## LETTER FROM OXFORD.

Oxeenb, N. C., Aug. 10-h, 1878. Eptrons News: - This being my first attempt at newspaper correspondence, I feel my utter incompetency to please a critical public but I feel a deep sympathy for my emale friends who are sometimes forced to travel without an escort as I was not long since, which compels me to write this. I desire to mention some facts in connection with some of our Railroads. I think I will commence in the middle of my journey, and state first, my only grievance. ing in Weldon two hours behind the schedule time, we were taken aboard the Ruleigh train by the gentlemanly, and exgardingly polite an I attentive, Conductor of the Petersburg Read, Capt. Emmet Scott. Without a moment to spare, in erewded coach with two young ladies and two small children, and of course many little satchels and baskets, jt was just im possible for me to purchase tickets. Much to my surprise, I was required by the Conductor, to pay extra fare for the entire party and the distance being short, it amounted to at least half a fare extra. The amount, it is true was small, but was there justice in it! I would most respectfully suggest to all Railroad authorities the propriety of so far amending such rules, as under some circumstances, to leave this matter to the discretion of the Conductor, and should be not possess that virtue, why, discharge him and employ one who has. To Mr. J. E. Clarke and to Capt Scott of the Petersburg Road, and to Capt. Ward of the Raleigh road, my little party are under many obligations, for unusual attentions great kindness in our traveling troubles, and I teel it is a duty I owe-my sex to recommend them to the care of these gentle nanly officers, with the assurance that they will want for nothing in their power to bestow. Respectfully.

A LADY TRAYELER. FROM ASHEVILLE.

ASHEVILL'S, N. C., Aug. 3 d, 1878. MESSRS EDITORS; - We still make Ashe ville our place of headquarters, and from its convenient situation, the other places of interest can be visite t most easily, having within a day's jaurney some of the most picturesque scenes and places of Western North Carolina. Here we are with moun toins on every side, and what it is, a position for those who are seeking health and its attendant, happiness, for we have noth ing at all to disturb the peace and quiet of the town among the Hills. The voice of the locomotive has not been heard in the land yet, and I must conless, Mr. Editor, that it causes a feeling of lanelinuss to take possession of me at the absence of such acquaintances with whom I have been

so lotinfately associated. It was my fortune a few days ago to witness a sunrise from a mountain which is very near to us. The name of the monntain is Beau-Catcher, and how it come by such a cognames I am un sale to tell, but I hink it very expressive, and I have no doubt but that it means a great deal to one part of par greation. It it had been Indian n its origin, I would have searched up all he old legends of that historic race, and told you some be catiful story of adventure and love, but unhappily I am entirely disarmed and all of us can very well see that he meaning is implied in the term. But am afraid that I am leaving my first subject, which is a sunrise as viewed from Mount Boau Catcher. In order to witness this beautiful sight we were obliged to rise very early in the morning, an I after a very pleasant ride of a mile and a hulf, we sun as it was coming over some distant roving around with no one to love and no modition, peak. Asheville was entirely hilden from where to go. resched the summit just in time to see the our sight by a thick mist and fog and it seemed as if we were above the clouds, for the appearances above are the same that the ocean and, indeed, the resemblance was very striking. There were the waves driven belove the wind, and as they would reach the mountain-sides, they would dash against the rocks and chiffs and scatter their apray in every direction, and all that was needed to make it a counterpart of the ocean itself were the neis and roar that always attend the movements of its everrestless waves. While we are absorbed in the beauty of the scene and the sublimity of this noiseless mountain -- ea, the sun his climbed up its way behind us to all its ciouldiess spiendor, and and spire and hili and mountain have caught the heavenly

light, and every point beams with a glory

its brilliancy. Then I wished for the tal-

lying snug and still, guarded by its sur-

roundings so strong and seemingly impreg-

tain for a drive along the banks of beauti

indelibly stamped upon the tablets of our

memories. In about a week I will bid

you with it in a short time. Yours truly. TRAVELER.

August Meeting of the Board of Commissioners for the FallTerm Superior Court Mr. Cochran to go to Congress, to wit:

PIRST WEEK.

