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WEATHER REPORT.

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HONORED DELGADO SCHOOL.

Plag and Bible Presentation by Jeff Davis Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. Last Night. Weather Seriously Interfered.

The weather was decidedly unfavorable for the flag and bible presentation exercises by Jeff Davis Council No. 63, Jr. O. U. A. M. at Delgado last night but what was lost in number of those in attendance upon the ceremonies was made up in the enthusiasm of the patriotic Juniors and their friends, who were present. Three special cars left the city over the suburban line at intervals of twenty minutes from 7:40 to 8:30 P. M., but the crowds were small, the largest number of persons present having been pupils and patrons of the Deigado public school to which the tokens were presented.

The exercises opened promptly at 8:30 o'clock. The pulpit of the church in which the programme was observed was banked with cut flowers and minature flags were displayed and worn by the children. Vice Councilor J. T. Burke was master of ceremonies and performed the functions of that exalted position with his characteristic case and ability. He made the opening address and presented Deputy State Councilor A. J. Hewlett, who responded in a pleasing speech in which he outlined the sterling principles of the order and its devotion to God, the country and its public His address was followed by a spirit-

ed rendition of "Star Spangled Banner" by the children, led by Prof. R. d. Leonard, vocal instructor in the public schools. Chairman Burke expressed regret that the absence of several members from the viliage made it impossible for the Dalgado band to be present and amist in the exercises as had been hoped. Mr. Burke also made a few remarks to the children along educational lines which were much appreclated.

The formal presentation of the bible and flag was then made by Deputy State Councilor Hewlett and a nest tittle speech in response in behalf of Ber Water at Southport 12.10 A. M. Ben Water Wilm ngton. 3.40 A. M. the school was made by Miss Maude Jordan, one of the bright pupils of the Delgado sebool.

"Red, White and Blue" was then sung by the children, led by Prof. Leonard, and by request, Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of schools, and Rev. E. J. Edwards, pastor of Delgado church, made appropriate remarks in regard to educaion and the noble work of the Jr. O.

"America" was sung in conclusion by the children and the announcement was made that owing to the rough weather, the hoisting of the flag would have to be dispensed with. The assemblage was dismissed with a bene-

diction by the Rev. Mr. Edwards. The committee which arranged the event consisted of Mesers. Jno. E. Wood (chairman), G. J. Boney, J. H. Swinson, C. W. Craig and J. A. Jor-

LOCAL DOTS.

- Sleet began to fall in Wilming-

on this morning at 1:15 o'clock. - Capt. Holttum, of the steamwe were in a position to ship "Toloss," fired his farewell salute my that, until some fellow has as his ship passed down the river or come to the front to pass a law yesterday morning.

- Turkeys were never so high in prohibit any one man from posming more than a million dollars. price on Thanksgiving. Dealers received all the way from 20 to 34 cents for choice dressed meats yesterday. The Chicago Chroniele has workt saelf up to such a pitch that it

- Several cars of an incoming freight train jumped the track at a Marked copies of the Chronicle switch at Marion, S. C., yesterday morning, blocking traffic for five hours all be kept out of reach of the

-Hollowbush Orchestra will leave bendent, so he won't rashly come to-day for Fayetteville to take part in hen of the perch before he gets a the minuted parade and performance note and tongue cinch on to be given by the volunteer firemen Friday and Saturday nights. Prof. Walfrom E. Dreyfus, chief

- A new spring-tempering furnace was completed at the Wilmington Iron Works yesterday and Mr. E. P. Bailey christened it at 13 o'clock by giving an oyster roast to the employes of the works.

- Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pridgen, 311 Harnett street, have the sympathy of many friends in the death of their little 4-months-old child, who died at 6 A. M. yesterday. The remains were iaid to rest in Bellevue cemetery yesterday afternoon.

