The Messenger.

Celery Compound. Arrived-Brown & Whitted. Munyon Talks on Dyspepsia. Masonic Meeting-T. F. Bagley. Smoked Herring-W. B. Cooper. Miss Anna Henderson-Special. Brotherhood Star Course-Y. M. C. A.

Weather Conditions. (Reported by C. M. Strong, Local Forecaster.) U. S. Weather Bureau Office.

January 26 .- 8 p. m. The high pressure area and cold wave continue permanent over the interior of the country. The barometer has fallen decidedly under a developing low area over Florida, moving northeastward from the east gulf. Rain is now falling generally over Florida, Alabama and Georgia. The barometer continues low off New England. Light snow is falling over Kansas; fair weather is generally noted elsewhere over the west.

LOCAL FORECAST. Rain, warmer Wednesday, clearing colder Wednesday night; northeast to nortwest winds. FOR THE STATE.

By telegraph from Washington, D. C. -Local rains, threatening weather; northeasterly winds.

TEMPERATURE.

1896-8 a. m., 45 degrees; 8 p. m., 48 degrees; highest, 54 degrees; lowest, 44 1897-8 a. m., 30 degrees; 8 p. m., 36 degrees; highest, 38 degrees; lowest, 30

Miniature Almanac-Sun rises 7:02 a m.; sun sets 5:22 p. m.; high water at Southport, 2:37 p. m.; high water at Wilmington, 4:24 p. m.

Moon's Phases-New moon, 3rd, 12:55 a. m.; first quarter, 10th, 4:37 p. m.; full moon, 18th, 3:08 p. m.; last quarter, 25th, 3:00 p. m.

PITHY LOCALS.

There was a false alarm of fire last night at 8:45 o'clock from box 52, Seventh and Queen streets.

The annual congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will be held in the lecture room tonight at 8 o'clock. An interesting time is expected. All are invited. The reserved seat sale for the cele-

brated young southern tragedian, Mr. James Young, in a magnificent scenic production of Shakespeare's masterpiece, "Hamlet," will open this (Wednesday) morning at 7 o'clock at Genken's.

While Stilley Jones, colored, was handling some rafts in the river yesterday he fell, and his leg was crushed between two rafts as they swung together. He was carried to the city hospital and while it was found that his leg was badly hurt it turned out that no bones were broken.

At the Carolina Cooperage Company's works yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock, J. Cole, colored, and Hampton Smart, colored, got into a difficulty, during which Cole drew his revolver and fired five times at Smart. Cole was arrested and the mayor yesterday at the city court bound him over to the criminal court in a bond of \$50.

A circular issued under date of January 25th, by General Manager John R. Kenly, of the Atlantic Coast Line appoints Mr. R. E. Smith superintendent of motive power. He will have charge of the machinery and car departments. Master mechanics and master car builders will report to him, and he will report to the general manager. His office will be in the Atlantic Coast Line building in this city. The appointment is a most excellent one and was well deserved.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Thomas Perrett, of Falson, was here yesterday. Mr. J. C. Scarborough, of Charlotte is at The Orton.

yesterday in the city. Mr. G. B. Allen, of Maxton, was here on business yesterday.

Mr. J. S. Westbrook, of Faison, spent

Mr. Frank Sessoms, of Long View, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Brown, of Chadborun, was on our streets yesterday. Mr. S. O. Middleton, and his little son

Wiliam, were in the city yesterday. Mr. Charles E. Gause, of Southport was in the city on business yesterday. Mr. John Black, of Monroe, was registered at the Bonitz House yesterday Captain James Lesesne, of Bladen

county, arrived in the city last even-Mr. J. L. McLean, of Charlotte, was among last night's arrivals at The Or-

Mr. J. B. Ruark, of Southport, was among the visitors in the city yester-

Mr. W. Glen Williams, of Winston, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Mr. J. J. King, of Hampstead, was

here calling on our business houses yesterday. Mr. J. B. D. Parker, of Chinquepin,

was among the visitors here on business yesterday Messrs. C. F. Southerland and Thom-

as Mareday, of St. Phillips, came up to the city last evening. Miss Mary Jennings Bellamy, after a delightful visit to friends in Norfolk

and other cities, returned home last Colonel C. P. Parker, the able chairman of the board of commissioners of Bladen county, was here making bus-

iness calls yesterday. Mr. E. D. Kyle, of Fayetteville, soliciting agent for the Seaboard Air Line. arrived by the Cape Fear and Yadkin

Valley railway last night. Miss Alice Green left yesterday for Chapel Hill to be present at the inauguration of her uncle, Dr. Edwin A. Alderman as president of the state university. Miss Chandelier McDaniel, of Wilson, who has been visiting Miss Green, accompanied her to Chapel Hill. Hon. J. A. Lockhart, of Wadesboro,

attorney for Mr. J. A. Leak receiver of the Wadesboro branch of the Bank of New Hanover, came down to the city yesterday in connection with the Bank of New Hanover case, now pending in our superior court. Judge Bennett, Receiver Leak's other attorney, car, sleeping car, compartment car and will be here today.

