The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Jno. G. Long, U. S. consul general at Cairo, Egypt, died at Dunbar, Scotland, from result of a fall; he was born in Wilmington, N. C., in 1846. - A number of the New England cotion mills will suspend operations for one week in August. - Two persons were killed and seven others injured in a collision on the Southern railway, near Alexandris, Va. -A police officer was fatally shot in New York city while trying to prevent a soldier from shooting a woman. - Weather Bureau reports that cotton continues small and is from two to four weeks late; tobacco is needing rain in portions of Virginia, North Carolina and Kentucky. - Negroes are leaving Indiana and Illinois and going South to seek homes. - U. 8. Congress will be memorialized to grant the Hawaiian islands independence, the same as Cuba. - The first of the three masses for the repose of Pope Leo was celebrated yesterday by the cardinals in Rome. - New York markets: Money on call easy at 1@11 per cent; cottonquiet at 13.25c; flour less active, but held at the old prices; wheat-spot easy, No. 2 red 821c; corn-spot easy, No. 2 59 c; oats-spot easy, No. 2 40c; rosin quiet-strained, common to good, \$2.00@2.00; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,) WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 28. Meteorological data for the twenty four hours ending at 8 P. M .:

l'emperatures: 8 A. M., 76 degrees 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 79 Rainfall for the day, T; rainfall

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

nace 1st of the month to date, 2.91

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. WASHINGTON, July 28 -For North Carolina: Fair Wednesday, warmer in the northeast portion; Thursday showers and cooler, light variable winds becoming fresh southwest.

Port Almanac ... July 29.

Sun Rises	5.04 A. M
Sun Sets	7.07 P. M
Day's Length	14 H M
High Water at Southport	12.00 A. M
High Water Wilmington.	2.30 A. M

Those who look for the come must remember that it is 20,000. 000 miles away, and therefore po expect to see it perched on a telegraph pole.

It is said that Russia has arranged with French capitalists for a loan of \$26,000,000. If Russia goes to war with those little Japs she will ored. be compelled to have this loan increased.

Work is to be commenced this week on Atlanta's new union passenger station, which is to be built at a cost of \$1,650,000. After a little more wrangling, Durham will probably fall in line.

It is said that a Belgian block farmer in Richmond, Va., has invented a gun which will shoot in any direction and which is calculated to hit any ecclesiastical "cullud" individual who prowls around his chicken coop after dark.

A Washington dispatch to the New Orleans Picayune says: Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, who has just completed a tour of the East and Northwest, reports that Senator Gorman's Presidential boom is rapidly gaining ground.

tive business life and for that reason Controller Grout, of New York City, says the Low administration will wind up its work for 1903 by leaving the city with a debt incurring capacity of \$100,000,000 in round figures. However, this vast sum has been judiciously appropriated, it is said.

A new toy combination with \$5, 000,000 capital has just been incorporated under the laws of New Jersey. The big corporation has options on all of the principal toy goods manufactories in New England. It is expected to absorb about thirty toy companies by August 1st. What an age of trusts!

Peach-growers in the northern part of Georgia say it is impossible to get a sufficient number of refrigerator cars to handle their immense crop of fruit this year. A few days ago 5,000 crates of peaches were banked at two stations on the Western and Atlantic road waiting for

The latest complaint from Long Island and New Jersey about the much-talked-of mosquito is that he is causing the cows so much suffering that they refuse to give milk. It is stated that a number of Long Island dairymen are compelled to wash their cows twice a day with a mixture of carbolic acid and crude

THE MORNING STAR.

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MR. ENGELHARD REHDER DEAD LOCAL DOTS. **VETERINARY SOCIETY**

- Spirits turpentine was firm on the local market yesterday at 491 Second Annual Meeting of the cents. Rosin declined and was quoted State Association Called to steady at \$1.45@\$1.50. Order Yesterday. - Treasurer James F. Post, of

the Atlantic Coast Line, is in Savan-

nah as a witness in the case of J. B.

Oliveros, the alleged defaulting cashier

of the A. C. L., whose trial is still in

another well pleased audience last

night, the company playing to "8. R.

