

OUR LOCAL OPTIC.

and Vicinity History in Brief and Otherwise, Run Down and Run in by Omnipresent Ubiquitous, Local "Grand Rounds "

The finest water melons we have seen on this market thus far this season was a cart load on Walnut street to-day raised by dumb. our good friend Mr. Daniel Howell. He has finer ones yet to come, he says.

Mr. C. R. Warters, of Newbern, came up to the city to-day to bring the beautiful champion ship belt of the State Fireman's Association, which has been won right received Cervera with warm. three times successively by the admiration of his bravery, and of- work is work that ought to Atlanuc Reel boys of the "E m City" It is indeed a thing of beauty, and is now on exhibition after leading a forlorn hope, was though he lies idle while others at R. A. Creech's jewelry store. forced to surrender, he tacitly ad- are winning victories, the time will The Atlantic boys sent word that they would be up after it again

Lancaster, daughter of Mr. and mankind. Mrs. W. B. Lancaster, of the Greenleaf neighborhood, this county, but who recently moved to Spartansburg, S. C., arrived Pate place. Miss Lancaster was ter he does a giant's work. 27 years of age and was greatly esteemed by all who knew her, and in her death, which was due giants of this kind in the field, in to fever, the family have the sin- the camp, behind intrenchments, cere sympathy of their many and for the purpose which we have

of the departure of Mr. Jas. F. giants facing death under a hos-Collins, a Goldsboro boy and a former ARGUS typo, for Manila. with Merritt's expedition. O July 7 they had arrived at Hono- that all human beings are capable lulu and were given a great rezens of the now American annex as we read in "The Pacific Coms is a gradeur in our common namercial Advertiser," of that date, published in Honolulu, Evidently 'Jim" struck for the printing offirst thing, as printers always do. The paper contains the following notice: "One of the best soldier printers here with the troops is J. F. Third Artillery, U. S. A. Collins destiny, on the qualities with has been with the most artistic of all high class publications, the Inland Printer, published in Chicago and New York. Collins and was given meritorious mennotes from time to time.'

posite The Argus office, has re- sleeps until it is roughly awakcently been remodeled on the interior and more floor room given it, and it is now one of the most then the country is suddenly conviently arranged in the State. filled with heroes, That inability It has secured Mr. J. J. Meador, to overcome is in you as well as of Madison, as its auctioneer this in the man behind earthworks. season, and being a thorough allround tobacco man, he knows just what tobacco is from the yourself, There is nothing in your lowest to the highest grade, and experience which cannot be met being exclusively associated with with a soldier's courage and used The Farmers' warehouse and alive in the production of a fine charto its success, he will see to it acter. that every pile of tobacco brings its full worth before he knocks it off to the bidder. This is the warehouse with which that we lack the opportunity to Mr. Chas. E. Haskett is associat- make ourselves really great. And ed. He has developed into quite vet there is neither one man nor an aggressive tobacco-man, and to his public spirit and untiring activity more than perhaps to any other man in the city is hero or a heroine withal. Goldsboro indebted for the fact If your lot is cast in poverty, that to-day she has three of the in drudgery, in inharmony which largest sales warehouses in the hampers and discourages, amid State. He never loses an oppor- confining duties that prevent and to give the Goldsboro market a disturb—that is your battlefield, to see that every requirement of that the restraining order herepush. He is associated with Mr. these are your enemies, and you John Carter, who is well known must either conquer or surrender. to the farmers of this section and It will never do to find fault with This makes a most important recever of the is deservedly popular with all.

#### SATURDAY SERMON.

For Sunday Perusal and Every Day Guidance

Be strong and of a good courage -Deuteronomy, xxxi., 6

Nothing is more surprising to the careful observer than the qualities of character which are developed by an emergency, like the present war, for example.

It seems as though our men are so ablaze with enthusiasm that a decade's growth takes place in a Courage, that kind of courage

which consciously and willingly faces death, is so frequently seen that it has become gloriously and almost awfully monotonous.

