# The Messenger.

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**New Advertisements.**

Lost—Special.
Fresh Butter—Special.
Keep Cool—J. C. Shepard, Jr.
Prompt Returns—W. M. Cumming.
The Unlucky Corner—S. W. Sanders.
Notice—The John L. Boatwright Company.
$10,000,000 Capital—Mechanics Home Association.
Excursion to Waccamaw—St. Andrews Sunday school.

**Weather Conditions.**

(Reported by C. M. Strong, Local Forecaster.)

U. S. Weather Bureau Office,
June 14.

The barometer has risen slightly over the middle states and fallen over all other sections, decidedly so over the southwest during the past twelve hours. It is lowest over New England, South Carolina and the Dakotas, and highest over the Ohio valley and Florida. Cloudiness is increasing over the west and south with showers or thunderstorms reported from the Carolinas southwest and over the central western valleys. It is decidedly warm over all sections, the warm wave covering from the Dakotas southeast to Florida, with maximum temperatures 90 degrees or above reported, higest 100 degrees at Savannah, Ga.

Generally fair warm wather will continue over this locality, with local thunderstorms probable during the afternoon or night hours.

LOCAL FORECASTS.

To 12 o'clock (mdt) Tuesday—Thunderstorms; variable winds.

FOR THE STATE.

Washington forecasts to 12 o'clock (mdt) Tuesday—Thunderstoms; variable winds.

TEMPERATURE.

1897—8 a. m., 82 degrees; 8 p. m., 77 degrees; highest, 91 degrees; lowest, 76 degrees.

Miniature Almanac—Sun rises 4:41 a. m.; sun sets 7:18 p. m.; high water at Southport 7:40 a. m.; high water at Wilmington, 9:27 a. m.

Moon's Phases—First quarter, 8th, 1:54 a. m.; full moon, 14th, 3:53 p. m.; last quarter, 21st, 6:15 p. m.; new moon, 29th, 9:47 p. m.; perigee, 13th, 10:04; apogee, 25th, 5:04.

## PITHY LOCALS.

Regular communication of Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M., tonight at 8 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the board of audit and finance will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The steamer "City of Key West," steamed close in to Wrightsville beach on Sunday, steaming northward.

Last Saturday afternoon lightning struck and knocked a hole in the large water tank on top of the Champion Compress.

The board of commissioners of New Hanover county will hold an adjourned meeting tonight at 8 o'clock to complete its revision of the jury list.

We learn that a severe hail storm down the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta railroad did considerable damage to the crops last Saturday evening.

Be sure to read the advertisement of Mr. W. M. Cumming's live real estate agency. He makes a remark about that burglar that called to see him Sunday.

Several Wilmington boys went to Lumberton yesterday to enter the competitive examination for the appointment to the United States naval academy at Annapolis.

Mr. J. J. Wood, of Halifax, arrived yesterday to take charge of the state's Castle Haynes farm, in place of Mr. A. P. Holland, who goes west to engage in railroad work.

Home raised tomatoes are coming into market freely now. Mr. C. H. Heide on yesterday brought to Mr. W. J. Kirkham a bushel of very fine tomatoes. They were raised on Mr. Heide's model farm about three miles from the city.

A big excursion from up the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railway will arrive here tomorrow. Messrs. B. H. and C. B. Hatch's excursion from points alone the Wilmington and Weldon railroad, will also be here tomorrow.

At his court yesterday morning Mayor Wright disposed of three cases of drunk and down. Owing to the tardiness of a couple of the officers who were witnesses in the case, he announced that hereafter he would enter up a fine of $5.00 against the chief or any policeman who is a witness and fails to be present.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has established a branch office in the rooms of the Produce Exchange. The instruments were put in yesterday and our clever friend, Mr. W. G. Sale, is the operator in charge. The commercial report for the exchange will be received over this wire and business going and coming for the merchants on the wharf will be sent and received.

Hanover Council No. 25, United States Benevolent Fraternity, will have a "jubilee reception" this evening at 8 o'clock, the occasion being the fifteenth anniversary of the council. The committee of arrangements consists of Mr. Thomas R. Post, chairman, and Messrs. B. J. Jacobs, James F. Post, Jr., W. C. VonGlahn and B. W. Marshall. They have The Messenger's thanks for an invitation.

Mr. J. W. Carter, of the enterprising firm of Carter & Alford, Maxton, N. C. suent Sunday at the Seashore hotel and returned home yesterday. Messrs. Carter & Alford laid the last brick on a handsome business house at Maxton on Saturday and they will soon occupy it with their stock of general merchandise. Mr. Carter's partner is Mr. J. McK. Alford.

