OUTLINES

The Weather Bureau reports a general improvement in cotton and the outlook for tobacco very promising. - The East Shore Terminal Co.'s property in Charleston, S. C., sold yesterday, was bought by the A. C. L. and Southern Railways. - One man was killed and another seriously shot in a fight of men of the 14th U. 8 cavalry in Arizons. - Tobacco iobpers and dealers are cautioned avainst alleged violations of internal revenue laws. - A strong intimation is given that the petition of the Jews to the Czar of Russia may not be torwarded to the Russian government. - Important developments regarding the Chinese-American treaty are expected. - Negro who assaulted a waite girl near New Baltimore, N. Y., was saved from lynching by an officer who smuggled the negro to another town. - A negro who burglarized the residence of the mayor of Red Bank, N. J., and attempted to criminally assault the mayor's daughter, was saved from lynching by the police of Red Bank. -- Robt. Shaw Oliver, it is said, will be secretary of war when Secretary Root retires. -Strikers in Richmond, Va., are still throwing stones at the street cars. --Postoffice inspectors are investigating charges against John M. Maston, as sistant superintendent of the railway mail service. -- The Republican State convention of Kentucky meets to-day in Louisville. -- Officials of the alleged candy trust, New York city, have been summoned toanswer

WEATHER REPORT

steady; spirits turpentine steady.

a charge of criminal conspiracy.

-- New York markets: Money on

call steady at 21@31 per cent; cotton

-quiet at 12.20c; flour was quiet but

steadier; wheat-spot steady, No. 2

red 85c; corn-spot steady, No. 2 57c.

pais-spot weaker, No. 2 414c; rosin

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU. WILMINGTON, N. C., July 14.) Meteorological data for the twenty

four hours ending at 8 P. M .: femperatures: 8 A. M., 69 degrees 8 P M. 75 degrees; maximum, 83 de rees: minimum, 67 degrees: mean, 75

Rainfall for the day, .96; rainfall nace 1st of the month to date, 1.40

COTTON REGION BULLETIN General rains with heavy showers

have occurred in the eastern, and some scattered rains in the central districts. Temperatures are somewhat lower over the greater portion of the belt. Rainfall at Lumberton, 2.33 inches Greensbore, 1.10; Newbern, 2 05. FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 14 -For North 'a olina: Fair Wednesday and Thurs day; light, variable winds.

Port Almanac ... July 15.

Sin Rises	4.55 A. M.
Bun Sets	7.16 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 20 M.
High Water at Southport	11.10 A. M.
High Water Wilmington.	1.40 P. M.

Ohio is now out of debt, the last \$250,000 of her indebtedness having been paid a few days ago. This is more creditable than to have a Foraker, a Hanna or a Tom John-

That Indiana man who lost a pocket book containing over \$5,000 and who gave the car porter who found it and returned it a cigar, was certainly an extravagant man, but perhaps the cigar was one of the three-for-a-nickel brand.

The late King Alexander and Queen Draga, of Servia, left debts in Vienna amounting to 400,000 francs. The new Servian government has offered to pay but 20 per cent. of the amount involved, which was refused by the creditors, and an action at law will be brought.

Chicago seems to be well supplied with barrooms. City Collector Lahiff, of that city, has already issued 7,045 saloon licenses, and it is likely the current period, which ends August 31st, will exceed all previous records in the matter of permits to

Mrs. Ellen Kendall, wife of a wellknown farmer of Rush county, Ind., has brought suit for divorce, alleging in her complaint that her husband "formed a habit early in life of sleeping in his boots, winter and summer, and persists in keeping up this practice to her great annoyance and in constant jeopardy to her health." A man like that ought to be compelled to sleep in the fodder

The seven-months old baby of Mr. Lewis S. Thompson, of Red Bank, N. J., swallowed a safety pin Friday morning. The pin unclasped in the child's throat in such a manner as to resist the attempt of the inmates of the household to remove it, although they could see it. A special train was chartered at a cost of \$1,000 and the child was taken to New York, a distance of 400 miles. Dr. Winters, who was awaiting their arrival, removed the pin in about two minutes.

THE MORNING STAR.

VOL. LXXII. -- NO. 96 WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1903.

LOCAL DOTS.

- Two excursions-one white and another colored-will leave Atlanta next Monday, arriving here Tuesday

- Messrs. W. S. and D. M. Partrick will run an excursion from Clin ton to Wilmington, for white people only, on Tuesday, July 28th.