O." Tickets admitting to the perform-

ance and paying all car fare are now

- The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth

Manning, accompanied by members of

the family and Mr. L. D. Bordeaux.

were sent to Freeman, N. C., at 6

A. M. yesterday and were interred in

the family burying ground near that

- About 20 persons went to War-

saw yesterday to join Pipkin's excur-

sion to Norfolk, Washington and Bal-

timore. In the party ware Mr. Robert

C. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hea-

ley, Jr., Messrs. C. H. O'Berry, Fred

Herbat, J. B. Cooper and W. A.

- Fayetteville Observer: "A

telephone message from Lumber

Bridge to police headquarters here

this morning stated that during the

early morning 20 crates of cantaloupes

had been stolen from the station plat-

form there, and requesting that a look-

WHO WAS THIS MAN?

Motorman Saw Him Jump from Trestle

Over Wrightsville Sound Last Night.

has not since been found, jumped

from the trestle over Wrightsville

Motorman Justice and Conductor Ed.

Brice. The motorman said that soon

after crossing Banks' channel, he saw

by his headlight a man on the track

about 100 yards in front of him. It

was only the faintest glimpse the mo-

torman caught of the man, for imme-

diately he jumped overboard into the

sound. The trestle is not high and

the jump is not one calculated to re-

sult seriously as the water at that

point is usually shallow and the mud

soft, but no trace of the man could be

found. The car was stopped and

the conductor and motorman shout-

ed loud to know if anybody was

A straw hat was found near the spot,

but it is said that the hat had been

If Motorman Justice was not the

victim of an optical illusion, those in-

clined to the mysterious now have an

excellent opportunity to exercise their

speculative powers. The motorman

is reasonably certain the man was col-

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary

Ann Yates, whose death was chroni

cled in these columns yesterday morn-

ing, was conducted at 4 o'clock yester-

day afternoon by Rev. J. L. Vipper-

man from the residence of Mrs. Hattle

Yates, 1007 North Seventh street. A

goodly number of friends were in at-

tendance and beautiful flowers were

laid upon the grave as a token of the

high esteem in which the aged lady

was held. The interment was in the

family lot in Oakdale cemetery, the

following having acted as pall-bearers:

Messrs. S L. Smith, W. H. Scar-

borough, Jao. B. Silva, James Little-

Greenville (8. O.) News: "At a

meeting of the directors of the City

National Bank, held Friday after-

noon, G. A. Norwood resigned his po-

sition as president of the bank and his

son, J. W. Norwood, was elected as

his successor. It is understood that

G. A. Norwood will retire from ac-

resigned his position. His successor

is an experienced man in the banking

business, having been president of one

of the leading banks at his former

home in Wilmington, N. C. He is a

thoroughly practical man and a strong

A series of three baseball games will

be played at Hilton Thursday, Friday

and Saturday of this week between

the Wilmington "Black Stockings"

and the colored team of Norfolk,

which is now playing at Goldsboro.

Both teams are in fine fettle and the

public is invited to see the games,

Mr. W. T. Colquett, of Atlanta, was

one of those who figured in the escape

from drowning at the beach yesterday.

He got beyond his depth in front of

the Seashore Hotel about 5 o'clock

yesterday afternoon and was brought

ashore by Mr. W. E. Watson, who is

employed regularly at the hotel life

which will be called at 4 o'clock.

It Was an Atlanta Man.

ton, Rice and Larkins.

Baseball This Week;

J. W. Norwood, President.

Funeral Yesterday Afternoon.

there all the afternoon.

hurt, but not a sound came in reply.

An unknown negro, trace of whom

supposed to be headed this way."

on sale at 40 cents.

Whitney.

- The Casino was crowded with

EXAMINING BOARD.

Both in Session in This City-Four Ap plicants for License--Officers Elected for Ensuing Year-The Programme for To-day.

The second annual meeting of the North Carolina Veterinary Association was called to order at the Elks' Home, on North Front street, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, Dr. T. B. Carroll, the president, in the chair. Roll call of members showed a good attendance and those present were full of enthusiasm.

