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THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

Secretary Heinsberger Tendered His Res-

ignation--Free Perries and Roadways

to Wilmington Discussed.

resignation as secretary and treasurer

The matter of better means of com-

munication by roads, ferries and

bridges between Wilmington and the

territory near by, with free ferriage

over the Cape Fear, Northeast and

Brunswick rivers, was discussed, but

The remainder of the session was

devoted principally to business of a

routine and private character. The

usual reports were submitted, read

and approved. Vice President Whit-

lock presided at the meeting in the

absence of President Jno. H. Rehder

and members in attendance were

Messrs. Geo. O. Gaylord, A. O. Schus-

ter, J. M. Solky and Marcus W. Jacobi.

NEW CAPTAIN OF ENGINEERS.

Said That Officer in Charge of Debris Com-

mission Has Been Sent Here.

The Washington correspondent of

the Charlotte Observer, under date of

July 9ih, sends that paper the follow-

"Capt. Robert Johnson, secretary

and disbursing officer of the Califor-

nia debris commission, has been as-

signed to duty at Wilmington as offi-

Capt. Winslow, who has taken his re-

sidence in Norfolk and been placed in

charge of the office there and also at

Wilmington, was here Thursday and

returned to Norfolk Thursday even-

LOCAL DOTS.

- Nine female and one male col-

ored applicant stood the examination

for teachers' certificates as submitted

- Permission was granted yester-

day for the erection of a two-story,

five-room dwelling for John E. Tay-

lor on Seventh between Red Cross and

- By deed filed for record yester-

day Frances Brown transferred to Mar-

tin Schnibben for \$4,000, house and

lot at southwest corner of Sixth and

- Carrie Robinson, colored, was

charged with forcible trespass in Jus-

tice Fowler's court yesterday. The

warrant was subsequently amended to

wilful trespass and judgment was sus

- A lawn and porch party was

given last night by ladies of St. An.

drew's Presbyterian church at the

residence of Mrs. E. B. King, No. 111

Grace street. Music and refreshments

- Over 200 fine Spanish mackerel

were caught by Atlanta and Sparian-

burg parties off the Seashore Hotel

Thursday. The fishing at Wrightsville

are taking delightful advantage of it.

Grove Sound was attended by more

than 200 persons, who thorough-

ly enjoyed the day. An elegant dinner

was served and there were pleasing

addresses by Revs. Y. E. Wright and

Geo. Shepard. Boating, fishing and

numerous other forms of entertain-

The funeral of Charles Williams, in-

fant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Snee-

den, whose death occurred yesterday

morning shortly after 1 o'clock, was

conducted from the family residence,

Fifth and Dawson streets, at 2:30

o'clock yesterday afternoon by the

Rev. F. M. Shamburger, pastor of

mains were taken to the Sound for

Fayetteville Observer 10th: "When

the Bennettsville excursion passed here

last night about 11 o'clock on its re-

to get exciting in several of the cars,

to relieve their ennui in the several fights beginning to brew, in which

ment were indulged in.

Funeral of Infant Son.

Warm Excursion.

by Prof. Catlett yesterday.

Campbell streets.

Red Cross streets.

were enjoyed.

body welcome.

ing item:

of the organization and same was ac-

cepted to take effect Oct. 1st.

no definite action was taken.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10.

cer in charge of engineering work Meteorological data for the twentythere. He relieves Capt. E. E. Winsour hours ending at 8 P. M .: [emperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees Inquiry at the Wilmington office P. M., 8) degrees; maximum, 88 de last night brought the reply that nothrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 80 ing was known of the transfer there.

Rainfall for the day, 00. rainfall suce 1st of the month to date, .44 Stage of water in the Cape Fear

iver at Fayetteville, N. O., at 8 A. M. Thursday, 9.3 feet.

WASHINGTON, July 10. - Occasional howers. Saturday and Sunday, light southwest winds.