- All who are favorable to the organization of an Anti-Saloon League in the First Ward are asked to meet Friday night in Bladen Street M. E. church.

- Mr. J. H. McDougall, who was so severely burned in the explosion at the Wilmington Iron Works in June, expects to be able to leave the hospital

-The game of baseball at Hilton yesterday afternoon between the colored teams of Charleston and Wilmington resulted in a score of 9 to 0

in favor of the last named. - County Treasurer Green yesterday receipted the city for \$467.40amount of fines in the police court for the school fund for the six months from Jan. 1st to July 1st, 1903.

- Work has begun on the new ron bridge for the D. L. Gore Company, connecting the second floor of its store, across Water street, to the company's warehouse opposite.

- On account of the absence rom the city of several members, the regular meeting of the Board of Managers of the James Walker Memorial Hospital was postponed last night.

- Postoffice authorities have had mail boxes placed at convenient stations along Wrightsvitle beach and two collections will be made daily by a regular carrier. The service at the beach is unexcelled.

- The Juvenile Helpers' Society will give a lawn party at the parsonage of Bladen Street M. E. church tomorrow night from 8 to 11 o'clock. All friends are invited. Ice cream and cake will be served at reasonable

- Two big excursions reached the city yesterday and went through to the beach. One was from Dunn and intermediate points, while the other was by Fussell Bros., of Mount Olive, from points on the W. & W.

- Eleven warrants for failure to pay license tax were served at the instance of City Clerk and Treasurer King yesterday. As many more are waiting execution while five times the number have been served previously during the week.

- William Hall, a colored drayman, was indicted in Justice Fowler's court yesterday upon complaint of George Johnson, colored, who charged him with assault. The prosecution was adjudged frivolous and Johnson was required to pay the costs."

- Charles Howe and Rebecca Green, both colored, were taken to the county roads for 30 days each by Superintendent Shearin yesterday. Howe defaulted in payment of a fine in the police court, and the Green woman was sent to jail by Justice Fowler.

- Charlotte Observer: "An excursion of several hundred people arrived in the city yesterday from Wilmington and immediate points. The train left Wilmington at 5:30, and on the return will leave here to-night at 10 o'clock. There were three cars filled with whites and seven filled with negroes. The excursionists seem to be having a good time in the city.'

RETAIL GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

Regular Meeting Last Night-Mr. J. Taylor to Speak in August.

The Retail Grocers' Association held an enthusiastic meeting in the Seaboard Air Line building last night, President J. H. Thomas in the chair and Secretary P. Heinsberger and Treasurer J. F. Sellars at their respective posts. Much routine business of no public interest was transacted.

The presence of Mr. F. E. Hashagen, one of Wilmington's popular wholesale grocers, was noted and he responded gracefully to a call for a brief address. There were also other short talks by members of the Association. Printed copies of the constitution and by-laws of the organization were

distributed by the secretary. Members were urged to report all delinquents to the secretary in order that it may be known to whom credit should be extended and to the end that the accounts may be collected.

It was announced that President J. A. Taylor, of the Chamber of Commerce and Wholesale Grocers' Association, would speak at the next meeting of the retail grocers Tuesday evening, Aug. 11th.

Early Morning Wedding.

Miss Mary Clara Woodward, daughter of Col. and Mrs. W. J. Woodward, and Mr. John Livingston Hazelhurst, formerly of Savannah, will be married at 8 o'clock this morning at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 210 North Second street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice-In bankruptcy. S. J. Davis-Cows for sale. Edgeworth Boarding School. Wilmington Tobacco Warehouse Co. Great opening sales.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted-Lady cashier. Wanted-Sealed proposals. Dr. J. D. Webster-Dentist. C. M. Ferrell & Co.-Wanted. Wanted-To read in doctor's office. Laurence Morrell and Willie Morrell. A. H. Slocomb, Jr.

EQUALIZING VALUES.

County Board Resumed Its Sessions Yesterday, Hearing Wilmington Complaints.

ORTON HOUSE PROPERTY

assessment Increased This Year \$11,000 Mr. Rountree Asked a Reduction. Other Petitions for Relief -- The Country Districts To-day.

