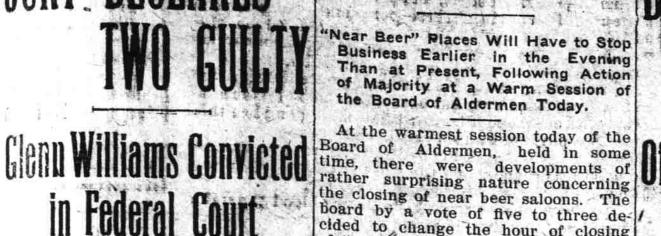


### PRICE FIVE CENTS



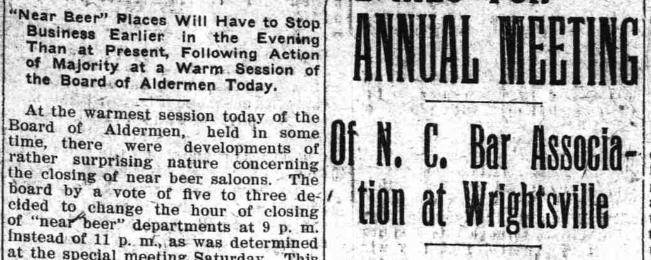
at the special meeting Saturday. This Thomas Craft Also Found Guilty, but action today was precipitated by Al-Mrs. Craft Acquitted-Prison Stares derman Hall. He stated that he did Both Men in the Face and Their not believe that the action taken Sat-Fate to be Decided This Afternoon, urday allowing "near beer" restau-

rants to keep open their places until Greensboro, N. C., June 17.-In the 11 p. m., instead of at sunset was Williams postoffice conspiracy case, legal, as the meeting had been called N. Glenn Williams and Thomas Craft for another specific purpose. When were found guilty today and Mrs. the mayor told Alderman Hall that Eliza Craft not guilty. Judge Boyd the extension of time had been made stated he would hold the case open in the form of an amendment and was until this afternoon. The maximum legal Alderman Hall threw a bomb penalty is two years in the peniten- shell in the camp of the long hour tiary and a fine of \$5,000. The mini- "near beer" champions on the Board mum penalty is a penny and costs. of Aldermen by stating that he then

#### "HE'S NEARING HOME."

then proposed that the hour of closing The Colonel Fast Approaching the for all "near beer" departments be Land of the Free.

made 9 p. m. instead of 11 p. m. As New York, June 17 .- "He's nearing the majority stood with the represen-With the news that the tative from Third Ward today, the home. Kaiserin, bearing Theodore Roosevelt, action was adopted by a vote of 5 to was less than 400 miles off the coast 3. This action will come as a decided this morning New York settled down surprise to the "near beer" dealers today for final preparations for to as well as to those on the board who pany. The Association will meet at morrow's celebration and to wishing favored the closing hour of 11 p. m. for fair weather. It is cloudy and Alderman Hall's cute wisdom in getfoggy, many liners being held up and ling his amendment through today this is giving the reception committee with a majority, following the change or the original hour until 11 p. m. The address of welcome will be received to order by the change bijou Theatre today is called The Bijou Theatre today is called Theatre today is called The Bijou Theatre today is called The Bijou Theatre today is called The Bijou Theatre today is called Theatre today is cal



Dates for the Convention Are June 28th to 30th-There Are a Number of Interesting Features Embraced in the Official Program as Announced. Personnel of Two of the Most Important Committees.

The twelfth annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association will be held June 28th to 30th at the Seashore Hotel on Wrightsville Beach. The official program for the convention has been issued. It contains many facts of interest to the members of the Association as well as to the general public. There will be about 300 delegates representing the legal profession of the State and many members of their families who will come to spend several days at the beach during the convention.

The delegates will arrive in the city Tuesday, June 28th. They will be trains of the Tidewater Power Com-| Allen. 8:30 p. m. Tuesday, June 28th, in the ball-room of the Seashore Hotel and will be called to order by the chair- Bijou Theatre today is called "The The address of

Charge of Selling Whiskey gainst W. E. Pearson Was Continued at Today's Session of the Recorder's Court-Discovered That a Material Witness for the Defendant Could Not Be Secured in Time.