1 Archie Holt. Africa Wills. Henry Johnson 21 3 Wiley Wills. Benton Brantly, 22 Kanch Gaskins. Ambrose Green, 23 seriously, J T Cole. Bradtord Avent. Sam Smith. 24 J E Anderson, 25 7 R C Rogers. 8 W B Stamper. Jordan Lawrence, 28 10 R E Moregock. 11 8 B Hunton. 19 J E Rue Je. 13 Berry Draughn. 14 Virgit DeBerry. Robert Thornton, 32 15 J B Boseman B C Donn. 33

17 Hanly Jones. SECOND WEEK. Howell Pritchett. R C Whitehead. 3 Henry Pair. Sandy Fenner. Isaac Johnston. Edward Wille. 7 John Briggs.

19 Daniel Conigland.

Robert Savage, 10 B F Crowell, 12 Ned. Hockaday, 13

The Editor of this paper is in no way responsi character will be published; the real name of the writer must secompany all communications. Any one who may feel argrieved at statements made by correspondents can obtain the mane on application to the Editor. Correspondents will please write only on one side of the paper, and to ayoid faving their communications thrown in the waste basket, will turnish their names—not necessarily for publication—but as a guaranty of good faith. We will not notice anonymous correspondence.

OUR AGENTS.-The following gentlemen will act as agents for the ROANOKE News:

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LOCAL.

SEND your Job Work to J. W. Sledge. In playing archery young women don't

for little smacks.

THE hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that spanks the world.

THE bright black eye, the melting blue;

I cannot choose between the two.

eigh to Old Point passed through here on valid excuse.

WE have upon our table an open cotton hell, from the farm of our worthy friend

Mr. R. H. Cochran. killed by the early morning train on Tues- resisted.

SHE was plump and beautiful, and he but woman like, she strove to catch him. He was a flea.

fasten up one elge of the square with a tiny bow of ribbon.

friend to the friendless, a father to the swhile Confederate Secretary of War. fatheriess and a widow to the widow-

babies are subject to.

one finds underceath I can only describe then he heaved a sigh and said, "I'm get- old friend Ellis Levy as agent. Also to met another small party, and for the space this sea of fox to you by associating it with ting to be a real darness find." And he the card of Mr. W. T. Davis of "Southern of ten minutes, we engaged in the innocent

> bilitated until life becomes a burden. The thought never occurs that worms are the cause. Shriner's Indian Vermitage will give the relief you so much need,

you laugh at it, he will invariably keep ing presses, offers as a presslum to the boy the day, but the narrow escape from doing it twenty or thirty times more, till not over fourteen years of age who can drowning, of a gentleman by the name of you have to knock him down with some show the best printing, executed by him- Hughes, who was carried out by the such,

that is almost blinding in the intensity of renewed atal since their guns were received. gats of some great painter of Nature, that I and it is by no means certain that it will might transfer upon canvas a scene ir ught with so much that was interesting, grand, be the worst drille I company at the next and sublime. By this time the mist has Fair, been soattered and Asheville can be seen

subscriber finds a line in his paper that he nable. But we have to leave at last and as does not like and cannot agree with, if he will bring his paper to the office and point we slowly go down the side of the mounout the offending line' the editor will take ful Swannanos, we often look back at d his scissors and cut it out for him." think of the impressions that have been

A very pretty young lady sent to our office the other day to borrow a newspaper adieu to the City among the Hills in order | containing something pretty and interest to spend a short time in Henderson county ling. We thought one time of wrapping before returning to Weldon, and if I see ourselves up in a paper and toddling off to have quite an army, and with the certainly obliged, for many little attentions anything of interest or note, I will acquaint to see her.

List of Jurors drawn at the Special and jutey as they could possibly be. Our devil sweers that he intouds to vote for

R II Daniel. 20 Both engines were badly damaged and

W Reid, 26 has become the standard of comparison ably. A White, 97 the world over. They maintain that peculiar clearness and richness of com-B F Cullum, 30 plexion by the occasional use (as required)

Oscar Anthony, 11 will be work in the 3rd Degree,

the views or statements of Correspond-No communications of an anonymous 28th of October and continues five days, ter will be published; the real name of The Tar river part of it comes brilliantly Tar. Southerner.

