IN THE STATE.

OUTLINES.

A party of Jews attacked and stabbed the editor of the anti-semitic newspaper in Kishineff. — The motormen and conductors of the street PARADE THIS AFTERNOON railway in Richmond, Va., have struck for increased pay, a nine-hour day and recognition of the union. -Judge Shaw refused to continue the trial of the men charged with the murder of J. Percy Jones, at Wilson, N. C.; the trial will begin Friday. University of Pennsylvania has conferred the degree of doctor of laws upon President Venable, of the Uni. versity of North Carolina. - James T. Metcalf, superintendent of the money order system of the Postoffice Department, has been removed. on conditions in the Washington postoffice. -- The Southern association of hosiery manufacturers at its meeting in Asheville agreed to advance prices 10 per cent. -- Orick Davis. in Ashe county, N. C., murdered Levi

Barker and fatally injured Alfred Barker. -- New York markets: Money on call steady at 2@21 percent. ; cotton quiet at 12.50c; flour was firm; wheatspot steady, No. 2 red 84tc; corn-spot firm, No. 2 571c; oats-spot stronger. No. 2 43 %c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine firm at 491@50c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., June 17. Meteorological data for the twentyfour hours ending at 8 P. M .: l'emperatures: 8 A. M., 72 degrees 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 86 derees; minimum, 65 degrees; mean, 76

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfail since 1st of the month to date, 5.12.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN. districts except the New Orleans, where local showers have fallen. Temperatures are somewhat higher in all sections, the greatest rise occurring in the Guif States.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, June 17,-For North Carolina -Showers; cooler in central portion; Friday fair and warmer; yari-

Port Almanac-June 18,

	The Date of the Land
Sun Rises	4.41 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.19 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 86 M.
High Water at Southport.	1.28 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	3.58 P. M.

Anyhow, King Alexander got "first blood."

The woman's hat-pin is rapidly coming to the front as a deadly

If Peterkarageorgevitch proves every inch a king measured by his name he'll be a stunner.

The Breathitt county assassins don't need lawyers. The rifle and the shot gun speak louder than

Gov. Bailey, of Kansas, received proposals of marriage from 2,000 women, and then a "rank outsider" won the race.

Editor Hoey, of the Shelby Star, is to be congratulated on the enlargement and improvement of his most excellent paper.

Anson county has 150 acres in tobacco. And Wilmington will be prepared to pay the highest prices for the crop when marketed.

"lurn the rascals out" once proved an effective slogan for the Democrats, and it appears now that Il may do good service in 1904.

Wall street is alternately a bull pen and a bear garden. Between the goring of the bulls and the equeezing of the bears the lambs have a hard time.

The Sun says the Saengerfest has brought 5,000 active singers to Baltimore. Then, the sweet little Orioles will have to hide their diminished heads.

The following appears in the paragraph column of the Atlanta Journal: 'Wanted - three straights from Nashville." What's the matter with your home "licker?"

It is hard to believe that the cash drawer of the Durham Herald was robbed of \$35 in money. Will our

contemporary kindly send us his get rich-quick formula? The President having delivered

himself of a sermon and attended the Hanna wedding since his return from the "wild and woolly West," is now open for an engagement as centre rush on a football team.

Referring to the fact that this paragrapher is a 'Squire, Robinson, of the Durham Sun, hurls at us such vile epithets as "non mi ricordo" and "nulli secundus." You're another. You are an old primus inter pares. That now.

The Morning Star. GRAND COMMANDERY

Annual Conclave, Knights Templar, of North Carolina Now Being Held Here.

Entertainment of the Visitors Yesterday. Grand Chapter and Annual Assembly, Council of Royal and Select Masters-Notes.