The St. Andrew's Presbyterian church Sunday school will give its annual picnic excursion to Lake Waccamaw next Thursday. The train will leave Front street depot at 9 a. m., and the fare will be 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults. Tickets are on sale at Yates' and Heinberger's. If you want to have a delightful time don't fail to secure a ticket at once. See advertisement.

**Sad Bereavement.**

We regret to note the death of Olive Pendleton, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Short, of Lake Waccamaw. After a brief illness, the little one passed away in this city last evening at the residence of its grandfather, Judge O. P. Meares, on Third and Nun streets. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock from Judge Meares' residence, thence to Oakdale cemetery.

## THE MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

**Result of the Examination at Morehead City—Sixty-Four Young Men Licensed to Practice—A Wilmington Boy One of the Successful Applicants—Dr. Zachary Appointed to Our City Hospital.**

At the election of the Board of Medical Examiners of the state of North Carolina, at Morehead City, June 7th to 12th, the following stood the examination and were granted license to practice medicine:

Clarence Porter Jones, Sterling B. Pierce, Samuel N. Harrell, J. C. Davis, William W. Barrett, A. E. Bell, James H. Hiden, James M. Judd, R. E. Zachary, O. J. Parris, B. T. Bitting, M. L. Justice, Charles L. Pearson, A. B. Goodman, A. D. H. Whittey, W. J. Weaver, A. C. Bethune, James Sawyer, Reuben A. Campbell, J. Pinkney Turner, James E. Smithwick, Henry T. Batts, Peter John, W. J. Wallis, Charles Roberson, W. W. Dawson, Theo. L. Northrop, James S. McGeachy, William Isaac Hill, J. B. Person, Jr., H. M. Bonner, Henry F. Kinsman, R. Delmere Patterson, S. P. Holding, J. Brown Wallace, George Kennedy, J. J. Hood, George D. Williams, James E. Brooks, R. L. Savage, C. R. Wharton, G. A. Brown, R. H. McGinnis, William Spicer, M. V. Powell, Avery C. Everett, L. N. Glenn, R. Clinton Bunting, W. P. Webb, J. E. David, John Ellis Hart, R. DuVal Jones, J. O. Matthews, Stonewall J. Love, F. D. Koonce, Jr., R. E. L. Flippin, G. A. Gerran, L. V. Lee, David S. Morrell, Allen H. Wyche, B. R. Hunter, W. H. Lippett, L. O. Hayes, C. C. Hutton.

There were eighty-two applicants, sixty-four of whom were granted license.

The Appleton prize, for the highest average on all branches, was awarded to Dr. R. DuVal Jones, of New Bern, N. C.

The prize of the G. F. Harvey Company, of Saratoga, N. Y., for second best average on all branches, was awarded to Dr. Charles Roberson, of Chapel Hill, N. C.

The prize of William H. Armstrong & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., for the best examination in surgery, was awarded to Dr. Charles Roberson, of Chapel Hill, N. C.

The prize of Lea Bros. & Co., Philadelphia, for the best examination in the Practice of Medicine, was awarded to Dr. James Sawyer, of Asheville, N. C.

The North Carolina Medical Journal prize, for the best examination in Anatomy, was awarded to Dr. R. E. Zachary, of Brevard, N. C.

The appointment to the Wilmington city hospital, was awarded to Dr. R. E. Zachary, of Brevard, N. C.

Dr. Kemp P. Battle, Jr., of Raleigh, was elected to fill the vacancy on the board caused by the death of Dr. J. M. Hays. Suitable resolutions of respect were passed in memory of Dr. Hays, deceased.

## THE SEASHORE HOTEL.

**The Formal Opening to Take Place Tonight—A Fine Band Will Furnish Music and There Will be a Grand Ball—A Splendid Supper Will be Served.**

Mr. George Campbell's elegant new hotel, which opened informally a few days ago, has already demonstrated its claim to popularity and starts off on a rapid pace in the establishment of a reputation that will sweep from here to the Mississippi. The names of fifty guests decorated the register on Sunday and they speak in extravagant terms of the appoinments of the hotel and its delightfulness, are flattering in their praise of the fare, and are enthusiastic over the admirable hospitality that Mr. Campbell dispenses at this hostelry by the sea.

Mr. Campbell has now completed the equipment of his hotel, and the formal opening will take place tonight. A magnificent supper will be the first feature, and afterwards there will be a grand ball. The best band in the state will furnish music, and the occasion will be one long to be remembered by all who go down to the "opening."

On account of this event there will be a late train from the beach. There is no gainsaying that a great crowd will go down, and that there will be a gay time at the "Seashore" on this occasion.

Byron used a great deal of hairdressing, but was very particular to have only the best to be found in the market. If Ayer's Hair Vigor had been obtainable then, doubtless he would have tested its merits, as so many distinguished and fashionable people are doing now-a-days.

