#### OUTLINES.

Treaties with the United States concerning naval and coaling stations in Cuba and placing Isle of Pines wholly under Cuban sovereignty, were signed vesterday in Havana. - Baron Sternberg has been appointed ambassador of Germany at Washington. \_ The Pope of Rome was indisposed yesterday. - Schooners Rebecca Palmer and Young Brothers were badly damaged in collision off Montauk Point. -- The petition in behalf of the Russian Jews will probably be delivered to the President in about a week. -- The fire at Grenville, N. C., yesterday destroyed property valued at nearly \$100,000. -- The Suburban renewal race, worth \$12,000, at Sheepshead Bay, was won by Waterboy. - A cloud burst in southwestern Tosas caused the death of several persons and great property loss. - In the yacht race yester day one of the crew of the Columbia as washed overboard and drowned. the Reliance was severely buffeted and the Constitution sustained some damage. -- N.1Y. markets: Money on call firm at 3; @6 per cent.; cotton quiet at 13 00c; flour quiet and generally lower; wheat - spot easy, No. 2 red 82;c; corn-spot easy, No. 2 57c; oats-spot weak, No. 2 42to: rosin firm-strained, common to good. \$2.05@2.071; spirits turpentine steady at 49+@50c.

#### WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 2. Meteorological data for the twenty

four hours ending at 8 P. M .: Temperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 90 de grees; minimum, 74 degrees; mean, 82

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since lat of the month to date, .00

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M.

6 feet. COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Warm weather prevails in all por tions of the cotton belt. Heavy rains have failen in Texas and Louisiana, and some showers are reported in the Charleston, Little Rock, Memphis, Savannah and Vicksburg districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, July 2 .- For North Oarolina: Fair Friday and Saturday light variable winds.

#### Port Almanac ... July 3.

	200 A. C.
Sin Rises	4.47 A. M
Sun Sets	7.20 P. M
Day's Length	14 H. 39 M
High Water at Southport.	2.34 A. M
High Water Wilmington.	5.04 A. M

The new King of Servia is said to be a great cigarette smoker. But, then, there is no likelihood of cigarettes killing him.

It is astonishing what marvellous testimonials some people will give s maker of quack medicines just to get their pictures in the papers.

The Charlotte News says : "Trust the people." We have been doing that thing for thirty-five years; but the net result is very discouraging.

We thought the Danville Register was sui genevis. But here comes the Durham Herald folded just like the Register. Of course, the Herald apologizes.

There seems to be no scarcity of lawyers in Chicago. The law di rectory just issued places the number at 4,702, an increase of 320 for

The Atlanta Journal is laboring under the hallucination that "the garter has gone out of fashion.' What? Why, the very latest style is "out o sight."

The Atlanta Journal says: "Fortunately the caudal appendix of the Russian bear is not long enough to offer any real temptation to tailtwisting." Suppose you try the American doctors on the vermiform.

News comes from Chicago that a lieutenant of the United States navy has disappeared under a charge of everybody is cordially invited to be bigamy, leaving behind him a deserted bride of two weeks. A courtship of less than a fortnight in large part explains the situation.

Public sentiment in favor of muz rling dogs which run at large has been steadily gaining ground. No restraints upon canine vagrants should weigh in the balance against the responsibility of a single case of bydrophobia among human beings in our midat.

"A Buffalo tailor used his hot goose on some walking delegates who called to make demands of him. The matter of the demands was not pressed, though the goose and the delegates were." To which the Eichmond Leader says that the natural inference is that in turn the delegates proceeded to press

and retail, at Rehder's.

Fireworks for the 4th. Wholesple

# THE MORNING STAR.

WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, JULY 3, 1903.

Application of South Front Street Saloon Man Approved by County Commissioners-End of Contest.

