boost him as the Democratic candidate for the Presidency. He thinks he has work enough in Cleveland to keep him busy for a long time. We hope everybody will agree with him.

A Texas editor of an enquiring turn of mind wants to know what Would be thought of men if they had their pantaloons made a foot or to too long and then went around holding them up? They would Probably be considered loony. But some do have them several inches too long and roll them up, because it is "English you know."

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'TIS ELECTION DAY

Polls Open at Sun Rise This

Morning and Close at Sun

Set This Evening.

Absence of Opposition to the Democratic

Nominees Brings a Peaceful State

of Affairs-Charter Will Be

Adopted or Rejected,

The city election to-day will be a

very quiet affair in the absence of an

opposition ticket to that put out by

the Democrats in their recent primary.

The polling places will be the same

as for the primary and the polis will

be open from sun rise to sun set. Only

those who registered during the ten

days preceding last Seturday a week

ago are eligible to vote in the election.

The registration was very light and

the indications are that the vote will

The acceptance or rejection of the

new city charter, recently published

as a-supplement to the STAR,

will be determined by a majori-

ty of the votes cast for or against

the measure. Ballots have been

printed both for and against the

charter, and they may be found at the

various polling places. There appears

very little general concern about the

matter, and it may be rejected or it

may be adopted. The average citizen

seems to care little one way or an-

other. Mr. Meares, author of the

The election officers at the various

First Ward —Registrar, R. G. Holmes; inspectors, W. G. Brinkley

and J. A. Lewis.

Second Ward — Begistrar C. H.

Ward; inspectors, P. Heinsberger,

Sr., and W. W. Hodges.

Third Ward—A. G. Hankins, registrar; inspectors, C. O. Alexander and

Fifth Ward-Registrar, John W.

Gafford; inspectors, T. G. Landen and

LOCAL DOTS.

- The tug Lillian has gone in

dry dock for repairs to her boiler and

- Friends in the city of Mr. W

R. Walker, of Currie, will regret to

know that he is very low with typhoid

- Campbell Encampment No. 1.

I. O. O. F., last night conferred the

Patriarch and Golden Rule' degrees

- Florence, S. C., had a sacred

concert Sunday night by Helen May

Butler's Band, a female organization

- By deed filed for record yester-

day J. T. Foy and wife transferred to

C. R. Anderson for \$950, house and lot

on west side of Front, between Queen

and Wooster streets, 85x109 feet in size.

- A Baptist church was organ-

ized at Atkinson, N. C., Sunday with

65 members. Rev. J. J. Payseur was

called to serve the church as pastor;

Mr. Clarence Barnhill was elected

clerk and Mr. Aden Harrell treasurer.

a fine opossum on the wharf, near the

foot of Princess street, Sunday night.

His friends knew he was pretty good

to catch "coons," but did not know he

had gone into the "'possum" business.

- A telegram to Henry Lane from

Newbern last night brought the intel-

ligence that the Wilmington Black

Stockings had defeated Schenck's base-

ball team of Newbern by a score of 9

to 7. The contesting teams were col-

- Miss Annie Dawes Whitehead.

the attractive young daughter of Mr.

thousand persons went on Knight's ex-

cursion to Newbern yesterday. Over

700 tickets were sold and many boarded

the train without tickets. Capts.

C. R. Branch and L. C. Jones were in

- Capt. Evelyth E. Winslow, in

Members of the arrangement com-

mittee of the recent very elaborate

exercises attending the flag presenta-

tion by the Jr. O. U. A. M., have re-

ceived a cordial invitation to visit the

Union School, Thursday morning at

11 o'clock, and go through the various

departments at that excellent institu-

tion. The invitation will be accepted

and members of the committee will be

delighted with what they see and hear.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

charge of the train.

low to the dual position.

"Juniors" Will Visit School.

- Policeman C. E. Wood caught

upon two candidates.

playing at popular prices.

the measure, will vote against it.

polling places will be as follows:

C T. Wade.