> Tuens is a decided letting down in the confidence of the Radical papers with regard to the pending elections. They began with "We shall;" soon dropped to "We expect," and are now humbly piping. 'We ought to be able to."

It is folly to pretend that one evesion. Such wounds always leave a scar. There are taces I can never look upon tuture generations will rise up and bless without emotion; there are names I can never hear spoken, without almost start ing.-D. F.

A girl in Kentucky struck her crequet partner on the head with a mallet, brain fever set in, and the young man nearly died. The girl was kept under arrest until his recovery, and when he got well, she married him, and now he's corry he

NOTES OF THE WEATHER FOR THE

750 Lowest " Mean 840 Prevailing Wind Southerly. Amount of Rainfall 6 79 inches,

who complained of the officers of the Neck. It was a stag party, and the absence millitary company, for not atending the drills of the same, we will say that Mr. Batchelor was appointed Drill The woman who doesn't torget to date Master at the organization, and but few her letters should be cherished above drills have taken place, without the presence of, at least, one of the officers, and vegetables was prepared by direction of a out the little end of the horn, or if per-A nice little excursion party from Ral. when absent, it has alway been with a conneisseur, Mr. Nat Mason and was

Warrang place scandal seems to on. The excur-ion from Richmond to Beaufort particularly with --- who was helped in Richmond and Petersburg passed here were accused of eating half peck of fish Monday and Major Sully took us in the baggage cars waved his hand in the direcs very well that day. Another fich lry is tion of the groceries and said "Come with promised at the same place, when we hope A drunken negro was run over and to reluse, but duty bade us and we it.

was wildly fond of her; she hated him, State ticket. There was no opposition, prince of excursionists Mr. T. J. Jacratt. It and the Legislature will be almost entirely | was our good luck to be among the number democratic. It will elect a United States and we can truthfully say, we never spent a A pretty finish for the bottom of an Senstor to succeed Mr. Spencer. The more pleasant day. The train left Petersover frees, is to cut it in squares, and names mentioned most prominently in connection with the senutorship are those of on board, reaching Norfolk about 10:30. Hon, George S. Houston, the present Gov-KENTCCKY ORATOR .- "I wish to be a senor, and Hon. L. Pope Walker, for

Tue District Conference of the Murtreesboro District, M. E. church, Rev. B. GIVE your neighbor a helping hand by F. Woodward Presiding Elder is prorecommenting him to keep Dr. Bull's gressing at Rehabeth church near Jackson Biby Syrup in his family for all the ills in Northampton county. We learn the attendance is very large. A large number

Female College," located in Petersburg. amusement of bumping each other greatly Young and all are afficted and de- Mr. Davis has a reputation second to none to the detriment of the laties head fixings in the South as an instructor of young and our special pets, several pice little ladies, and has an experience of many cores, but as it la our philosophy to hugh

MR J. F. W. Dorman of Baltimore, barefacted, Nothing of an unpleasant WHEN a boy does something funny, and | manufacturer of tubber stamps and prints | nature occurred to mir the enjoyment of sell, a number 2 self-inking press. Sald and was almost expressed before he was press and samples of printing offered by discovered, when a boot was moment by contestants, to be on exhibition at the next three noble men, and with great risk to Pair of the Roanoke and far River Agri- themselves he was rescued just as cultural Society. Come in boys and take sank for the third time. He was

thousands, of visitors that always attend shorn us, though we did feel a sort of our Fairs, it will be a gala time in Wel- grim satisfaction, that he was a married

THE beauty of the ladies of Baltimore short time we were together most agree-

can," and then promptly withdrew the and used in thousands of families in the Eastern and Middle States, and daily be As interesting Call Communication of his former muster. He determined to Ronnoke Lodge of Masons was held in the reform the civil service, and then promptly Literary Hall on Thursday night. A regular communication will take place the last Thursday night in September, when a full a tendance is desired, as there will be work in the 3rd Degree.

Event now and then some shap writes to a newspaper for a receipt to prevent hair from coming out. If man would go nome from the lodge before midnight, with their legs sober, their hair wouldn't stime to do any crookedness in the course of the day we were born.