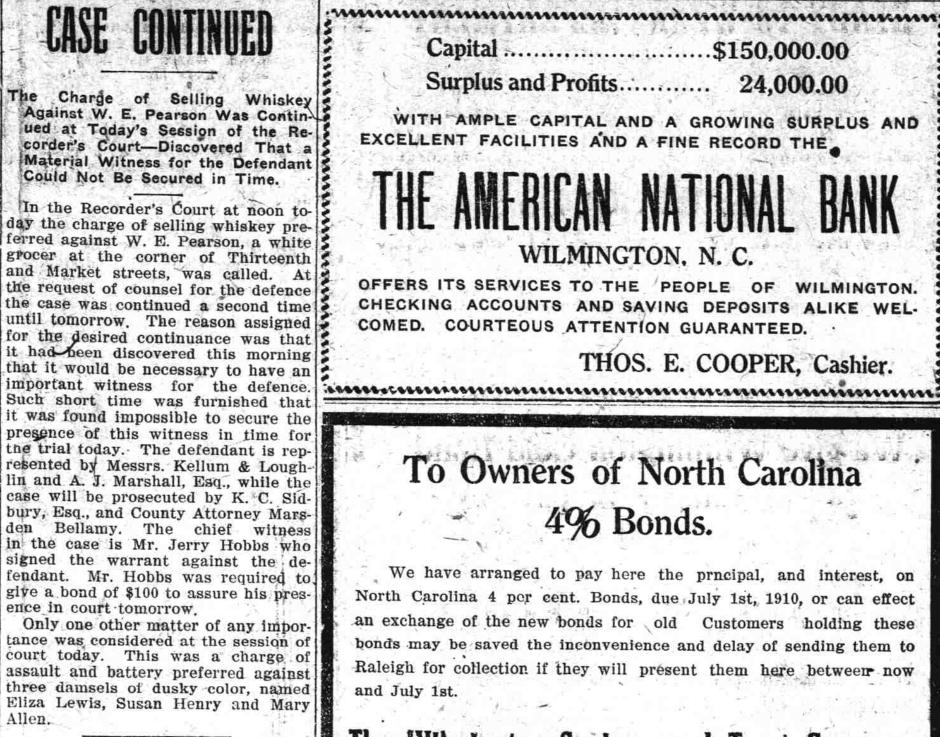
In the Recorder's Court at noon today the charge of selling whiskey pregrocer at the corner of Thirteenth and Market streets, was called. At the request of counsel for the defence the case was continued a second time until tomorrow. The reason assigned for the desired continuance was that

it had been discovered this morning that it would be necessary to have an Such short time was furnished that it was found impossible to secure the

presence of this witness in time for the trial today. The defendant is represented by Messrs. Kellum & Loughlin and A. J. Marshall, Esq., while the case will be prosecuted by K. C. Sidbury, Esq., and County Attorney Marsden Bellamy. The chief witness in the case is Mr. Jerry Hobbs who signed the warrant against the defendant. Mr. Hobbs was required to give a bond of \$100 to assure his presence in court tomorrow.

Only one other matter of any importance was considered at the session of court today. This was a charge of assault and battery preferred against three damsels of dusky color, named met at the union depot with special Eliza Lewis, Susan Henry and Mary

> AT THE BIJOU. The feature film at the popular



# The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company 110 North Front Street.

from all over the country, the crowd when Alderman Hall was not at the being the largest in years, with the meeting, will provoke a smile from delivered by Mr. Herbert McClammy, exception of the Hudson-Fulton cele those who are not specially interested of Wilmington. The response will be delivered by in the question either way. Of course bration.

## WANT DISPUTE SETTLED

Railroads Make An Appeal to the In terstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, June 17.-The railroads operating in the territory south of the Potomac and east of the Mississippi have applied to Chairman Knapp, of the Interstate Commerce Commission Hall. under the Erdman act, to settle the dispute with the men over the question of wages. Knapp and Neill later held and with the vice president of the trainmen on the subject. It is likely the matter will be given to the board of arbitration for settlement.