. F. Littleton.

repainting.

man and A. L. DeRosset.

be lighter.

INTEREST WHATEVER.

THE MORNING STAR.

WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1903.

DAILY STRAWBERRY REPORT.

Prices Declining, But Luscious Pruit Contiques to Go North in Train Loads. New York Quetations.

Saturday's and Sunday's shipments of strawberries through South Rocky Mount amounted to 139 refrigerator cars and 1,122 crates by Southern Ex-

Saturday's shipments were distribated as follows: Pittsburg, 14 cars and 4 crates by express: New York, 13 cars and 117 crates; Buffalo and Cleveland. 4 cars each; Boston, 9 cars and 22 crates; Philadelphia, 7 cars and 27 crates; Newark, 3 cars and 10 crates: Albany, 3 cars: Scranton and Detroit, cars each; Baltimore, 1 car and 19 crates; Washington, 1 car and 15 crates; Wilmington, Del., 1 car and 22 crates; Providence, 1 car and 82 crates; Worcester, Binghampton, Columbus, Cincinnati, Montreal and Toronto, 1 car each; Chester, 12 crates; Rich-

mond, 14 crates. Sunday's shipments were distributed as follows: Boston, 11 cars; New York, 9 cars and 182 crates by express; Newark, 5 cars, 19 crates; Philadelphia, 5 cars, 221 crates; Pittsburg, 5 cars; Elmira, 4 cars; Baltimore, 3 cars, 154 crates; Springfield, 3 cars, 27 crates; Buffalo, 3 cars; Hartford, New Haven, Pittsfield, Erie, Wilkesbarre and Utica, 2 cars each; Washington, 1 car, 74 crates; Worcester, Norwich, Waterbury, Scranton, Syracuse, Binghampton and Columbus, 1 car each; Wilmington, Del., 22 crates; Chester, 14 crates; Richmond, 37 crates; Providence, 5 crates; interior New York and Pennsylvania points, 2 crates, and Virginia points, 8

crates. The following special telegram relative to the New York berry and vegetable market was received bo the STAR last night:

NEW YORK, May 4.—Berries to-day were generally eight to twelve cents, but some in poor order were lower. Peas are in excellent demand at from \$1.25 to \$1.75. Cabbage are dull and Fourth Ward-Registrar, Thomas dragging at from 75 cents to \$1.50. J. & G. LIPPMANN Wholesale Produce Commission Mer-

THE OLD BRUNSWICK PILORIMAGE.

Large Crowd Will Attend If the Weather

is Favorable-Steamer Schedule. If the weather is at all favorable a large number of people will enjoy a delightful day's outing in the annual pilgrimage of the Colonial Dames and their friends to Old Brunswick to-day. A programme of interesting exercises has been arranged as published in these columns a few days ago and those who attend will have a rare historical and educational treat before them. Following very appropriate memorial services there will be interesting historical addresses by Mr. James Sprunt, Mr. William Calder

and Col. A. M. Waddell. The steamer Wilmington will leave the city at 9:30 o'clock and will return about 5:30 o'clock. Capt. Harper has kindly made a round-trip rate of 35 cents for all who attend. Cistern

LOGAL MARKETS AND SHIPPING Schooners Arriving and Departing-Pine

water will be on the grounds free to all.

Standard Oil Company Steamer. Schooner Mount Hope, hence for Boston, passed out at Southport at

9:20 A. M. yesterday. Schooner Mabel Hall, 144 tons, arrived Sunday from New York with

cargo of cement for the Southern Cement and Supply Co., of Charleston. She is discharging at the S. A. L. wharf for interior shipment. The magnificent steamer Colonel E.

L. Drake, just completed by the Standard Oil Company and one of the largest and finest that ever entered the port, arrived Sunday from Philadelphia and cleared early yesterday morning for Charleston, S. C. She is 30 feet longer than a city block and has a capacity of 35,000 barrels of oil. Capt. Rubelli, formerly of the Maverick, was in command.