Literary Hall on Thursday night. A provided all the titled thieves with offices.

He sonounced "no removals except for cause," and then laid low and bounced the swork, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest attengest the follow its individual times to do its work, makes the attongest attengest and hindrance to the forms of the dolls will not mature in time to in the dolls will not mature in time to include the strongest machine made, is ready at all times to do its work, makes the attongest attengest and miss tally percentage and mean time to include the proper times and dinest stitch yet tronted. And Faculty action, now the dollar work, makes the attongest attengest and miss tally yet ourse a large yield of cotion.

The free curse and hindrance to the forms the dig course at your door, now that a proper to the faculty in times to do its work, makes the attongest and times to do its work, makes the attongest and times to do its work, makes the attongest Literary Hall on Thursday night. A provided all the titled thieves with offices. woman who sews for a living. 18 Richard Brinkly. Neptuce Anthony. 36 regular communication will take place fie appounced "no removals except fer

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government. We may now expect a great Turs week has been prolific of Pic Nics We had invitations to four, which were, no doubt of the most erjoyable character if we are allowed to judge from those having them in charge. We sincirely return thanks to our considerate triends for invitations to Domand Green, Hicks-Ford, Ringwood and a place near Littleton, and regret that a pre-arranged absence prevented our attendance, otherwise it would have efforded us much pleasure to have enjoyed the whole lot. We believe fun is like trouble, it never comes singly, and hope it may last one more week, that we may have yet a chance. A great press of matter prevented our mentioning last week a delightful day spent at the plantation of Mr. W. H. Gray in Occoneechee of the ladies was the only drawback( !) to our enjoyment. Certainly it was a good from the table. The dinner, consisting of fish, barbacue, lamb, Brunswick stew and prenounced by all to be excellent, Tae Brunswick stew was the favorite dish but we don't believe, it as we were not

At the recent election in Alabama 80.- burg to Old Point and the Capes on Tues- the year round. How then can it be ex-000 votes were polled for the democratic day the 13 h under the management of that pected to keep men who have families to Accomac, which took us to Old Point in perhaps one and a half hours, when most of the party remained sight-seeing bathing high, causing many cases of seasickness, cripple made a violent and unprovoked while the efforts of parties to change their stock on the other party with bricks and ties as well as blessings and that it is a for her home in Virginia, yesterday, and terrain d by the neighbors, whose doors, positions on the boat, were amusing and the state of the neighbors, whose doors, to of the most ludicrous character. Our attempt to conduct a party of ladie Such is a plan, unvariated history of the lost was attended with much too cases that caused the scathing religion.

SANDY LONG. issue of your paper. In conclusion, let me assure you that the office of town commissioner is no sibecure, and as a prominent county official will the other day in Halilax of his own, no Bonanza elther. It is the best place I have ever known for a man to be well abused in and if you young gentlemen think you can run the tiwn better than it is being run, I will be glad, and I have no doubt my associates will heartily concur, to turn over into your hands the rather than cry, we erjoyed the row exreins of government. But in se doing, I ceelingly, even row we smile, though would fail in my duty, not to remind you that in the performance of your sacred trust, you will find it a vastly more difficult matter to manage, so as to please every serenade, the actuous duties of which responsible positions, I know each of you a be respectively well as quainted. Should lowever this fortunate arrangement b iffected, there could be no good grounds for newspaper attacks on our town governssoon restored to conscionsness and no doubt, went home grateful to the brave NEAR WELDON. yield of the present crops. Cotton is generally very small for the

AN HISTORICAL FACE-Every agent THERE was a collision on Wednesday the Petersburg Post, and Mr. Taylor of the Richmond State, one of our favorite for three years, owns his dwelling house, and Semone. 19 Railroad, just as you enter Manchester. Both engines were badly damaged and one of the fireman was burt but not seriously.