President Carroll delivered his annual address, which was listened to with much interest and profit.

Dr. Butler, the State veterinarian, made a formal report for the committee appointed to go before the last Legislature and secure the establishment of the examining board. The committee was composed of Drs. Carroll, of Wilmington; Petty, of Greensboro; Butler, of Raleigh, and McMackin, of Raleigh. Dr. Butler gave honor to whom honor was due, and said the bill passed both houses and became a law on March 7th.

The election of officers resulted as follows: out be kept here for the thief, who is President-Dr. J. W. Petty, of

Greensboro. Vice President-Dr. C. J. Fleming, of Winston-Salem.

Secretary-Dr. Thomas B. Carroll, of Wilmington. Assistant Secretary and Treasurer-

Dr. W. C. McMackin, of Raleigh. Dr. Petty spoke on the need of more and better laws for the protection of dumb animals and urged co-operation sound, in front of a car returning with the Society for the Prevention of from the beach last night about Cruelty to Animals. Remarks along 11 o'clock. The car was in charge of the same line were made by Drs. Carroll and Petty.

Dr. Carroll urged co-operation with the physicians in keeping in bounds the transmissible diseases in the lower animals thereby protecting human beings and aiding the advance of the medical and veterinary sciences.

The Association will convene again at 9 o'clock this morning and among the features will be an address by Dr-Butler and another by Hon. T. E. Whitaker, of Oak Ridge, who was the champion of the bill in the last Legislature establishing the examining board. Applications for membership will be acted upon at to-day's sessions. Yesterday evening and last night the visitors spent their time at the sea-

State Board of Examiners,

shore and are having a delightful

The State Veterinary Examining Board met again yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Four applied for license to practice veterinary surgery and medicine and were given five questions upon each of the following subjects, the examinations being submitted by Dr. Carroll on Anatomy and Physiology and by Dr. Buttler on Sanitary Medicine Bacteriology and Pathology. The remaning subjects will be submitted to the class this morning.

HOME FROM ENGAMPMENT,

Second Regiment Depopulated Camp Rodman at Morehead City Yesterday.

Pursuant to orders, the Second Regiment, North Carolina National Guard, broke camp at Morehead City at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning and the eleven companies composing the regiment returned in the same manner they went a week ago. The Wil mington Light Infantry and Maxton Guards reached Wilmington on the Newbern train shortly after noon and marched to the W. L. I. armory, where the visitors were entertained until the departure of their train at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The returning soldiers speak in glowing terms of the encampment and say it was one of the best ever held The companies were in fine form and the various drills and parade indicated a very healthy condition of the State's military.

Governor Aycock and his private and field staffs reviewed the regiment Monday afternoon. Thousands of visitors saw the soldiers pass in view. The military ball that night was led by Lieut, Geo. P. James, of Wilmington, with Miss Skinner, of Greenville. About 50 couples participated.

Valuable Court Galendar.

The STAR has with the compliments of the Enniss Publishing Co., of Raleigh, a copy of Enniss' Court Calendar for North Carolina from July 1st, 1903, to Dec. 31st, 1904, giving the actual dates of the Supreme, Superior, Corporation and United States District and Circuit courts; the names and postoffice addresses of all court and county officers, list of commissioners of affidavits for North Carolina throughout the world and much other valuable information pertaining to the courts of North Carolina. It is sent postpaid upon receipt of 50 cents.

court yesterday. Three of the num-

ber were white and one colored. The

latter gave his name as Wm, Harris.

He was also disorderly and was fined

\$5 and costs. Later, in response to a

question by the Mayor as to what he

did for a living, Harris replied "naw-

thin," whereupon his fine was increas-

ed to \$10 and costs. The amount was

saving station. The Mayor's Court, Four "drunks and downs" composed NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. the crop of offenders in the police

Seashore Hotel-For this week. Str. Wilmington-Reduced rates. Paris Millinery Emp'm-New skirts.

SUBINTES LOCALS.