Each day's history is dotted with deeds of daring like stars in a constellation, and we can scarcely eulogize one man without manifest injustice to others. When all are heroes even praise becomes a week I commenced improving, and per

If we are entirely impartial, we must extend the limits of this criticism until it includes those whom we call our enemies also. Human nature on fire is the same all the world over. When Wainwhich naturally provoked it cour- upon to show his mettle. age is the common property of

cause he defends is by us consider- things, to bear misfortune with a here Friday afternoon and ed worthy or not, if he is moved strong and sturdy soul, and, inwere taken out to the old home- by a sufficiently strong im- stead of doing nothing becau stead for interment in the family pulse he is quickly changed from your life is not to your liking; doburying ground on the Bryant a pigmy into a guant, and thereaf- ing everything with fidel ity, calm-

We have tens of thousands of in view at this moment we are proud Some days ago we made note of the fact that there are also

tile flag. We are proud because we believe of extraordinary development under fostering conditions; that there ture which needs only an inciting cause to show itself.

Mankind does not appreciate itself. God made men noble, and nobility should run through ev ery phase of life. We ought to be-Collins, an enlisted man in the stow more thought on our high which we are endowed for its ac-

We are dormant, sluggish, in has been "make up" on the paper dolent spiritually. Unusual contion amongst the write-up of the ditions produce great men. There force in a recent number. Collins never was a time when the right will furnish the Inland some war men did not step to the front to meet and conquer an exigency. The Farmers' Warehouse, op- The ability is always there, but it ened by some terrible shock, and You are larger than you think

We live in the delusion that life is common and ordinary; one woman in a million who has not an environment to make a

Providence, for perhaps Provi- epoch in Goldsboro's history, "I think De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve as the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. J. H. Hill because he is not where he thinks he ought to be. That soldier's contact the definition of the market the beginning of greater progress than we have yet known.

W. S. OB. Robinson.

Judge Presiding.

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# Chronic Dyspepsia Cured.

from dyspepsia, Mrs. H. E. Dugdale wife of a prominent business man or Warsaw, N. Y., writes: "For 28 years, I was weak stomach. The lightest food produced distress, causing severe pain and the forma-tion of gas. No matter how careful of my diet I suffered agonizing pain after eating I was treated by many physicians and tries Two 'years ago I began taking Dr. Miles' sisting in the treatment I was soon able t eat what I liked, with no evil effect I keep them at hand and a single dose disp

any old symptoms.

are sold by all drugguarantee, first bottle benefits or money re-funded. Book on dis-DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

fered deserved praise to one who, done, that must be done, and mitted that under circumstances come when he also will be called

Nervine

It is the foremost injunction of religion to do well what is dis-No matter in what clime a man agreeable, to bend it to a noble ness and faith.

# WE GO FORWARD.

struction to Begin in Ten Days: It Will Be a Complete System. HANDS TO BE EMPLOYED.

At a special meeting of Board of Aldermen yesterday construction of Goldsboro's sysed by the Board of Aldermen, were opened, read and compared, and the contract was awarded to Guild & Co., of Chattanooga,

There were a number of bids and interest in the award was spirited. Several personal repre- last sleep in Potter's Field. sentatives were present, and among these were Messrs. Guild and McClure, of the successful firm, In addition to winning the Wilmington Star. contract, their bid being nearly ably upon our people as being both competent and reliable, and they bring with them the highest endorsements of their responsi-

The work of construction will begin within the next ten days. sioners, in that the injunction It will start from the river and be was dissolved. brought up to the city on either side, but no earth will be dug up

Mr. McClure, who has thor- wright and James Cowan. oughly gone over the ground, will superintend the construction, and will have need from the start of some 200 hands to dig the

trenches for the sewer pipes. known engineer, whose competent plaintiff and defendants. It is services the city has secured, will now, after due consideration, supervise the entire construction ordered, adjudged and decreed the contract is fully complied tofore issued in this cause be Keep the system in perfect or-

he ought to be. That soldier's of a bow-legged ball pitcher,

### WEARY OF LIFE.

Despondent Over His Failure to Secure Work a Young North Caro'inian Kills Himself.

By Telegraph to The Argus.