True heavy of the ladies of Baltimore

Echanges. Maj Glass and ourselvis were debt, and has money at interest—the several pleasant summers in the Virginia agency for superjor goods at the lowest prices. A good first-class Sowing Mamountains. We recalled many pleasant prices. A good first-class Sowing Mamountains. We recalled many pleasant prices. A good first-class Sowing Mamountains. We recalled many pleasant prices. A good first-class Sowing Mamountains. We recalled many pleasant prices. A good first-class sowing the money at interest—the debt, and has a good account in bank, is clear of the debt, and h size and does the same work at any ma-There is no machine at any price better, or that will do finer or more work, and certainly none so low in price by many HATES shed tears over the "poor Afri- dollars. The Homestrad is widely known its cost several times over in one season, doing the work of the family, or will earn four or five dollars a day for any man or woman who sews for a living. It is the

man and will pray that he will never be a

[Communicated;]

When public curiosity was at its highest would probably be brought out by the into our office with a formidable looking the Supreme Court it, it is said a venerable document in his han t and wanted to know and distinguished gentleman of Releigh most suitable for the posicions, eplie f in a very emphatic manner- Why d-m t sir, commissioners, actually had the energy to place on that toket three Editors by all get mad and write a letter in reply to means." Now Messrs, Editors, if that wise some of our recent strictures on the town man's advice had been taken, and it had been possible for that convention to have taken another step in the right direction work, for "Whom the gods wish to de- and passed an ordinance making none but wholly recovers from a disappointed pas- stray they first make mad," and then we Elitors and newspaper men edgible to will be beloved of our to ansmen and municipal offices, what a good thing it would have been for our country, and what a magnificent and glorious government would in a short time have been established in our good old state. Shades o Cicero and the Cassars, and ye learned sages of Rome's t English history, Chatham, Fox, Mansfield and Blackstone! I tremble to think o what great danger your cherished tame vas exposed. Had such a contingency oc curred, new systems of justsprudence in all likelihood would have been inaugurated and new policies of municipal government introduced, that would lieve thrown at your time-honored theories in the shade and convinced the read as of ancient an modern history, how Little you knew about things for which, the civilized world has many centuries. Such reflections as these passed through my mind the other dy peared in the tocal column of the last issue under the head of "Our Town Government." Now my dear sirs, I hope I have too much discretion (which is said to be the better part of valor) to allow myself to be drawn into a newspaper discussion with the party who runs the machine, for in that event the odds would be too great against me long time before there was any draw back | and I optine, that however long the control versy might be kept up, at last (as is generally the case with those who attempt such rash things.) I would be apt to come chance victory perched bo my bannereven then, my friends might say the "game wasn't worth the candle." But permit me it you please, my young triends to cal your attention to a few plain facts which posaibly in your ardent zeal to serve the public may have been overlooked. There are only two regular policemen in this town. They have no salary and draw no per diem. They are compensated for their services only in the p-try fees which accrue to them us." It was like tearing out heart strings to be able to cat more and say less about in cases that are tried in the Mayor's court, and only in those wherein the accused are convicted. These less amount to a small sum in the agregate, and do not (I suppose) support on dury all the time, day and night for such patry pay. Besides, if they the power of abiquity and cannot be at every place at the same time, and it is State of North Carolina. hardly just, it an officer is on duty at one street and a disturbance occurs on another present where the offence is committed. As for the two cases that excited such holy horror in your indignant minds, they were duly investigated gud disposed of accordoccurred on Surday was tried early Montay morning and the guilty party punished to the came of \$8.85. The evidence

> ment, and no accesity to hear again Brom "Oge uv um. WELDON, N. C., Aug. 15tb, '78.

GROYR PLACE NEAR WELDON, N. C., August 12 h, 1878.

Mussus, Entrons ;-- Deeming it of ims. eral prospects of the crops in my immediate section of the county, I give you the

ortance to your rewlets to know the gentrouble of these lew lines for the purpose of informing you what I think about the

season of the year, smaller than I have known it to be for some years, except on highly im roved land where the cotton has had a plenty of work, it is as good as it usually is for this season of the vest, widower, at least, while we are on the Some of the farmers say that the crops are only good on certain characters of land v z., light gandy land highly manured with a plenty of stable manute, or compost, and I agree with them. I think this has been a very nefavorable year for the cultivation of cotton but more than favtraple for corn, especially the young corn the old suffered some from drought but it is looking a great 'deal better now under the more 'tavorable conditions of the ask a settlement at the same, weather, and I am satisfied that a full crop will be made. The pea crop is a sorry one, caused by a cool spring ate planting. The cotton crop will fall below last year's crop in the yield I think about twenty-five per cent. certainly not buying elsowhere.