Baseball-Hilton Park. For Sale-Grocery business. For Rent-Seven-room cottage. Lost or Stolen-Rambler bicycle. Lost or Stolen-Black wallet, \$150. paid by his mother,

Esteemed Citizen of Wilmington Died Last Night-Member of the Firm of Rehder Bros , Florists.

Many friends in this city and elsewhere will be pained to learn of the death of Mr. Englehard Rehder, which occurred last night at 11:30 o'clock, of malarial fever at his home, No 819 Red Cross street. Mr. Rehder was a native of this city and a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rehder, of Wilmington, During late years he had lived at Rocky Mount, N. C., but returned to Wilmington about two months ago and associated himself with his brother. Mr. C. F. Will Rehder, in the firm of Rehder Bros., florists, succeeding their parents in the ownership of the extensive plant at Ninth and Red Cross streets.

Mr. Rehder had been ill only a short time and his condition was in no way thought to be serious. Only a few days ago Mr. Will Rehder went up to Asheville thinking his brother would be out in a few days. He was telegraphed the sad news at Asheville last night and will return home to-day. The news of the death is a source of sincere sorrow and sympathy for the bereaved ones. Besides his parents, he leaves three brothers, Messrs. Jno. H., Will and Carl B. Rehder, and a grief-stricken wife and three little children. Mrs. Rehder was Miss Janie Smith, of Wilmington, and to her goes out the sympathy of the community. Mr. Rehder was only 34 years of age and was decidedly popular for his genial disposition, industrious habits and his noble charac-

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

HIGH PRICE FOR TRUCK LANDS.

East Wilmington Tracts Brought Over \$100 Per Acre-A City Transfer.

By deed filed for record yesterday M. C. Kirkham, of Florence, S. C., ransferred to E. C. Craft, of Wilmington, for \$3,200, two tracts of land containing by estimation 9 and 14 acres, respectively, the same being adjoining and situate on the south side of the Newbern road in "Hamilton's line."

By another deed also filed for record vesterday E. C. Craft and wife transferred to F. T. Mills and wife for \$2,000, tract of land containing about sacres in Harnett township, on the north side of the "Old Plank Road," adjoining lands recently bought by F. T. Mills from I. B. Rhodes, the same being a part of tract described above. By still another deed E. C. Craft and wife transferred to A. O. Mc-

Eachern for \$2,250, tract of land on north side of the "Old Plank Road," in Harnett township, containing 17.8 acres, more or less, also a part of the properly described above, which is situated one mile from the city.

By another deed filed yesterday M. Sophia Blossom, of Castle Hayne, transferred to B. R. King for \$60, lot at northwest corner of Eleventh and Wooster streets, 66x200 feet in size, and B. R. King and wife, by a subsequent deed, transferred to Maggie O. Davis for \$400, a portion of the same lot, 66x66 feet in size.

ALIVE WITH EXCURSIONISTS.

More Than 1,500 Here Yesterday-Recor Breaker from Rockingham, N. C.

The city was alive with excursion ists yesterday, the number having been something over 1,500. The first train to arrive was that run from Rockingham, N. C., over the Seaboard Air Line, by Messrs. Frank Gough, of Lumberton, and L. S. Covington, of Rockingham. There were 1,100 in the party, breaking all records for the season. A part of the crowd could not be accommodated on the special and were brought in on the regular train at 12:05 P. M. They spent the day in the city and at the beach, returning last night at 8:30

The second excursion of the day was one by Messrs. W. S. and D. M. Partrick, of Clinton, which came in over the Atlantic Coast Line, bringing about 400 people. They returned last night at 8 o'clock.

The excursionists packed and jammed the beach cars during the morning. They were, however, very orderly. Only two arrests were made during the day. The suburban cars had handled 1,300 excursionists as early as 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

ROBBED WHILE SHE SLEPT.

Wharf Inhabitant, Asleep in Restaurant Lost Pocketbook Containing Money.