By a vote of two to one the County Commissioners yesterday afternoon decided to approve the application of J. S. Sneeden to retail liquor at 115 South Front street, license having been previously granted by the Board of Alderman. Messrs. H. L. Vollers and Gabriel Holmes voted in the affirmative and Mr. W. F. Alexander voted in the negative. The chairman didn't vote upon the question and Maj. Wm. F. Robertson was absent at Fayetteville, where he is one of a board to value the water works system there for the purpose of a sale to the city. Mr. Sneeden, immediately upon the approval of his application, secured the necessary license from the sheriff upon payment of the \$200 tax, and opened the doors of his saloon, which have been closed since his li-

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SNEEDEN GOT HIS LICENSE.

cense expired, July 1st. The Board was called to order at 3 o'clock, Chairman McEachern stating the object of the meeting to be purely for the purpose of passing upon the application of Mr. Sneeden. Mr. Vollers moved that it be granted; seconded by Mr. Holmes. Marsden Belamy, Esq., was present as counsel for certain citizens who opposed granting the license and asked to be heard. He was accorded that privilege and presented very clearly the views of the opposition. He cited a case from the Supreme Court which went up from Duplin, in which it was held that the matter of granting the license was dis-

cretionary with the Commissioners. Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy was next eard in behalf of the applicant. He referred to his good character and said he was glad counsel on the other side conceded as much. There was no question after that concession, as he said the Supreme Court opinion cited. clearly provided that the matter of granting was discretionary with the ommissioners only when the charac ter of the applicant was in question. The vote was taken, resulting as

There was a goodly number of citisens present to witness the proceedings; some in advocacy of the petition for license; others against granting the license. Members of the Board privately voiced its policy in saving that under the restrictions recently placed upon the traffic by the Board of Aldermen, if the law is enforced, it is next to impossible for any saloon keeper to conduct an undesirable place.

POLICE MADE MANY ARRESTS.

Number During June Was 121-The Roads Got 16.

The monthly report of Chief . Police Furlong, compiled yesterday for him by Sergeant Ward, clerk of the municipal court, shows that during June, the first full month under the new administration, 121 arrests were made, 45 of the defendants having been white and 76 colored. The list does not include those brought before the Mayor for non-payment of license tax. In June, 1902, the number of arrests was only 98. From the arrests during June, this

year, 16 defendants were sentenced to the roads; aggregate of terms, 400 days; 14 went to the Superior Court under aggregate bond of \$1,025. The report is a highly creditable one. The collection of fines and pound fees will also show a heavy increase.

BIG CONTRACT FOR CRUSHED ROCK.

Mayor Calls for Bids for Street Improvement Material-Also for Granite.

Sealed proposals are invited by Mayor Springer for furnishing 25,000 to 40,000 tons of crushed stone for street improvement, same to be delivered at the quarries, on city wharves, or on the streets where wanted; also for from 10,000 to 20,000 feet granite and stone curbing. Bids will be received at the office of the Mayor until July 10th, 1908.

First Tobacco From Brunswick.

Messrs. Stanland & Hewette, of Shallotte, Brunswick county, sent the first new tobacco of the season to the Wilmington tobacco warehouse July 1st. The tobacco is a good "sand lug" and points to a very fine grade of bright leaf higher up on the stalk. The Wilmington warehouse is now ready to receive and store all consignments and will have its opening sale July 23nd. A large sale is expected and present on that occasion.

- Mr. H. M. Humphrey, a popular insurance man of Goldsboro, is at The Orton.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. Catlett-Examination. Sternberger Bros.-Notice. Home Brewing Co.-Notice. Anti-Saloon League-Notice. Educational-Trinity College. The Mayor-Sealed proposals. Masonic-Meeting Orient Lodge. Sam'l Bear, Sr., & Sons-For sale. Jeff Davis Council O.U.A.M.-Exc'n

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Electric Fan-Get one. Dancing-At Wrightsville. W.M.Cumming-Build'g Loan dues

Did you ever see such a sight your life as the moonlight on water at Wrightsville Beach?

Fireworks for the 4th. Wholesale and retail, at Rehder's.

LOCAL DOTS

- Schooner "Bayard Hopkins," light for Georgetown, S. C., cleared yesterday.