Read Ayer's Almanac, which your druggist will "ladly hand you, and note the wonderful cures of rheumatism, catarrh, scrofula, dyspepsia, eczema, debility, humors, and sores, by

The Southern Baptist Convention. The committees representing the First Baptist church, Brooklyn Baptist church and the South Side Baptist church, of this city, met last night in the lecture room of the First Baptist church, along with the committee appointed yesterday afternoon by the chamber of commerce, to make arrangements for entertaining the Southern Baptist convention, which meets

here May 6th. The Rev. J. W. Kramer was made hairman, and Mr. G. E. Leftwich sec

Rev. W. B. Oliver explained the obect of the meeting, and remarks were nade by Colonel Walker Taylor, of the chambr of commerce committee. Then followed discussion as to

whether the convention should meet at the First Baptist church or the Champion compress. The matter was On motion, a central committee was

appointed, consisting of the Baptist pastors, Rev. W. B. Oliver, Rev. J. H. Hildreth, Rev. J. B. Harrell, Rev. S. D. Swaim and Rev. J. W. Kramer. On motion of Colonel Taylor, the central committee was invited to meet at

the rooms of the chamber of commerce On motion of Mr. Leftwich, it was agreed to refer the appointment of all sub-committees to the central commit-

The committee then adjourned.

"The Second Regiment Band. The seventh annual meeting of the Second Regiment Band was held last night at the band room in the city hall basement, President James W. Monroe

The officers made their reports and fine financial showing was made. The following officers were re-elected President-James W. Monroe.

Secretary-P. V. Alderman. Treasurer-W. A. Martin. Leader-James E. Willson. Instructor-S. A. Schloss. Librarian-W. Dunham. Executive Committee-James W.

Monroe, James E. Willson, Geo. P. Howey, R. B. Clowe. Professor Joseph Bernard was elected member of the band, and will play a barritone cornet. Four other applicaions for membership were receivd.

The band is in fine condition; and here is a gratifying revival of interest in the organization. The zealous president is exceedingly proud of it, and the officers deserve great credit for their successful efforts in maintaining the organization in such efficiency. The regular rehearsal will take place next Tuesday night.

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers does its work thoroughly, coloring a uniform brown or black, which, when dry, will neither rub, wash off, nor soil

The Superior Court. Pursuant to adjournment for recess n Monday evening, the superior court met vesterday at 10 a. m. and disposed

of cases as follows: The first case called was one of the back-tax cases. A judgment was renlered for the city. Fink, Bordenheimer & Co. vs. M. J. Dingelhoef; continued.

East Carolina Piscatorial Association vs. Thomas Perrett; judgment for plaintiff. The court at 5:20 p. m. took a recess

till 10 o'clock this morning. The Naval Reserves. Wilmington-Division, North Carolina Naval battalion, held its regular meting last night, Vice President W. R. Mid-

dleton presiding. Lieutenant Commander W. M. At kinson having resigned, Mr. H. H. Mc-Ilhenny was elected in his stead, and Mr. W. W. Merrill was elected ensign. Commander Geo. L. Morton was presented and addressed the division with reference to taking a trip to Washington on the occasion of the inauguration of President McKinley. He said if the division would attain efficiency in drill he would take them up.

The division will have a drill tonight. Ayer's Hair Vigor is certainly a ret has ever been produced. No matter how wiry and unmanageable the hair may be, under the influence of this incomparable dressing, it becomes soft, silky, and pliable to the comb and

Notice This.

Next Friday evening the fourth enertainment of the Brotherhood Star Course will be a rendition of "Captain Letterblair" by the famous impersonator, Mr. Edward P. Elliott. Let all holders of season tickets get reserved seats at Yate's and all who enjoy fine fun freighted with sound sense be sure to go. The Boston Globe says of Mr. Elliott: "He is a perfect genius."