County Board of Education,

There was no quorum and consequently no formal meeting of the County Board of Education last night. Mr. W. H. Sprunt, acting chairman of the Board, Superintendent Catlett and J. P. O'Sullivan, resigned. present, however, and discussed informally a number of educational matters. Messrs. Samuel Northrop and C. W. Worth, of City School Committee No. 2, were present early in the evening and it was expected that a successor to the lamented Capt. W. R. Kenan as a member of the committee, would be elected, but in the absence of a quorum of the Board of Education, no action could be taken.

To Atlanta and New Orleans. Col. W. J. Woodward left last night for Atlanta to attend the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, he having been recently appointed a delegate from this State by Gov. Aycock. From Atlanta Col. Woodward will go to New Orleans to attend the Confederate Reunion. Col. Woodward, aside from being a member of General Gordon's staff, is chairman of the social function committee, and it is necessary that he be on the grounds early.

Carolina Day.

W. E. Worth & Co.-Pure ice. The parents and guardians of the Chas. Anderson & Co.-The only pupils of the Hemenway school and restaurant. other friends are cordially invited to be present at the exercises, celebrating BUSINESS LOCALS. "Carolina Day," this evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Hemenway school

Wanted-Salesmen.

Wauted-Situation as clerk.

PASSING OF ALDERMEN

Present Board Held Its Farewell **Monthly Business Meeting** Last Night.

AN UNIMPORTANT SESSION

Members Have No Desire to Take Ad vantage of Technicalities and Hold Over-Will Obviate All Possibility of Confusion To-night.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night was in the nature of a "farewell greeting." No new business of importance was proposed, and as the chairmen of the committees made the usual routine reports, each one sat down apparently with a sigh of relief. Just before adjournment the possibility of the present Board's holding over as the result of an irregular registration, was suggested, but there was no apparent disposition on the part of any one to take advantage of the technicality. In fact, the Board evidenced a desire to remove alf possible doubt of the legal constitution of the incoming Board and there were severel offers to resign forthwith and elect as their successors the nominees of the recent Democratic primaries in the several wards. While such action was not deemed absolutely necessary, City Attorney Bellamy gave his opinion that it would be on the safe side to do so, and read extracts from a letter from the Attorney General sup-

porting that position. Alderman Johnson said that he had conferred with Alderman-elect W. H. Yopp, of Third ward, in reference to the matter and the new Board would be glad of any action along the line suggested. Finally, upon motion of Mr. Johnson; it was agreed to hold a called meeting to-night, at which it is understood that all members of the old will then have all the prestige of the the neighborhood of \$2,000. present Board and after to-morrow to

choice in to-day's election. Alderman C. L. Spencer, of First ward, said he might not be able to be present to-night and asked that his resignation be accepted at once, as it would not inconvenience the Board in any way. Mr. Spencer's resignation was accepted and upon motion of his colleague, Mr. Z. E. Murrell, Mr. J. A. Karr, the nominee of the primaries, was unanimously elected to succeed

B. Cooper presided in his absence. The following members of the Board were in attendance: Messrs. Murrell, Spencer, Sweeney, VonGlahn, Johnson, Hashagen, Bailey, Tiencken and Upon application of Mrs. E. P. Peck, \$154 90 in taxes erroneously paid by her was ordered refunded with inter-

Mayor Waddell was not present at

the meeting and Mayor pro tem. W

est from Dec. 1st, 1900, at six per cent. Application of W. E. Mayo for back tax abatement was referred to the Finance Committee with power to act. A communication from W. S. Walker relative to an old hose wagon, was referred to the Fire Committee. License tax paid by the Southern Stereopticon Advertising Company. amounting to \$50, was refunded the rights under privilege having never been exercised.