- J. A. Thomas has been granted permission to build a 4-room frame dwelling on Brunswick, between Sixth and Seventh. - Webb & Co., of Asheville, were

the successful bidders for the \$10,000 Fayetteville graded school bonds Wednesday, paying therefor \$103.25. - A slight blaze at No. 1014 North Seventh street called out the department at 11:12 yesterday morn-

ing. The damage was only about \$2. - The steam tug "Fawn" on her way to Wilmington, has put in at Wrightsville on account of head winds and will probably reach here to-

- Washington correspondence: Burgess W. Marshall, of North Carolina, has been promoted from a \$1,200 to a \$1,400 clerkship in the general land office."

- Grace Sunday School will run an excursion to Carolina Beach today. There will be four boats, leaving at 9 A. M., 2:45, 5:15 and 7:45 P. M. Fare for round trip, 25 cents.

- Walter McGuire, a colored vagrant, found asleep under the residence of Mr. Frank L. Huggins, Eighth and Princess streets, was sent to the roads for 30 days by the Mayor yesterday.

- C. D. Koonce, Esq., of Onslow county, has located at Whiteville for the practice of his profession. In the light of recent occurrences there, Columbus appears to be a good field for lawyers. - The Myrtle Grove Union Sun-

day school will enjoy a picnic at W. H. Williams' landing, on Myrtle Grove Sound, July 9th. Rev. Y. E. Wright will preach at 11 o'clock and Elder G. W. Shepard at 2 o'clock. - The funeral of little Gladys

May Webb, infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. conducted by Dr. McClure from the family residence yesterday at noon. The remains were tenderly laid to rest

- Fayetteville Observer: "Durng a game of base ball at Hope Mills yesterday afternoon, a young boy named Verry Wiggins fell dead just after making the first base bag. It is supposed that he died from the effects of the heat."

- A fine hound owned by Mr. S Davis was killed yesterday morning by a trolley car near Second and Princess. Another dog belonging to a col ored man was run over yesterday afternoon and had to be killed by Po liceman C. T. Croom.

- Fayetteville Observer: "Al arrangements for the ball game to be played here on the 6th between Fayetteville and Wilmington's crack teams of college players, have been perfected, and an interesting contest of a high order is promised,'

- The yacht "Nic Biddle," belonging to Capt. J. L. Coker, Jr., of Georgetown, S. C., which has been in port about a week, cleared yesterday for Wrightsville Beach. Capt. C. D. Maffitt went along as coast pilot and Mr. R. F. Windly as a passenger on 'pleasure bent."

- Examinations of applicants for positions in the public schools of the county will be conducted by Prof. Catlett at the Court House on Thursday, July 9th, for whites and on Friday following for colored applicants. Applicants for admission into the A. & M. College will be also examined Thursday, 9th.

- Thursday, July 9th, a basket picnic will be given at Blackwell Baptist church, near Acorn branch, Cape Fear township. There will be an address by a leading man on the subject of Temperance and Sunday Schools. Friends of all denominations are in. wited to attend and bring a full basket. | brief but very helpful talk upon the An officer will be on the grounds to difficult question, "How to Secure see that good order is kept.

POURTH OF JULY NOTIGES.

Many Places Will be Closed-Hours at the Postoffice.

Stores of Wilmington Grocery Co. N. B. Rankin, Holmes Grocery Co., S. W. Sanders and Sternberger Bros. will be closed Saturday, July 4th.

Freight office of the S. A. L., in this city, will be closed Saturday, July 4th. No freight will be received or delivered on that day.

Following hours will be observed at the postoffice July 4th: General delivery and stamp windows open from to 10 A. M., and 6 to 7 P. M. Carriers will make only one collection and delivery. Money order and registry department closed all day.

An insane colored man, stark-naked and very violent, created much excitement, in an alley leading from Sixth, between Bladen and Harnett streets, yesterday morning. He was taken in custody by Policeman I. F. Huggins and is being held at the station house, pending an examination for his entrance into one of the State hospitals.

May Establish a Paper.

Official call is made in another column for a meeting of the Anti-Saloon League in the Y. M. C. A. building to-night at 8:15 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the advisability of the establishment of a temperance paper. Other matters will also be considered.