Port Almanac ... July 11.

| Sun Rises | 4.52 A. M |
|-------------------------|------------|
| San Sets | 7.18 P. M |
| Day's Length | 14 H. 25 M |
| High Water at Southport | 8,51 A. M |
| High Water Wilmington. | 11.21 A. ¥ |
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Anyway, the Georgia redbug was stack on Judge Parker.

New York has an unlucky numer of millionaires-thirteen hun-

A telegraphic message can now sent around the world in nine and a half minutes.

Inis year has surely been a recordreaker for floods, cyclones, wrecks,

murders, suicides, &c. Young Vanderbilt's automobile

uploded the other day, and he is now nursing a damaged eye. There are unprecedented floods

on the Colorado river: thousands of scres of land are under water and the property loss is heavy.

General Davis reports to the War epartment that a considerable reaction of troops in the Philippines would be possible next year. Yes, possible, but not probable.

Richmond's ex-alderman, John 4. King, charged with bribery and out on bail, has disappeared for good, it seems, as nothing has been heard from him for several weeks.

A young man in New York attempted suicide the other day by garette smoking. He succeeded inhaling eighteen packages of figarettes and when found was unconscious. Prompt work at a hospital saved his life.

The assessment of real and peronal property in the city of New fork is enormous. The valuation of real estate amounts to \$4,751,-32,52%, an increase of \$1,420,885,-247 over last year's assessment, and the personal property, for purposes of taration, is valued at \$680,866,-000, an increase of \$155,000,000 duning the year.

While playing in the streets of doboken the other day a little girl who had been afflicted with paralyte for a number of years, was struck fallen in her pathway. She received a severe shock, and it was found that all traces of the paralysis had

4 \$75,000,000 wheat crop was grown in Kansas this year. On Sunday religious services were suspended in the farming section and everybody put in a full day in the fields gathering the immense crop. Men, women and children were Pleased into service, the women driving teams and the children car-Jing water to the workers. Harfesting is now going on night and

THE MORNING STAR.

WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1903.

ICE FACTORY AFIRE.

Inhabitants Had Visions of Famine and Necessarily At the regular monthly meeting of Higher Prices.

the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association yesterday after-BOILER ROOM DESTROYED. noon Mr. P. Heinsberger tendered his

Independent Company Had a Blaze from Which It Will Recover Early-Department Responded to Five Alarms During the Day.

Grave apprehensions of an famine and consequent high prices swept over the city late yesterday afternoon when wild rumors on the streets announced that the plant of the Independent Ice Company, at Seventh and Brunswick streets, was being de- spot and are accordingly sending invistroyed by fire. People hurried to the tations to all of them to be present. scene of the supposed conflagration and were gratified to find that by heroie effort on the part of the company's employes and the city firemen, who responded to an alarm from box 31 at 5:30 o'clock, that only the boiler room had been destroyed, though the factory proper had a close call, a brick wall intervening having saved the larger building.

The fire originated over the boilers n the roof of the shed and was first discovered by parties outside the factory, on Brunswick street. The employes were hastily informed that the building was on fire and very soon they had two hose playing on the flames from the company's own equipment. As soon as possible the alarm was sent to the Department and the firemen responded quickly, joining forces with the factory employes and confining the fire to the boiler room, which in the nature of the case, was entirely consumed. Chief Engineer John A. Morris as quickly as possible stopped the machinery and put the pumps to work to save the boilers. By that presence of mind and the splendid work of the firemen the boilers were uninjured, though a large amount of ing. He knew nothing of the trans- the steam fittings were more or less fer, but the news, coming as it does | damaged.

President J. A. Springer and General Manager L. H. Simmons, of the company, said last night that the damage will not exceed \$1,000, which is fully covered by insurance. President Springer also said that the delivery of ice would in no way be interrupted and that the machinery would be started up this morning as usual. The flames were not out yesterday before the management, with its characteristic enterprise, had machinists on the ground ready to begin the work of repair as soon as the pipes were cooled. The Wilmington Iron Works had a force of a dozen men at work all last night repairing the machinery, so that steam may be put on the boilers this morning. An official announcement of the company as to deliverles is made in the advertising columns.