The usual reports were read and ordered on file. Chief Schnibben, of the Fire Department, reported 17 alarms during the month, the total amount of damage for April not ex/ ceeding \$8,000 including the steamer Compton fire. Ootton Weigher Geo.T. Bland reported the inspection of 122 cattle and the payment of \$18,30 into the treasury. The Superintendent of Health reported 47 deaths during the month-21 white and 26 colored. There were 41 births-11 white and 30 colored. The health officers made 4,869 inspections; issued 748 lime and acid orders and did 7 fumigations. Only one case of typhoid fever was reported. The carts collected and hauled 1,165 loads of trash and the scavengers reported 1,896 closets attended to. The City Attorney reported the collection of \$917.39 back taxes.

S. G. Watson and N. Tatum were elected firemen vice B. N. Horne and Treasurer H. McL. Green were Chairman Cooper, in reporting for the committee, said that as he was soon to leave the public service, he desired to say that his association with the department, especially with the Chief, had been very pleasant Chief Schnibben had made an excel lent officer and he desired to commend

> Committee reports were further called, but few of them had anything to report. Chairman Johnson, of the Streets and Wharves Committee, said that he was sorry to say that he had unable to grade Red Uro street, toward the colored cemetery, as the Board had recommended. The Board of Audit and Finance had decided to employ no further carts outside those regularly in the de partment of streets and wharves and that had precluded the possibility of accomplishing what he had hoped to do along that line. He submitted a written report to the effect that in addition to the ordinary street work, about 500 feet of drain pipe has been laid from near the James Walker Memorial Hospital, extending down the ravine east of the building, abating a nuisance which has been very annoying to that community for some time, The work of laying the surface drain on Dock, between Water and Fourth street, is progressing and is nearly half | resigned and gone to Decatur. Ala.,

Onesnut; north side of Ohesnut, bestween ODD FELLOW TEMPLE T Third and Fourth; Sixth between Dock and Orange; one half of block on south side of Dock, between Second and Third. Some repair work has also been done on Market street from Tenth to Seventeenth and some repairs on Seventh, from Grace to Ann streets; also on Fourth from Red

Cross to Campbell streets. Aside from a discussion of a few items of back tax matters upon which no action was taken, there was nothing else of interest before the Board and adjournment was taken at 9:15 o'eleck.

ENJOYABLE PYTHIAN RECEPTION.

Many Ladies Entertained in New Gastle

Hall Last Night-Furnishings. Despite the threatening weather the reception by the Pythians to the ladies of the city from to 11 o'clock last night in the handsome new Castle Hall on the third floor of the Murchison National Bank building, was well attended and heartily enjoyed. Music was furnished by the Italian harpers and every one was most cordially received. Chocolate was served by a committee of ladies were presented as souvenirs and the gentlemen received as a memento of

the occasion a sprig of myrtle. Of course the greatest interest was in an inspection of the handsome new lodge furniture recently purchased with a part of last Fall's carnival proceeds. The reception and reading rooms as well as the hall proper have elegant pieces of weathered oak furniture with leather upholstering. The chairs for the officers are massive and each bears upon the front a K. of P. monogram, with the exception of that of the Chancellor Commander which has the monogram of Stonewall, Clarendon and Jefferson lodges, interlocked with the

The reception last night was under that will be added the legality of their | the auspices of the joint Hall Committee of the three lodges named and consists of Messre. J. D Nutt, W. C. Smith and O. D. Weeks,

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Miss Rosa Battle, of Raleigh,

is the guest of Miss Laura Clark.

- Mrs. S.P. Collier, Jr., of Jacksonville, Fla., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Collier, North Front street. - Friends will regret to know that Master Claude Cooper, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cooper, is seriously sick with pneumonia. - Miss Ola Mitchell, music

teacher in the Excelsior High School of Atkinson, is in Wilmington taking special courses under the instruction of Miss Cannie Chasten and Mrs. J. D. Ed wards. - Raleigh News and Observer

"Mr. Claude Hardy arrived in the city from Vance county yesterday and left last night for Wilmington, where he takes a position with the Wilmington Electric Supply and Construction Company." - Great Sachem W. H. Lane,

Great Sannap J. M. McGowan, and Messrs. E. P. H. Strunck and J. A. Deans, representatives of Eyota and Cherokee tribes, I. O. R. M., respectively, will leave to-day to attend the Great Council pow-wow in Washington, N. C., this week.