Yesterday morning Minnie Garfield, colored denizen of the wharf, went to sleep in the restaurant of Pete Evans, on Water between Grace and there to-day. A low round-trip rate is peacefully in the "hashery," some one abstracted from her person a pocketbook containing \$3. The Garfield woman went at once upon a still hunt for | ing. her possessions and found that Mary Crawford, another inhabitant of the wharf, had been the only one about her while she was asleep and that the aforesaid Crawford woman was very prodigal in her expenditures during the day. A warrant for her arrest was secured and she was placed in jail by Constable Savage yesterday afternoon for preliminary trial by Jus-

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison bank building on Chesnut

tice Fowler at 10 A. M. to-day.

AFTER TAX PAYERS.

County Commissioners Hit Upon Novel Scheme to Get Non-Residents for Taxation.

LITIGATION WILL RESULT.

Removal to Other States to Escape Revenue Act Will be Tested-Listers Instructed to Enter Up \$100,000 Valuation Against Several.

Last year and two years ago there was a great hue and cry about certain local tax-payers who rather than submit to what they regarded as an unjust and unduly inquisitorial revenue act, removed their holdings to a large extent and their residence to other States, where the laws were regarded more favorable. The authorities were invoked at that time to prevent the removal of such subjects of taxation, but those in charge of affairs were powerless to accomplish anything. One or two suits were brought in court, but they resulted in the main quite unsatisfactory to the plaintiff and the matter rested "in statu quo" for the time being.

This year upon the completion of the new assessment and the listing of laxes again, it was found that several property owners still claimed nonresidency, notwithstanding a change in the law by which, it is argued, many of the objectionable features

were eliminated. In the light of the recent construction of the new law a property owner's residence is where he or she spends most of his or her time, and acting upon that, the Board of County Commissioners set out upon a still hunt to ascertain some means of securing the property for taxation again. It was ascertained in a number of instances where the property owners claimed their residence outside of the State and it is said that inquiry from those points has elicited the information that no taxes were given in there by perare attempting to force "domestica-

Attorneys were employed and the Commissioners have decided, from all reports, upon a novel method of procedure. Instead of bringing suit, thereby becoming the aggressor, the Commissioners have quietly instructed the tax-listers to enter upon the tax books personal property valuation of \$100,000 against each of those whom they seek to bring again into the State, county and city. The property owner now becomes the aggressor and the county has employed distinguished legal talent to defend suits that will be brought against them for reductions or exemptions. The outcome of the litigation will be watched with keen interest.

MR. WILLIAM McSWEEN DEAD.

Died Suddenly Monday While Travelling in Canada-Well Known Here.

A brief telegram received in the city yesterday announced the sudden death of Mr. William McSween in Manitobs, Canada, Monday. Mr. McSween was very well known here and was for many years one of the most popular engineers in the Atlantic Coast Line service. His last run was between Wilmington and Newbern. He made his headquarters in this city but resigned two years ago to take a tour abroad to his old home in Scotland. He was never married and had amassed a snug little fortune during his long service at the throttle and decided to spend the remainder of his days in

He was a brother of Mr. John Mc-Sween, a prominent banker of Timmonsville, S. C., and spent much of his time there after returning from abroad. Lately he had been travelling extensively in Canada. His remains will be brought to either Wilmington or Timmonsville for interment.

Mr. McSween was a man of noble impulses; possessed an even and happy disposition. His death will cause genuine regret in Wilmington.

Another Narrow Escape.

Another "narrow" escape from drowning was reported from the beach yesterday. Two gentlemen in bathing in front of the Carolina Yacht Club got beyond their depth, and Capt. H. H. McIlhenny, in attempting to rescue them, himself became exhausted and had to be brought ashore. Mr. W. E. Watson, regularly employed at the life-saving station in front of the Seashore Hotel, is said to have averted the tragedy by heroic

Picnic at Rook's To-day.

Wilmington's Enterprise.