The Scramble for Wagons In today's Messenger Messrs. Kirkman & Son, of Brooklyn, N. Y., the manufacturers of the famous borax soap, offer a chance to hundreds of boys to get a boy's express wagon free. They will give a wagon for every fifty coupons clipped from their soap wrappers. In November and December they ran this sceme in Greater New York ran this sceme in Greater New York his effort to develop not only the terri-and created immense excitement among tory along the Seaboard Air Line, but the children, giving away 30,000 wagons. No doubt, the Wilmington boys will be soon gobbling up all the wrappers they can get their hands on. See advertise-

The Wake Forest Literary Societics. The Messenger returns thanks to Messrs. Frederick Kingsbury Cooke and Humphrey Bate Folk for an invitation to attend the sixty-second and niversary celebration of the Euzelian and Philomathesian literary societies of Wake Forest college, Friday, February

The following will be the programme; Debate, 2:30 p. m .- Query: Is Civilization Able to Cope With the Evils At-

tending its Progress?

President, William Richard Sykes: ecretary, Charles Mason McIntosh. Negative, Henry Hamilton Marsh-Affirmative, William David Burns; Affirmative, Joel Spurgeon Snider; Negative, Walter Nathan Johnson Orations, 8:30 p. m.—By Robert Nirwana Simms, Albert Brown Cannady.
Marshals—Fred. Kingsbury Cooke,

An Elegant Passenger Train New York, January 16.—On Monday next the New York and Florda limited (vestibuled) over the Pennsylvania, Southern railway and Florida Central and Peninsula lines will be inaugurated, the train being composed of a dining man, and the most elaborately finished cars that the Pullman Company has

ever turned out. A Fatal Row in a Gipsy Camp Macon, Ga., January 26.—A special to The Telegraph, from Dublin, Ga., says: eczema, debility, humors, and sores, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla admitted at the World's Fair.

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The Telegraph, from Dublin, Ga., says: A fight occurred here today at a camp of Gypsies, in which Ed. Loyless, of Atlanta, 19 years of age, one of the Gypsies, who was sitting on a horse thirty feet away from the trouble, was shot through the heart. Mike O'Hara, another of the band, was shot through the right leg, but the wound is not serious. Ben. McGowan, of Dublin, is under arrest charged with the shooting.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

SPECIAL MEFTING YESTER DAY AFTERNOON.

Steps Takes to Have Wilmington Repre sented at the Nashville Exposition-Pres parations for the Southern Paptist Convention - Hon, Warren G. Elliott to Ad dress the Chamber-Other Matters.

iden Chadbourn presided and Colonel John L. Cantwell, the secretary, was at President Chadbourn briefly stated Craig were appointed a special comthat the meeting had been called to consider the suggestion of Captain John T. Patrick that steps be taken to have Wilmington thoroughly represent ed at the Nashville exposition. He said

he thought it would be a good idea to follow out the lines of the suggestion made by Captain Patrick. Captain Patrick is chief industrial agent of the Seaboard Air Line, and is working up an exhibit by the various cities and building. It is proposed to have Wilmineton thoroughly represented in this exhibit. The Seaboard Air Line also building representing a huge car with nels between the windows and these pannels are to be devoted to advertising the industries, resources and atanch towards the erection of the building, which will about pay half the cost born by the Seaboard Air Line. It was explained also that Captain Patrick mington give a banquet, with an oyster roast and fish menu, and invite the

Mr. W. E. Worth, one of the vice presidents of the Chamber, very fully rick's visit here on Saturday and stated that the president, himself, Captain T. his plans. He heartily endorsed Captain Patrick's suggestions, and said he would himself contribute ten barrels of ovsters and furnish all the ice necessary to transport any amount of oysnamed by the Chamber of Commerce, to look after the arrangements for the banquet. The Seaboard Air Line also be several hundred dollars. He then the oysters and fish to be sent to Nash-

Captain T. D. Meares, general agent of the Seaboard Air Line, also explain-Company would also contribute five or ten barrels of oysters for the bantable a blue print of the building which at the exposition. It is to be ninety feet long, twenty-four feet in width hold books and other printed matter for distribution, for the purpose of advertising our industries, attractions and resources. He said the Seaboard Air Line not only proposes to furnish free transportation for ten citizens and the fish and oysters for the banquet, but will also oner a low rate for all others who desire to visit the exposition

