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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

The cruiser Galveston has been released by the Virginia courts. A special term of court will be held in Jackson, Ky., July 20th, to investigate charges of arson and bribery. Indictments have been found by the Federal grand jury against A. W. Machen and others for conspiracy to defraud the government. In a battle between a party of mountaineers and police at Keystone, W. Va., one of the party was killed and another fatally wounded; the police occupied the mountain. In an attempt of prisoners at the Colorado penitentiary to escape, one convict was killed and another fatally shot. Negro who assaulted and murdered a white woman near Wilmington, Del., was taken from jail and burned at the stake by a mob last night. In the murder trial at Wilson, N. C., Wm. W. Burns, one of the defendants, turned State's evidence. Schooner Lucy H. Bassett is ashore at Gull Shoals, N. C. Case of J. H. Tillman, charged with the murder of N. G. Columbia S. C., when counsel for defense moved for a change of venue, which will be argued to-day. New York markets: Money on call steady at 1 1/2 per cent; cotton steady at 12 1/2 per cent; cotton steady at 12 1/2 per cent; No. 2 red 84; west—spot quiet; rosin steady; spirits turpentine firm.

### WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., June 22. Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.: Temperature: 8 A. M., 78 degrees; 9 P. M., 72 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 75 degrees. Rainfall for the day, .30; rainfall since last of the month to date, 5.80 inches. Stage of water in the Cape Fear River at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. Sunday, 3.9 feet. COTTON REGION BULLETIN. Warm, unsettled weather has continued in all sections, with showers. FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, June 23.—For North Carolina: Showers Tuesday, except in extreme western portion; fair and warmer Wednesday; fresh to brisk shifting winds, becoming west.

### Port Almanac—June 23.

8 A. M. Sun Sets 7:19 P. M. Day's Length 14 H. 35 M. High Water at Southport, 6:33 P. M. High Water Wilmington, 8:53 P. M.

The glorious Fourth is bound to come, but the Norfolk toy pistol might be out.

The new net waist so popular with the girls, will catch a lot of summer suckers.

Notwithstanding the sufferings of the fat man in hot weather he "treats it out."

The first watermelon of the season will soon be "in our midst" if we get a chance at it.

If the squeezing of watered stocks continues in Wall street there'll be a good time, too.

We are glad to see some of our paragraphs reproduced in the Yachting as original matter.

That Oklahoma cyclone that carried off the contents of a postoffice must have been incubated in Washington.

Bob Stafford is playing such glitzy ball for Atlanta that there is talk of placing his bust in the Hall of Fame.

A man in New Jersey has been arrested because he went crazy over baseball. And yet hundreds of just such fellows are running at large in Atlanta.

We are told that automobile building in France gives employment to 30,000 persons. Wonder if this includes the doctors and funeral directors?

The Pointed Paragrapher of the Chicago News has discovered that "the weather prophet never gets any on his predictions." No, his bets are like his predictions, purely imaginary.

And now it is claimed that if the postoffice scandals in New York city were fully exposed it may cause the Republicans to lose the States of New York, Ohio and Indiana. "Turn the rascals out."

The franchise of the Georgia Railway and Electric Company, of Atlanta, has been assessed at \$2,200,000 by the Comptroller General, while the company places the valuation at \$2,000. The Comptroller General values the tangible property at \$2,351,535, while the company's estimate is \$1,480,444. This looks like a mistrial.

### LOCAL DOTS.

Other local, fourth page. — Messrs. N. N. King, J. J. Moore and W. C. Moore are popular members of the police force on vacation this week. — Rev. Dr. A. C. Barron, of Charlotte, preached two fine sermons to large congregations at the First Baptist church Sunday. — Mariah Williams, colored, drunk and down at Second and Market streets, was arrested by Policeman G. R. Holt yesterday afternoon. — The First Church of Christ, Scientist, has had an electric fan installed in its house of worship in the Murchison National Bank building. The congregation is rapidly growing. — Sam Mumford, colored, arrested by Policeman E. Skipper for disorderly conduct and fined \$10 and cost by the Mayor yesterday, will go to the roads for 30 days in default of payment of fine. — Young people of Miss Lord's and Miss Cantwell's dancing classes will give an enjoyable hop to-night in the new pavilion at Carolina Beach. Excellent music will be furnished. — Mr. Percy L. Smith, the clever young railroad man, has taken the position of ticket agent for the C. E. & P. Co., and may be found daily in the junction office at Front and Princess. — Senator V. Cammerero's famous Italian band, formerly of this city, is playing at Vade Mecum Springs. Sunday's News and Observer prints a halftone out of the band with other scenes about the famous watering place. — Handsomely engraved invitations in colors are being mailed for the semi-centennial celebration of the Carolina Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach, June 30th. The celebration will be the event of the season on the seashore.