JUMPED TO DEATH. Another Suicide Victim Today at Pic-

turesque Niagara Falls. Niagara Fails, N. Y., June 17 .- An unidentified man committed suicide today by leaping from Green Island Bridge into the upper rapids. His body was carried over the falls in that the Orr application be reconsidplain sight of a tourist. Shortly be be complaint had been presented had been talking with an officer and showed no indication of anything Wrong.

### GOMPERS SEES PRESIDENT.

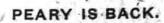
Conferred With Him Today on Labor Matters.

Washington, June 17 .- Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, conferred with President Taft today on labor legislation. The employers' liability act and the Sulzer bills creating the Department issue a state as to the result of the conference.

NOT TO. TALK POLITICS.

to That Effect.

New York, June 17 .- Roosevelt said in a wireless message today that he did not intend to talk politics any more than he could help. He will to close his pool room at 11 p. m., at talk only when silence might be mis- the time the ordinance ordered him to Cook; Eighth District, Stephen McInsummer at Oyster Bay in quiet and There was a tenseness in the situawill accept but few invitations.



Robert E. Peary arrived today from lishment open until 11 p. m. The rehis European tour. He was accom- sponse was at the meeting last Sat-

Mr. Locke Craig, of Asheville. the 9 p. m. closing for "near beer" de-The president's address will be departments does not carry with it the livered by the president, Mr. John W. closing of pool rooms, restaurants, etc., until the regular hours for the Hinsdale, of Raleigh. closing of such forms of business. The meeting was called to order at

noon and there were present Mayor MacRae, and Aldermen Stone, Bonitz, West, Hinton, Ellis, Fales, Yopp and

and there proposed to offer an amend-

ment to the original amendment. He

It was stated that the meeting was called for the purpose of considering restaurant applications. A number of a conference with E. P. Curtis, vice applications were considered and some president of the conductors' union, were refused. Among the licenses granted were William Warner, 10th and Grace streets; Lula Kelly, Loves Alley; Ellen Jones, 422 Nutt street: Alex Wright, 12th and Meadow streets; Willie Cobb, 12 South Second street; J. J. Farrow, 128 Water street, Snowden Harriss, 516 Campbell

street The application of G. C. Orr was not granted. An application from J.

M. McDonald Company was not grantcd, nor was one to L. P. Welch, 15 Market street. Alderman Yopp moved ered. He based it on the ground that against this party. After further discussion, Alderman Yopp withdrew his recommendation.

There was long argument on the application from B. Franco, No. 2 Market street. Alderman Stone entered a strenuous protest. He stated that Patrolman Huggins had said that he practically knew it to be a fact that whiskey had been sold in the place for which licenses was desired. Alderman Stone stated that-the officer had seen a man who had said he could go into the place and get whiskey. Woodus Keelum, Esq., was pres-Compers or the White-House would ent on behalf of the petitioner. He was permitted to address the board. Mr. Kellum made a strenuous plea for got the cold shoulder from the aldermen. The political machine then glided toward the final and most inter-

Roosevelt Sends a Wireless Message esting station on the line traversed by the aldermanic engine. The fun started when Alderman

tion when Alderman Hall arose to his feet. The feeling that something

was going to happen pervaded the situation. Alderman Hall queried as to Arrived in New York Today With when the action had been taken to let

the restaurants selling "near beer" New York, June 17 .- Commander keep the liquor part of their estab-

panied by his family and Captain urday. Alderman Hall then sharply Was Given Last Night by Misses ... Alderman Hall then members

welcome will be the patrons of the theatre.

STRICKEN BY LIGHTNING.

Mrs. J. E. Rich Was the Victim of a Frightful Accident Last Night. While seated on her front porch in

sult of a stroke of lightning. Her sis-

ter, Mrs. Elijah Chadwick, was seated

Mrs. Rich was stricken. Mrs. Rich

was unconscious for several hours.

PROMINENT ATTORNEY,

Evidence in Mutineers Case.

nent attorney of New York city, ar-

rived here last night to make an in-

vestigation into the facts concerning

Henry Scott was hanged. The attor-

ney is in the employ of Mr. H. B.