Mr. J. C. Stevenson heartily endorsed Captain Patrick's plans. He said Captain Patrick was a man of great resources and influence, and makes a success of all he undertakes. He has wheels in his head but they are practical wheels. He was responsible more than any other man for the development of North Carolina. He practically established the agricultural bureau, and it was a revelation to see how he has developed the resources of the country along the Seaboard Air Line between Hamlet and Raleigh and hetween Hamlet and Charlotte. Mr. Stevenson declared that it would be a wise thing to do to pay attention to anything that Captain Patrick might suggest. It is true that he works for and draws his salary from the Seaboard Air Line, but he believed him to be patriotic and wholly disinterested in the entire state, he has a wonderful faculty of grasping the situation, and recognizes that Wilmington's oyster, fish and trucking industries are almost without limit. Our resources in his respect are hardly known at Nashville, and just the thing we need is something to let that part of the country what our capabilities are. He said he was heartly in favor of accepting the proposition of the Seaboard Air Line, especially, as it was so liberal and the amount required was so small He had no doubt it would inure to the good of Wilmington. He remarked that it would afford us a splendid opportu-nity to let the people who go to Nashville know that we are headquarter for spirits turpentine, rosin, etc., and mittees last night at the lect that it might build up for us a direct of the First Baptist church.

has a cinch on. We ought to take up Mr. Patrick's suggestions. He has been an active agency in building up the industries of our state, and he had no doubt his plans would do much for President Chadbourn agreed with all that had been said, and said as the Chamber of Commerce had some money in the treasury he would suggest that Herbert Castle Draper, George Priestly
Davis, Humphrey Bate Folk, Walter
L. Cohoon, William Parker Etchinson.

Mr. Patrick's proposition be accepted and the \$100 be appropriated at once to carry out the plans. and the \$100 be appropriated at once to carry out the plans.
On motion of Mr. J. H. Boatwright

trade for our special products. It would

let that section know what Wilmington

\$100 was appropriated, as advocated by Captain Meares moved that the president appoint a committee of three with President Chadbourn himself as a member, to make the arrangements for carrying out the plans, and that this committee report back to this chamber the names of the ten delegates to go to Nashville. The motion was adopted, and the

president appointed as this committee Messrs. J. C. Stevenson, W. E. Worth and E. S. Tennent. On motion of Mr. M. S. Willard, the secretary was ordered to address communication to Captain Patrick expressing the appreciation of this body of his suggestions and the liberal proposition of the Seaboard Air Line.

CAPE FEAR LIGHT HOUSE. Mr. H. G. Smallbones, of the specia ommittee appointed to secure a light house on Baid Head, reported that congress had appropriated \$70,000 for the erection of a light house on the pitch

of Cape Fear. He said the Produce Ex-change had first moved in this matter and it had been recommended by Colonel Stanton and the light house board. He stated that the appropriation for the Hatteras light had failed.

Mr. Smallbones stated that three meeting ago he called attention to the fact that the government almanac and coast report did not contain data about the tides at this port. He also stated that another marine almanac based on the government almanac published to the world that the water on our bar was only fourteen feet and that A special meeting of the Chamber of the channel to Wilmington was only Commerce was held yesterday at 3:30 sixteen feet. He said some steps ought to be taken to have a proper report of o, m., pursuant to the call of Mr. James the tide data and to correct the false H. Charbourn, Jr., the president. Pres- impression about the depth of water on the bar and in the river, as the report was detriment to our commerce. On motion of Colonel Walker Taylor Mr. Smallbones and Captain J. W.

> mittee to take the necessary steps in the matter. Mr. M. S. Willard inquired what was neant by the pitch of Cape Fear. Captain Craig explained that it the extreme point of Bald Head island and that it is proposed to put the light house there as it was four miles nearer the Frying Pan lightship, and vessels coming in could see both lights at the

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION President Chadbourn called attention to the fact that the Southern Bapcommunities on the Seaboard Air Line. tist Convention is to meet here in May, and said he noticed that the Rev. W. to be made in the main exposition, B. Oliver, pastor of the First Baptist church was present. He said the chamber would be glad to hear from Mr