— Clara Dillon, a middle-aged white woman of unsavory reputation, died suddenly at her home, 708 North Second street, early yesterday morning. She had been to the South the night before and had been drinking rather freely. — Haywood Pollock, colored, charged with burglarizing the house of Lewis Taylor, colored, and stealing therefrom several articles of clothing, was discharged in Justice Fowler's court yesterday. He was defended by B. G. Empe, Esq. — Knight's excursion to Raleigh over the Coast Line left with about 300 people, most of whom were white, yesterday morning. A telegram from Raleigh in the afternoon announced the safe arrival of the party, which had increased to 680. Capt. W. H. Pemberton was in charge of the train. — Dan Shipes, colored, 55 years old, father of the young negro who was alleged to have been killed by Robert and Walter Thomas, now on trial in the Superior Court, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Chadbourne's alley last Friday. Alcoholic poisoning was the contributing cause of death.

— The Fibulate Clothing Co. has completed delivery of the police uniforms manufactured by Strouse & Bro., of Baltimore and New York. Of the 40 uniforms furnished Mr. Fibulate says not a single alteration had to be made, which is a striking example of the ability of the manufacturers to fit the Fibulate measurements.

Mr. and Mrs. Holliday Resolved. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Holliday, formerly of this city, now of Savannah, Ga., have the sympathy of friends in the death of their infant son, James P., which occurred at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon. The child became ill during the latter portion of last week while being brought by Mr. Holliday on a visit to Wilmington from Savannah. Mr. Holliday placed the child in the hospital and gave it most tender attention, but despite all the care and nursing the little one passed away. Mrs. Holliday came as quickly as possible to Wilmington and the funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon and the remains were tenderly laid to rest in Oakdale.

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Funeral of Mrs. Robert Henning. The remains of the late Mrs. Virginia H. Henning, widow of the late Robert Henning, arrived in Wilmington on the 10:10 A. M. train from Richmond Sunday and were taken immediately to Oakdale cemetery where, after brief funeral services by Rev. Bishop A. A. Watson, they were laid to rest by the grave of her late husband. The floral offerings were very beautiful. The pall-bearers were Messrs. F. A. Lord, J. O. Munda, W. C. Munda and H. F. Munson. Accompanying the remains to Wilmington were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Munson, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Ned Palmer, of Richmond, and Mr. Robert Henning, of Baltimore, all of whom returned Sunday evening.

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Real Estate Transfer. By deeds filed for record yesterday Buchanan C. Wright, of Pittsburgh, Pa., transferred to Thos. H. Wright, of 4000 house and lot on north side of Queen, between Fourth and Fifth streets, 31x58 feet in size, and Mason and wife, of Charlotteville, Va., William Robertson Gordon and wife, of Alexandria, Va., Austin H. Burr and wife, of Ashland, Va., and Thos. Rosser and wife, of Waverly, Iowa, H. A. Burr, H. A. Burr, Jr., and wife, Mason G. Burr and Fred S. Burr, of Wilmington, transferred to Arrietta Hart, Sarah Louise Hart and Lella Austin Hart, of Wilmington, for \$6,000, an undivided two-fifths interest in the "Wilmington Iron Works lot," on Front street; also for \$10 and other considerations certain property in the country.

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### AT REST IN OAKDALE.

Funeral of Late Capt. J. M. McGowan One of Largest Ever Held in Wilmington.

### SERVICES BY DR. MCCLURE.

Various Secret Orders and Camp of Veterans, to Which Deceased Belonged, Attended in a Body—The Burial With Odd Fellow Honors.