**Off for the Pythian Grand Lodge.**

The Grand Lodge of the Grand Domain of North Carolina, Knights of Pythias, will hold its annual convention in Charlotte, beginning today. A party of Pythians left here yesterday at 3:20 p. m. to attend, including Grand Chancellor Washington Catlett and Past Grand Chancellors John Haar and W. H. Gerken. The following representatives of the Wilmington lodges went up: Past Chancellor J. M. McGowan, of Stonewall Lodge No. 1; Past Chancellor Walker Taylor, of Clarendon Lodge No. 2; Past Chancellor J. W. Duls, of Germania Lodge No. 4; and Past Chancellor W. J. Woodward, of Jefferson Lodge No. 61. The following Wilmington Knights accompanied them: Past Chancellor E. G. Parmele, of the judiciary committee of the Grand Lodge, and Mr. F. A. Bissinger. Past Chancellor Edward McGerock, grand representative of Athenia Lodge No. 8, of New Bern, came over and left with the party.

Captain W. F. Robertson, of Zeb Vance Division No. 1, K. of P., intended to take the division to Charlotte this afternoon, but so few of the members could get off the trip has been abandoned.

**Memorial Services.**

Upon invitation of Cape Fear, Orion, Wilmington and Hanover lodges, I. O. O. F., of this city, the Rev. W. L. Cuninggim, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. church, conducted services on Sunday night at that church in memoriam of the Odd Fellows who have passed away in this city during the past twelve months. There was a large attendance, including the four lodges which attended in a body. During the year there were four deaths in the order, those who passed away being Past Grands W. H. Strauss, John Maunder and R. S. Townsend, of Cape Fear lodge, and Past Grand C. H. Capps, of Orion lodge. There were no deaths among the members of Wilmington and Hanover lodges.

Mr. Cuninggim took for his text Luke 10-29, "Who is My Neighbor," and his discourse was a tender and very impressive one, peculiarly appropriate to the occasion. Music was furnished by an excellent choir, led by Mr. J. W. Fleet.

**A Host of Syrians.**

Cautain J. S. Hartsell, who brought in the train at 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon on the Atlantic Coast Line, had a large party of Syrians as passengers. There were thirteen men, three women and several children. They came from Se, Syria, to New York and thence to Wilmington. In the party is the Rev. Vadih Farah, a Catholic priest. They state that they have come to this country to try their fortunes and may or may not remain in Wilmington. Some of them are relatives of the Syrians who have been in Wilmington several years. Some of the Wilmington Syrians were at the depot and there was the most affectionate greeting between them and the new arrivals.

## SIX BURGLARIES.

**Mr. T. W. Wood's Safe Cracked and Robbed in Daylight on Sunday—Five Other Places of Business Broken Into—No Clue to the Robbers—Believed to be Boys.**

Saturday night and Sunday was a busy time for the burglars.

On Saturday night between 10:30 o'clock and Sunday morning some one enterd the millinery store of Mrs. E. M. Strock in the second story of the brick building on Second street between Market and Dock streets, and robbed the money box of $3 in cash and a note for $60 given to Mrs. Strock by her brother-in-law, Mr. Labon Peterson. Mrs. Strock says she closed the store at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night, leaving the cash and note in a small box which she had placed in a drawer. Before leaving she fastened the windows and doors, but on Sunday morning she found a window open on the Dock street side, and a ladder leaning against the side of the building. The window sash was broken, and it is believed that the burglar reached the window and got in by means of the ladder. The door leading from the store into the hall was found locked but a side door had been forcd open. The cash box, which had been broken open, was found underneath the window and near it 20 cents in change was picked up. The police were notified, but there is no clue to the robber.

Saturday night, some one also entered the barber shop of Churchill Moore on Front street between Market and Dock streets. He went down to the shop Sunday about 9:30 o'clock and found one of the back windows open. He, however, did not miss antyhing. He thinks it was a small boy that committed the deed.

On Saturday night a burglar also paid a visit to the store of Adam Brown, colored, in Front street market. The safe was tampered with but without success. The thief took some change from the money drawer, and a few cigars from the show case: It is believed that the thief was a boy.