- Licenses have been issued for the marriage of the following young people: Geo. D. Robbins, of Brunswick county, and Miss Minnie C. Souther. land of Brunswick county, and Andrew Bowden, of Burgaw, N. C., to anerica. The Republican party must attend to L. K. for usurping | Miss Mary Currie, daughter of Mr. and Mes. R. A. Currie, of Burgaw.

A Street Car Strike?

hat & Outlaw, associate editor of late yesterday afternoon that about ducted by the pastor in the lecture There were rumors on the streets the employ of the C. R. & P. had struck. The grievances of the strikers were not stated. Investigation proved that the "strike" amounted to the walking out of three men, who refused to stand the weather on mi the STAR joins Mr. Outlaw's the open cars. Their places were soon filled by reserve men in the employ of Sends in wishing him an early rethe company. There is no union here avery of his health and restoration of motormen and conductors.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wanted-Railroad ties. Y. M. O. A .- Grand musicale. Wilmington Iron Works-Springs Atlantic Trust and Banking Co.omething of interest.

SUSTRESS LOCALS. W. T. Oroom-Dressed turkeys. WILMINGTON, N. C., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1903.

THANKSGIVING

How the Great National Holiday Will be Observed This Year in Wilmington.

AN OUTING ON THE SOUND.

Selebration by Labor Organizations and Address in Y. M. C. A. To-night--Services in Churches - Football Came at Richmond.

Weather Forecast-For North Carolina, fair Thursday, preceded by rain near the coast. Friday fair, with fresh to brisk north winds.

According to the long established custom, which had its incepction far back in 1631 when the hardy New England settlers after their first hartest, gathered one day in devout thanks to God for the blessings of a twelve-month previous, to-day is set apart by the State and United States as a great National Thanksgiving Day. The holiday has come to us through various evolutions of nearly 300 years during which it has been religiously observed annually all over the country. The first proclamation for its national observance was issued by President Lincoln in 1863 and since that time, his example has been followed by succeeding presidents until it comes again to-day on the last Thursday of November of one of the most prosperous years in the Nation's

The observance in Wilmington will not be unlike that of preceding years. There will be a general suspension of business, services will be held in many of the churches and it will be a day of family and friendly gatherings, marked by feasting and reminiscences; exchange of the season's greeting and a feeling of inward and outward thanks for the good things of the year. With many it will be a day of sport and the fields will be lined with hunters and persons on outdoor pleasure bent.

CELEBRATION AT THE SOUND. The most rotable public gathering in honor of the day will be at Wrightsville Sound where the allied trades unions of the city will join the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen in a celebration of its first birthday. All members of unions and friends of labor are respectfully invited to be present and participate in the exercises. The adies are also invited to be present. The Consolidated Railway, Light and Power Co. will operate an bourly schedule on the suburban car line from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M. during the day and the round-trip rate has been reduced to 25c. for the trip. At Stokley's there will be an old fashioned barbecue and oyster roast and the programme of sports will embrace a great variety. There will be a turkey shoot, bicycle races, greasy pig chase, pole climbing, vaulting, etc. Good marsh hen shooting from the road way is promised. Messrs. G. F. Quinn and J. Edgar Lewis will be masters of cere. monies.

STATE TREASURER MACY.

The labor celebration will end auspiciously with an address in the Y. M. C. A., in the city, at 8 o'clock to-night by Hon. B. R. Lacy, North Carolina's distinguished State Treasurer and a leading member of the Brotherhood of Locomotives Engineers. Only recently Mr. Lacy was spoken of very prominently as president of the national organization of engineers. He arrived last evening from Raleigh and is being entertained by the Central Labor Committee at The Orion. Mr. Lacy will be a guest of the Railway Carmen on the Sound to-day and will be heard with a great deal of pleasure in the city to-night. He will be introduced by Mr. G. F. Quinn and his speech will be upon labor and industrial topics. The public is cordially invited to attend.