The County Board of Equalization continued its sessions at the Court House at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, taking a recess at 6 o'clock until 11 A. M. to day, when complaints as to overvaluations in the country will be heard. All members of the board were again present yesterday afternoon, except Commissioner Holmes, who is out of the city. The hearing of complaints as to Wilmington township was resumed and a ste forces to formulate plans to intermajority of them were disposed of in est the government in restoring the much the same manner as during the afternoon previous, very few reductions having been made in the figures placed by the assessors. Many complaints from Wilmington township will doubtless be lodged to-day, but as before stated country districts will be given precedence. It is not probable that the board will complete its sessions before to-morrow, though both morning and afternoon sessions will be held to-day.

About . 25 petitions for reductions were submitted yesterday, but only six were in any measure allowed. The decision of the Board at the previous meeting not to allow any reduction in the assessment of The Orton property upon petition of Col. K. M. Murchison, through Mr. M. Cronly. was reconsidered and Mr. George Rountree was heard in behalf of the complainant. Mr. Rountree explained how difficult it was to frame equitable tax laws and pointed out wherein a valuation of \$59,000 on the property in question was not in proportion to other assessments. The previous valuation of the property was \$48,000, but the board of assessors took into consideration the renting value under the lease to Messrs. R. W. Wallace & Co., which was stated to be something like \$6,000 gross. After hearing Mr. Rountree at some length upon the question of reduction, the Board of Equalization decided to refer the matter back to the Board of Assessors, composed of Capt. Louis Belden, Mr. T. O. Bunting and Mr. M. W. Divine. The latter board met late yesterday afternoon to reconsider its action and will probably make a report to the

Equalization Board to-day. The reductions allowed yesterday were as follows:

J. G. L. Gleschen, Atlantic Inn, con ner of Front and Red Cross streets, \$13,500 to \$12,500. Worth Company, property at north-

west corner of Nutt and Water streets. \$45,000 to \$40,000. William Calder, stores on Front street, occupied by H. J. Gerken and Geo. Honnett, \$5,500 to \$5,000.

R. S. Collins, residence property. Fifth and Chesnut, \$2,000 to \$1,850. James Montgomery, store and residence property, Ninth and Market streets, \$4,500 to \$4,250. Dr. Thos. R. Mask, property at Mac-Rae and Walnut, \$1,400 to \$1,275.

AGGIDENT ON CAR LINE TRESTLE.

Negro on Excursion Train Knocked Off

by Trolley Pole—His Injuries.

John Bishop, a young negro scarcey grown and formerly employed as a train hand running out of Wilmingtop, was the victim of a peculiar accident yesterday morning and he is laid up at the James Walker Memorial Hospital with injuries from which it may take him several months to recover. When the Mount Olive excursion train reached Wilmington yesterday, over the protest of the trainmen in charge, he boarded the cars and succeeded in beating his way to Wrightsville. As the train was crossing the long treatle over Banks' channel, he leaned far out from one of the platforms of a car and one of the trolley poles on the side, caught him square in the forehead, breaking his nose and precipitating him to the marshes on the edge of the channel below.

He was fished out by the train crew and taken to the "hammocks" where Dr. F. H. Russell attended him. Later he was brought to the city and placed in the hospital. His face is badly cut and his body bruised and broken. His wounds are serious but not necessarily fatal. He is said to have been drink-

ng when he boarded the train. Bishop is the same negro from whose throat Dr. W. C. Galloway extracted a sand spur, at the hospital about a week ago.

Summer Attractions at Academy.

The excellent vaudeville company which played last week at The Casino, off on a three weeks vacation, which streets. He paid fine and costs aggre-Wrightsville Beach, will appear at the Academy of Music, this city, for three performances, Friday night, Saturday matinee and evening. At the opening performance ladies will be admitted free under the usual conditions. The prices will be 10, 20 and 30c, and the sale of seats will open at Plummer's Thursday morning.

St. Thomas' Excursion.

St. Thomas' Catholic church had its annual excursion to Carolina Beach ing Company, of Fayetteville, was yesterday and nearly 500 tickets were | chartered yesterday, with \$10,000 capisold. Miss Kate Westermann was in tal and given authority to buy and sell general charge, assisted by Rev. Father patent rights, manufacture springs, C. Dennen, Misses Mary Higgins, chairs, lounges, mattresses and oper-Mary Eagan, Alice Reilly, Flossie ate saw mills. The incorporators are Wallace and Messrs. R. C. Banks, are B. R. Butler, A. L. McCaskill and

REUNION AT FORT FISHER.

