


HARBOR FACILITIES LPiers of the Shipping Board Are On the Atlantic Coast-The Beest
Facilities Munt Be Provided. (By the Associated Press)
Washington, August Washington, August 5.-Port an the Gulf and the Pacific must be xpanded two or three fold to pro American merchant marine, now in the making, when once it is released s necessary at many- ports so that oal for New England,
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## North Carolina Public Service Company

BULLETIN NO. 21.

## WHAT DID YOU GEF FOR YOUR NICKEL?

We-recently stated that this Company hed paituntrere paying
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247:0ed as follows:

| Greensboro | \$27,737.00 |
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| High Point | 16,061.00 |
| Salisbury | 23,500.00 |
| Concord | 19,949.00 |
| Total | \$87,247.00 |

In addition many thousands of dollars of incidental expenses in connection with preparing the tracks for paving were charged direct to operation and not included in the above figures.
Thus the total cost of Street Paving to the Company is made up f two iteime:

> Proportionate Share Paving Costs Preiminary Track Expenditure $\$ 139,000.00$ Total . . . . . $87,247.00$

This Capital Expenditure creates no reveñe or increase Based upon 6 per cent money it is equal to an annual tax of $\$ 13$, 574,82.
Thiss is the amount of montes the Company is paying for the privilege of operating its Street Railways in addition to the regular State, County and City taxes. THINETE OVER.
NEARLY ONE QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS MOST OF WHICH

YOU SAVE IN TAXES.

## Noth Carolina Public Service Co:

CHAS. B. HOLE, President.