GOLF TOURNAMENT. There will be an all-day tournament on the Cape Fear Golf Club links today. It will be a handleap match for men and the play will be over 27 holes, three times around the course. Two rounds will be made in the morning and one in the afternoon. There will be upwards of 20 or 25 entries. The men will carry lunch, which will be served at noon in the club house. The day promises to be a fine one for the members of the club.

SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES. The truest portion of to-day's Thanksgiving observance will be the services in the various churches. All the Methodist pastors are unfortunately out of the city attending Conference, but pastors of all other congregations will conduct special and appropriate exercises. The announcements received at this office are as

First Presbyterian Church: Thanksgiving Day tervices at 11 A. M., con-

Thanksgiving services this morning at A lamp exploded 11 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. Alex. of about \$50. D. McClure, D. D.

Thanksgiving services will be conducted at the Second Advent Church this evening at 7:80 o'clock. First Church of Christ, Scientist,

Murchison Bank building: Thanksgiving services at 11 o'clock A. M. At nearly all the churches there will be special music by the several

CLOSING OF BUSINESS PLACES. Commerce, Postoffice, County and of the death of Mr. Walter E. Irving, City offices and other public places the day. The postoffice hours will be Prince had been with him during the as follows: General delivery and stamp windows open from 9 A. M. to 10 A. M. and from 6 P. M. to 7 P.

M. Carriers will make one delivery, and two collections. Money order and registry department closed all day.

THE SCHOOLS SUSPEND. The public schools of the city and ounty suspend d exercises yesterday afternoon and will not resume their sessions until Monday. All the private schools of the city will observe the same suspension.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OUTING. The Sunday school class of Mrs. S. H. Burtt, of the First Baptist church, will enjoy a Thanksgiving outing on the beach to-day. A chartered car for the party and all friends who desire to join them, will leave Front and Princess streets at 2 o'clock and make a tour of the belt line for the convenience of passengers who may desire to get aboard from any part of the city. The start for the beach will be at 2:30 o'clock from Front and Princess streets.

THE CHICAGO LABY ENTERTAINERS

Second Lumber in Y. M. G. A. Star Course Promises to be a Brilliant One.

The Chicago Lady Entertainers who come to the Y. M. C. A. auditorium under the auspices of the Southern Lyceum Bureau next Tuesday evening, Dec. 1st, as the second number in the Star Course, have the highest endorsement from the press and

One critic has said that ease of manner, culture and versatility, backed by an attractive stage presence and exceptionally good taste in their selections, make them universally favorites on all public occasions, while their naturaily pleasant, lady-like deportment secures the friendship of the best people wherever they appear.

Close to 150 entertainments in four teen different States is a great record for the season just closed, and in view of their pronounced success and great popularity it is not to be wondered that their entire time for 1908-4 is sold to the leading bureaus.

The box sheet opens Saturday morning at DeRosset's bookstore, where members of the Star Course may ob- Maragers. The ladies hoped ever so tain reserved seats. There also remain much to repeat the reception this a few ussold season tickets which can be had for \$2.

MAJ. JOHN NEWTON DEAD.

rmy Officer Who Made Recent Inspection of N. C. National Guard.

The Associated Press dispatches yesterday carried the news of the death of Major John Newton, 16th Infantry, U. S. A., which occurred of Bright's disease in the general hospital at Washington. Major Newton was 53 years of age. He had been stationed at Fort McPherson, Ga, and was on leave, xisiting his son, a studeat at the University of Virginia, when stricken with the disease. He went to the hospital at once, where his decline had been rapid. He leaves widow and several children. Major Newton was a native of New York and was appointed to the military academy from Kansas.

Interest in this State attaches to his death from the fact that he made the recent inspection of the North Carolina National Guard, and his remarks upon several of the companies in his official report of their condition were very caustic and created quite a stir. He is remembered in Wilmington very

THE POLICE COURT YESTERDAY.

Mayor Pro Tem. Yopp Presided Yesterday. Two for Roads.