Veterans Who Defended That Important Gateway-Arrangement Committee Meets Friday Night-Notes.

Yesterday's STAR contained an extended reference to the proposed reunion of Fort Fisher veterans upon the historic grounds of the famous bombardment of that post during the late Civil War. Wilmington people generally are manifesting an interest in the movement and the re-union promises to be a highly successful affair. The following additional data in reference to the gathering of the survivors of that great struggle is contained in the following, handed the

STAR for publication yesterday: "The date for the reunion of the survivors of Fort Fisher has been definitely named as the second Wednesday in August, it being the 13th, and from now until that time the committee will be actively at work arranging all details. At this reunion an effort will be made by survivors and veterans of both the Union and Confeder-Fort with the hope that eventually is will be made a government park. Surely there could be no place so fit ting to serve to commemorate the greatest bombardment in the world and the closing of a gateway which was the beginning of the termination of hostilities, and that Fort Fisher may be preserved for all time as a monument to as splendid a heroism as this or any other country has ever

"Col. Lamb, in his defence of Fort Fisher, states that on January 13, 14, and 15, 1865, there were in the fort about 1,900 men. The "Tar Heels" were from the 36th N. C., 40th N. C. and 10th N. C. regiments and 1st N. C., 3rd N. C. and 13th battalions, and were enlisted mostly from Sampson, Moore, Craven, Cumberland, Columbus, Halifax, Bladen, Brunswick, Lenoir, Wayne, Duplin, Beauford, Bertie and New Hanover counties. The South Carolinians, numbering some 350 men, were from the 21st C. and 25th S. C regiments of Hagood's Brigade. These veterans are scattered all over the country and i will be impossible for all to attend the reunion on the 12th, but it is confidently expected a goodly number will be here.

"The survivors have designated the following named persons as a committee: Mr. H. C. McQueen and Rev. J. A. Smith, of Wilmington; Mr. J. E. Purcell, of Red Springs; Mr. B. F. McLean, of Maxton, and Mr. H. P. Dortch, of Goldsboro.

"The committee from Cape Fear Camp U. C. V., has been increased and is as follows: Commauder W. J. Woodward, chairman; Messrs. H. C. McQueen, W. P. Oldham, C. W. Yates and W. H. Green. These committeemen will meet at the office of the president of the Murchison National Bank, Friday night, July 17th, at 8:15 'Any communications addressed to

the committee in regard to details of the reunion will meet with prompt reply. All papers throughout North and South Carolina are requested to make mention of this reunion in order that every survivor may be informed

LOGAL PORT PARAGRAPHS.

New York Steamer Arrived Late--Largest / Three-Master Affoat-Hardanger.

Olyde Liner "Navahoe," Capt. Johnson, arrived at 7 o'clock yesterday evening, about 12 hours late on account of adverse winds.

Steamer "Sanders" arrived last night, having made a quick trip to Little River, S. C. and return after a day's delay on account of rough weather on the outside.

British steamer "Hardanger" is at Southport completing her cargo of gum logs for Glasgow. The barge "Louis H." was yesterday towed down by the tug "Fawn" with balance of cargo, which was being transferred to the steamer last night. She will probably clear for her voyage to-day.

The schooner "Bradford C. French," Capt. L. A. W. Rogers, now receiving cargo of cross ties from the B. F. Keith Co., is said to be the largest three-masted schooner afloat. She has the capacity of many of the big four-masters that come to Wilmington. Messrs. Bowden & Riley, the stevedores now loading the "French," have already placed 10,500 ties in her lower hold. Her cargo will be a large one when completed.

Hanover Seaside Club Frolic.

Nearly two hundred persons enjoyed a delightful frolic last night at pretty Hanover Seaside Club house on Carolina Beach. Music, dancing and refreshments were the features of entertainment and everybody had a most pleasant outing. The last train, connecting with the boat, left the beach at 10:30 o'clock, and the party arrived in the city at midnight. The frolic was arranged by the energetic House Committee of the club, composed of Messrs. H. Gieschen, Wm. Tienken and F. A. Bissenger, to whom members of the organization are in debted for a delightful occasion.

Off On Vacation. Dr. Joseph Akerman, the popular other Northern cities. During his ab- Policeman G. R. Holt. sence from the city Dr. Pride J. Thomas is in charge of the professional duties of Dr. Akerman and Mr. Louis Hanson, Jr., the popular interne at the institution, is looking after the clerical duties of the office.