With the possible exception of one—that of the late Joe B. Willard, a member of the volunteer fire department who was killed while in the discharge of a heroic duty six or eight years ago, by the falling of a wall on South Water street—the funeral of the late Capt. James M. McGowan Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock was perhaps the largest in point of attendance ever held in Wilmington. The Camp of Confederate Veterans and most of the many secret orders to which the deceased belonged, met at their respective halls and attended the services in a body, the procession of those on foot alone being longer than the distance covered by two blocks. There were also in attendance a large number of friends, not included in the ranks of the orders and Fifth Street M. E. church in which the services were held, was totally inadequate to seat them. Eryia Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, to which Capt. McGowan was peculiarly attached, and Cherokee Tribe, of the same fraternity, were the first to march to the residence, 718 Orange street, where they were soon joined by Wilmington Lodge No. 189, I. O. E. F., and other Odd Fellows; Jeff Davis Council No. 63, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, and Cape Fear Camp No. 284, United Confederate Veterans, all of whom formed a solemn procession, escorting the remains to the church and subsequently following them with mournful step to the cemetery, where the burial took place according to the solemn rites of Odd Fellowship, the officers of Wilmington Lodge officiating. The services in the church were by the Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, in the absence of Capt. McGowan's pastor, the Rev. F. M. Shamburger, who became ill while at Rockingham, N. C., assisting in the dedication of a new church there. Dr. McClure had been asked only to assist in the service, but upon taking entire charge he conducted the funeral in a most impressive manner. At the close of the service proper he took occasion to pay a high tribute to the fellowship and humanity of his friend and the bravery and fidelity of Capt. McGowan, who gave to the Confederacy in its darkest days. He also spoke a word of comfort to the sorely bereaved one and to the several secret orders which had lost the presence of one so enthusiastic and devoted. The musical features of the service were especially pretty. Miss Kate Sholar rendered sweetly as a voluntary the solo "Loved Ones are Waiting for Me," with chorus by a double quartette consisting of Misses May Landin and Edna Fleet, Mrs. Carrie Gardner, Messrs. J. W. Fieft, Albert Doher, J. E. Williams and Willie Muse. "Asleep in Jesus" was also beautifully rendered and one of the most touching of the selections was "Sleep on Beloved" by the Fifth Street Male Quartette, composed of Messrs. W. H. Dasher, first tenor; Albert Dasher, second tenor; Willie McGirt, first bass and Willie Muse, second bass. As the remains left the church "Nearer My God" was softly rendered by the choir. Miss Mamie McGirt, the organist, played the accompaniment in soft and tender strains. The floral tributes were many and very handsome. One of them, a floral cross, perched upon which was a snowy white dove, as if in the act of about to fly, was especially handsome and was laid upon the casket by Capt. McGowan's son, Mr. W. A. McGowan. All the lodges to which deceased belonged also sent beautiful devices. Those who came for the funeral were Mr. F. W. McGowan and Mrs. Florence Reagin, of Raleigh, and Mrs. E. Nell, of Graham, brother and sisters of the deceased; T. W. and William Blake, of Raleigh, cousins; Ulyses G. Thompson, of Greensboro, and Lewis Braggans, of Raleigh, nephews, and Miss Florence Nell, of Graham, a niece of the deceased. There were also in attendance a delegation of Red Men from Raleigh, including Mr. A. Dughi, John U. Smith and others. The pall-bearers were as follows: Honorary Dr. J. T. Schonwald, Messrs. Marden Bellamy, John Haar, John H. Gore, Jr., W. M. Cummins and Hon. John D. Bellamy; active, Messrs. A. J. Marshall, James Cowan, Jere Holmes, W. E. Savage, T. W. Wood and Dr. C. T. Harper.