The Masons who are here attending the Grand Chapter, Grand Commandery and assembly of the Royal Council spent yesterday morning and afternoon in the pursuit of pleasure and it was provided in abundance by the local committee of entertainment. More rottenness in postal affairs is For an outing the day was perfect disclosed by the report of inspectors and the visitors and their friends seemed to enjoy every minute of the



Prominent North Carolina Mason and Presiding Officer of Grand Commandery Knights Templar, Now in Annual Con-clave Here.

time and were profuse in their expressions of appreciation. The morning was spent on the water, a trip having been made to Southport on the steamer "Wilmington." Besides the visiting Masons and their friends, many members of the order in Wilmington and a number of ladies were in the party. The ladies served a very delicious luncheon aboard the boat. Returning to the city early in the afternoon the party went down to Wrightsville Beach on trolley cars and spent some time enjoying the numerous pleasures of the seashore. The entire outing was a great success from a standpoint of pleasure and will long be remembered by all who composed the party. The annual convocation of the Grand Commandery was held last night in the Temple, with Grand Commander Jno. C. Drewry, of Raleigh, in the chair. The other officers of the Commandery present were as

follows: Dep. Grand Commander, J. K. Norfleet, of Winston.

Grand Generalissimo, F. Ulrich, of Grand Captain General, L. A. Dods-Grand Junior Warden, T. S. Franklin, of Charlotte. Grand Treasurer, Wm. Simpson, of

Grand Recorder, J. C. Munds, of Wilmington. Grand Standard Bearer, J. H. Foote, Grand Sword Bearer, John Thames, of Greensboro.

Grand Warden, W. Anderson, of Grand Inspector, F. M. Moye, of

Grand Sentinel, R. H. Bradley, of The Grand Commander read his an-

nual address and announced the following standing committees: Oredentials—W. W. Gregg, W. H. Bain, G. A. Page.

Doings of Grand Officers—Jas. H.
Southgate, F. M. Moye, E. S. Martin.
Charter and Dispensations—E. B.



JNO. H. HOLMES, OF ST. LOUIS, mperial Prince D. O. O. K., Who Is Officially Visiting Suez Temple at Wrightsville.

Neave, W. H. Bain, J. H. Foote. Finance and Accounts-A. B. Andrews, Jr., Lat Williams, M. S. Wil-

Appeals and Grievances-S. J. Cain, Next Place of Annual Conclave—F. T. Merriwether, W. H. Bain, M. S.

Templar Jurisprudence—M. D. Bailey, M. S. Willard, W. E. Stone.
Fraternal Correspondence—James

H. Southgate.
Necrology—G. A. Page, E. Norden,
J. G. Glenn.
Unfinished Business—J. H. Foote,
Anderson, E. Norden. Jr., W. Anderson, E. Norden. Returns-U. M. Robinson, P. A. Wilson, T. S. Franklin.

The Commandery adjourned until 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, after which Plantagenet Commandery No. 1, Knights Templar, of Wilmington, met. Officers and Sir Knights appeared in full uniform. The Valiant and Magnanimous Order of Knights Templar was conferred on Red Cross Knight, Francis D. Winston, of Windsor. The music throughout the ceremony was by the Temple Quar-

9:30 o'clock this morning; also this afternoon. At 5:30 o'clock P. M., the Knights Temple parade will take place, passing through the more prominent down town streets. The Grand Commandery will meet again

to-night. The Templar parade will be led by Hollowbush's Band, and the line of march will be from the Temple, down Front street to Orange, up Orange to Sixth, to Market, to Third, to Chesnut, to Front street and thence back to the Temple.

PRETTY EVENING WEDDING.

Miss Willson Became the Attractive Young

Bride of Mr. Stacy K. DeVany. Miss Hattie Lu Willson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Willson. and Mr. Stacy K. DeVany, two well known and popular young people of this city, were happily married at 6 o'clock yesterday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 408 Nun street, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. It was a beautiful home wedding, Rev. J. N. Cole performing the ceremony in a most impressive manner.

The entire first floor of the residence was converted as if into one large reception room, and the decorations were charming, pink and white being the predominant colors. An aisle was formed by the following ribbon children: Eloise Jackson, Charles Lynch, Ruth Lynch, Frank Beery, Richard Ward, Jr., and Margaret Willson.