Payetteville Company Chartered. A special to the STAR last night from Raleigh says the Butler Manufactur-

THE PLAN SUCCEEDED

Chamber of Commerce Plan to Attract Buyers and Trade

GOES INTO EFFECT JULY 20TH. wenty-five Enterprising Wholesale Dealers Sign the Agreement to Furnish Free Transportation to Purchasers-Other Notes.

The commendable effort upon the part of the Chamber of Commerce to R. Stone. build up and enlarge the wholesale trade of Wilmington by inducing its members to offer free transportation upon liberal conditions to all country merchants who will visit the city to make their purchases, has thus far been highly successful, although the movement is yet only in its incip-

At a general meeting of the Champer last Thursday a plan was submitted, which was adopted, provided the signatures of fifteen or more wholesale dealers should sign the agreement embodied therein. Messrs. J. A. Taylor, I. M. Bear and L. B. Rogers were placed in charge of the paper and those gentlemen found not only fifteen but twenty-five leading merchants who were willing and anxious to identify themselves with the movement. However, if any were omitted, there is still room on the agreement and those who desire to avail themselves of the advantages of the plan, may call at the Chamber of Commerce to-day and subscribe their names. The plan and agreement and merchants, who have signed the same at the solicitation of the gentlenen mentioned, are as follows:

The undersigned members of the Chamber of Commerce agree to support the following plan, having for its purpose the attraction of trade to Wil-

1. Customers who come to Wilmington and make purchases on one visit to the amount of \$1,000.00 or more, will have one first class round trip far refunded them. And on purchases of \$500,000 and less than \$1,000.00 fare will be for one way only.

2. Each and every one of the under signed who sells to a customer on this basis will contribute his pro rata part to the refunding of the fare. 3. Customers making purchases un-

der this plan will, before leaving the city, register, with the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce their names, together with the names of hose of whom they have made their 4. Parties to this agreement making such sales will attach a certificate to

the invoice mailed the buyer, which certificate will in turn be mailed by the buyer to the Secretary of thi Chamber. When 'all of such certificates have been received by the Sec retary, notice will be served on the several sellers to pay their pro-rate part of the said railroad fare, and as soon as practicable thereafter, the Secretary will remit the amount to the ouver in question.

5. The Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce will keep a permanent record of registrations made by buyers, and also settlement of sellers, which records shall be kept private by the Secretary, and not be subject to the inspection of any member of the Jhamber, or any other person, or per

6. Only members of the Chamber of Commerce can become parties to this arrangement and the plan shall be in effect from July 20th to Dec. 1st. 1903. [Signed] I. M. Bear & Co., D. L. Gore Co., J. A. Taylor, W. B. Cooper, The Worth Co., S. P. McNair, D. McEachern Co., H. L. Vollers, Boger Moore's Sons & Co., Blair & Healy Brooks & Taylor, McNair & Pearsall. Brooks & Taylor, McNair & Pearsail,
B. F. Mitchell Co., Sol Bear & Co.,
The Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., Morrisa Bear & Bro., Geo. R. French &
Sons, J. W. Murchison & Co., N.
Jacobi Hardware Co., Samuel Bear,
Sr., & Sons, Geo. O. Gaylord, J. C.
Stavenson Co. S. & R. Solomon Stevenson Co., S. & B. Solomon Chesnut & Barrentine, Hall & Pear sall, Incorporated.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Negro Bound Over for Larceny-Another

Paid \$20.10 Fine and Costs. Curley Stokes, colored, arrested Monday for rifling the pockets of Dandy Johnson, a colored hack driver, upon whose premises he lived at Eighth and Harnett streets, and stealing therefrom \$13 and a baggage check, was arraigned in the Mayor's court yesterday, charged with larceny. Herbert McClammy, Esq. prosecuted the case and Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared for the deendant. Stokes went to jail in default of \$100 for his appearance at the September term of the higher

The other cases before the Mayor yesterday were of trifling interest. Jim Hill, drunk and down at Front and Nun streets, was let off with the costs, and L. Grady, who could show no extenuating circumstances for a similar offence, was fined \$5 and costs. Henry Bell, an obstreperous colored individual, was tried in two and talented surgeon in charge of the cases for being drunk and disorderly James Walker Memorial Hospital, is on Nixon, between Sixth and Seventh he is spending in Philadelphia and gating \$20.10. He was arrested by

Visit Far-away Home.