Other Fires Yesterday. Although the weather was sizzling hot yesterday and people felt like calling out the Department to combat the efforts of Old Sol, the firemen had a busy day of it keeping down fires of another origin. Three alarms were responded to during the morning, the first at 10:32, A. M. residence at corner of Fourth and Church streets, where sparks caused a damage of \$10; the second at 10:36 A. M., house at 611 Taylor street, occupied by Ferbie Lewis, which, was damaged similarly, and the third at 11 A. M., house occupied by Georgia Singletary, No. 913 Cleveland avenue,

s magnificent and guests at the hotel where sparks also caused a \$10 damage. - "The Philosophy of the Chris-At 12:10 o'clock this morning an tian Life" will be the subject of Rev. alarm from box 43 called the Depart-W. M. Vines' discourse at 11 A. M., ment to Capt. Preston Cumming's and "Life's Greatest Misfortune" at wood-working plant at foot of Dock 8:15 P.M., at the First Baptist chucrch. street, inside which a small fire was discovered in a pile of lumber by The public is cordially invited; every-Policeman I. F. Huggins. The blaze was extinguished by the Chemical - The Union Sunday School picengine with only a slight loss. nic at, Williams' Landing on Myrtle

Including the alarm before day yesterday morning on account of the burning of three small houses in Fifth ward, the Department responded to six alarms in all during the twentyfour hours.

LOGAL PORT PARAGRAPHS

Schooner and Steamer Arrived-Latter

Went Aground-Vessel Cleared. Schooner "Islesboro," Capt. Trimm rom Perth Amboy, arrived late yeserday afternoon.

American barque "Hattle G. Dixon" cleared yesterday with 397,000 ft. lumber, consigned to New York by the Cape Fear Lumber Co.

Fifth Street M. E. church. The re-British steamer "Iona," 1,348 tons Capt. Coward, arrived yesterday from Huelva to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son with cargo of pyrites for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co. While passing up the river to the Navassa factory, above Wilmington, yesterday afternoon she went aground at "Long turn from Wrightsville, things began Reach," about midway between the gers found something city and Navassa. She is drawing 21 feet of water and expects to float on this morning's tide.

lower rates from points this side.

Men may come and men may go, but always with increasing flow to Wrightsville Beach.

Excursion from Raleigh.

On Wednesday, July 22d, the Seaboard Air Line Railway will run a NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. special train from Raleigh to Wilmington, taking passengers from all Suburban Line-Notice. stations up to and including Hamlet; Electric Fan-Hot wave. leaving Raleigh at 9:00 A.IM.; return-Independent Ice Co.-No interrup'n ing, leave Wilmington at 7:80 P. M. on 23d. The round trip rate from BUSINESS LOCALS. Raleigh is \$2.25, with corresponding

Drag Saw Outfit for sale. Surf-bathing-At Wrightsville.

Merchandise Business-For sale. Music and dancing at Wrightsville

Swept by ocean breezes, Wrights ville Beach. Vaudeville at Wrightsville Beach.

REUNION OF FISHER VETERANS OFF TO ENCAMPMENT

It is Proposed to Entertain on Historic Grounds Survivors of Greatest Bombardment in Annals of War.

the Murchison National Bank, Rev. J. A. Smith and other veterans of Wilmington have conceived the happy idea of having a re-union of all survivors of the terrible battle of Fort Fisher on the grounds of the fort on August 10th of this year and from present indications the reunion will be a highly successful affair. Mr. Mc-Queen and Rev. Mr. Smith were of Co. D. First North Carolina Regiment. which was in the front rank of that greatest of all bombardments, and they

Mr. McQueen announced the plans of himself and comrades at the regular meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254, U. C. V., at the W. L. I. armory last night, and the same brought forth much interest and enthusiasm. Commander W. J. Woodward, Comrades H. C. McQueen and W. P. Oldham were appointed a committee to welcome the veterans upon the occasion of the reunion and to extend them the

courtesies of the city. The meeting of the Camp last night was presided over by Commander Woodward and Adjutant A. L. De-Rosset was at his post as secretary. The exercises opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. James Carmichael, the chaplain, after which routine business was transacted An application for membership was referred to the Membership Committee. Every member of the Camp was urged to provide himself with one of the regulation uniforms and to wear the same at funerals and upon similar public occasions when the Camp attends in a body.