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### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Miss Annie Dughi, of Raleigh, is in the city, visiting friends. — Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Orrell have gone to be with their daughter who is seriously ill at Savannah, Ga. — Miss Francis Dockery, of Rockingham, and the Misses Raynor, of Kingston, are visiting Miss Myrtle Shamburger, South Fifth street. — Miss Della Canady came up from Scott's Hill Sunday and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Smith, returning home in the evening. — Mrs. James H. Taylor, Jr., was summoned to Charlotte yesterday afternoon by a telegram announcing the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. Margaret A. McLean. — Dr. and Mrs. W. I. Taylor, of Ivanhoe, are spending a few days in the city. Friends of Mrs. Taylor will be glad to learn she is recovering from a slight attack of appendicitis. — Don McRacken, Esq., of Whiteville, spent yesterday in the city on professional business. He is counsel for the Registers in jail in Columbus county in connection with the Soles and Staley murder. — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Bagley, Mr. T. P. Bagley and Mrs. E. Norfleet returned yesterday from a delightful sojourn of three weeks at Lincolnton, Davidson College and other points in Western North Carolina. — Mr. and Mrs. H. E. C. Bryant and Mr. W. H. Twitty, of Charlotte, are popular guests at the Seashore Hotel. Mr. Bryant is the well known and versatile special correspondent of the Charlotte Observer and Mr. Twitty is cashier of the Charlotte National Bank.

### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Additional Restrictions Put Upon the Sale of Liquor Within the Corporate Limits.

### 57 RETAIL LICENSES GRANTED.

Also One to Distillery, Two to Breweries and One to Wholesale Dealer—Petitions and Counter Petitions—Letter from W. G. T. U. The expected fight against the liquor interests of the city; especially those saloons situated within 300 feet of a church, in which instances the granting of applications is discretionary under the law, did not materialize at last night's special meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held for the expressed purpose of renewing licenses for the six months beginning July 1st. However, certain restrictions were thrown around the traffic, which reputable saloon men may not object to, and which will no doubt tend to rid the business of several of its objectionable features under more liberal regulations. Of the 59 applications for retail license, 57 were granted, one was not acted upon and one was rejected. At present there are 61 retail licenses in force but four did not apply last night for renewal this term, viz: W. A. Volter, South Front street; J. G. Kuhlken, Sixth and Brunswick; E. A. Kerr, Fourth and Hanover, and Elijah Walton, Thirteenth and Market streets. That of E. B. Brown was not acted upon for the reason that the present month's license is unpaid, and the Board refused to renew that of J. S. Sneedon, 115 South Front street, because of objection raised to the manner in which the place is conducted. In addition to the retail licenses, one was granted to a distillery at Thirteenth and Queen streets; two to breweries and one to a wholesale dealer. The Board met at 8:30 o'clock, Mayor Springer in the chair and all members present, viz: Messrs. Murrell, Karr, Sweeney, Moore, W. H. Yopp, Behrens, W. E. Yopp, Haahagen, Tiencken and Gafford. There were also present a large number of spectators, including many who had applications before the Board. Mayor Springer stated the object of the meeting. Before proceeding, Mr. Gafford said he had in the hands of the clerk a resolution which he desired to be read. The Mayor asked if it bore upon the subject of the applications for license, as that was the only business that could properly be brought before the Board at the special meeting. Mr. Gafford having replied in the affirmative, the clerk read the following: Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington that in granting liquor license, the following rules shall be observed: 1. No saloon shall enter any saloon, bar or other place ordinarily used for drinking drinks are sold. Provided, however, that in those places where groceries and liquors are sold together; this shall not apply to the grocery department. 2. No saloon keeper shall sell or give whiskey or other intoxicating drink to minors. 3. No saloon keeper shall sell or give away any intoxicating liquors on Sunday. The curtains to all the windows of all saloons shall be raised on Sunday and no windows shall be stained or painted. 4. No saloon keeper shall allow more than three persons to congregate in a room for any purpose of business for more than five minutes at any time. 5. No saloon keeper shall allow any person or dancing of any kind in his saloon. 6. No bar-keeper or his clerk or clerks shall be allowed to enter his place of business in company with any other person or persons. 7. No bar-keeper shall sell or give to any person entering his saloon in any intoxicated or partly intoxicated condition any whiskey, beer or other intoxicating drink. 8. No saloon shall serve meals on Sunday. The word "saloon" as used in these rules shall apply to all places where intoxicating drinks are sold. 9. It shall be the duty of all policemen, constables or other persons in the employ of the city to report promptly all violations of these rules, and any person failing to do so shall be fined \$10. 10. It shall be the duty of the Chief of Police, at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen, to report whether or not the saloons have been in violation of these rules. Mr. Gafford moved the adoption of the resolution; seconded by Mr. Moore. Mr. Behrens moved it be taken up by sections; seconded by Moore and Sweeney, and carried unanimously. Mr. Tiencken wanted to know if the rules were to be binding as ordinances. It was stated that the licenses would only be granted under the conditions enumerated in the ordinance. The application was unanimously rejected. Mr. Moore withdrew his objection to the application of J. W. Smith, No. 6 Chesnut, and the license was unanimously granted. The full list of applications granted is as follows: Applications Which Passed. Distilleries—C. H. Carr, northwest corner Thirteenth and Queen. Breweries—Home Brewing Co., 119-114 North Water; Robert Fortner Brewing Co., Eighth and Brunswick. Wholesale Dealers—Sol Bear & Co., 30 Market. Retail—Edward Ahrens, 630 Market; J. H. Aman, 5 Market; Geo. R. Bate, 184 Market; Jno. C. Besech, 31 South Front; H. J. Bennett, Water and Market; C. B. Ballou, 126 Market; Waller C. Besech, 801 North Fourth; N. H. Brunick, 155 Market; Cassie C. Schuler, 29 Market; J. L. Croom, 41 Grace and Water; M. F. Croom & Co., 103 North Water; J. W. Chap-