Sarandi Karonchi, the well known fruit and confectionery dealer at 105 South Front street, will leave to-day for New York, whence he will sail on Saturday for his old home in Greece, which he has not visited since coming to this country many years ago. He will be gone several months, returning this Fall to his business, which has made him comparatively rich. He is one of the most industrious and reliable of the Greek colony in Wilmington and has many friends who wish him a pleasant voyage and a safe

PPRSONAL PARAGRAPHS

- Mr. T. D. Walsh, of Charlotte, arrived yesterday - Mr. David Sessoms, of Stedman, N. O., was here yesterday. to Wilmington.

- Vance M. Weill, of Goldsboro, registered at the Orton yesterday. --- Mr. R. A. Morrow and daughter, of Monroe, arrived yesterday.

- Dr. W. S. Rankin, of Mooresville, was at The Orton yesterday.

- Miss Sallie McDaniel, of Whiteville, was an Orton guest yesterday. -- Miss Berta Meares, of Clark. ton, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R.

- J. L. Bell; of Windsor, and Horton Corum, Jr., of Edenton, are

- Miss Sadie Bridger, of Bladenboro, is the guest of friends and relatives in the city. - Mrs. R. A. Gore and Miss

Julia Gore went to Southport yesterday to spend some time. - Misses Rena and Kittie Taylor, of Charleston, are guests of Miss

Hattie Legge, South Sixth street. - Miss May Belle Fillyaw and Miss Belle Lawther are guests of Mrs W. L. Jones, in Charleston, S. C.

- Dr. Henry Louis Smith, the

talented president of Davidson College, passed through the city yester -- Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Andrews of Savannab, are visiting Mrs. An-

Bonitz. -- Mrs. L. B. Rogers and Master L. B. Rogers, Jr., are spending some time at Mrs. Roger's old home in South Carolina.

drews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. W.

- Messrs. W. M. Corbett, Jr., of Olga, N. C, and D. J. Stokes, of Burgaw, were welome visitors to the city yesterday.

- Mrs. Julia B. Sanders, of Beaufort, S. C., who has been on a brief visit to friends here, returned - Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Banner-

man and daughter, Miss Kate, of Bannerman's, N. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

- Cnarlotte Chronicle: "Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hagood and daughter, little Julia, are spending the week at Wrightsville Beach." -- Mr. W. L. Bryan, of Okla-

homa Territory, passed through the

city yesterday on his way to Little River, S. C., his old home. - Mr. Jno. T. Sholar has resigned his position in the A. C. L. dispatcher's office and has taken an agency in

the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. - Rev. Frederick Skinner, of Clinton, was in the city yesterday on his way to attend the Wilmington Convocation of the Episcopal Church at Lake Waccamaw.

- F. B. Sanders, C. E. Ahearn, J. S. Pemberton, W. E. Brothers, Miss Rodie Lambert and Miss May Belle McDonald, of Favetteville, were guests at The Orton yesterday. - Dr. J. D. Webster and family

have returned to the city from Gastonia, N. C. Dr. Webster is located at his old stand on South Front street for the practice of his profession. - Mayor W. B. Hayes, of Pittsburg, Pa., returned home yesterday.

He took back with him a fine doe, captured up the river, which he will place in one of the parks at Pittsburg. - Charlotte Chronicle: "Mr. Nick Hussey has moved to Charlotte from Warsaw, N. C., to take a position with the Southern Weighing and Inspecting Bureau, of which Mr. L. B. John-

son is manager.' - Mr. J. W. White, Industrial Agent of the Seaboard Air Line with headquarters in Portsmouth, and Mr. H. S. Leard, of Raleigh, travelling passenger agent of the same system, were in Wilmington yesterday on

- Charlotte Chronicle: 13th: "Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Creswell, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Todd and Mr. Clarence Todd have returned from Norfolk, where they spent ten days. To-morrow Mr. John W. Todd will take his children to Wrightsville Beach for a short stay." - Mr. H. A. Cofield, representing Wm. Knabe & Co., the world renowned plano dealers, of Baltimore,

Inn. Persons wishing to buy, rent or have their instruments put in order would do well to drop him a postal card at once. - Mrs. M. E. Russell, of Bellhaven, who was formerly associated in teaching with Miss Amy Bradley, of Wilmington, is a guest at The Orton with her son, Mr. H. R. Russell, who is extensively engaged in cattle

raising in Hyde county, this State.

is in the city, a guest at the Atlantic

Educational Items.