Pain's fireworks at Wrightsville

# CAROLINA EDITORS ADJOURN,

#### Thirty-first Annual Convention of Press Association Closed at Wrightsville Yesterday.

Election of Officers for Ensuing Year-Historian's Valuable Paper Delayed-Number of Interesting Discussions-Enjoyable Trolley and Steamer Excursions—Memorial Committee.

North Carolina Press Association came to a close at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, vesterday morning after election of officers for the ensuing year and an informal discussion of a number of interesting newspaper topics. The meeting of the editors this year, while not so largely attended as usual, has been very enjoyable and the discussions bave been pleasant and of , a very high order. Many of the delegates were accompanied by their wives and daughters adding greatly to the social success of the gathering. The weather has been all that could have been desired and Wrightsville beach has been honored by the presence of the men who made up the body. They came from all sections of North Carolina and were highly representative of the press in the State.

The morning session yesterday was ealled to order at 10 o'clock by President Marshall. The first matter taken up was the report of the Committee on Memorial, which was read by Mr. H. P. Deaton, of the Mooresville Enterprise. Sketches of the lives of Rev. Weston R. Gales, of the Montreat Revival; W. S. Herbert, of the Kinston Webb, of East Wilmington, was Free Press, and E. C. Hackney, of the Durham Recorder, who departed this life since the the last meeting of the Association, were read. The report was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, and the secretary was instructed to send a copy to the families of each of the deceased members. It was de cided that hereafter the president should appoint a Memorial Committee before the meeting of the Association to draft resolutions upon deceased

> members. During the session several amendments to the constitution and by-laws were submitted and adopted by the

> Secretary Sherrill read a letter from Maj. H. A. London, of Pittaboro, expressing great regret that he could not be in attendance upon the councils. A letter was also read from Mr. Clarence H. Poe, historian of the Association and the talented young editor of the Progressive Farmer, Raleigh. He expressed much regret at his inability to be present and stated that his annual paper had been mailed to the Association. The paper was ordered spread upon the minutes of the meeting. It is published in full on the third page of to-day's STAR and will be found an able review of the past year in the

newspaper world. The report of Secretary and Treasurer Jno. B. Sherrill, of the Concord Times, was read and approved. Secretary Sherrill has been in harness fifteen years and the administration of the office has been par excellence. He is one of the leading editors in the State and his enthusiasm in the cause knows no bounds. The financial part of Secratary Sherrill's report this year shows a surplus of \$430 in the treasury, which is remarkable when it is considered that the annual dues are only \$1.

Following the secretary's report Mr. J. G. Boylin, ex-president of the Association and editor of the Wadesboro Messenger-Intelligencer, made a Profitable Advertising." His conclusions were logical and his remarks were greatly enjoyed by the Associa-

Mr. Frank R. Northrop, special New York representative of the Lexington Dispatch, Charlotte News, Raleigh News and Observer, with offices in the St. Paul building, 220 Broadway, made a splendid address upon the general subject of advertising and was listened to with greatest pleasure.

"The Duty of the Press as a Part of the Public School System," was interestingly discussed by Rev. P. R. Law, H. P. Deaton and W. A. Curtis. "How May the Press Best Serve the Cause of State History," was treated by Dr. T. B. Kingsbury and R. F.

"How to Increase Circulation," by J. W. Noell, J. A. Robinson and J. H. Quinn was a fruitful discussion, admitting of many timely suggestions and exchange of views.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows : President-H. B. Varner, of the

Lexington Dispatch. First Vice President - Benjamin Bell, of the Wilmington Messenger. Second Vice President-Rev. P. R. Law, of the Lumberton Robesonian.
Third Vice President—J. D. Bivins, of the Albemarle Enterprise. Secretary and Treasurer—J. B. Sherrill, of the Concord Times.

Historian-J. A. Robinson, of the Durham Snn. Orator-R. F. Beasley, of the Monroe Journal.
Poet—A. B. Carter, of the Salisbury Executive Committee-H. B. Var-

ner, chairman; J. B. Sherrill, secreta-ry; H. A. London, J. D. Bivins, W. C. Dowd, J. A. Thomas, W. F. Marshall. Delegates to National Editorial Association—Thad. R. Manning, D. T. Edwards, P. R. Law, W. F. Marshall, J. A. Robinson; alternates, P. D. Don't miss it. Gold, J. W. Noell, J. W. Lincke, A. Wrightsville Beach.