Mayor Pro Tem. W. H. Yopp presided over the police court yesterday and exhibited the same antipathy for vagrancy that is such a marked charsoteristic of Mayor Springer. Fred Hall, a negro, came to the hall and applied for lodging. He could give Mr. Walker and the public-spirited no satisfactory account of his whereabouts and exhibited no fondness for work, whereupon he was sent to the rock pile for 30 days.

Caroline Jones, a colored dame who raised a disturbance in Pete Evans' restaurant at Water and Grace streets, was given 30 days in the unbroken quietude of Castle Hayner, where it is hoped the atmosphere of peacefulness will have good effect upon her temperament. Winnie Holmes, colored, was fined

\$10 and cost for disorderly conduct at Fourth and Castle streets.

THREE FIRES YESTERDAY EVENING.

Lamp Exploded at Residence of Dr. Carmichael-Dock Street Blaze.

The department responded to two fire alarms yesterday. The one at 4:16 P. M. from box 54, was on sccount of a small blaze, caused by sparks from the chimney, at the residence-of J. Evans, No. 1031 Dock street. The damage was \$10.

At 6:50 o'clock the second alarm came from box 26, and was on account of a fire at the residence of Rev. Dr. James Carmichael, No. 311 Red Oross.

The alarm from box 22 at 1:30 o'clock this morning was on account of a small blaze under the staircase leading to the second floor in the Smith building, on Princess street. The damage was alight. The fire was extinguished by means of the chemical engine.

Died la New York.

The friends of Mrs. Ed. Prince and Mrs. M. O. Kreeger will regret to learn home in New York Tuesday, Mrs.

METHODIST CONFERENCE. A SPLENDID SUCCESS.

Donation Day at James Walker Memorial Hospital Largely Attended Yesterday.

OVER \$650 WAS RECEIVED.

Weather Did Not Seriously Interfere With the Exercises-More Than 500 Visitors Delighted With Institution. Refreshments and Music.

All honor is due the ladies and Mrs. M. S. Willard, their enthusiastic chairman, Dr. Jos. Akerman, surgeon in charge of the institution, the corps of gentle and obliging nurses, the Board of Managers and its public spirited president, and all others who contributed so much to the magnificen success of the first annual Donation Day at the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday atternoon. In spite of the cold, bleak afternoon and generally threatening weather, the tea and reception given there from 2 to 6 o'clock was well attended by a cosmopolitan assemblage of guests, numbering more than five hundred and including both ladies and gentlemen. The responses to the spirit of the occasion were liberal. The offerings were entirely volun-

tary and while the cause merited the contribution of a larger sum, it is compliment to the generosity of a fair-minded people that during the hours indicated \$650.25 was given. The contributions ranged from fractions of a dollar to \$100 each, and there were more than one of the latter class. It is hoped that others will be inspired by the splendid example of those who gave yesterday and will make further donations ere the Thanksgiving season has passed. Any who desire to do so would contribute to a most worthy cause by leaving any amount with Dr. Akerman or any member of the Board of afternoor, but owing to the admission yesterday evening of a patient very ill with fever it was deemed inadvisable to do so.

In the reception yesterday after noon the ladies under the capable leadership of Mrs. Willard and the chairmen of all sub-committees, scored charming social as well as a financial success. The corridors, offices, drawing and reception rooms, stah cases and all other places of vantage in the fine building were attractively decorated with palms, ferns, bamboo and other evergreens, while in the assembly room, where dainty refreshments were served, there was a wealth of beautiful cut flowers, ornamental pieces, etc. The ladies of every one of the committees with Dr. Akerman and members of the Board of Managers composed the receiving ence. party and were most charming in their hospitality. Then, too, the corps of efficient nurses under the direction of their accomplished superintendent. Miss Clark, were most attentive to their guests and took great pleasure in showing all who desired to make an inspection, through the various departments of the excellently equipped institution.