On Sunday morning between 11 o'clock and 2 o'clock p. m., the store on Princess street occupied in the rear by Mr. T. W. Wood as an office and in front by Mr. J. W. Plummer, Jr., with a stock of confectionaries, was entered. Mr. Wood and Captain J. W. Plummer were in the store during the morning, but the former left about 11 o'clock to go to church and Captain Plummer about 1 p. m. to go to dinner. About 2 p. m. Mr. Wood went back to the store and found that his safe had been cracked and robbed. He says he is not sure whether he locked the safe door or not but it was found opened without any mark of violence upon it. The drawers inside the safe, however, had been torn out and prized open, a complete wreck having been made of the interior of the safe. Mr. Wood had a small amount of money of his own in the safe and Mr. J. W. Plummer, Jr., had $15 in one of the drawers. The thief stole Mr. Plummer's money and $2 of Mr. Wood's change, but left in the floor a couple of tin boxes containing about $3 in coppers and silver change. A chissel and a bunch of keys were also found in the floor. It is said entrance was effected through one of the back windows. A dusty old table outside, just under the window, bore a very small track, but if it was a boy that got in, it is believed he did so to let in a man, as a boy could not have broken open the iron drawers of the safe. The thief made his exit through the back door and left it open.

It was subsequently discovered that someone had entered the real estate office of Mr. W. M. Cumming next door to Mr. Wood, having gotten in at one of the rear windows. The drawers in the office had been opened and the papers thrown into the floor but nothing was missed. The safe was locked and had not been interfered with. It was found out that the keys left in Mr. Wood's store had been taken from Mr. Cumming's office.

Messrs. C. W. Yates & Co.'s book store was also entered between 12 m. and 5 p. m. on Sunday. The burglar climbed on a shed at the rear of the store, took a glass from the skylight of the shed and by this means got inside of the shed. He then prized open one of the rear windows, breaking an oak bar that held it, and got into the store. Two money drawers were smashed but they contained no money. It is not known whether any goods were stolen or not. This is the third raid on Messrs. Yates & Co., in the past few months.

The police worked on these cases yesterday but at last accounts had not got on trail of the burglar.

Some people are constantly troubled with pimples and boils, especially about the face and neck. The best remedy is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which expels all humors through the proper channels, and so makes the skin become soft, healthy, and fair.

**A Fine Tug.**

The tug Wm. F. McCauley, Captain J. T. Jacobs, of Savannah, Gr., arrived in port yesterday towing the barks Blenheim and Daphney, which came here light to be loaded with naval stores by Messrs. Patterson, Downing & Co. Captain Jacobs is a Wilmington man, and his friends are glad to see him in charge of such a fine vessel as the Wm. F. McCauley. She is comfortably fitted up and well equipped, having electric lights throughout and a powerful searchlight in the pilot house. She sits in the water like a duck, and is a beautiful and swift runner. She came into harbor with all her colors flying and was greeted by the steam whistles as she speeded along. She is coaling at Fowler's coal yard and will leave today at 2 p. m. She is said to be the finest towing vessel in Southern waters.

**The Influence of a Newspaper.**

The Messenger of Sunday has been more highly complimented than any previous issue ever sent out from this office. Well it might be, as it was an interesting and newsy one and contained over 53 columns of reading matter, every line of which was set in its own office. The merchant who thinks he is a business man, that does not patronize the paper to advertise his goods, will realize sooner or later that he has made the mistake of his life.

A friend informs us that recently he was on a Bay Line steamer and a North Carolinian from another section of the state, remarked to him that Wilmington must be on a boom or business increasing. Asked why he thought so, he immediately replied: "I judge so, because you have such a good paper, The Messenger." Thus it goes; help us to improve The Messenger, and The Messenger will improve the business of Wilmington by attracting people to our city.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. B. L. Ford, of Washington, D. C., is in the city.

Mr. D. S. Woolard, of New Bern, was in the city yesterday.

J. B. Schulken, Esq., of Whiteville, is a guest of The Orton.

Dr. Sloan Huggins left yesterday afternoon for Charlotte.

Mr. S. Meares, of Clarkton, was on the streets yesterday.

Mrs. R. H. Jordan, of Charlotte, was a Sunday guest at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. F. M. Haines, of Charlotte, was registered at the Bonitz House yesterday.

Mr. M. P. Pegram, Jr., of Charlotte, is among the traveling men now in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Howell, of Charlotte, spent Sunday at the seaside.

J. W. Grainger, Esq., of Kinston, arrived last evening and is stopping at The Orton.

Mr. C. W. Hanks, of Charlotte, spent Sunday at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville beach.

Miss Columbia Munds went to Wadesboro yesterday on a visit to Miss Margie Lockhart.

The friends of the Rev. and Mrs. B. E. Wallace will be pleased to learn that they have arrived safely at Soddy, Tenn.

Mr. F. P. Turner, of Charlotte, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who spent Sunday in the city, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. H. D. Vernelson, of Charlotte, who has been here visiting her father, Mr. J. G. Darden, returned home last afternoon.

Mr. C. C. Covington left yesterday for a trip to Atlanta. He expects to take in the Nashville exposition before he returns.