THE NAVASSA GUANO COMPANY.

Annual Meeting in This City Yesterday. Usual Dividend Declared.

Guano Company was held yesterday at noon in the general offices of the company on Water street. The principal business of public interest transacted was the annual election of Directors and the subsequent election of officers, which resulted as follows: President-H. W. Malloy, Wil-

Vice President-S. T. Morgan, Rich Secretary and Treasurer-W. L DeRosset, Wilmington.
Directors—S. T. Morgan, S. D. Cren shaw, C. E. Borden and F. Whittle, Richmond; W. L. DeRosset, H. W. Malloy, Wilmington; L. A. Carr, Darham; F. B. Dancy, Atlanta; W.

M. Morgan, Fayetteville. The usual annual dividend was declared, payable at the option of the treasurer on or before July 15th.

Among the out-of town officers of the company in attendance upon the meeting were Mr. C. E. Borden, of Richmond, and Mr. W. M. Morgan, of Fayetteville, both of whom returned home yesterday evening.

Puperal of Mrs. Hawkins.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia A. Hawkins, wife of Mr. J. L. Hawkins, a popular employe of the A. C. L. car shops, was conducted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. P. King, from the Second Advent Church, thence to Bellevue cemetery, where the remains were tenderly laid to rest. Mrs. Hawkins was in the 24th year of her age, and died Thursday night at the family residence, 512 Wooster street. She leaves, besides a sorrowing husband, two little children, aged 3 and 5 years, respectively. The pall-bearers at the funeral were Messrs. Valentine Gaskill, Geo. C. Saunders, Jas. E. Smith, M. E. Keathley, Robert Shepard and W. R. Bate.

Remains Earried to Wallace. The remains of the late Mrs. Nancy Cavanaugh, wife of Mr. J. T. Cavanaugh, Fourth, between Bladen and Harnett streets, whose death occurred Thursday night, were taken on the morning train yesterday to Wallace, near which town the funeral and interment took place in the afternoon. The remains were accompanied by members of the family and Mr. Tom Bradham and Miss Addie Pickett, friends of the family. The pall-bearers from the station were Messrs. L. C. Sutton, J. R. Kelly, W. O. Fellows, A. D. Williams, L. L. Bland, C. M. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Frank have the tens derest sympathy of hundreds of friends in the loss of their little daughter, Lillian Elizabeth, aged 17 months, whose death occurred at the family residence, 404 North Third street, at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. After impressive funeral services at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon by the Rev. J. N. Cole, assisted by Rev. Drs. A. D. Mc-Clure and James Carmichael, the remains, accompanied by members of the family, were taken on the evening train to Alexandria, Va.

Coming to the Beach.

Fayetteville Observer: "The following left to-day for Wrightsville Beach on the 'City of Fayetteville:' Col. C. W. Broadfoot and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Underwood and children, Mrs. Jas. A. Moore and little daughter, Misses May and Fan Kyle, Measrs. W. A. Vanstory, L. A. Williamson, J. H. Culbreth and Charles Breezes, all in the trip to Wrightsville Haigh, Jr."

Fine fishing from the trestle at Wrightsville Beach. Go to Wrightsville Beach—car A car every half hour to Wrightsvery half hour.

Boys' Brigade Left This (Morning for Its Seventh Annual Outing at Southport. Mr. H. C. McQueen, president of

ROSTER OF THE COMPANY.

Camp Named in Honor of a Benefactor. First General Order Sovering Hours to be Observed and Appointment of Officers-Notes.