This morning's A. & Y. train will carry many Wilmingtonians up to Rook's for the big picnic and frolic Walnut streets. While she was dozing offered by the railroads and many fea- Not So Serious After All. tures of entertainment will be offered. The band will go up on the freight train leaving before light this morn

Raleigh News and Observer: "The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, a virile and useful institution that is one of the best organizations in the to the surf. South, has issued a little pamphlet giving the names of leading mer-chants who will furnish a round trip ticket to any customer who goes to Wilmington and buys \$1,000 worth of goods. Last year, according to this publication, Wilmington did a business of more than \$32,000,000—a showing far in excess of that of any other city in the South in proportion to popstreet: Services this eyening at 8 ulation. That's a fine showing for o'clock. All are invited.

NORTH CAROLINA CROPS.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 28.-The

Weekly Bulletin Issued by the State Department of Agriculture-Corn, Cotton and Truck Growing.

characteristic feature of the weather during the past week was the general deficiency in rainfall and consequent increased tendency to drought over most of the State. In fact drought already prevails over a large portion of the central western section, since almost no rain has occurred in that region for two weeks. There were light rains on the 23rd in counties along the immediate coast, which were very beneficial, but the precipitation did not extend far inland. As regards the deficiency in precipitation, the week was unfavorable, crops are beginning to suffer from lack of sufficient moistare, and the land has become dry and hard. The temperature was moderately above normal and favorathough the nights are a little cool; -the mean for the week was about 80 deg., or 2 deg. above normal. The warmest day was Sunday, 26th, when the maximum exceeded 96 deg. at some places. Farm work continued to progress well. While crops are clean and in a good state of cultivation, many of them are just at the period when drought is

Cotton has continued to do well, and mprovement has extended into the northeast section, where the crop bas heretofore been most backward; laying by cotton is nearing completion in the south portion, but further north the plants are still too small to receive the last plowing; cotton is blooming free ly and appears to be bolling well; on light, sandy land in the section where moisture is most deficient the plants are small and are blooming to the

likely to cause considerable injury,

and the need of rain is therefore im-

top. Corn continues in fairly good condition, but generally needs rain, especially on up-lands where old corn beginning to fire and turn yellow. Good rains are needed to mature the early crop. Tobacco is ripening fast, and cutting and curing continue under favorable conditions, the crop is curing well, but a short and light crop is indicated. Tobacco is also suffering for want of moisture, and in some counties the lower portion of plants are firing. Gardens are suffering from drought. Minor crops need rain, but continue in good condition, and have continue in good condition, and have largely received last cultivation. The amount of cowpeas seeded both for hay and for the improvement of land was very large. Wheat threshing is nearly over, and practically all the oats have now been harvested. Rice is excellent. Some Irish potatoes have been planted for the Fall crop. Melons are late and poor. Apples and peaches are ripening, also Concord

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- R. R. Branch, of Maysville N. C., was here yesterday.

- Mr. Dayton McLean, Bladenboro, was here yesterday. - Capt. J. M. Woolard returned

yesterday from a trip to Savannah, Ga. - Mr. Robert J. Walker, of Charlotte, was an arrival at The Ofton yesterday.

- Miss Julia Pridgen, of Caintuck, is visiting Mr. B. B. Pridgen, on Bladen street.

- Mrs. B. R. Russell returned yesterday from a visit to her daughter in Charleston, S. C.

- Prof. W. L. Robb, the electri cal expert of New York, is in the city on business for the C. R., L. & P. Co. - City Attorney William J. Bellamy returned yesterday from the Baltimore reunion and a short visit to

Atlantic City.

- Mrs. A. W. Allen and children, who have been visiting relatives in Florence, S. C., returned home yesterday afternoon.

- Lumberton Robesonian: "Mrs. A. T. Parmele, of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of her father, Capt. W. S. Norment."

- Japt. Swift Galloway, of Snow Hill, N. C., who has a host of friends in Wilmington, is in the city on a visit to his brother, Dr. W. C. Gallo-

- Wilson Times: "Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hankins, who have been visiting the family of Mr. J. A. Corbett, returned to their home this evening in Wilmington, N. C."

- Fayetteville Observer 28th: 'Mrs. R. M. Prior has gone to Wrightsville Beach to spend awhile. - Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Strange went down to Wrightsville Beach this afternoon to spend several weeks."