Mrs. W. T. Carter, of Winston, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. DuBrutz Cutlar, Jr., at "Arcadia," on Wrightsville sound.

Mr. J. M. Fairly, of Monroe, who spent Sunday here as the guest of his cousin, Mr. H. C. McQueen, returned home yesterday.

Mr. Edward L. Stebbins, representing the Humason & Beckley Manufacturing Company, of New Britain, Conn., is in the city.

Major and Mrs. D. O'Connor left last evening for Georgetown, D. C., to attend the commencement at Georgetown convent, where their daughter, Miss May O'Connor, will graduate.

Mr. Ed. Hines and wife, and Miss Maggie McKinnon returned to their home at Rowland yesterday, after a pleasant sojourn of two weeks at Ocean View as guests of Ocean View hotel.

Mr. D. Quinlivan, who is attending the commencement at Belmont, telegraphed yesterday to Dr. Carroll that his daughter, Miss Cecilia Quinlivan, won the highest honor in English literature.

Mr. Louis J. P. Cutlar has returned from Marion, N. C., where he accompanied Mr. DuBrutz Cutlar a few weeks ago. Mr. Cutlar's friends will learn with pleasure of his improvement and wish him a complete recovery.

Colonel Frank Guildner, the veteran traveling man for Messrs. Sargeant & Co., of New York, is greeting his numerous friends in the city. His venerable traveling companion, Major Fred Seeley, is sorely missed, but his friends will be glad to hear that he is heading this way.

Mr. T. F. Simmons, Sr., of Roanoke, Va., superintendent of the Southern division of the Inter State Telephone and Telegraph Company, is in the city to look after the company's exchange here. Mr. John C. Cranwell, of Durham, who is manager of the Inter State Telephone exchange of that city, arrived last evening.

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers is a popular preparation in one bottle, and colors evenly a brown or black. Any person can easily apply it at home.

**Fine Banners and Colors for Our Veterans**

Mr. P. Heinsberger has on exhibition at his place of business on market street a beautiful banner that has been specially made for Cape Fear Camp No. 254, U. C. V., of this city, to be carried with the camp on its trip to the great confederate reunion at Nashville, Tenn., next week. It has a field of red, white and blue silk, and is fringed and tasselled with gold. It is inscribed as follows: "Cape Fear Camp No. 254, North Carolina Division, U. C. V. Tar Heels. First at Bethel, 1861. Last at Appomattox, 1865."

The words "Tar Heel" are in the centre and between the words is the North Carolina state seal. The banner was designed by Colonel W. J. Woodward, and he and Mr. Heinsberber were the committee appointed to have it made. Mr. Jesse Wilder, of the Fourth North Carolina cavalry, will be the color bearer at Nashville.

Colonel Woodward and Mr. Heinsberger also had made a beautiful state flag for the headquarters of the North Carolina division at Nashville. It will be hoisted over the headquarters of General Wm. L. DeRosset, major general commanding the division. It is inscribed: "May 20, 1775. N. * C. May 20, 1861."

The colors of Cape Fear Camp will be a credit to them, and the camp will no doubt attract much attention at Nashville.

Mr. Heinsberger requests us to state that any Wilmingtonians who desire to go in the special Pullman car with the camp should call on him at once for their tickets at the reduced rates.

**Tutt's Pills Cure All Liver Ills.**

**Twenty Years Proof.**

Tutt's Liver Pills keep the bowels in natural motion and cleanse the system of all impurities An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, constipation and kindred diseases.

**"Can't do without them"**

R. P. Smith, Chilesburg, Va. writes I don't know how I could do without them. I have had Liver disease for over twenty years. Am now entirely cured.

**Tutt's Liver Pills**

**Another Wilmington Boy Who Got There.**

Mr. R. Clinton Bunting, son of our esteemed townsman, Mr. T. O. Bunting, was receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends yesterday. The cause of it all was that he had received information from Morehead City that the State Board of Medical Examiners before whom he was examined last week, had issued him license to practice medicine.

The examination was the most rigid the examiners have held in the past eighteen years, and it is all the more creditable to Dr. Bunting that he had only read medicine for two years. He had taken a course at the North Carolina Medical college, at Davidson college, and recently graduated from that institution.

Dr. Bunting will leave shortly to take a year's course of medicine and surgery in Bellevue Medical college, New York city.

**A Young Hero.**

Master Gus Rieger, Jr., the 11-year-old son of Captain A. W. Rieger, who resides on his plantation across the river in Brunswick county, while walking in the front yard on Saturday last observed lying in the grass near his feet, a large rattle snake which gave the usual warning. With a cool head and steady nerve Gus returned to the house, procured his father's gun and dispatched his snakeship. It measured nearly five feet and had eleven rattles and a button.