Warner, of New York city. The in-

vestigation follows an appeal from

Adams and Sawyer, now serving life

sentences in the Federal prison in At-

them in their effort to secure presiden-

letter which the prisoner Adams wrote

had no part in the horrible marine

Joseph S. Buhler, Esq., a promi-

conversation with her sister last night Wednesday, June 29th-Morning Ses-Mrs. J. E. Rich, who resides on Harsion. nett between Sixth and Seventh An address by Mr. N. A. McLean, streets, was severely injured as are-

Evening Session.

of Lumberton

The annual address will be deliverd by Mr. James Byrne, of Naw York in a chair, only a foot distant. Mrs.

Chadwick was not hurt at all. The city. lightning traveled along an electric Thursday Morning, June 30th. Entertainment by Wilmington bar wire at the corner of Fifth and Harand trip down Cape Fear river, boat nett streets, in the form of a large ball of fire, and then across the street leaving at 10 a.m. to a pole almost in front of the resi-

Evening Session.

An address by Mr. W. H. Pace, of dence of Mr. Rich. A moment later Raleigh. The reports of the standing committees will be presented at Tuesday Dr. C. D. Bell was summoned immeevening's session, except the Commitdiately after the peculiar accident and tee on Memorial, which will be prehe rendered attention. Mrs. Rich will recover from her dreadful experience sented at Wednesday morning's ses-

sion. and no ill results are anticipated. The reports of the Executive and Standing Committee will be presented by their respective chairmen as fol: lows: From New York City is Here to Seek

Executive Committee-Mr. E. W Mimberlake, of Wake Forest. Admission to Membership-Mr. Sol Gallert, of Rutherfordton.

Legislation and Law Reform-Mr W. D. Pruden, of Edenton.

the part the negroes Adams and Judiciary-Mr. Clement Manly, of Sawyer, played in the schooner Ber-Winston. wind tragedy five years ago, for which

Legal Education and Admission to Bar-Mr. N. Y. Gulley, of Wake Forest.

Grievances-Mr. H. A. London, ol Pittsboro.

Memorials-Mr. N. A. McLean, of Lumberton.

lanta, that assistance be rendered Legal Ethics-Mr. George Rountree, of Wilmington.

tial pardon. The matter was called Executive Committee-E. W. Timto the attention of Mr. Warner by a berlake, chairman; A. B. Andrews, Jr., secretary; A. M. Scales, W. D. the granting of the license, but he Prulen, E. T. Cansler, T. S. Rollins, to him. The negro stated that he and Sawyer were innocent and that they John W. Hinsdale and Thomas W. Davis.

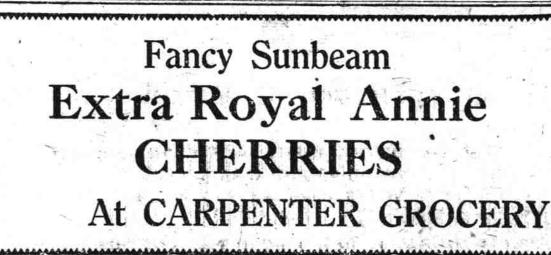
Committee on Admission to Mem-tragedy which occurred off this coast. bership: First District, A. D. McLean; Mr. Buhler will remain here several Second District, F. D. Winston; Third days. He will interview a number of District, M. D. W. Stevenson; Fourth persons concerning the trials here be-Yopp stated that Mr. M. D. Bright District, H. A. Gilliam; Fifth District, fore he returns to New York city to had queried if he would be compelled John D. Bellamy; Sixth District, W. take further possible steps in the C. Monroe; Seventh District, H. L. matter.

construed. He wants to spend the close his "near beer" department tyre, secretary; Ninth District, Jones Fuller; Tenth District, T. J. Jerome: Eleventh District, J. E. Alexander; Twelfth District, E. T. Cansler; Thirteenth District, W. W. Barber; Fourteenth District, Sol Gallert, chairman; Fifteenth District, Charles E. Moore; Sixteenth District, M. W. Bell.

#### JAPANESE SOCIAL

DELEGATES RETURN From the Annual Meeting of the

Pythian Grand Lodge. Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Knights of Pythias, returned to the city on one of the late trains last night. The local delegates report a most delightful time and state that the annual meeting was of most suc-



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May be presented July first to this Bank for payment or for exchange into new bonds. Prepared this Bank will also be to sell new bonds to those wishing to invest.

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