Mr. Oliver said he and the other Bap-

tist ministers went to the Southern

Baptist Convention which met at Chat

tanooga last May, and in behalf of the Baptists of Wilmington, the Chamber of Commerce and the Board of Aldermen, had extended the convention an the 6th of May this year. He said that on this occasion the delegates to the convention are to be our guests and ractions of the various cities along the | mence making arrangements for taking Seaboard Air Line, All that is asked of care of and entertaining them. He rethe cities is that they contribute \$100 called the fact that Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son had kindly tendered the use of the Champoin Compress for the meetings of the convention, but said of construction, the other half to be it had been decided to meet in the First Baptist church. Le referred the importance of the convention in consideration of its social, moral and suggested, by way of advertising its religious aspects, and said that it would water and fish industries, that Wil- also be of importance to the trade interests, as it would attract great crowds of people to our city from all roast and fish menu, and invite the over this and other states. Delegates, newspaper men to be its guests on the he stated, would be here from all the southern states as far north as Maryland, and from the west as far as Oregon. There will also be many visitors various states and also from explained the object of Captain Pat- the north. Provision has to be made to entertain the delegates, between 900 and 1,000 in number, but he said he thought the Baptist churches would D. Meares and others of the chamber able to take care of that part of it. If had a conference with him and heard not, he felt satisfied that with the efforts of this chamber there would be no trouble in getting homes among our people for all the delegates that will be this meeting to talk of making other arrangements for the entertainment of the guests who had been invited here. ters and fish that may be sent to Nash- It would be necessary to give them ville for the banquet. He said that in some Rock Spring water, take them on doing this he had in mind that what excursions down the river, take them to the sound and possibly to give them helps to build up Wilmington helps to an oyster roast, etc. He had therefore build him up. In detailing Captain come to request the chamber to appoint Patrick's proposition, Mr. Worth said a committee to confer with the com-Captain Patrick stated that the Sea- mittees from the three Baptist churches board Air Line proposes to furnish free egates. He knew Wilmington hospitall, transportation to and from Nashville ty would be equal to the occasion, and there would be no trouble on that score.

proposes to give free transportation for went on to speak about the advantages the convention would be to the city and said it would attract here some 2,500 or 3,000 visitors. Colonel Taylor said he was one of the committee appointed by this chamber to extend the invitation to the ed and endorsed Captain Patrick's Southern Baptist Convention, and that plans. He said the New River Oyster | this chamber would heartly joint the Baptists in the entertainment of the delegates. He moved that the president appoint a committee of five, the presquet. He stated that Captain Patrick ident also to be a member, to confer was chief industrial agent and had with Mr. Oliver's committees on all been instrumental in converting the matters necessary to be attended to. President Chadbourn approved of the town of Southern Pines from land motion and complimented the commit worth 50 cents per acre to a thriving | tees of the chamber, who, he said, aland prosperous community, and that ways did their duty faithfully and well. Mr. J. C. Stevenson said the Baptists Wilmington should avail herself of his suggestions as a means of attracting ed in bringing this great body of Chrisattention to our advantages and at- tians to our city. They had been invited tractions. Captain Meares laid upon the here as our guests, and the action of this chamber showed a broad and liberal minded feeling, showing that all the Seaboard Air Line proposes to erect | are Christians if not having the same methods, yet have the same results in view. It makes us feel nearer to and twenty feet in height. The first operation. He then went on to hold up story is to be a general hall ,banquet | the example of Atlanta's citizens in markable preparation and nothing like hall or rendezvous. The proposition is co-operating for the good of their city, made to Wilmington to contribute \$100 which they had sustained and helped towards the erection of this building to make the lamented Henry W. Grady

consider the means of meeting the ex-

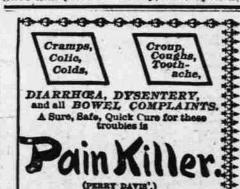
pense to be thus incurred, which would

and secure a pannel for shelving to He urged the same co-operation on the part of the people of Wilmington for the up-building of our city. In speaking of the advantages of the convention, he said it is estimated that it will attract here from 3,000 to 5,000 visitors who would spend not less than \$25 each while here. This would be business for the railroads, would make trade, would make business for the hotels, etc. He said the First Baptist church had already gone to work to do its part towards entertaining the convention and had raised \$600. The three Baptist churches would do their full duty, and it was asked that this chamber co-operate with them in the manner asked by Mr. Oliver. The convention, he remarked, would bring to Wilmington the best people of the Baptist denomi nation in this country, and he was satiesfied that it would benefit Wilming ton in many ways. In addition to the appointme t of the co-operation committee, he suggested that a committee also be appointed to call on the railroads to aid in the matter, as the convention will directly benefit them. Captain T. D. Meares also spoke in support of the motion of Colonel Taylor and it was explained that the same committee could see the railroads, or meet with the committees of the Bantist churches and appoint sub-com-

mittees. In his remarks Captain Meares spoke of the entertainmen to be extended and said the visitors must be shown our summer resorts which are not excelled anywhere, and our beach which Vice President St. John, of the Seaboard Air Line, had pronounced the finest beach on either side of the con-

Colonel Taylor's motion was adopted, and the president appointed the following committee to co-operate with the committees of the Baptist churches. Colonel Walker Taylor, and Messrs. J. B. Mercer, J. H. Boatwright, M. S. Willard, W. E. Worth. The motion also made President Chadbourn a member of the committee. The committee was requested to meet the church committees last night at the lecture room

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invitation, the Hon, Warren G. Elliott, don railroad, had consented to address the chamber at an early day on a subject of his own choosing. He said i was also desired to have addresses a times from others. THE BAR AND RIVER.