AN APPROAGHING MAY WEDDING.

Miss Jane Meares Harriss Will Become the Bride of Mr. Delano.

Friends in the city and elsewhere will be interested in the following announcement, contained in invitations mailed only to friends outside the city yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. George Nehemiah Harriss

request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Jane Meares, Mr. Philip Warland Delano,

United States Navy, on Tuesday evening, May the nineteeenth Nineteen hundred and three. at six o'clock, at Saint James' Church, Wilmington, North Carolina,

Admission to the church will be by card. Miss Harriss is very popular among the young society people, and Lieut. Delano, during several brief visits to the city, has made many friends. The announcement will be received with much interest by the friends of both young people.

JURORS IN SUPERIOR COURT.

Those Drawn by County Commissioners Yesterday to Serve at May Term. serve for the one-week term of New

Monday, May 25th, for the trial of both civil and criminal matters :

both civil and criminal matters:
Jno. H. Woebse, Jno. L. Wilkins,
Henry D. Stanland, J. W. Oreasey,
W. H. Barden, J. M. Bryan, L. B.
Rogers, Wm. B. Crumpler, T. M. Turrentine, T. J. Herring, B. S. Montford, W. E. Davis, A. E. Carter, D.
L. Gore, A. Shrier, C. D. Gore, G. A.
Warren, R. S. Merritt, J. M. Bunting,
Thos. McMillan, B. R. Stone, C. W.
Woolard, B. O. Stone, Ellijah A. Todd,
Jno. Frank, Owen Martindale, Silas
Sneeden, Josh G. Skipper, C. H. Dollar,
J. C. Gore, C. VonGiahn, James
Millan, J. O. Biggs, H. C. Porter, W.
P. Burns, Waiter G. MacRae. - Herbert K. Gilbert, A. C. L. time-keeper in the Florence shops, has

Cape Fear Lodge Purchased Third and Princess Street Site Yesterday Afternoon.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Regular Monthly Meeting-Dr. McMillan Re-elected Superintendent of Health. The Federal Point Fence-Back Tax Collection Agreement.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Comissioners, upon which all members were in attendance, vesterday afternoon, probably the most notable action was the sale of a portion of the old Court House lot, at northwest corner of Third and Princess streets, to Cape Fear Lodge No. 2. Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the price paid having been \$4,250. The portion of the lot purchased by the Odd Fellows extends 66 feet on Third and 80 feet on Princess street. Upon the site the Odd Fellows of the city will erect a handsome temple without unnecessary delay. Cape-Fear Lodge was represented at the consisting of Mrs. J. D. Nutt. Mrs. S. | sale by Messrs. W. L. Smith (chair-H. Burtt and Mrs. A. B. Sandlin. To man), W. H. Yopp, S. Behrends and the ladies handsome Japanese fans M. W. Jacobi, who with Mr. A. H. Oreasy, constitute the Building Com-

mittee. The sale of the property is pursuant to and by authority of an act of the last General Assembly, the proceeds of the sale to go into the sinking fund for the liquidation of the new Court House bonds. In response to advertisement in the city papers there were two bids as follows: Herbert McClammy and Furney G. Gooding, who offered \$3,750, and Cape Fear Lodge, I. O. O. F., which bid \$4,156.50. After discussion, it was decided to reject both bids. The Odd Fellows then made a verbal offer of \$4,250 for immediate consummation and same was accepted, Board will resign and the new mem- triangle emblem of the order, the back- subject to approval of the Board of bers are requested to be present so as ground being of Pythian colors. The Magistrates, who have been called to to qualify and be sworn in. They furnishings as they now stand cost in | meet in the Court House Thursday at | Trial of Gases Will Begin This noon. The general opinion is that the