**Public Schools.**

Wilmington, N. C., June 14.

Editors Messenger:

Will you kindly bring that "blarsted" typesetting machine to account for "bursting" assunder that communication on Public Schools in your issue of the 13th inst., by an earth-quake shock in Calcutta, and further tell him I intended to say "broad, liberal application of the school law" and not board, liberal, etc. There are one or two other errors which you must attribute to bad writing. Your truly,

CAPE FEAR.

[Note—We would like to inform "Cape Fear" and others like him who think type setting machines are responsible for errors seen in the papers, that it is a mistake. It is impossible for the machine to make an error. The fault is with the operator in touching the wrong letters on the key board, or with the proof reader in not discovering it in reading the proof.]

**A Great Nuisance.**

Wilmington, N. C., June 14.

Editors Messenger:

The nuisance of the bad boy upon our streets is becoming most flagrant. On yesterday morning I saw a citizen disperse a gang of negro boys who were deliberately throwing stones across Front street without regard to the passengers who were constantly crossing their line of fire. Later in the day I saw a commotion at Mr. James Sprunt's residence, caused by a white boy on the street, firing a bullet from an air gun which crashed against one of the window panes. Between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock I saw a negro boy deliberately heave a stone with all his force against Mr. David Worth's front door. Of course there was no policeman in sight on either occasion, but if Mayor Wright would punish such wretches with just severity it might exert a wholesome influence.

MERCHANT.

**Take JOHNSON'S CHILL & FEVER TONIC.**

**Barney Barnato Commits Suicide.**

London, June 14.—Midnight.—A special from Funchal, island of Medeira, off the west coast of Morocco, says that on the arrival there today of the British steamshop Scot, which left Table Bay (Capetown) on June 2nd, for Southampton, it was announced that Barney Barnato, the South African "Diamond King," who was among the passengers, had committed suicide by leaping overboard. His body was recovered.

**Big Fire on Ellis Island**

New York, June 14.—The main building of the reception and clearance of immigrants at Ellis island is on fire. This building contains the valuable records relating to the passage of immigrants into this country through this port. From the main land the flames appear to have complete control of the building. The wall have fallen in and the building will be completely destroyed.

The cruiser Brooklyn arrived at Southampton Monday morning to participate in the naval review on the occasion of the queen's jubilee.

**GAIL BORDEN EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK.**

All Mothers should have "INFANT HEALTH"—Sent FREE. NEW YORK CONDENSED MILK CO. N.Y.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

LOST—STRAYED FROM MY STABLES on the night of June 13th, a Sorrel Mare. $5 reward for her return to the Stables. S. P. COWAN & CO. ju 15

FRESH BUTTER ARRIVING EVERYday 15c per poun.. 12½c by the Bucket. Tomatoes 10c quart, Fresh Chickens and Eggs daily. Low prices nowadays generally on everything. Quick sales and small profits my "motto." R. E. WARD. ju 15

AGENTS WANTED FOR USEFUL Novelty; sells alike to men and women; large profits; sample 10 cts. RAND BROS., Boston, Mass. ju 3 17t eod

FOR SALE CHEAP—ONE FIRST CLASS Yacht in good condition. For particulars apply at this office. ju 13 4t

FOR SALE CHEAP, A FINE SALOON, fully licensed, good location, in Newport News, Va. Barroom 20 feet by 60 feet, with seven rooms over bar, furnished complete, doing nice business. Address Box 398, Newport News, Va. ju 11 1w*

PONY AND BUGGY FOR SALE AT McEachern's Feed Store. ju 6

FOR SALE—THE COTTAGE on Carolina Beach known as the Castle. Six rooms. Cost over $1,000 Will be sold cheap. D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent. ju 9

PARKER CAN PAINT YOUR HOUSE now for about the same as you could have had it whitewashed for a few years ago. Best fireproof lamp oil only 10 cents gallon at 213½ Market street. ju 6

CAPON SPRINGS AND BATHS—ON the Great North Mountain. Alkaline Lithia Springs, 1000 to 1500 guests annually; Elite of North and South. Largest and socially most pleasant company at any mountain resort in this country For rates, circulars, etc., address WM. H. SALE, Capon Springs, W. Va. my 15 26t

IF YOU WISH A ROTARY MACHINE buy the Standard. Lightest running, most noiseless and best Rotary Machine made. The New Home is too well known for comment. Climax $19.00 cash; on lease $25.00. T. W. WOOD, Agent, 123 Princess street. my 15

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS, Stores, Offices and Halls. For Sale—Dwellings, Stores, Vacant Lots; Cash or time payments. Cash advanced on improved city property. Apply to D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent, Wilmington, N. C. se 25 tf

## DIED

SHORT—In the City of Wilmington, on the evening of June 14th, 1897, after a brief illness, Olive Pendleton, infant daughter of H. B. Short and Mary Allan Short.