Philadelphia, July 23. Tired of a fruitless search for employment and weary of life, young man, supposed to be Luher Sanders, of Beaufort, N. C., committed suicide by inhaling gas at the boarding house of Mrs. Krauss, 241 North Sixth street, yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Krauss says the young man secured board on Wednesday stating that he would take a room for a few days only, as he was entirely out of funds, and worn out looking for work. His non-appearance at supper yesterday afternoon caused Mrs. Krauss to go to her border's room, where a strong odor of gas denoted that everything was not right.

Hurriedly summoning Patrol—

liper cer's Golden Medical Discovery with almost absolute assurance of recovery. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases when taken in time. It soothes and heals the delicate and sensitive tissues of the air-passages and lungs, checks the cough, facilitates expectoration, drives out all impurities and disease germs from the tainted blood and builds new and healthy tissues.

Mr. John G. Born, of 4020 Liberty Ave.. Pittsburgh, Pa., writes: "Some thirty months ago I said to my wife, 'I don't want to keep anything from you, I must tell you I am in the last stage of consumption.' In December 1806 I commenced taken thirteen bottles, and can say with truth I am greatly benefited. People are surprised to hear me speak. I can halloo, and my voice has not been as good in eight years. My stomach was never in better condition. Formerly I could not eat without suffering very much immediately after. but now I can eat autything." stating that he would take a room

Hurriedly summoning Patrolman Clay, of the Fifth and Race streets police station, the two forced an entrance. Stretched at full length upon the floor, entirely Charged to a Newspaper Corress farm labor. nude, lay Sanders, his face livid nd a long rubber tube extending from the gas jet to his mouth. Life was extinct, and an examinamay be reared, or whether the purpose, to be brave in small tion showed that the key holes and cracks had been carefully stuffed Toral's Troops to Sail To-morto preclude any possibility of the gas escaping. The only thing on the dead man's person was a lets ter, dated Beaufort, N. C., March 20, 1896, and telling whoever it might concern that the bearer was Luther Sanders, a young man, who, born and raised in Beaufort, had decided to go out into the world and seek his fortune among strangers. epistle, which was signed by withdrawal, turns out to have been have sailed for Lisbon. Their ul-Mayor Dayis, the Register of evening, the sealed bids for the Deeds and a score of prominent business and professional men of of Gen. Castillo, and it is not for Columbia, tem of sewerage as designed by Beaufort, went on to say that any engineer J. L. Ludlow and adopt-kindness shown to Sanders would be appreciated by the

> The body of the unfortunate young man is at the Morgue, and unless claimed will be laid away a'or gside those who sleep their

# THE SCHEME FAILED.

In obedience to the restraining \$2,000 below all other competi- order recently issued by Judge tors, these gentlemen have im- W. S. O,'B. Robinson against pressed themselves most favor- the new Democratic Board of carries a full complement of pass New Hanover County Commission sengers and food, and is expected favor of Italy. Since that time sioners the case was heard in chambers in the New Hanover Court House yesterday at noon and resulted in a complete victory troops that on the 24th, in accordfor Col. Roger Moore and his ance with terms of surrender, the associate Democratic commis-

The decree is as follows: within the corporate limits until Hanover county: F. W. Foster, Fall, in order to obviate any ma- F. P. Dempsey and Jordan Nixon larial consequences to our citi- vs. Roger Moore, W. F. Alexander, John Barry, John L. Boat- ships in West Indian waters will

This cause coming on for hear ing at Chambers in Wilmington. in obedience to a restraining order issued in this cause and returnable on this the 19th day of Gen. Shafter directing a thors July 1898 and being heard upon ough cleaning of the city. Mr. J. L. Ludlow, the well-affidavits presented by both dissolved and that defendants der by the occasional use of states that two Americans were

Women will never love each

ls a wise one, he thinks of one timing equal;
y as important as the young man's morals,
social and business standing and intelligence. A young man who suffers from illhealth has no right to marry until his health
is restored. To do so is to commit a crime
against the human race. While all diseases
may not be directly inherited, the constitutional tendency to acquire them is inhetional tendency to acquire them is inherited. If a man is a consumptive, the chances are that his children will have weak, undersized lungs, and a predisposition to acquire the same disease. The young man who suffers from bronchitis, weak lungs, spitting of blood or any disease of the air-passages which, if neglected leads up to consumption, may take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery with

# GARCIA'S LETTER A FORGERY

pondent.

not eat without suffering very much in after, but now I can eat anything."