Mr. W. E. Worth, of the committee on the improvement of the bar and river, called attention to the fact that congress had omitted to make an op-propriation this year for our bar and river. He said some action should be taken on this matter. It should be seen hat we are not left out. Mr. Stevenson suggested that Colone

Heap's co-operation be secured in the President Chadbourn suggested that a committee be sent to Washington, and said Mr. Wm. H. Chadbourn would be a good man to go on and see our senators and representatives. On motion of Colonel Taylor, thematter was left in the hands of President Chadbourn to act as his judgment dis-

The meeting then adjourned.

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A Fatal Railway Wreck Dorchester Station, N. B., January 26, -No. 2 express on the Inter-Colonial railway from Halifax this morning, went into Halmer's pond, all except the track. The accident took place on a down grade, where there was a high embankment. The body of Miss Petregum, a dressmaker of Bloomfeld, Migs county, has been taken from the wreck. A number of others were injured.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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LOST-FIRST WEEK IN JANUARY, Water spaniel Puppy; answers to name of Lassie; white with black back, black ears, blue ritbon around neck. Information received here. THOMAS & CO. ARE SELLING FINE Creamery Butter at 25c per pound. Call and see the special inducements offered to cash buyers at their new store, ner Fourth and Campbell streets.

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A SCARE.

at There Is No Ground for Alarm and It Is About Over. It has gone out that there is small pox in Greensboro. The Record has no desire in the world to conceal anything and gives herewith the actual facts, first learned on Saturady night. Friday afternoon John W. Tucker, traveling saleman for a Lynchburg house, came in on the train from Fayetteville, stopping at the Benbow. He was not well, though he was around the streets and called to see Dr. Richardson, who thought he had chicken pox and told him to stay in his room Mr. Tucker complained of sore throat

Dr. Richardson. About 1 o'clock sure and fullness in the stomach, short- | the doctor said he began to think is ness of breath, poor appetite, coaled was perhaps smallpox and Drs. Beal tongue, sour or bitter raising from the and Brooks were called in. They destomach, heartburn, wind on the stom- | cided it was suspicious and Tucker ach, constipation, dizziness, faintness | was sent to an unoccupied house four When these symptoms are associated man who had had the disease being with biliousness, yellow-coated tongue, sent along to nurse him. While it is nausea, take Munyon's Liver Cure in not yet a sure case the safe plan was adopted. been vaccinated anew so that the dan pation Cure until they become regular ger of the disease spreading is reduced under the effect of the Dyspepsia Cure. to a minimum, for these people are under the surveillance of the doctor

> Birmingham, Ala., January 26.-With the temperature at nineteen above zero this morning and the weather cloudy and wind blowing stiff from the northwest, indications pointed to an ugly day. The day was not disappointing At noon the thermometer registered twenty, and sleet began falling and continued unceasingly. The ground is now (8 p. m.) covered to a depth of three iches with sleet and the outlook is all out encouraging. The lowest tempera

ture of the day was seventeen degrees

above. It is still sleeting. Fire in a Philadelphia Carpet Store Philadelphia, Pa., January 26.-Early is morning flames were seen issu'ng from the windows on the sixth floor of the carpet store of John & James Dobson, Nos. 800 to 811 Chectnut street. The fire was confined to this floor-the upholstery department-but the floors below were damaged by water. A member of the firm said the loss would probably reach \$75,000, and is covered nce. The origin of the fire is not known.

Woman Suffragists in Convention Des Moines, Ia., January 26.-The na tional convention of the Woman's Suf frage Association was called to orde in the Central Christian church at 10 o'clock this morning. There are delegates present from all over the country among the most prominent being Susan B Antony who will be re-elected pres. dent; Rev. Anna Shaw, Mrs. Carrie Lane, Chapman Catt and Laura Clay. Auheuser-Busch Brewing Association

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