The funeral services will take place at 5 o'clock this afternoon, at the residence of Judge O. P. Meares, thence to Oakdale Cemetery.

ST. JOHN'S HALL, June 14th, 1897.

**WILMINGTON LODGE NO. 319,**

A. F. & A. M.

REGULAR MONTHLY COMMUNICATION this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Visiting brethren welcome.

THOS. F. BAGLEY,
ju 20 1t Secretary.

**Co-Partnership Noticc.**

Wilmington, N. C., June 12.

We, the undersigned, having this day entered into co-partnership as Contractors and Builders under the firm name of STOUT & TYLER, would respectfully solicit a part of your patronage. Good work guaranteed at prices to suit the times. Office and Workshop No. 17 South Water street. JNO. C. STOUT.
ju 13 1t* THAD. F. TYLER.

**EXCURSION TO WACCAMAW LAKE AND RETURN**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1897.**

BY

**ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Train leaves Front Street Depot at 9:00 o'clock. Adults 50 cents, Children 25 cents. Tickets for sale at C. W. Yates & Co.'s and P. Heinsberger's. ju 15 2t

**THIS WEEK AT THE UNLUCKY CORNER**

**HAMS. HAMS. HAMS.**

SUGAR CURED HAMS.

NO. 1 HAMS. :-: NO. 1 HAMS.

A SPECIAL PRICE THIS WEEK ON NO. 1 SUGAR CURED HAMS.

TELEPHONE 109 FOR SPECIAL PRICES ON FINE LEMONS.

**S. W. SANDERS.**

**KEEP COOL.**

Soda Water and Refreshing Draughts

**FINE CIGARS.**

Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Druggists' Sundries. Prescriptions a Specialty.

**JOS. C. SHEPARD, JR., Druggist,**

121 MARKET STREET, . . . WILMINGTON, N. C.

**NOTICE!**

FAMILIES DESIRING FRESH

**GROCERIES and VEGETABLES**

ON THE BEACH AND SOUND AND CAROLINA BEACH SHOULD GIVE US A CALL. WE HAVE ARRANGED TO FURNISH GOODS AT CITY PRICES AND THEY WILL BE DELIVERED

**At Your Cottage Free.**

WE TAKE ESPECIAL PAINS TO PACK OUR GOODS AND GUARANTEE THEIR SAFE DELIVERY. FAMILIES RESIDING ON OCEAN VIEW BEACH SHOULD BEAR THIS IN MIND. REMEMBER WE DELIVER OUR GOODS FREE AND AT CITY PRICES.

**The John L. Boatwright Co.**

BOTH TELEPHONES NO. 14.

**MRS. W. E. MAYO**

HAS OPENED THE

**OCEAN VIEW HOTEL**

For the season, where she is prepared to serve her guests as formerly.
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**Let Me Tell You**

—'BOUT TWO THINGS.—

**WATERMELONS**

LARGE, RIPE, REASONABLE.

**SPRING CHICKENS**

Not so large as the Watermelons but they have grown as fast as they could and are in good order. Remember on all such things I am in a position to handle them at the smallest possible expense and will make prices accordingly.

**D. C. WHITTED**

**WATER GROUND MEAL**

| | |
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| 600 | Bushels Best Virginia Water Ground Meal. |
| 2000 | Bushels Corn. |
| 800 | Bushels Oats. |
| 700 | Bushels Bran. |
| 2000 | Pounds Snuff, |
| 700 | Boxes Tobacco. |
| 1200 | Kegs Nails. |
| 50 | Tons Hoop Iron |
| 1000 | Bushels Peanuts. |
| 200 | Boxes Crackers. |
| 200 | Bags Hudnots Grits. |

Also Salt, Molasses, Hay, Spirit Casks, Guanos, Drugs, Brooms, Baskets and othe Goods.

**D. L. Gore.**
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**S. P. McNAIR,**

WHOLESALE GROCER AND

**Commission Merchant**

N. Water St., Wilmington, N. C.

**Offers to the Trade:**

FEED OATS, FLOUR, NAILS, SHOT SUGAR, CANDIES, CRACKERS, CONCENTRATED LYE, BUTTER, MOLASSES, VINEGAR, PEANUTS, CORN, FISH, BAKING POWDER, MATCHES, CANNED GOODS, COFFEE, SPICES AND RICE.