The ribbons girls, Annie Lu Ward and Linda May Ward, nieces of the bride, preceded the bride, who entered with her father. The groom was attended by his best map, Mr. George Honnet, Jr. The wedding marches were played by Miss Cannie Chasten. The bride wore a handsome Peau de

crepe gown, with ailk applique and lace trimmings. Her bouquet was of sweet peas and maiden hair ferns. The flower and ribbon girls were gowned in white organdie, with lace

The bride and groom, after receiving congratulations and best wishes of hosts of friends, left on the evening A. C. L. train for New York. The bride is very popular among a wide circle of friends. The groom holds an important clerical position in the general offices of the Coast Line. The bride received many handsome wedding presents, conspicuous among them being a handsome silver water set presented by Wilmington Division Naval Reserves, of which Mr. DeVaney is ensign, also an elegant couch presented by fellow clerks of the groom in the A. C. L. general offices.

____ DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY OFFICERS

Those Elected Last Night by New Han-

over Council No. 6 -Installation. New Hanover Council No. 6, Daughters of Liberty, elected the following

officers last night: C.-Miss Julia Hand. C.—Miss Dora Hewett.
C.—Miss Lucy Saunders.
V. O.—Mrs. L. J. Jackson.

R. S.—John E. Wood: A. S.—Miss Etta Craig. F. S.—E. Russ. Guide-Mrs. Laura E. Hand I. G.—Mrs. Carrie A. Best. O. G.—C. W. Craig. Trustee—P. G. Hill.

The above officers will be installed by District Deputy Walter E. Yopp on Wednesday night, July 8th.

LOCAL DOTS. - About 350 persons arrived yesterday on the K. of P. excursion from Mullins, S. C.

- Attention is called to change of C. R., L. & P. Co.'s schedule in another column.

- The game of baseball at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the Katherine Kennedy Home resulted in a score of 13 to 0 in favor of the "College Boys." A good crowd was in attendance.

- By deed filed for record yesterday W. M. Cumming and wife transferred to Thos. S. Hall, for \$75, house and lot on west side of Tenth, between Wooster and Dawson streets, 38x82 feet in size.

- The Health Department yesterday raised the quarantine for diphtheria at the residence of Mrs. D. G. Worth, No. 411 South Front street, The patient, Mrs. Geo. C. Worth, has entirely recovered, her many friends will be glad to hear.

Remanded to State Court. In the United States Court yesterday Judge Thos. R. Purnell, presiding. granted a motion in behalf of the complainant, remanding to the Superior Court of Duplin county the suit for \$1,950 damages, brought by C. C. Hollingsworth against the Wilmington Street Railway, A. B. Skelding, reeiver, and W. E. Worth & Co. The motion was argued for the complainant by ex-Governor D. L. Russell, and for the defendants by Junius Davis, Esq , and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan. Upon the convening of the court at 10 o'clock yesterday morning the trial of Frank Ray, of Columbus county charged with illicit distilling, was resumed. Two additional witnesses testified and by direction of the court a

verdict of not guilty was returned. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper-Cotton sheets. Chas. Anderson & Co. -Restaurant. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co. - Change of schedule.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Furnished House-For rent. Take Children-To Wrightsville.

The Grand Chapter will meet at 130 o'clock this morning; also this afernoon. At 5:30 o'clock P. M., the GRAND LODGE OF PYTHIANS.

THE MORNING STAR.

Election of Officers and Other Important Business of 23rd Annual Convention Yesterday.

Knights of Khorassan Held Imperial Sway Last Night on Sands of the Seashore-Winston-Salem the Next Place of Meeting. Elegant Luncheon by Ladies-River Excursion.

convention of the Knights of Pythias of North Carolina, in session here yesterday, consisted of the election of Grand Lodge officers for the ensuing fiscal year during the morning-hours; an elegant luncheon served in the former Castle Hall of Wilmington lodger, on the third floor of the Mac-Ree building, by the ladies of Wilmington in compliment to the visitors at 1 o'clock; an excursion down the river on the steamer "Wilmington" at 5 P. M., and the semi-annual ceremonial session and banquet of Suez Temple No. 74, Dramatic Order, Knights of Khorassan, at the Sea- ancient and noble fraternity."