Every part of the fine building from cellar to the magnificent operating room in the cupols, was thrown open to the public and many people marvelled at the completeness of the splendid hospital and the evidences upon every hand of the exceptionally fine management and superintendency. To write comprehensively of it would require column after column, but it should be said that the people of Wilmington fail to realize the mag- position of florist with the Wilmingnanimity of the donation of the late

service of those now in control. Mrs. Willard, chairman of the general Donation Day Committee, desires in behalf of herself and associates, to thank every one who contributed in the least to the success of the occasion : especially to the merchants and others who so generously gave refreshments and those iwho helped to serve it. The musical programme was superintended by Mrs. E. C. Holt and a number of the leading musicians in the city contributed a variety of selections for the entertainment of the visitors dur-

ing the hours of the reception. Those who were so unfortunate as to have neglected to order carriages suffered to some extent by the curtailment of the street car schedule as promised. Many who left the building before 6:30 o'clock were forced to tramp their way in a disagreeable rain to the nearest point on the regular car line. That inconvenience, however, detracted not one tota from the success of Donation Day and may have been unavoidable on the part of the transportation company.

Real Estate Transfers, to Charles Burgwin for \$65, lot on south side of Dawson street, 38 feet west of Eleventh street, 33x66 feet in size; and N. F. Parker and wife transferred to C. D. Bordeaux, for \$350, two lots of land at southeast corner of Second and Dawson streets and on west side of Third, near Dawson street.

Cross-Ties Wanted. Mr. R. T. Windley, agent for H. J. Spooner, Jr., advertises in another column for railroad cross-ties of all kinds and sizes. Mr. Windley is thoroughly experienced in the business and guarantees the highest cash prices. New York last night to accompany her His advertisement appears in another

Opening Sessions in Goldsboro Yesterdey. Much Routine Work-Pastors Who Have Died-Other Notes.

[Special Star Correspondence.] GOLDSBORO, N. C., Nov. 25 .- The sixty seventh annual session of the North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, convened in St. Paul's M. E. church this morning at 9:30 o'clock, Bishop Warren A. Chandler presiding.

After religious services, conducted by the Bishop, the roll of clerical and lay delegates was called. Very few absentees were noted.

The conference elected W. L. Cunninghim, former pastor of Fifth Street M. E. church, of Wilmington, as sec. retary of the conference. Mr. Cucninghim has been the faithful secretary of the conference since 1893. The morning session was largely taken up by the appointment of committees and routine work.

Question 20 was called, viz: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" and Presiding Elders J. H. Gibbs, W. H. Moore, J. B. Hurley, W. S. Rone, R. B. John, F. D. Swindell, N. A. Bishop, R. A. Willis and J. E. Underwood were called and their characters passed and they gave in their reports for the several districts.

The Wilmington and Elizabeth City districts each paid the assessment in full for domestic and foreign missions. This is a remarkably fine report for the Wilmington district, which is one of the poorest in the Conference, and also in view of the fact that it was over \$900 behind last

Revs. B. R. Hall, J. W. Wallace, B. B. Culbreth, L. Johnson and A. R. Goodchild having died during the year, the names were given to the Committee on Memoirs.

The list of the supernumerary preachers was called and their names referred to the Committee on Conference Relationship.

Rev. Dr. James Atkins, of Nashville, Tenn., preached at 3:30 o'clock

The preliminary exercises of conference took place Tuesday night, when the Methodist Historical Society met The angual oration was delivered by Rev. J. N. Cole, of Wilmington, who selected as his subject: "The Life and Labors of Rev. A. Norman," who died during the last session of the conference in Wilmington a year ago. His address was a literary and historical gem, and was listened to with rapt attention.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. John Frank is here to spend Thanksgiving. - Mr. R. H. Beery went up to Goldsboro yesterday to attend confer-

- Mr. W. J. Moore, of Charlotte, is here looking after business in-

- Miss Mary T. Oliver, of Newperp, is visiting her sister Mrs. M. S. Willard.