The 31st annual convention of the Johnson, A. B. Carter, R. F. Beasley. The convention adopted resolutions of thanks to the Seashore Hotel, Capt. Jno. W. Harper, the various clubs and all others who contributed to the enjoyment of its members while at the beach, and adjourned at 1 P. M. At 4 o'clock the visitors were guests of the C. R., L. & P. Co. for a delightful ride to the city. At 5:30 P. M. they went for a highly enjoyable excursion down the river on the steamer "Wilmington" as special guests of the clever Capt. Jno. W. Harper, who never has anything too good for the tireless I tives. newspaper fraternity. The editors and their friends reached the city upon their return at 7:30 o'clock. Many

GAVE DELIGHTFUL BOATING PARTY.

will leave to-day for their homes,

while a few will remain for a few days

more at the seashore.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wallace Entertained

Party of Young People Last Night. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wallace, of Wilmington, gave a delightful sailing party to a number of prominent young people at Wrightsville Beach yesterday evening. The sail was over Bank's channel and a short through the inlet to the sea.

Those who composed the party were Mrs. E. W. Smith, Rocky Mount Mrs. G. W. Montcastle, Lexington Mrs. A. M. Hall, Wilmington; Misses Lucy Oates, Sadie Belle Mayer, Katheryne Jordan and Lillian Rhyne, Charlotte; Miss Octavia Boatwright, Wilmington; Mr. John Wilbon, Richmond; Mr. B. C. Fennell, Charlotte; Messrs, R. H. Gwaltney, T. A. Baxter and F. P. Turrentine, Wilmington.

SATURDAY AT WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.

Attractions This Year Are the Finest on

Record-Pyrotechnical Display. The fourth of July attractions at Wrightsville Beach to morrow will be by far the most numerous and meritorious on record at that gay resort. The big display of fireworks to be used at night on the Hammocks arrived last night and an expert from the works of Paine, the manufacturer, will get here to-day to have everything in readiness. The C. R., L. & P. Co., assure the public that the display will be well worth a visit to the beach. The other attractions are the Naval Reserves target practices and drills; the yacht races; the slack wire artist; the vaudeville performances, and others too numerous to mention.

Interstate Telephone Affair.

Capt. W. P. Oldham, local manager of the Interstate Telephone Co., furnishes the STAR with a statement in which he denies that any white man has been discharged from his employ and a negro substituted. Neither to his knowledge has any committee been sent to him to protest against the action charged. Capt. Oldham furnishes a detailed statement of his company's connection with the affair. which for lack of space this paper cannot print and for the further reason that the matter is a private one and one with which the STAR has nothing to do. Capt. Oldham says he has never promised any one he would not work negroes, but that he has never failed to work a white man instead of a negro when he could get one to do

Controversy Over Alley Space,

A controversy between Dr. W. C. Galloway, who recently purchased a part of the Rothwell property opposite the City Hall, and the city authorities has sprung up over the ownership of wo feet of the ten-foot alleyway beween the Rothwell property and the Odd Fellow building. Dr. Galloway claims under his purchase two feet of the alley and the city, of course, is contesting for no curtailment of the public alley space adjoining. City Engineer S. P. Adams has surveyed the premises and submitted a blue print he will be immune from the disease in to Mayor Springer to whom the mat- the future. His first official act after ter has been referred with City At- being discharged was to raise a quarantorney Bellamy. Dr. Galloway is removing a portion of the old Rothwell residence preparatory to building his new residence.

Attacked by Vicious Cow.