**Call and See Me or Write for Prices and Terms**
ju 9 d&w

**Corn and Meal.**

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| 1000 | Bushels Best Meal. |
| 1200 | Bushels Best Corn. |
| 1100 | bushels Feed Oats. |
| 900 | Bales Hay. |
| 950 | Gross Matches. |
| 800 | Dozen Lemons. |

W. B. COOPER,
226 N. Water Street, Wilmington, N. C.

**Snow - White**

FRESH GROUND

**FINE TABLE MEAL**

SUCH AS WE MAKE EVERY DAY IS UNQUESTIONABLY THE BEST ON THE MARKET.

1,500 BUSHELS DAILY CAPACITY.

10,000 BUSHELS WHITE CORN DUE EVERY WEEK.

TRADE ORDERS SOLICITED.

**BONEY & HARPER**
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**SUMMER SCHEDULE.**

Southport and Carolina Beach Line.

Leave for Southport and Carolina Beach at 9:30 a. m. and *3:00 p. m.

Leave for Beach only at 6:00 a. m. and 5:15 p. m.

Leave Southport at 12:30 p. m. and *2:00 p. m.

Leave Beach at 7:00 a. m., 1:15, 3:45 and 6:00 p. m.

Fare on 5:15 Boat to pier and return 15 cents.

*Connects at pier with Yacht Undine.

SUNDAY BOAT—Leaves at 10:00 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Returns at 12:30 and 6:00 p. m.

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**R. W. HICKS,**

WHOLESALE

**GROCER,**

OFFERS TO CASH BUYERS A FULL AND SELECT STOCK OF

**Groceries and Grocers Sundries**

Also Solicits Consignments.

**Prompt Sales Guaranteed.**
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Doubtless the Burglar who broke into my office Sunday had heard of the numerous Sales of Real Estate that I have been making lately, but he had not counted on the fact that I ALWAYS MAKE RETURNS PROMPTLY, and he went away empty handed.

PUT YOUR PROPERTY IN MY HANDS FOR SALE.

**W. M. CUMMING,**

Real Estate and Collecting Agent and Notary Public.
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**-"T. M." BLACKING-**

AT

**PETERSON & RULFS.**

**DO YOU WANT A SUMMER COAT OR VEST?**

Our stock is a paradise for them. Every fabric suited to the purpose is represented. Linen Crash, Wool Crash, Genuine Silk Pongcos, Flannels, Mohairs and Alpacas, Super light Skeleton Serges and a score of materials which we cannot name for want of space.

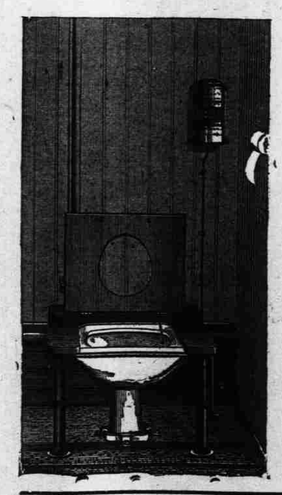
**THIN COATS AND VESTS**

for Doctors, Lawyers, Ministers, Bankers, Merchants, Business Men, everybody. We will continue our cut on Merchant Tailoring for another week. This is a rare opportunity, take advantage of it.

We are continually receiving new shipments of Shirts and can satisfy the most fastidious tastes.

**A. DAVID & CO.**

Merchant Tailors, Clothiers and Gents' Furnishers



**CHLORO-NAPTHOLEUM!**

THIS WONDERFUL DISINFECTANT AND DEODORIZER IS SOLD ONLY BY OURSELVES. READ WHAT OUR SUPERINTENDENT OF HEALTH SAYS ABOUT IT:

"We have been using Chloro-Naptholeum since its introduction here and find it efficient as a Deodorizer and Disinfectant.

Signed, WM. D. McMILLAN,
Superintendent of Health."

ALL MACHINES ARE PUT UP FREE OF COST. THEY ARE NOW ON EXHIBITION IN OUR ESTABLISHMENT, AND WE WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE YOU CALL AND HAVE THEM EXPLAINED TO YOU.

**OWEN F. LOVE & CO**

**$10,000,000 Authorized Capital.**

**THE MECHANICS HOME ASSOCIATION**

SUBSCRIPTION LIST IS NOW OPEN FOR THE

**NEW SERIES OF STOCK**

At the Secretary's office. Weekly payment will commence on Saturday, July 3rd- Get your names entered without delay.

NATHANIEL JACOBI, PRES. W. M. CUMMING, SECRETARY.

**Depositors in the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company**

Will please call at the office of the Company and have interest entered on Pass Book for quarter ending June 1st.

**The - Saving - Bank**

has paid its Depositors in interest within the past year $9,269,20.

Did you get any of that money? If not, why not?

**PAID IN CAPITAL $25,000. SURPLUS $7,500**