Santiago An Open Port.

row-Mi'es Asks Garcia For Fifty Guides.

Santiago, July 23.-The letter alleged to have been written by by General Garcia to General Shafter complaining of the treatment accorded the Cuban army and advising Shafter of Garcia's written by a newspaper corresprobable that Garcia has even seen the letter.

ed this morning in New York with the Western Hemisphere. While the sailing of the steamer Phila- under Spain it was a most imdelphia, of the Ward Line, for this portant stronghold.

It is stated that the departure was attended with great demonstrations on the part of shipping to reach this port Monday.

Gen. Toral has notified his first division of his army will leave for Spain on transports of the Spanish Atlantic Line, which has State of North Carolina, New secured the contract from the American government. The company has notified Toral that their be sent at once to Santiago, but it is not thought that any of the ships The expedition consisted of the can reach here by to-morrow,

Orders have been issued by provisions have yet reached this port, and there is great scarcity

iousness, constipation and kin- bers escaped, dred diseases, an absolute cure **CUTT'S Liver PILLS** 

of food, with prices very high. The Red Cross society are doing much good among the suffering.

In accordance with instructions rom Washington only minimum ariff will be charged, and this it s believed will so stimulate commerce that food will soon be plentiful in Santiago and cheaps er than was ever known.

Gen. Miles, prior to his des parture for Porto Rico, sent i messenger to Ger. Garcia asking for fifty Cubans as guides on his campaign, but Garcia had retired in consequence of his displeasure with Gen Shafter. The messenger went to hunt Garcia, and thus far no report has been heard from him. By Cable to The Argus.

Santiago, July 21.—(Delayed in transit)-The greater part of Garcia's army leaves at daybreak o-morrow.

Gen. Garcia has issued a de eree autherizing all Cubans to re urn to their abandoned farms and plantations and resume work, assuring them of protection by his army. He also adds permission to those in his ranks who were recruited from farm lands to return to such lands and resume their

This action on the part of Gar. cia gives strength to the impression that he means to soon disband the Cuban forces.

Washington, July 22 .- Two hundred officers, 5,100 men and 150 cars of freight left Chicamauga this morning for Newport

Gibraltar, July 22 .- It is now assured that Camara's fleet is coming to Ceuta.

By Cable to The Argus.

Rome, July 22 .- The Italian warships Premonte and Dongali timate destination is unknown. pondent connected with the staff but it is believed they are bound

It is stated that Admiral Candiani has been authorized to bom-The authorities here have just bard and occupy Cartagena, been advised that the actual open- which is one of the most imporing of commerce with Santiago as tant cities of Columbia. South an open American port was start- America, and one of the oldest in

The claim of Italy against Columbia grew out of damages sustained by Italian citizens in the revolution of 1886. The claim for indemnity was referred to and commercial circles. The ship President Grover Cleveland in 1895, who rendered a decision in Italy has been trying to collect the indemnity.

> By Cable to The Argus, Hong Kong, July 21 .- The second Philippine expedition from San Francisco has arrived at Manila. It is composed of 3,500 troops under Gen. Green.

On the way from Honolulu the

troops were landed at Wake, a Spanish possession, midway between Hawaii and the Philippines, and the American flag was raised. armed transports China, Seclander and Colon Senator. There were five deaths on the voyage. The health of the troops is excellent. This arrival brings up Dewey's re- service, under the personal cominforcements to 6,000.

Ney York, July 23 .- A dispatch from the City of Mexico A Vigorous Body. prominent banker of this city. were wrecked the rob-