Mr. J. D. Sidbury yesterday received word of a serious injury which befel his brother, Mr. V. Sidbury, of Holly Ridge, on Wednesday. Mr. Sidbury was attacked by a vicious cow, which gored the thick part of his thigh through and through. The injured man is doing very well, but is suffering much pain. Mr. J. D. Sidbury will Waddell will be the orator for the ocleave Saturday to be with his brother.

fireworks at Wrightsville will be glorious. Don't miss

Don't miss it. Fireworks at

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

- Mr. E. P. Boatwright arrived yesterday from Richmond to spend a

few days. - Friends of Constable W. B. Savage will regret to know that his little son is extremely ill with fever. - Mr. Hiram Jenkins, a popular

a position with the C. W. Polvogt Co. - Mr. James Struthers, of Grists, one of the leading truckers of Columbus county, was in the city yes-

young dry goods salesman, has taken

- Mrs. Jno. J. Fowler and daughter, Miss Nellie, left yesterday to spend several weeks with friends and relatives in Sumter, S. C.

-- J. B. Taylor, a popular employe of the A. C. L., has gone to Richmond on a business and pleasure trip. Returning he will visit friends and relatives at Magnolia, N. C.

- Mr. J. A. Cavanaugh, of Wal-

lace, was in the city yesterday. He

was wearing in the lapel of his coat a cotton bloom gathered from the farm of Mr. J. B. Blake, near Burgaw. - Mr. Henry Ortmann, of the railway mail service between Jacksonville and Charleston, will return home

pleasant vacation in the city with rela-- Miss Lydia Yates and Miss Hettie Struthers left yesterday morning for Boston to attend the National Educational Association. Later they

will make an extended visit in Nova

this morning, after having spent a very

Scotia. - Southport Standard: "Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Harper and daughter, Miss AnnieKay, came down on Mon day last to spend the Summer in Southport. They are occupying Capt. Harp-

er's cottage on Nash street." - Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Vines, of Asheville, arrived yesterday afternoon and went through to the beach where they will spend two weeks. Dr. Vines will preach at the First Bantist church Sunday morning and evening and again at both services next Sunday.

- Miss Florence E. Hayes, one of the accomplished young ladies who graduated at the Training School for Nurses at the James Walker Memorial Hospital this week, left yesterday evening for her home in Pittsburg, greatly to the regret of her many

"FOURTH" AT GAROLINA BEACH.

Junior Order of United American Me chanics Will Have Gelebration.

The celebration of the "Glorious Fourth" at Carolina Beach this year will be in the hands of the patriotic Junior Order of United American Mechanics and a most interesting programme of exercises has been prepared by the committee. There will be five trips of the steamer "Wilmington" during the day and everything possible will be done to preserve good order. It is the third annual excursion of Jeff Davis Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., and every member of that body will do his best to give the guests a good time. The boats will leave the city at 8:30 and 11 A. M. and 2:30, 5 and 7:30 P. M. The 8:30 and 2:30 boats will connect at the pier with the steamer "Southport" for Southport. Leaving the beach there will be four boats, at

12 M., 3:30, 6 and 9:30 P. M. There will be music, dancing and refreshments all day at the beach 'Arra" will be present to amuse and startle with his wonderful performances on the "Roman rings." The fare for the round trip will be only 25c; to Southport, 35c.

. M. C. A. Membership Meeting. There is much interest manifested by members in the mass meeting this evening in the Y. M. C. A. building. Every member of the Association is expected to be in attendance and all are assured a very pleasant and profitable time. The feature of the meeting will be an address by Dr. McClure on the "Value of the Association," but a Whites and on Friday for Colored. number of other members will make talks of an interesting and entertaining character. There will be a programme of select music including a vocal solo by Mrs. F. A. Muse; a violin solo by Mrs. J. D. Edwards and a soprano solo by Miss Nora Scott. Refreshments will be served after the formal exercises,

Health Inspector Discharged, Health Officer E. W. Hewlett, who has been at the detention hospital the past 21 days with smallpox, was released yesterday. He says his experience was a rough one but that he is glad to be conscious of the fact that

tine and fumigate a house at 111 South

Tenth street where a colored patient

had scarlet fever.

Special Excursion to Payetteville. The Atlantic Coast Line will run a special excursion train from Wilmington to Fayetteville, Monday, July 6th. The fare for the round trip from all stations as far as Ivanhoe will be \$1 for adults and 50c. for children. The college baseball team of Wilmington will go up to engage the Fayetteville team as one of the features of a big celebration there during the day. Col.

Fireworks for the 4th. Wholesale and retail, at Rehder's.