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The expected fight against the liquor interests of the city; especially those saloons situated within 300 feet of a church, in which instances the granting of applications is discretionary under the law, did not materialize at last night's special meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held for the expressed purpose of renewing licenses for the six months beginning July 1st. However, certain restrictions were thrown around the traffic, which reputable saloon men may not object to, and which will no doubt tend to rid the business of several of its objectionable features under more liberal regulations. Of the 59 applications for retail license, 57 were granted, one was not acted upon and one was rejected. At present there are 61 retail licenses in force but four did not apply last night for renewal this term, viz: W. A. Volter, South Front street; J. G. Kuhlken, Sixth and Brunswick; E. A. Kerr, Fourth and Hanover, and Elijah Walton, Thirteenth and Market streets. That of E. B. Brown was not acted upon for the reason that the present month's license is unpaid, and the Board refused to renew that of J. S. Sneedon, 115 South Front street, because of objection raised to the manner in which the place is conducted. In addition to the retail licenses, one was granted to a distillery at Thirteenth and Queen streets; two to breweries and one to a wholesale dealer. The Board met at 8:30 o'clock, Mayor Springer in the chair and all members present, viz: Messrs. Murrell, Karr, Sweeney, Moore, W. H. Yopp, Behrens, W. E. Yopp, Haahagen, Tiencken and Gafford. There were also present a large number of spectators, including many who had applications before the Board. Mayor Springer stated the object of the meeting. Before proceeding, Mr. Gafford said he had in the hands of the clerk a resolution which he desired to be read. The Mayor asked if it bore upon the subject of the applications for license, as that was the only business that could properly be brought before the Board at the special meeting. Mr. Gafford having replied in the affirmative, the clerk read the following: Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington that in granting liquor license, the following rules shall be observed: 1. No saloon shall enter any saloon, bar or other place ordinarily used for drinking drinks are sold. Provided, however, that in those places where groceries and liquors are sold together; this shall not apply to the grocery department. 2. No saloon keeper shall sell or give whiskey or other intoxicating drink to minors. 3. No saloon keeper shall sell or give away any intoxicating liquors on Sunday. The curtains to all the windows of all saloons shall be raised on Sunday and no windows shall be stained or painted. 4. No saloon keeper shall allow more than three persons to congregate in a room for any purpose of business for more than five minutes at any time. 5. No saloon keeper shall allow any person or dancing of any kind in his saloon. 6. No bar-keeper or his clerk or clerks shall be allowed to enter his place of business in company with any other person or persons. 7. No bar-keeper shall sell or give to any person entering his saloon in any intoxicated or partly intoxicated condition any whiskey, beer or other intoxicating drink. 8. No saloon shall serve meals on Sunday. The word "saloon" as used in these rules shall apply to all places where intoxicating drinks are sold. 9. It shall be the duty of all policemen, constables or other persons in the employ of the city to report promptly all violations of these rules, and any person failing to do so shall be fined \$10. 10. It shall be the duty of the Chief of Police, at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen, to report whether or not the saloons have been in violation of these rules. Mr. Gafford moved the adoption of the resolution; seconded by Mr. Moore. Mr. Behrens moved it be taken up by sections; seconded by Moore and Sweeney, and carried unanimously. Mr. Tiencken wanted to know if the rules were to be binding as ordinances. It was stated that the licenses would only be granted under the conditions enumerated in the ordinance. The application was unanimously rejected. Mr. Moore withdrew his objection to the application of J. W. Smith, No. 6 Chesnut, and the license was unanimously granted. The full list of applications granted is as follows: Applications Which Passed. Distilleries—C. H. Carr, northwest corner Thirteenth and Queen. Breweries—Home Brewing Co., 119-114 North Water; Robert Fortner Brewing Co., Eighth and Brunswick. Wholesale Dealers—Sol Bear & Co., 30 Market. Retail—Edward Ahrens, 630 Market; J. H. Aman, 5 Market; Geo. R. Bate, 184 Market; Jno. C. Besech, 31 South Front; H. J. Bennett, Water and Market; C. B. Ballou, 126 Market; Waller C. Besech, 801 North Fourth; N. H. Brunick, 155 Market; Cassie C. Schuler, 29 Market; J. L. Croom, 41 Grace and Water; M. F. Croom & Co., 103 North Water; J. W. Chap-