The seventh annual encampment of the Boys' Brigade of America will begin to-day at Southport and continue for ten days. The camp site selected are anxious to meet their old comis an ideal one and an advance squad rades once again on that historic o command of Lieut. E. P. Dudley has been there two days putting everything in readiness. The Brigade, headed by its "sole owner and proprietor," Col. Walker Taylor, who is in com mand, will leave at 5 o'clock this morning on the steamer "Wilmington," about forty strong. The first general order was issued yesterday from Brigade headquarters as fol-

> Headquarters First Battalion, North Carolina Boys Brigade of America, Camp "George," Southport, N. C., July 11, 1903.

The sixth annual encampment of his Battalion will be formally opened Camp George (named in honor of Captain Edward Payson George, C. S. A., who formerly lived in Wilmingtop, and who by his liberality through his attorney, Mr. James Sprunt, has, gained the everlasting gratitude of the Boys' Brigade) this morning at 8 o'clock, and the following assignments are announced to be in effect during said encampment:

John W. Curtis-Captain Company Edwin P. Dudley-Captain Com-Wilbur R. Dosher-Battation Ad Wash W. King, Jr.-Battalion Ser-

geant Major.
Albert L. Dosher—Bugler.
James M. Hall—Hospital Stewart. A. A. Hergenrother-Commissary Sergeant.

These officers will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

| duting the encampment: | |
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| Reville | 6:30 A. M. |
| Mess | 7:00 A. M. |
| Roll Call | 8:00 A. M. |
| Religious Exercises | |
| Mess | |
| Mess | 6:00 P. M. |
| Tattoo | 8:30 P. M. |
| Assembly | 6:45 A. M. |
| Company Drill | 7:30 A. M. |
| Bick Call | 8:15 A. M. |
| Guard Mount | 9:15 A. M. |
| Battalion Drill | 3:30 P. M. |
| Dress Parade | |
| Taps | 9:30 P. M. |
| The countersign will be i | A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR |

from headquarters; one officer of the day; one sergeant, and as many cor porals and privates as may be necessary, will be detailed daily for guard duty. The hours of bathing will be announced daily. All orders and sig-nals will be issued from headquarters. By order of WALKER TAYLOR, Colonel Commanding.

WILBUR R. DOSHER, 1st. Lieut. & Adjutant.

The roster of the brigade is as follows Sam Brittian, , Walter Blackmon, John W. Brown, John Briggs, Carl Bender, John W. Curtis, W. F. Cartwright, Wilbur R. Dosher, Albert L. Dosher, Edwin P. Dudley, Chas. Deraun, Leon Davis, Louis Galloway, George Galloway, Percy O. Hall, James M. Hail, A. A. Hergenrother, Herbert Jordan, O. J. Jackson, Hans A. Kiure, Jr., Louis Klander, Wash W. King, Jr., Joseph J. Loughlin, Chas. C. Loughlin, John McAlister, Quince McKoy, C. T. McKeithan, James W. Orrell, Henry R. Orrell, Robert R. Presson, James A. Price Robert B. Presson, James A. Price Cleveland Peterson, Henry T. Quinn, James Fred Russ, Thomas O. Ramsey, Harry O. Thomas, John Thomas, Chas. E. Woodbury, Harry Walker, Julius

BASEBALL THIS AFTERNOON.

Collegians and Home Players Will Contend for Honors at Hilton.

There will be a hotly contested game of baseball at Hilton Park this after noon between the Collegians and the Home Boys. Both teams are playing fast ball and as they have each been strengthened by the addition of sev eral well known players, it is safe to say that the game will be one well worth seeing. The ladies especially are requested to see the game and by their presence inspire the boys to greater effort to win. The teams will

line up as follows: COLLEGIANS. Moore (Capt.)....c.....Jackson Peschau...p....Wood McIntire.....1b....King Green...........2b...........Boyer Smith s.s James
Mills l.f Orow
Marship r.f Brinkley

Oroom......c.f..Cantwell(Capt.) The admission will be, gentlemen, 15 cents; ladies free. Wagonettes will be run from the car line to the park to transfer the patrons of the game.