After supper take a moonlight trol-

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

Six Months, Three Months, 1,25 Two Months, 1.00 Belivered to Subscribers in the

City at 45 Cents per Month.

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# SPEND FOURTH OF JULY

WHOLE NO. 11,187

# Wrightsville Beach.

# FREE EXHIBITION OF FIREWORKS.

Exhibition will be given by The Pain Manufacturing Co., the celebrated manufacturers of Fireworks, who gave the famous exhibitions at Manhattan Beach and other noted places. A representative of the Pain Manufacturing Co. will come here from New York to give the exhibition. The display will be made from the Hammocks and can be seen from all parts of the Beach.

A Great Exhibition. Free. Don't Miss It.

OTHER FREE EXHIBITIONS ARE

## Slide For Life

AND THRILLING SLACK WIRE PERFORMANCE BY SIG. GUILMETTE.

Fancy Drill and Dress Parade on the Beach by the Wilmington Div. N. C. Naval Brigade,

### TARGET PRACTICE

With One Pound Field Piece at Floating Target Anchored a Mile Off Shore.

# **Annual Regatta**

Of the Carolina Yacht Club Over the Club

Also there will be Special Vaudeville Performances at the Casino. Morning, Afternoon and Evening, 25 cents

ADMISSION.

Cars every half hour. Seating accommodation for 400 people per hour from either end of the line. je 2 3t



# July 4th!

According to our usual custom

our Store

Will be closed on this day. You can enjoy your outing more in a pair of our Seashore Oxfords or Bals. Nice for Yachting or Tennis. Try

GEO. R. FRENCH & SONS.

and all bids.

Examination Of applicants for positions in the public schools of New Hanover Co. will be held at Court House on

Thursday, July 9th, at 9 o'clock for On Thursday applicants for admission into the A. & M.

College will be examined.

jy 3 3t W. CATLETT, Supt.

Jeff Davis Council No. 63, O. U. A. M. Will run their third annual Family Excursion to Carolina Beach Saturday, July 4th, on Steamer Wilmington. There will be five boats. Music, dancing and other amusements. "Arra" will amuse you all with his wonderful performance on the Roman Rings. For other information see circulars.

JNO. E. WOOD.

jy 3 it Chairman.

NOTICE.

Saturday being July 4th, our stores will be closed on that day. Our patrons will please take notice, HOLMES GROCERY CO.
WILMINGTON GROCERY CO.
N. B. RANKIN,
S. W. SANDERS,
jy 1 it STERNBERGER BROS.

Anti-Saloon League.

A meeting of the Anti-Saloon League is called for Friday evening, 3:15 in Y, M. O. A. to consider the advisability of establishing a newspaper. All friends of restriction are welcome. No secret meetings. No "gag law" wanted for either side, as adopted by Alderman Gafford Tuesday night. Nothing unreasonable wanted. jy 3 it

NOTICE.

The suburban trolley line will not handle Freight on July the Fourth. jy 2 3t.

Orient Lodge No. 395, A. F. & A. M.

MASONIO TEMPLE, July 3, 1903

#### SEALED PROPOSALS

Will be received at the Mayor's office until July 10th, 1903, for furnishing twenty-five to forty thousand tons crushed stone for street paying delivered as follows: At quarries, on city wharves and on streets where wanted. Also for ten to twenty thousand feet granite and stone curbing. The right reserved to reject any

WM. E. SPRINGER, jy 3 7t Mayor.

For Sale.

One large Miller make iron safe, weight 4,000 lbs. One large Marvin iron safe, weight 2,500 lbs. One large Herring iron safe;

Show cases, all sizes, in stock and can make prompt shipment. SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS., 18 Market Street.

weight 3,000 lbs.; and 25 other iron

ales of various size

Annual Regatta.

The annual Begatta of the Carolina Yacht Club will be sailed over the club's course in Banks Channel, Saturday, July 4th, at 2:30 P. M. All boats will report to regatta committee at club pier by 1 P. M. Chairman Begatta Committee tu fr sa

NOTICE.

Saturday, July 4, one delivery of Beer will be made only. No goods shipped on that date. KOME BREWING CO.