property brought a good sum and it is expected that the magistrates will ratify the sale without delay. The usual reports were read and ordered on file. That of Dr. W. D. McMillan, superintendent of health, shows that during the month of April 114 patients were treated in the office and that 16 were treated at their homes. All the county institutions were reported in good sanitary condition. There was one case of fever in the convict camp, but that was brought in by a convict from another county. Except a few cases of whooping cough and mumps there was no contagious disease in the county during April. The register of deeds reported the payment of \$28.50 into the treas-

and the Clerk of the Superior Court reported the payment into the treasury of \$364.76 in fees accrueing from that When the reports had been concluded the Commissioners took a recess and pursuant to law, the County Board of Sanitation met for the purpose of electing a superintendent of health. All members of the Board of Commissioners were present and the only member of the medical profession in attendance was Dr. Edward J. Wood. Dr. W. D. McMillan was unanimously re-elected at the same salary as present, viz: \$1,200 per year. Dr. Wood, who was one of the board of physicians which recently visited the convict camp for the purpose of ascertaining the true situation relative to the sanitary conditions there, took

occasion to congratulate the county

ury as revenue from marriage licenses

upon the excellent management and regulations as to health and sanitation which obtain at the quarters. The Sanitary Board having adjourned, the Commissioners resumed their session. The injunction complaint recently filed by Capt. J. W. Harper and others against the building of the Federal Point fence was read and discussed, after which the chairman of the Board was authorized to take such action in the matter as he deemed advisable. Geo. Rountree, Esq., will represent the county in the hearing before Judge Peebles at Clinton on May 15th and private property owners in Federal Point township, who desire the fence and a dissolution of the injunction, will be represented by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy.

Application of Chas. Allen and wife, colored, of Masonboro township, for relief on the outdoor poor list, was referred to the finance committee with power to act.

Two bids received by Chairman Robertson for the building of Federal Point fence were referred to the clerk of the Board with instructions to file same unopened until the injunction matter is disposed of. Application of Joseph H. Hinton,

manager, to retail liquor at the Seashore Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach, as the endorsees were not property Hanover Superior Court, convening owners in the township, and no action was taken upon same. Application of W. E. Mayo for re-

lief from back taxes, listed erroneously, was referred to the finance committee for adjustment. The agreement between Bellamy &

Bellamy and the commissioners for the collection of back taxes of the county was read, and upon motion the chairman signed the same and it becomes in full force and effect at once. By the terms of the agreement, Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy take absolute control of the books and papers as they now stand and agree to collect the claims as far as possible, charging therefor 10 per cent. on all collections

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THE UNITED STATES COURT.

Large Number of Jurors, Witnesses

and Defendants Here.

H. C. McQUREN, President.

The United States District Court was convened by Marshal H. O. Dockery in this city yesterday, but was immediately adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock when the hearing of cases will begin. There are about 100 defendants for trial, but the charge in most instances is "retailing" and the cases are without interest

One or two postoffice cases continued from last term will be heard. Judge Thos. R. Purnell, who will preside at the term, arrived yesterday afternoon; Marshal Dockers came yesterday morning and District Attorney Harry Skinner came Sunday. A large number of jurors, witnesses and defendants from adjoining counties are in attendance.

Deputy Marshal H. B. Everett and force of assistants arrived in the city Sunday night from Fayetteville with eleven prisoners, all colored, for trial at this term of the court. They were placed in the county jail, and are as follows: Sarah Butler, West Cain, Archie Smith, Wright Smith, Charles Butler, Will Hopkins, Simon Patrick, Judge Surles, A. J. Johnson, D. Dixon and Jack Russell. Yesterday afternoon Deputy Marshal

R. I. Stone arrived with four prisoners from Robeson county.

The jurors summoned for the term from the various counties in the district are as follows:

New Hanover—James Elder, Thos. D. Meares, D. C. Love, Geo. Honnett, Sr., Wm. Goodman, Ed. A. Orrell, Brunswick—R. W. McKeithan, Mar-tin White, W. T. Gilbert, E. W. Taylor, E. B. Stevens. Columbus-W. H. Thompson, Ira Lennon, Forney Richardson, C. T.