Features of the thirty-third annual s Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, also now in session in Wilmington, were read and received with enthusiasm. Upon motion of Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, reciprocal greetings were ordered forwarded to the Masons as follows:

"Be it resolved by the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of the Division of North Carolina, in convention now assembled: That we desire to express our deep appreciation of the fraternal courtesy conveyed in the message just received from the Grand Chapter, Roya! Arch Masons. We sincerely reciprocate their good wishes and kind words and bid them God's speed in the splendid work characteristic of their



J. A. SOLOMONS, OF CHARLOTTE, Most Enthusiastic Knights of Khorassan in the World, Secretary and Master Deremonies, Suez Temple No. 73.

shore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, last night.

The number of visitors to the city for the great gathering of Knights increased with the arrival of nearly every train during the day, and the enthusiasm of the Grand Lodge reached the highest pitch. Veteran Pythians say that all records have been broken, both in point of attendance and personnel of those present, and that a very high standard has been set for Grand Lodge meetings in

the future. The election of Grand Lodge of ficers was encompassed by a number of complications which developed during the past few days by reason of the fact that Vice Chancellor L. D. Robinson refused to allow his name to be presented for Grand Chancellor. and the contest for several of the higher honors, was spirited among friends of the nominees. The result was as follows:

Supreme Representative-R. H. Rickert, of Statesville.

Grand Chancellor-Wm. M. Lyles, of Charlotte. Grand Vice Chancellor-Wm. Robertson, of Wilmington. Grand Prelate-Benjamin Noce, of

Grand Keeper of Records and Seals W. T. Holfowell, of Goldsboro. Grand Master of Exchequer—John U. Mills, of Rutherfordton.

An invitation was received with thanks from the Chamber of Commerce of Wilmington, extending the courtesies of their rooms to all Grand Lodge visitors in the city.

The report of the Committee on printed reports of officers, etc., was received, following which the election of officers took place. The Grand Lodge then had the pleasure of an official visit and a splendid address by 1 P. M. will be the order for to-day Supreme Vice Chancellor Chas. E. Shiveley, of Richmond, Ind., who is a guest of Supreme Master of Exchequer Meares. Mr. Shiveley is one of the leading Pythians in the world and his presence yesterday with his words of good fellowship brought forth great enthusiasm.

A recess was taken at 1 o'clock and the visitors, with their lady friends, repaired to the MacRae building where luncheon was served. The menu was the clever conception of Mr. J. D. Nutt, of the Entertainment Committee, and was unique to a degree seldom attained. Col. Walker Taylor, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the Grand Lodge and one of the leading Pythians of the State, was caricatured as a waiter, with spotless white apron, holding aloft a mammoth tray of dishes. Some of the delicacle



A. E. MCCAUSLAND, OF CHARLOTTE, Chairman Grand Lodge Committee, State of the Order, and Treasurer of Suez Temple No. 73, D. O. K. K.

Grand Master at Arms-J. F. Hur- on the menu were announced as folley, of Concord.
Grand Inner Guard—F. W. Miller,
of Waynesville.
Grand Outer Guard—J. M. Boyette,
of Albemarle.

The morning session opened at 9:30 o'clock, Grand Chancellor Scott presiding, Grand Keeper of Records and Seals Hollowell at his desk and all other Grand Lodge officers with 123 Grand Representatives in attendance. It was noticeable that every lodge in the State was represented with the possible exception of two. Fraternal greetings from the Grand

lows: "Soup, Soup, Soup, But not the Kind you got in the Second;" "Beef, Cold Roast, a la 'Jeff' "; "Ham, sliced cold, a la Old-Ham;" "Sandwiches, F. C. B"; "Milk, a la Meares" 'Ice Water, a la Robertson-Nti"; 'Calanthe Ice Cream and Cake"; "Coffee, a la Sampson"; "Pythagoras | the following by visitors from the Im-Cheese"; "Pickles, S. & S."; "Nutts, perial Palace, who are special guests Blightly Mixed"; "See Tom and Jerry next Door." And Last But not Least Butter our "Butter" and "Walker, our Floor Walker."