Farewell, Second Regiment Band.

Members of the Second Regiment Band, which recently disbanded, had a farewell frolic at Wrightsville beach last night. Members went down on the evening cars for supper at the Ocean View hotel and later attended The Casino performance returning to the city about midnight. At the final business meeting last week there was found an unexpended balance in the Municipal Sourt Yesterday. treasury and some convivial member of the band conceived the idea of a farewell frolic. It was no sooner proposed than accepted and last night

Sailing and fishing at Wrightsville

DISORDER ON A STREET CAR.

Four Young White Men Arraigned for Misconduct at Ninth and Princess Night Before Last-To the Roads.

In the municipal court yesterday at noon Hosea Davis, C. T. Williams, John Tharpe and Oscar C. Grant, the young white men who raised a disturbance on a street car and severely beat Conductor Peter Walker at Ninth and Princess streets Thursday night, were arraigned for trial before Mayor Springer. The three first named were arrested soon after the difficulty and Grant was arrested about 10 o'clock yesterday morning. They appeared in court with their counsel, Walter P. Gafford, Esq., and were first called to answer the charge of disorderly conduct in using violent language in the car. Thos. W. Davis, Esq., counsel for the C. R., L. & P. Co, and City Attorney William J. Bellamy conducted the prosecution.

Capt. W. H. Pemberton, Messrs. Geo. W. Chesnutt, U. M. Robinson and others testified as to the conduct of the men and Mayor Springer imposed a fine of \$20 and costs, or 30 days on the roads, upon Davis and Williams, while Tharpe was given \$10 or 15 days on the roads and Grant \$5 or 10 days on the roads. Davis and Williams were sent to the roads yesterday after noon. The other two are held at the station house but will be sent to the roads, if they do not raise their fines

When the case for disorderly conluct was disposed of, charges of an affray were called against them. Their attorney made an affidavit and the cases were set for a hearing before Justice Fowler at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. At that hour the attorneys came into court and as the prisoners could not be produced until the sentences in the first case are satisfied. the cases were continued. In the meantime they will be held until their trial upon the more serious offence can take place.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Dr. C. J. Manly, United States

Army, is a guest at The Orton. - Hon. William B. Hayes, mayor of Pittsburg, Pa., is in the city on a

- Mr. A. M. Hall and family and Mrs. Molly Hargrove went to Kenansville yesterday to spend some time.

- Mrs. J. W. Thorburn and son, of New York, arrived yesterday evening on a visit to the family of Mrs. Thorburn's brother, Mr. F. A. Muse. - Mrs. W. R. Kenan, Mrs. Wise

and Miss Sarah Kenan have gone to Mamoroneck, N. Y., on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Flagler. - Charlotte Observer: "Cel. Richard T. Jacobs and valet and Miss Laura Jacobs, of Louisville, Ky., spent

Wrightsville Beach." - Mrs. P. Heinsberger, Jr., and children are visiting friends in Faison. N. C. Later they will spend some time at the home of Maj. J. S. Hines,

father of Mrs. Heinsberger. - Darlington News: "Mr. E. F. Jones, an experienced dry goods man of Wilmington, N. C., has arrived in Darlington and will have charge of the Woods Mercantile Co., which will

soon be ready for business." - Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph. D., returned last evening, having accompanied his family as far as Petersburg on their way to Buena Vists, Va., to spend the remainder of the Summer.

- Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. G. G. Whiting and little son John left yesterday for Wrightsville, to spend a month with Mrs. Whiting's mother at her cottage on the beach.'

nvestigating Smallpox.

Dr. Joshua Tayloe, of Washington, N. C., State smallpox inspector, passed through the city yesterday, en route to Whiteville, Columbus county, where he will investigate reported trouble from the disease in that locality. He will also visit Burgaw by order of the State Board of Health. The report of the State Board on smallpox for June, just issued, shows its presence in twenty counties, with eighteen cases in Buncombe, fourteen in Durham, forty-five in Guilford, two in Mecklenburg, one in New Hanoyer and twenty-six in Wake. During the past twelve months there have been 4,400 cases of smallpox in the State, and 160 of them were fatal.