- Mr. Joe Mitchell left yesterday afternoon for a trip to Memphis. - Mr. Geo. W. Brunson, Jr., left yesterday afternoon for Atlanta

to attend the foot ball game in that city to-day. - Mr. Louis Shrier and Miss Stella Shrier left yesterday afternoon

to spend a week with friends in Washington, D. C. - Mr. Ernest J. Bush has arrived from Charlotte and taken the

ton Floral Co. - Miss Essie P. Wall, of Marion. S. C., who has been on an extended visit to Little River, was in the city

yesterday en route to her home. - Herbert McClammy, Esq., and ex-Judge E. K. Bryan returned yesterday from Raleigh, where they argued a point in bankruptcy in the

matter of Flynn & Co. - Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Miss Bessie Gore and Mr. Benj. Bell, Jr., were among those who went to Richmond yesterday morning to attend the

foot ball game there to-day. - Mr. S. B. Horton, the popular travelling representative of the Dixie Tobacco Co., Lynchburg, is in the city calling on the trade. He is accompanied by Mrs. Horton, and both are always welcome visitors here.

- Mr. Ray Kennedy, the popular special representative of S. S. Dormap, wholesale produce commission merchant, has returned to Wilmington for the Winter and will look after lettuce shipments from this territory.

- Dr. J. Arthur Dosher and bride. of Southport, who were married in West Point, Md., Monday afternoon, arrived in the city yesterday morning By deeds filed for record yesterday, and were entertained at lunch by Mrs. ng and wife transferred N. F. Parker, 620 Market street. They left in the afternoon on a government steamer for Southport.

NORTH CAROLINA ENTERPRISES.

Two Companies Chartered by Secretary of State Yesterday. [Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 25.—The Secrelary of State charters the Hursaw Live Stock Co., of Rockingham, with capital of \$25,000; incorporators, T. C. Leak, W. C. Leak and others. A harter was also granted to the Tudent Fisheries Co., with principal office in Raleigh. It has authority to buy and perate fisher es in the waters of East Oarolina. M. G. Perkins, P. V. Hewlett and W. S. Jacobs, of New Jersey, Wilming are the incorporators. Capital, \$10,000. Meares."

Springs?

Yes, we temper them. WILMINGTON IRON WORKS.

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SOMETHING OF INTEREST.

Our regular interest quarter begins Tuesday, December 1st, and money deposited with us on or before that date will receive credit for three months interest on the first day of March, 1904. We pay at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum; compounded quarterly.

Atlantic Trust and Banking Company.

METCHELL F. ALLEN, Cashier.

DIRECTORS: L. B. Rogers, John H. Kuck, B. Solomon, D. McEachern, B. H. J.

A Card of Thanks.

I desire to return my sincere thanks to the citizens of Wilmington, and the surrounding country, by whose patronge I have been enabled to reach that period in my business career, that enables me to offer the largest, finest, most artistic stock of Furniture, Crockery, Carpets, Mattings, Window Shades, and in fact, everything needed to furnish a house from Top to Bottom, in the largest and finest store north of Atlanta and south of Washington City: I shall pursue the same policy that has led me thus far in business, which is to consider quality first in buying, and price second, and to sell nothing but well made, and lasting furniture, at prices as low as is consistent with the cost of living. I consider my store and stock a credit, not only to the State of N. C., but to the entire South, and whether you want to buy, or not, I will be glad to have everyone who reads this to come and see what honest methods, and satis-

N. F. PARKER, 206 North Front Street.

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W. D. MacMillan, Jr., Pres.

108, 110, 112 North Second Street.