Bladen-Thos. J. Freeman, James Sherman, R. C. Squires, John D. Cur-rie, Robt. H. Marshburn. Robeson-Alexander Parham, W R. McNeill, A. C. Oliver, R. F. Currie, Scotland—E. L. McNair, G. W. Wright, W. R. Spivey, J. A. Russell, Richmond—Billie Watkins, B. Whiting, W. N. Everett, S. T. Cooper. Cumberland—J. A. Gainey, A. D. McGill, W. O. Fields, A. G. Thorn

Sampson—L. R. Highsmith, Luke L. Kennedy, Geo. H. James, Marshall Duplin—G. F. Jones, John A. Ga-vin, Sr., W. B. Southerland, Samuel

B. Newton' Daniel Moore. Pender—J. F. Johnson, G. P. Dun-can, Jesse F. Lucas, Elijah Shiver, F.

NEW METHOD OF TURPENTINING. The Herty System Recommended by North

Carolina Agricultural Board. RALEIGH, N. C., May 4.—Permit me

brough your paper to call the attention of all turpentine operators in your section to the fact that a new method of working turpentine forests has been devised by the Forestry Division of the United States Department of Agriculture whereby the product of a stated number of trees is doubled and required is nearly halved. The new method is not expensive to install and will more than pay for itself out of the increased profits of the first sea-son. Those who want to try this method should apply to the Department of Agriculture in Washington for further information. The Department will send an expert free of charge to start the work. Respectfully, GERALD MOCARTHY,
Biologist, N. O. Dept. Agriculture.

Mayor's Court Yesterday.

Nathan Williams, colored, for gambling, and Charles Hopkins, colored, for carrying concealed weapons, were committed to jail for the Superior Court in default of \$35 bonds by the Mayor yesterday. Minnie Clark, colored, for abetting in registmade without suit, and 20 per cent. Ing arrest the negro, who was shot by completed. Granite curbing has been to take a position in the L. & N. where suit is brought. Settlement is Policeman George Saturday night, to be made with the county monthly. was given 30 days on the roads.

SACRED CONCERT SUNDAY.

Enjoyed by Large Audience in Academy of Music - Disapproval from the Pulpits. The Great Musicians Gone.

The sacred concert in the theatre Sunday night by the Duss Metropolitan Orchestra was very well attended and highly enjoyed. Mme. Nordica did not sing, but many were charmed by the solos of Mile. Electa Gifford and Nahan Franko, who were pronounced equally as artistic in their work as Nordica and DaReszke. The appearance of the company on a Sunday evening called forth a storm of disapproval from not a few pulpits and members of several congregations were exhorted not to attend. Mr. Duss during the evening referred to the objection and made a talk from the stage, upholding the propriety of the

Mme. Nordica spent a quiet Sunday. She attended St. Thomas' Catholic church in the morning and went for a carriage drive down the beautiful shell road in the afternoon. Accompapied by her maid she gathered a carriage full of wild flowers and appeared to be greatly delighted with

Mr. Duss, M. DeReszke, Nahan Franko, Manager Johnson and wife, and a number of leading members of the company were guests of Mr. J. M. Bolky for a trip to the sound during the afternoon, and at 6 o'clock Mr. Solky entertained them at dinner at the home of Mrs. Amelia Frank, No. 411 Chesnut street.

The concert party, numbering 83 in all, left at 8 o'clock yesterday morning on a special train over the A. C. L. via Goldsboro, for Charlotte. The train consisted of one Pullman private car, Pullman sleeper, two day and one baggage coaches. Mr. J. C. Lord, the popular chief clerk in the office of General Passenger Agent Craig, accompanied the party at the personal request of Mr. Duss, who paid the young railroad man a high compli-

- Mrs. James I. Metts has returned from Raleigh where she attended the Denson-Raney wedding.

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