Big Catch of Spanish Mackerel

The sharple "Virgia May," Capt. Wells, was chartered yesterday by a party of guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, and a fine afternoon's sport at fishing was enjoyed. The party was composed of Messrs. J. L. Irby, of South Carolina; R. F. Heitman and W. L. Harkey, of Lexington, N. C., and J. D. Proctor, of Lumberton, who made the record catch of Spanish mackerel during the fine fellows and were congratulated upon the success of their outing when they returned to the hotel.

In the police court yesterday Clarence Williams and Henry Wright, the colored boys charged with stealing brass from the power house of the C. R. L. & Co., were sent to jail in default of \$50 bond for their appearance at the September term of Superior Court. George McKinney, white, charged with drunkenness, went to the roads for 30 days in default of a fine of \$10 and costs. G. C. Harper, a one-legged man, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct at Front and Dock streets, was fined \$5 and costs.

WHOLE NO. 11,193

The Independent Ice Company

Wishes to assure the public that there will be no interruption of our business by reason of the fire we had yesterday. We will serve all our customers as usual.

THE INDEPENDENT IGE CO.

jy 11 tf

WILMINGTON GROCERY COMPANY.

A. M. HALL. JNO. L. BOATWRIGHT. President.

W. D. HALL, Gen'l Manager. Sec'y and Treas.

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Six Months,

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count with us. We will always keep the freshest and nicest goods to be bought. We will give you polite attention and will deliver your goods at the earliest possible moment after purchases. We will give you FULL VALUE for every cent you buy.

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JNO. L. BOATWRIGHT, General Manager. Phones-Bell No. 14. Inter-State No. 66. jy 10.1w

Wilmington Postmastership.

Washington correspondence, Charlotte Observer: "Thos. S. Rollins, chairman of the Republican State Executive Committee, arrived in Washington to-day to take up with the Postoffice and several other Departments appointments that must be made soon. Ex-Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson, national committeeman, is expected here to-morrow to confer with Mr. Rollins about some of these. It was stated by Mr. Rollins to-night that no action would be taken in the Wilmington postoffice contest until December, the date the term of office of Miss Darby, the present postmaster, expires.'

-Mr. N. R. Hoyle, formerly of the News and Observer but more recently last night at the Central en route to connected with the Richmond papers, has become telegraph editor of the Messenger, succeeding Mr. Boone, who resigned to return with his family to his former home at Waynesville.

If you wish to enjoy cool sea breezes go to Wrightsville Beach.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Meeting of the Board of Equalization Monday July 18th inst., at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the jy 10 4t

LOST.

A double case gold watch with a piece of chain attached to it some where between my residence and Front Street Market. Liberal reward for return of same. J. F. Garrell.

LOST.

Bunch of small Keys with Postoffice key on a ring with my name on it. Reward if returned to WM. H. SHAW. U. B. COURT ROOM.

Notice.

This is to notify all persons that have this day sold to Mr. B. F. Hall my entire interest in Wilmington Grocery, No. 14 South Front street, and will devote my entire | ging and ties will put the [price up,

"UNLUCKY CORNER." S. W. SANDERS,

Ice Cream,

the best, as a trial will convince you that mine has no equal. Parlors opened every night until

When you order why not order

J. W. Plummer, Jr., until 7:30 P. M., at 9th and Bell 'Phone 680.

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AN ELECTRIC FAN will keep you cool and com-

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Water Mill and Every Bushel Weighs 46

Pounds. As there will be a big crop of Cotton made the demand for bag-

so buy NOW and buy of THE WORTH CO.

NOTICE.

Beginning Friday, July 10th, the Suburban Line Freight Car will make an additional trip at 8:30 P. M., daily except Sunday, Freight will be received Orange streets.

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