Despite the menu, which was disre
of the Temple:

"The Dramatic Order, Knights of Khorassan, and What I (don't) Know a sanitary point of view is opening up the drain known as Macomber's ditch in the eastern section of the Prince John H. Holmes, of St. Louis, oity.

garded, (thanks to the ladies) the Mo. "Any Old Thing." Imperial Secluncheon was really an elegant affair and the guests were charmed with it. The Afternoon Session.

The Grand Lodge turned again to business at 2 P. M. and reports of committees were received. Perhaps from behind the broad Atlantic that the most important was that on Widows and Orphans, which reported through its chairman, Rev. P. R. Law, of Lumber Bridge. The Grand Lodge Orphauage fund now amounts to \$10,-289.82 and it is invested safely at 4 per cent, interest. The establishment of the orphanage was discussed by Col. Walker Taylor, Mr. H. H. Wilson, of Kinston, and Rev. J. A. Dorrittee, of Charlottee. It was at length ordered that a special committee, with Rev. P. R. Law as chairman, be appointed to act in conjunction with the regular committee with reference to looking over the field for a site for the proposed orphanage when the Grand Lodge s ready to build. Upon invitation of Damon Lodge

No. 41 and Salem Lodge No. 56, through their representatives, A. V. Bynum and J. F. Crouse and Past Grand Chancellor Commander E. A. Evart, Winston-Salem was chosen as the next place of meeting, the dates to be agreed upon by the gentlemen named above, who are asked to report to the Grand Lodge before the convention is over. Charlotte was mentioned as an ideal place for the meeting but Winston captured the honor

Prof. J. G. Baird, editor of the 'Carolina Pythian," presented the claims of that excellent publication and many new names were added to its subscription list. It is the official organ of the Grand Lodge and should be in the hands of every North Carolina Pythian.

The Committee on Necrology re ported through Rev. W. R. Coppedge, of Rockingham, that 53 deaths had occurred during the year out of a membership of something over 6,000. The usual memorial was ordered spread upon the minutes.

The Committee on State of the Order reported through Chairman A. E. Mcthat connection reported the death of Grand Lecturer J. Robert Jordan, of Asheville. A beautiful tribute of respect to his memory was adopted; a copy of the same was ordered spread upon the minutes and another sent to the family of the deceased. The condition of the order in the State was never better. Many new lodges have been instituted; old ones built up and the order generally revived in every

At 4:45 o'clock the Grand Lodge adjourned and became guests of the genarous Capt. Harper for a trip to Carolina Beach pier and return on the handsome steamer "Wilmington." The members were accompanied by their lady friends and many Wilmington Pythians, all of whom were profuse in their gratitude for the splendid hospitality extended. The boat reach-Distribution, disposing of the various | ed the city upon the return at 7:30 o'clock and the visitors left immediately for the beach.

Morning and afternoon sessions, with luncheon again by the ladies at and the Grand Lodge will have com-

pleted its sessions. Pestive Knights of Khorassan,

The festive votaries of Suez Temple No. 73, Dramatic Order, Knights of Khorassan, held Imperial sway last night in the magnificent ball room and banquet hall of the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, where was held the semi-annual ceremonial and business session, and where was celebrated the great feast of Summa-Havhotim. Mokanna and his band, which incidentally played a new arrangement of "Life on the Ocean Wave." formed the caravan promptly at 8:30 o'clock for the grand march across the Khorassan desert and thirty or more tyros were with them for the journey. Past Royal Vizier J. A. Dorrittee presided in the absence of Royal Vizier Chas. A. Bland, of Charlotte. Over a hundred votaries and remaining members of the Officials Divan were pre-

Among those who crossed the hot sands of the deserts were Col. Walker Taylor, Wilmington; McBride Holt, Graham: R. B. Clark, Rutherfordton; L. () Pegram, Gastonia; Jas. R. Young, Concord; J. W. Odom, Washington; Thomas H. Webb, West Durham; Alf. S. Barnard, Asheville; Thomas Hackney, Hickory; J. L. Page, Henderson; R. B. West, Kinston; H. B. Allen, Wadesboro; C. A. Lewis, Henderson; F. H. Short, Washington; Allen Hall, Southern Pines; F. V. Huey, Matthews; W. T. Cariton, Lattimore; C. O. Keuster.