1,000 Cases one pound Beef, \$1.00 Dozen

W. B. COOPER.

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LOCAL MARKETS AND SHIPPING

Cotton and Naval Stores-Arrivals and Departures of Vessels Yesterday. British steamer "Huelva." 1.691 tons, Capt. Harvey, is expected to ar-

of cotton. Schooner "Arthur McArdle" cleared vesterday with cargo of cross-ties consigned by H. S. Watkins & Co. to Philadelphia.

The steamer "City of Fayetteville" arrived yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock and cleared for the return trip to Fayetteville early last night.

The little coasting schooner "Carolyn," which plies between Wilmington and New River points, came off the marine railway at Skinner's yesterday after being thoroughly overhauled, recaulked, painted, etc. She is now ready to receive cargo for New

River points. There was nothing doing in rosin on the local market yesterday and spirits was quoted firm at only 56c. The cotton market locally was unchanged. Receipts were only 2,078 bales against 2,446 same day last year.

TASCA AND HIS BAND.

Famous Company of Italian Musicians Here Tuesday Night-Criticism.

Tasca's famous Italian band will be the attraction at the Academy of Music next Tuesday evening, Dec, 1st. By special arrangements there will be no advance in prices. Seats may be reserved at Plummer's Monday morning at 8 o'clock. The Greensboro Telegram of Tuesday says of; the engagement of Tasca in that city Mon day night:

"Tasca and his Italian Band gave a concert at the Grand last night which was pronounced the best ever given in Greensboro. His band is said to be far superior to that of Creatore and those who attended the concert last night were delighted beyond measure. A leading musician of this city, when asked what he thought of the performance replied that it was grand and the never before had such a band played in this city.

"A special feature of the programme was the sextette from Lucia, which was rendered remarkably well. This is a very fine, yet very difficult piece of music to render and there are few bands which can play it as it de-

"If the people of this city had known what was in store for them last night there would have been a better house. If Tasca ever comes here again he can feel sure of a crowded beuse.

- Favetteville Observer, 25th: Miss Mary Warren Cameron left for Wilmington on a visit to Miss Mary

B. H. J. AHRENS, Vice President

Ahrens, C. W. Yates, R. R. Bellamy, M. J. Heyer, Martin O'Brien, J. G. L. Gieschen, I. M. Bear.

have everyone who reads this to come and see what honest methods, and satisfied customers have brought me. Yours very truly,

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Wilmington, N. C

POOTBALL IN RICHMOND.

Much Local Interest in To-day's Champipionship Came of the South. More than a hundred Wilmingtonians, many of whom left last night for the scene of the conflict, will witrive to-day from Baltimore for cargo ness the football championship game in Richmond this afternoon between the universities of Carolina and the Old Dominion. Enthusiasts who have elected to spend Thanksgiving at home will await with interest telegraphic news of the result. Owing to the fact that the game will be called at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the details of

> graph in the Y. M. C. A. as first expected as it is impossible to arrange for the special service in time. Yesterday's Richmond Times-Dispatch says of the impending battle:

> the contest will not be taken by tele-

"On the morrow the great foot-ball teams of the Universities of Virginia and North Carolina will line-up at Broad-Street Park for what promises to be one of the most stubborn battles ever fought by the Blue and White and the Orange and Blue. Certainly that is the expectation. Neither team is over-confident, if indeed they may be said to be confi-dent. Virginia expects to winexperts say by from 6 to 16-but does not anticipate a walkover, and is prepared for what is really expected, a very hard, clean struggle. Carolina is not making any claims and hardly

expects to win.
"The Carolina team will arrive this evening and are expected to stop at Murphy's. The Virginia eleven and substitutes will be down this afternoon and will make their headquarters at Murphy's also.

"Carolina has been experimenting with a view to strengthening its line. Fisher, a new man, has been put at leftend; Jacocks, at quarterback, instead of Engle; Mann and Newton are the halves, and Robertson, the full back, with Hester as substitute. Captain Jones, formerly a tackle and a powerful, heavy man, goes to guard. Donnelly and Foust are veteran tackles and could hardly be improv

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