man, 301 Brunswick; D. L. T. Capps, 119 South Front; J. D. Dennis, 1216 North Fourth; J. W. Dula, 114 South Front; H. T. Dula, MacRae and Chesnut; J. E. Eanes, Thirteenth and Market; J. W. E. Fuchs, 188 South Front; Gieschen Bros., Atlantic Inn, Front and Red Cross; T. J. Gore, 219 South Water; Calvin D. Gore, 819 Orange street; H. F. Haar, 108 South Front; Jurgen Haar, 401 North Front; Geo. Haar, Seventh and Chesnut; Geo. H. Hoyer, 803 North Fourth; W. Van Hardin, 119 Princess; M. H. Kelly, Second and Princess; John H. Kuder, 6 North Water; G. W. Linder & Co., 28 South Front; W. H. Lamb, 26 North Water; F. P. Lamb, 800 MacRae; R. G. Litgen, 6 S. Front; John M. Mayland, 17 Princess; C. P. B. Mahler, 501 N. Fourth; M. O'Brien, Nutt and Red Cross; R. W. Wallace, The Orion; F. W. Ortmann, 17 North Second; E. W. Paes, 114 N. Front; Charles Richter, 1023 N. Front; N. B. Rankin, 110 N. Front; I. B. Rhodes, 133 Princess; J. W. Smith, 8 Chesnut; Steiges & Co., Tenth and Market; Martin Schindler, 601 Red Cross; George Schmitt, 1190 North Seventh; E. P. H. Strunk, 801 South Fourth; L. Southland, 802 Castle; Sternberger Bros., 215 N. Front; E. A. Todd, 525 Castle; Jesse S. Williams, 5 South Second; J. S. Westbrook, Fourth and Bladen; Jno. H. Woobee, Fourth and Nixon; H. H. Woobee, 801 Nixon; W. S. Herring, 8 North Second.

The usual loan of \$30,000 to tide the city over the summer months until tax gathering time was authorized, same to be borrowed as needed. Conveniences for Excursionists. Messrs. Jos. H. Watters, John H. Rehder and Geo. O. Gaylord, a committee from the Chamber of Commerce, were present and presented a strong petition from business men, asking that some conveniences be provided for excursionists who visit the city in summer. The large room on the second floor of the City Hall building was suggested as a suitable place where the desired accommodations might be found. However, the matter was left to the Streets and Wharves Committee, and upon motion of Mr. Haahagen \$500 was placed at its disposal for the improvement. Appointed Beach Policeman. Officer J. A. Martin, of the Wilmington police department, has been appointed and has entered upon his duties as policeman at Wrightsville Beach, succeeding Officer W. E. Beaton, who resigned to become a conductor on the suburban line. "Chief" Martin, as he will now be known, is a faithful and conservative officer; served last season at Wrightsville and will keep the beach in the best