- Mr. Samuel A. King, former ly of this city, now with the Fruit Growers' Express at Macon, Ga., arrived yesterday from Chattanooga on a visit of a few days. Later in the season he will go to Grand Rapids, - Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Ed. S.

Alderman, of Yonkers, N. Y., arrived in the city last evening, accompanied by their daughters, Misses Cornelia and Julia. While in the city they will be the guests of Mr. J. W. Alderman, No. 611 Grace street.

who was in surf bathing with Miss high as the day before but the humid-Palmetto Gupton, of Rocky Mount. whose narrow escape from drowning was reported from the beach Monday, says the matter was only trivial. Miss Gupton at no time lost control of herself in the breakers and very soon after being conducted ashore, returned

Prominent North Carolinian Dead.

Mr. Frank W. Powell, formerly of Columbus county, died at his home in Dublin, Ga., last Thursday, aged 35 years. He was a well known and successful business man and the eldest son of Mr. J. W. Powell, of Fair Bluff, N. C.

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FOR THIS WEEK ROUND TRIP TO THE BEACH

and Supper at the SEASHORE HOTEL

FOR ONE DOLLAR.

DANCING WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 12 P. M.

NEW SKIRTS

We have just received a lot of the latest styles of Skirts. Woolen Skirts \$1.25, 1.75, 3.00, 4.50, 6.00, 9.00. Silk Skirts \$4.75, 6.50, 9.00, 15.00. Black Mercerized Petticoats (underskirts) 65c, worth \$1.25; better

uality \$1.25, 2.00 to 5.00. Silk Jackets in the latest style; just the thing for the seashore. Price \$7.00. They are made of Peau-de-Soie Silk and the very latest style.

A new lot of Beads and Walst Sets. We are closing out our Summer Hats and Waists at very low prices. An early call will show you a lot of new and stylish goods at popular

PARIS MILLINERY EMPORIUM. jy 29 tf

129 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.

Shipments This Year Quite Satisfactory. | House Furnishings ?

Increase of Acreage. The "Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Journal" in its issue of this

week says: "Watermelon and cantaloupe shipments are now going forward in car oads to all parts of the country. Both crops are above the average in quality and quantity, and along the Seaboard Air Line, the great melon road, the acreage is fully 50 per cent. above last year's figures. Prices have averaged rather satisfactory returns to the growers, not a few car loads having een sold on the platform. Shipments will likely continue for some time yet,

which will be followed in turn by tomatoes, sweet potatoes and the Fall crop of vegetables and Irish potatoes. "From Chadbourn, and points south as far as Charleston, the indications are that the Fall crop of Irish potatoes will be unusually large this year. The same is true of Newbern, Elizabeth City, Edenton, Conetoe, Washington, Oriental territory and a few points on the W. & W. division of the Atlantic

WHITEVILLE'S TOBACCO BREAK.

Coast Line, and in and around Wil-

Between 50,000 and 75,000 Pounds Sold There at Satisfactory Prices. [Special Star Telegram.]

WHITEVILLE, N. C., July 28.-The Whiteville Tobacco Warehouse had its opening sale to-day, the largest in its history. At this writing-2 P. M. -there are over fifty thousand pounds on the floor; wagons are being unloaded and still coming, and it looks now as if there will be sixty-five to seventy-five thousand pounds on sale to-day. The sale is now going on and farmers seem well pleased with prices being obtained.

Another Scorcher.

Yesterday was another day that tried men's souls" so far as heat goes. Mr. Charles O. McNair, of this city, The thermometer, however, was not so ity, if anything, was worse. Other stations in the district report maximum temperatures Monday as follows: Charlotte, 96; Cheraw, 96; Florence, 103; Goldsboro, 93; Greensboro, 94; Lumberton, 96; Newbern, 91: Raleigh, 94; Weldon, 93.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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The fare for the round trip to Carolina Beach on account of the mid week dance, will be only 20c. The Steamer Wilmington will leave tonight at 8 o'clock and return at 12. To-morrow night steamer will run an excursion up and down the river, leaving at 8 and returning at 11 P. E. Fare 15 cents.

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