Following the ceremonial session the annual banquet was given. Covers were laid for 120, and the menu embraced every delicacy of the sea and many others upon which all good Knights like to feast. Rev. J. A Dorrittee, of Charlotte, was toastmaster and presided most creditably in that position. The affair was really as follows:

Brolled Spanish Mackerel. Olives. Mixed Pickles Eoft Shell Crab on Toast. Roman Punch, Deviled Crab in Shell,

Potato Balad Edam Cheese. Balted Wafers. Coffee. Cigars, Among the toasts responded to were

retary H. W. Belding, of St. Louis Me. "I Am It," Imperial Kadi D. I

Summey, of Charlotte, N. C. It was in the wee sma' hours of this morning when the sun was peeping the gay Knights said "enough." There's no discounting the statement that the Wrightsville meeting was one of the greatest that "ever happened." Members of the Official Divan in attendance were as follows:

Grand Emir-E. S. Pegram. Venerable Sheik-Walter Scott. Mahedi-J. E. Cochrane. Secretary—J. A. Solomons.
Treasurer—A. E. McCausland.
Sairap—T. W. Alexander.
Joc—Jno. F. Yorke.
Mokanna—J. G. Baird.
Attendants—W. M. Lyles and J.

W. McMurray.
Master of Properties—E. W. Berry-Electrician—Jas. W. Northey. Musical Director—J. H. Craighill. Master of Ceremonies—J. A. Solo-



Retiring Grand Vice Chancellor, K. of P., Who Yesterday Declined Election to Highest Office In Gift of the Grand Lodge.

Pederal Court Invoked for Release of Mi

HABEAS CORPUS FOR NEGRO.

leged Escaped Meckleaburg Convict. Messrs. Cameron F. MacRae and redell Meares, attorneys for John Horne, colored, the escaped convict from Mecklenburg county, arrested here a few days ago at the instance of Van Griffin, the negro detective, yesterday sued out a writ of habeas cor pus for their client before Judge Purnell in the United States Court and the case is set for a hearing to-day at

Sheriff N. W. Wallace, of Charlotte, arrived Tuesday for the prisoner and expected to take him back yesterday, but the habeas corpus proceedings interfered. Horne is alleged to have escaped about six years ago from the Mecklenburg chain gang, after having served only a month or two of a three-year sentence for disturbing a religious meeting. Horne claims that he is not the man wanted; that he was in Wilmington in 1897 when it is alleged he was serving on the chain gang in Mecklenburg and knows nothing of the charge against him. On the other hand, the colored detective posttively identifies Horne and says there are authorities in Charlotte who will

corroborate what he says.

Joke on the Constable,

A typographical mix-up in one of the Wilson dailies of a recent date makes it show up exceedingly bad for a popular Wilmington officer in the following paragraph: "Constable Savage yesterday was arrested in Wilmington. He is an escaped convict from the Mecklenburg county chain gang." Of course everybody knows that reference was made to the negro Jno. Horne, taken into custody here a city, left yesterday for Black River few days ago, but, all the same, the church, Pender county, on an educathe boys were carrying the big-hearted "Tuck" high, on magistrates' row



PROF. J. G BAIRD, OF CHARLOTTE, Palented Editor of "Carolina Pythian, and Mokanna of Suez Temple, No. 73, D. O. K. K.

Two Fire Alarms Yesterday A defective flue in the residence No.

917 Ann street, owned and occupied by Jno. Turner, caused a slight blaze which called the Department out is response to an alarm from box 58 at 2:25 P. M. yesterday. The damage was about \$15. At 2:55 P. M. a telephone alarm called the Department to 817 Queen street where sparks from the chimney caused a small loss to a house belonging to C. S. VanAmringe and occupied by Julia Hankins, colored.

