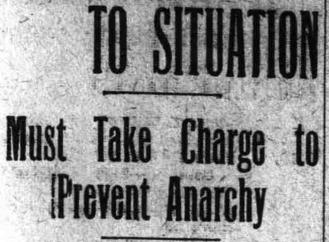


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WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1908.

PRICE FIVE CEN



and Each Has a Strong Following-

WERE THEY STOLEN?

New County Administration Begins Then-Certain Officers to be Eleced, Bonds Given and Contracts Awarded-Organization Meeting of Commissioners Will Be an Important One.

Monday will see the end of the present county administration and the beginning of the new. It will be literally an end of the administration, but only a renewal of services by the present officers, save County Commissioner W.

Many Small Fry Aspire to be the Head F. Alexander, who gives away to Mr. J. P. Montgomery. There is no other If Rebei Leader Assumes the Heim Deeds John Haar, Treasurer H. McL. Green, Coroner C. D. Bell, Constable W. B. Savage and Commissioners D. Port au Prince, Dec. 4 .- Unless Gen- McEachern, W. F. Robertson, H. 2. eral Simon, who holds the key to the Vollers and M. W. Divine being ushersituation, assumes control of the Gov- ed into office once more. . Col. John ernment anarchy seems to be the por- D. Taylor, clerk of the Superior Court, tion of Hayti for many days. Half does not have to start over again this dozen lesser generals are aspiring to time, as he is elected for a four years' at the head of rebel forces, but until head, will be re-elected. The Commis- life by shooting himself in the head, he has had a conference with his ad- sioners will then go into an election of Mr. Maunder shot himself in the tem-Fennell, clerk of the Audit Board, Mr. right eye and did not regain conscious- today is called "Pierrette's Talisman."



In a Spirit of Depression Brought on by Intense Nervous Troubles With Which He Had Been Afflicted for Some Weeks Past, Mr. Maunder Shot Himself at His Residence-Announcement of the Funeral Will be Made Later.

The entire community was shocked president of the World Wide Baraca, and saddened this morning when it who has been extended an invitation was learned that Mr. John Franklin to be present. There will also be the chief place and their respective term. The Commissioners will meet Maunder, a prominent and popular cit- short addresses and recitals by sevfollowers are flocking to their respec- Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock and izen, in a spirit of depression result- eral members of the Baraca and Philative standards, threatening trouble of will then organize. It is, of course, a ing from intense nervous affections thea classes. The musical selections, the gravest kind. General Simon foregone conclusion that Chairman D. with which he had been afflicted for both vocal and instrumental, will be holds the key to the situation, being McEachern, who has made a splendid several months past, had ended his of a most pleasing nature.

visers refuses to make public his certain officers, now being Mr. Owen ple just behind and a little above the

Ed. George, janitor of the court house, ness, passing away within an hour This film is a hand colored French Mr. J. R. Hardy, superintendent of the after he had wounded himself. The production and it will undoubtedly county home, and Standard Keeper G. inexpressibly sad occurance has cast

Of the First Baptist Church Has Planned a Delightful Social Evening for Dec. 15th-Address to be Delivered by Mr. Marshall H. Hudson, President of the World Wide Baraca.

THE BARACA CLASS

It will, no doubt, be of interest to hose who have the welfare of the Baraca and Philathea classes of the First Baptist Church at heart to know that the Baraca class, at its regular monthly business meeting, which was held last night, has decided to give an entertainment in the parlors of the First Baptist Church, on the evening of December 15th, complimentary to the Philathea class. Extensive preparations are being made to make this, the first of the entertainments to be held this winter, quite an elaborate and pleasant affair. The principal feature of the evening will be an address by Mr. Marshall H. Hudson,

The feature film at the Bijou theatre

DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company OFFERS TO DEPOSITORS THE FACULTIES OF A SAVINGS BANK WITH TWENTY YEARS OF SUCCESSFUL SERVICE. Capital and Surplus (over) - - \$ 230,000.00 Assets (over) - ----1,500,000.00 (JUST OPPOSITE ORTON HOTEL) Malaga Grapes, **Big Pineapples**,

IS ONE OF CONSERVATIVE GROWTH AND PROGRESS. LOCAT

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OUR HISTORY

Large Cocoanuts, Fine Bananas, Loose Buckwheat, Codfish Waffles, Seeded Raisins, **Cleaned Currants**, Nice Prunes. **CARPENTER GROCERY**



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Bonds 188,044.25 Circulation 550,000.00

Liabilities:

Surplus and Net Profits 298,134,69

OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

Resources:

Big and Novel Robbery Thought to C. Simmons. These officers will be a shadow of gloom over the city today Have Been Unearthed.