> Lots of old soldiers get halfhot every pension day,



Fifty Years Ago. This is the way it was bound to look When grandfather had his "picter took."
These were the shadows cast before The coming of Conjurer Daguerre And his art; like a girl in a pinafore Some day to bloom to a goddess fair. Men certainly were not as black, we know As they pictured them, 50 years ago.

~~~~~ Ayer's Sarsaparilla

began to make new men, just as the new pictures of men began to be made. Thousands of people fronted the camera with skins made clean from blotch and blemish, because they had purified the blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is as powerful now as then. Its record proves it. Others imitate the remedy; they can't imitate the record:

# 50 Years of Cures.

OUR INVINCIBLE ELEET.

It A'so Seems Invulnerab'e: They Si'ence the Forts of Nipe and Sink a Spanish Gun

By Telegraph to The Argus.

Key West, July 23,-The Topeka arrived here this morning bringing account of the attack upon Nipe on the 21st. The report is that the Topeka, Wasp, News, from where they will go to Annapalis and Leyden were sent out by Sampson to enter the harbor of Nipe and perpare a landing for troops.

On steaming into the harbor Spanish officers is said to be authey found the place guarded by thority for the statement. three forts and a Spanish gunboat, The Americans immediately opened fire, and met with response from the enemy. After sharp eagagement the gunboat was destroyed and the forts silenced.

The forts faught brayely, but their gunnery was characteristis cally Spanish, and none of our

# SAW MANY CORPSES AT SEA

Chester, July 23.-The Oi Field, a tank steamer, dropped England, on July 9, making the Bay of Biscay, trip in twelve days and three hours, the usual time being fourteen days. Captain Shawyer, of the Oil Field, says that on last Sunday, while sixty miles off Sable Island, numerous objects were discovered floating on the waves, and when coming nearer they were found to be dead bodies of men and women. It is supill-fated steamship La Bourgogne, which was sunk in collision. and heads were reverently bared as the ship passed through the field of the dead.

San Francisco, July 23.-The transport Rio Janeiro sailed this morning for Manila with 1st South Dakota volunteers and number of men for the signal mand of Gen. Otis.

New York, July 23 .- Lt. Hob- and is beyond the reach of the average son returned to the city this blood medicine. Swift's Specific attacked at Vera Cruz by two morning from Washington, to C.C C For Riond Tutt's Liver Pills. They reg- robbers. Reed, of Nashua, N. H., consult with wrecking compaulate the bowels and produce was killed; and Chas Teving, a nies in regard to raising the prominent banker of this city. wrecked Spanish yessels at San-

> Every single thing on earth has its use and it is probably just as well that we don't know about some things.

CERVERA TO STAY WITH US.

Reported that the Spanish Admiral Will Make His Home In Boston After the

War.

By Telegraph to The Argus.

Annapolis, Md., July 23 .- A well-defined rumor, which cannot, however, he traced to an authoritative source, was on everybody's lips here to-day to the effect that Admiral Cervera had expressed a determination not to return to his native country at the close of hostilities between the United States and Spain. It is said that the Admiral has decided to take up his residence in Boston, whither he will repair with his son, Lieutenant Cervera, who is also a prisoner here, as soon as peace is declared.

The Spanish officers who arrived on the Harvard were escort. ed through the city by members of the first contingent of prisoners and seem well satisfied with their quarters.

Capt. Eulate adheres to his original objections and refuses to ign the parole agreement. He is gloomy and morose, associating little, if any, with his brother officers. A bit of gossip went the rounds which, if true, may account for the gloom which envelopes the commander of the pride of the Spanish navy. It is said that Eulate shot and killed about forty of the men on the Vazcava on the day of the battle because they refused to stand by their guns. A Spanish seaman who is serving as valet to one of the

# prevent distress, aid digestion, cure constipation. or cause pain. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE SPANISH LANDING.

Where Santiago's Spanish Troops Are to be Landed on Their Home Soil.

By Telegraph to The Argus.

Washington, July 23.-The following was posted to-day at the War Department: "Santiago: -Just in receipt of letter from anchor at the Bear Creek Oil Toral saying that the Spanish Works, Marcus Hook, this even- Secretary of War desires troops ing, having broken the record landed at Vigo Coruna on the from England. She left Shields, Atlantic, also at Samander, in

# SHAFTER." Scrofula to Consumption.

Any one predisposed to Scrofula can taint in the blood naturally drifts into Consumption. Being such a deep-seated only known cure for Scrofula, because posed these bodies were from the it is the only remedy which can reach the disease.

# 3.3.3. The DIUUU

is the only remedy equal to such deep-seated diseases; it goes down to the very foundation and forces out every