Mayor Springer did the proper thing yesterday by having the drinking fountain, at Front and Market streets. cleaned out and ice put in the same for the benefit of excursionists. An

The Mayor Is Active.

appropriate sign will be put on the fountain this week so that strangers will have no trouble in finding it

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East Carolina Fruit and Truck Growers'- Association in Session Yesterday.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

All Reports Showed a Most Successful Year's Business-Strawberry Shipments Surpassed All Records. Change of By-laws, Etc.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Carolina Fruit and Truck Growers' Association was held in the county court room, this city, yesterday, President W. L. Hill, of Warsaw, in the chair, and Secretary H. T. Bauman, of Wilmington, and Treasurer S. H. Strange, of Fayetteville, at their respective posts of duty. The meeting was called to order at noon and routine business was transacted, after which a recess was taken for dinner until 2:30 P. M.

At the afternoon session the reports of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee were heard with that of Business Agent H. T. Bauman, who has served the Association with distinguished ability for seven years. None of the reports was given out for publication but it is known that they showed one of the most successful seasons in the history of the trucking industry in this section. Especially has this been true of the strawberry crop. The season was the longest and the volume of shipments the heaviest on record. During this year 1,780 solid cars or fully 500,000 crates went forward from the territory covered by the Association, against only 1.178 cars and 315,000 crates last year.

Upon motion of Dr. E. Porter the Association yesterday tendered a unanimous vote of thanks to Mr. Bauman for his very complete and comprehen-

the date of the annual meeting the third Wednesday in August of each year instead of the third Wednesday The selection of a Board of Directors

The by-laws were amended making

sequent election of officers by the first named, resulted as follows: President-W. L. Hill, of Warsaw. Secretary-H. T. Bauman, Wil-

Treasurer-S. H. Strange, Fayette-

and Executive Committee and the sub-

Attorney-E. S. Martin, Wilming-Directors—J. B. Oliver, J. A. West-brook, Mount Olive; I. L. Faison, Faison; W. L. Hill, Warsaw; D. W. Fussell, Rose Hill; B. F. Fussell, Teachey; J. S. Westbrook, Wallace; J. H. Moore, Burgaw; E. Porter, Rocky Point; W. E. Springer, H. T. Bauman, Wilmington; Geo. F. Lucas, Currie; S. H. Strange, Fayetteville; W. E. Thigpen, M. F. Leonhart, Chadbourn; H. L. Struthers Grists. Executive Committee—W. L. Hill, chairman; J. A. Westbrook, W. E.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Springer, J. S. Westbrook and W. E.

- Mesers, P. P. and H. H. Anderson, of Fair Bluff, were here yes-

- Mr. G. W. Horsley, wife and little son, of Philadelphia, are visiting in the city.

arrived yesterday and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Kyle. - Rev. R. M. Williams, of Wallace, and Rev. O. W. Trawick, of this

- Miss Kate Isler, of Goldsboro,

tional mission. - Capt. T. D. Meares was called to Portsmouth yesterday on important railroad business. His presence is missed at the Pythian Grand Lodge meetings and his early return is hoped

- Mrs. R. E. Ward and children, of Florence, are visiting relatives in the city, Mrs. Ward having coming up to attend the marriage of her sister. Miss Hattie Lu Willson. - Mr. and Mrs. Philander Pear-

sall left yesterday for Lewisburg. West Va., where they will spend a portion of the Summer. Mr. Pearsall will probably return in two or three

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Cotton Sheets

5,000 Rolls 2-pound Bagging. 7,000 Bundles 45 lbs. Arrow Ties. .000 Pounds Tobacco Twine. 700 Pounds Paris Green. 50 cases, 5c Tumbler Jelley. 50 cases 10c Tumbler Jelley.

50 cases Canned Apples. W.B. COOPER.

NOTICE

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

Beginning Monday, June 22nd, Suburban Cars will leave Casino, Wrightsville Beach, every half hour from 6:30 A. M. until 12:00 P. M. Until that time cars will leave the Oasino every half hour from 6:40 A. M. to 11:40 P. M. Leaving time from city will remain unchanged. Holders of schedule cards please

note change. CONSOLIDATED RAILWAYS, LIGHT & POWER CO. 10 10 40