Chicago, Dec. 4 .- An extraordinary dent of roads is elected the first of the called at the grief-stricken residence smuggling case has been discovered year and the County Superintendent to extend condolences and offers of Picked Up in Unconscious Condition here, involving a fortune in rare an- of Health next May. There has been assistance. tiquities. It has been discovered, that talk of opposition to Janitor George, Mr. Maunder had been in bad health half a dozen innocent looking boxes but he will be re-elected. The board for some weeks past, his trouble havthat have been stored here for a year at this same meeting will award con- ing been caused by nervousness, which Clyde H. Bradshaw, of Rose Hill, N. contain priceless ecclesiastical robes tracts for supplying the county with resulted in a complete nervous depleand church decorations, believed to provisions and also the contract for tion of his system. It is believed that condition near Navassa late yesterday have been stolen from France. An keeping the prisoners at the convict the thought of his condition depressed afternoon and three tramps are now attempt was being made to ship them camp and which contract is now held him to such an extent that he was im- in the city prison under suspicion back to New York, with the probable by Mr. W. H. Shearin. The call for pelled to end his life. There was no that they know how the young man intention of reshipping them to Eu- bids was issued some weeks ago. rope, when an inspector happened to discover their worth. A rigid investi- meeting will be the acceptance of the curred. Mr. Maunder rose shortly af- and carried to the James Walker Megation is being made.

NO MORE DISPENSARY.

Gov. Haskell issued the Necessary will be as follows:

Sheriff-\$100,000, divided in \$50,000, Proclamation Abolishing It. Guthrie, Oklahoma, Dec. 4.-Gover to cover the collection of State taxes; nor Haskell has issued a proclamation \$45,000, to cover county taxes, and \$5,declaring the hispensity system abol-1990 for the execution of processes. ished by the recent election. The cit-

izens now have no jawful means to to cover road bonds, \$100,000; county purchase liquor for any purpose. The educational fund, \$60,000; general fund, \$50,000. situation will continue until the legis-

lature makes provisions.

FINE CONVENTION.

Inland Waterway Association in Session in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 4.-The Inland Waterway Convention opened here this morning. Many delegates are present from this and neighboring States. River and harbor improvements are being discussed.

GOVERNOR-ELECT DYING.

Cosgrave is Slowly Passing Away in California.

Paso, Rubles, Cal., Dec. 4.-Governor-elect E. G. Cosgrave, of Washing- this organization does a large amount expressibly, sad event were related. being "Mother Goose." The entertainton, is slowly dying here of Bright's of charitable work and does, not rep- Intimate friends of the deceased had ment last evening was in the form of disease. The doctor says he can't resent any particular denomination. known for some time the intense form living pictures and "A" Circulating El live more than two weeks longer.

FOR CHILD MURDER.

Memphis Father Arrested on an Awful Charge.

Memphis, Dec. 4.-William McBoon, a mill operator, has been arrested charged with murdering his two little girls aged 8 and 6 years. The childead.

BUYS LAND IN TEXAS. Col. Bryan Investing Largely in Real Estate.

please everyone who sees it. re-elected, no doubt. The superinten- and hundreds of sympathizing friends

Late Yesterday Afternoon. A young white man believed from letters and papers in his pocket to be C., was picked up in an unconscious one at home with the deceased, except sustained his injury. The injured man Another interesting feature of the Mrs. Maunder, when the sad event oc- was brought to the city late last night bonds of the different county officers ter 7 o'clock this morning and while morial Hospital, where it is believed and which are now being passed on Mrs. Maunder was engaged in house he will recover. After notification of as to their legal status by County At- hold affairs he went into the back the police authorities here, Deputy torney Marsden Bellamy. The bonds yard. It is presumed that Mr. Maun- Sherin and Road Superintendent Herder within a few minutes thereafter bert Hocutt, Police Sergeant E. J. fired the shot which ended his ufe. Grimsley and Dr. P. J. Thomas went

No one heard the report of the to make an investigation and as the pistol shot and discovery of the sad young man was found by the tramps event was made by one of the family it was thought best to arrest them. Treasurer-\$210,000, divided so as servants, who arrived about 7:30 nto It is stated that Bradshaw is subject begin her duties. The woman had oc to epilepsy and he may have been incasion to go to the woodhouse and jured by a fall brought on through an when she stepped inside the building attack. and the main

Auxiliary.

she was horrified to see Mr. Maunder open in the second stretched unconscious on the floor. She immediately went into the house and informed Mrs. Maunder of her

terrible discovery. Neighbors were summoned immediately and Mr. Maunder was carried to his room. Dr. C. D.