Superintendent Catlett has in conmeeting at the Court House of all the newly-elected school committeemen in the county, who are rapidly qualifying and taking great interest in the educational idea. Prof. Catlett will address the meeting and short talks will be asked of each committeeman. In August Prof. Catlett hopes to have another educational rally at which time a speaker will be assigned by the State Board of Education. Last year a rally was held on Middle Sound; this year it will be in the lower section of the county, most probably on Masonboro.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison bank building, on Chesnut street: Bervices this evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

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jy 15 6t

An Angry Landlord. Mary Glenn, the widow of the colored medicine vender who appeared on the streets here quite extensively a few months ago and who subsequently died in Wilmington, was prosecutor in a case before Justice Bornemann yesterday in which she charged Andrew Walker, the well known colored citizen, with assault and disorderly conduct in that he shook his fist at her and used violent language, because she was unable to pay a board bill at his house since her husband died. Justice Bornemann adjudged Walker guilty and ordered him to pay the

cases he was bound over to Superior Court and in the two others, judgment was suspended upon his good behavior in the future. He gave bond in the sum of \$50 with Elijah Orrell and Caesar Baker as sureties.

New County Bridge,

The County Commissioners are having a new iron bridge, 20 feet span, with concrete abutments, placed over Prince George creek, one mile this side of Castle Hayne, replacing a wooden bridge. The new bridge will be placed east of the present structure and will permit the road to be straightened at that point. Maj. Wm. F. Robertson went out yesterday to give

the regular mid-week dance to-night in the handsome new pavilion on Carolina Beach. The music will be good and in addition to the dance, one of Edison's latest phonographs will be used by a factory representative for the delectation of the party. The steamer leaves the city at 8 o'clock and returns before midnight.

Aldermen May Meet Priday Night. Mayor Springer stated yesterday

that in all probability a called meeting of the Board of Aldermen would be held Friday night. Liquor license regulations, the awarding of contracts for street improvement material and the lighting proposition are among the most important subjects for con-

United States of America, Eastern United States District Court, in and for said district. Fourth division. In the matter of Thomas Klipatrick, voluntary bankrupt, No. 96. In Bankruptcy, Petition for discharge, To the Honorable Thomas B. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina: Thomas Klipatrick of Kornegay's Bridge, Lem Postoffice, in the county of Duplin, and State of North Carolina, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 21st day of May last past he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully compiled with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are exempted by law from such discharge.

uch discharge.
Dated this 11th day of June, A. D. 1903.
THOMAS KILPATRICK, Bankrupt.

ost, but Walker appealed to the Superior Court and was recognized in the sum of \$50 for his appearance.

Belligerent Masosboro Negro.

James Hooper, the negro who raised such a disturbance in a procession of colored persons at a "grand rally and fish fry" on Masonboro Sound a few days ago, was given a preliminary trial in Justice Fowler's court yesterday on three charges of assault and battery. In one of the cases he was bound over to Superior

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREOM.

Eastern District of North Carolina, County of New Hannover, ss.: On this 14th day of July, A. D. 1903; Jon reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1903, before is S. H. McRse, Reg., referee of said court, at Fayetteville, N. C., in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residences as stated. Wilmington, N. C., in said district, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1903.

Jy 15 1t WM. H. SHAW, Clerk. ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

SALT.

We are now receiving ex-schooner C. C. Lister a cargo Salt, in the following assortment: 100 lbs. White Sacks, fine. 100 lbs. Burlap Sacks, fine.

200 lbs. White Sacks, fine table. 300 bbls. (3-pound pkts,) fine table. Send us your order.

HALL & PEARSALL, Incorporated.

100 lbs. Burlap Sacks, coarse.

Delightful Dance To-Nighl.

Indications point to a large attendance of prominent young people upon the regular mid-week dance of the Custodian, United States Post Carolina, July 14th, 1903, sealed proposals will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M., on the 23rd day of July, 1903, and then opened, for repairs, painting, etc., at the above named building. Copies of the specification may be had at this office. M. C. Darby, Custodian.

COWS FOR SALE.

I will have for sale several good Milch Cows July 15th, 1903. jy 15 1t S. J. DAVIS.

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.