The entertainment given at the Bell was the first physician to reach Young Men's Christian Association Strong Sentiment for Giving Proceeds Mr. Maunder's bedside and he saw last evening proved to be one of the immediately that no medical or surmost delightful events of the season Today and tomorrow will be the last gical effort would save the wounded and several hundred people called to, days for the Owls' Fall Festival, from man's life. Mr. Maunder remained unparticipate in the pleasures of the ocwhich the receipts will be donated for conscious until the end came, death casion. The affair was given under some charitable work. Just where ensuing within a half hour after he the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary

and as a preliminary feature special decided, but there is strong sentiment | Countless expressions of sorrow and entertainment was provided for the among the Owls to turn it over to St. regret, were heard on the streets when little folks yesterday afternoon with a James'. Brotherhood, realizing, that the heartrending particulars of the in- number of games, the principal one Members of the Brotherhood have also of his nervous trouble and of the brary." The names of the young la extended much aid to the Owls, it is great suffering the affliction entailed dies and gentlemen who participated in the program were published several

Mr. Maunder was born in New York days ago. Musical selections rendered city February 10th, 1854, and therefore by Miss Lucy McIntosh, Messrs. J. he was in the 55th year of his age. Wesley White, H. G. Foard and others Meeting of the Enthusiasts Called for Early in life he removed to Wilming- added to the pleasure of the entertain-

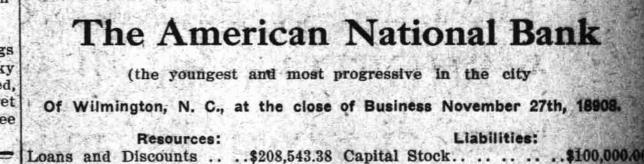
ton and since then he has made his ment.

Portsmouth, Va., formerly of Wilming- us before buying. ton, and the daughters are Mrs. W. L.

A YOUNG MAN At the close of Bsiness November 27, 1898. Loans and Discounts. \$2,571,534.92 Capital \$ 550,000.00 N. C. State and other

> U. S. Bonds (at par).. 550,000.00 U. S. Bond Account.. 100,000.00 Cash 1,228,698.18 \$4,596,237.35 \$4,596,237.35 H. C. McQUEEN, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Vice President. J. W. YATES, Vice President. C. S. GRAINGER, Cashier. Siwasa Fancy Groceries at the Anchovy Paste, Bar-le-duc, Swiss Cheese, Sap-Sago, Crystalized Fruits. S."W. SANDERS. Phones 108-109





Statement of the Condition of the,

Kinney, of Waco, Texas, and Mrs. E. S. sistent endeavors were always de- Overdrafts. 45.53 Profits-net. 2,649.

Ins remainder

Tonight at Y. M. C. A. All men interested in the splendid home here continuously. In his early sport of basket ball are requested to manhood Mr. Maunder was united in Buy your Clothing, Furnishings dren were poisoned. The mother is meet at the Young Men's Christian marriage to Miss Adelaide Orrell, of Goods and Neckwear from J. M. Solky sion and refreshments will be served.

Register-of-Deeds-\$10,000.

Most of the bonds will have individ-

THE CARNIVAL BENEFIT.

to St. James' Brotherhood.

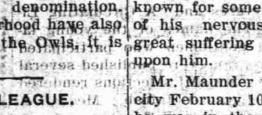
Coroner-\$1,000.

nal sureties.

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Constable-\$2,000.

THE SALE AT A. SHRIER'S.



BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

Association tonight at 9 o'clock for this city, and she survives him, togeth- & Co. and you will not be deceived, the formation of the basket ball er with one son and two daughters. you only pay the right price and get league. It will be an interesting ses- The son is Mr. John Maunder, of the best quality for your money. See

the money will be applied has not been had been found.