WHITE & STAINBACK. less than that.

A great many of the farmers think ditstently and disagree with me concerning the yield; I know the cotton has grawn very rapidly since the warm weather set in but it was so late before we had any good weather. Should we have an early fall

I think that I can further state without

any exaggeration whatever, that a well worked cotton patch or corn field, that was first well manured and properly prevain since the surrender, trying to make phies, Arithmetics and all kind of Isbor, and it has always resulted to my disadvantage. It takes twelve (12) meaths work to make a crop to this section of the countyand without it the crops will be wanting farmers should commence work on the

April. Some one might ask the question

what can we do that e-rly in the new

year, I will answer by saying, split rails

and repair your fences, drain all of your

dry diches, clean up hedge-rows and ditch-banks and make compost to put Coffee, prime itto, under your cotton that you expect to Coffee, Laurina, plant for the ensuing year which will an. Sugar Bright Brown, plant for the ensuing year which will an-swer in the place of commercial fertilizers, Extra C. Coffee Sugar, Standard "A." Sugar golden age! Hallowed and honored names and at the end of the year your obligations will be much smaller and more easily settled up, and leave you better prepared to defrey your expenses the next year. L'iter before closing my short communication, I wish to have something to say in regards to the pic-nic given at the Roanoke and Tar River Fair Grounds on Monday the 5th day of this month by the colored cit zens of Weldon and vicinity. Weldon is a place of guiety and amuses ment as well as of to I and labor. n cs are in vogue, one has just passed off and given you credit and praise for lo ! these I hope we will have another in a short time. The dinner was excelent; and atter dinner was over and night fall set in, dancing after reading the pungent article that ap- | s-ts and courting sets made their way to the second story of Agricultural Hall, where they were entertained by the melody of Pomple Long's fiddle until a late hour in

> passed eff quietly and levely and each gentleman accompanied his partner home to so carly breakfast. Now that the great political struggle is over, it makes one feel lenely that took an active part in helping to promote the interests of the good people of Halifax consty and State of North Carolina. On the corner of every street and at every cross roads and all other places of notoriety in he county, you would had a large assemdage of citizens contending for that which they thought was right and denouncing that they considered to be wrong.

the night and I am glad to say as a specta-

tor on the entire occasion that every thing

But it seemed that the political course of Halifax county was a fixed fact, despite the most energetic efforts to carry it otherwise, however, there is one thing worthy of mentioning in the recent election. There was a spirit of unanimity in existence that I never witnessed in any preceding election in this county; the white man and the black man recognized at last their mutual dependence upon each other and seem to have staken hands at last and have determined that they will stay and stand together and unite their most energetic efforts for the up-building are on duty, unfortunately, they possess not of their own fortunes and for the strength

and prosperity of Halifax county and The darkness of ignorance and error are disappearing before the powerful rays of intelligence and truth. The cause o civilyation is onward and the great human family is marching forward to one general, universal and plorious destiny relained by the Creator from the founds tion of the world. And now my colored triends what part are we playing in the great drama of human action and human activity? Are we as a race proving ourin the case between the "giant negro and selves worthy of our citiz nship and of the cripple imbecile," proved that the the age in which we live? We must remember, that liberty b ings responsibilithe assailant, the case was dismard, best and most persevering endeavors to

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carreis of figure and 25,000 pounds of bacon, which they will sell at Battymore prices, barrels of four and 25,000 pounds of bacon, which they will sell at Battimore prices, without any charge for freight.

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Stainback's "Bottom Store," We cannot per month. For further particulars,

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at the end of the year. That being true we Great Decline in Sugar Coffee and Meat. first day of January instead of Murch and

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Bulk c. R. Sides, per 100 lbs; 7 c per lbs.
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July 13 tf.

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Bay windows are safe harbers at night

The woman with her hand tied up is an index of the preserving season.

A bad marriage is like an electric machine; it makes you dance, but you can't

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Tue last of Weldon's lady visitors left of vi iters from a distance are being ento-night will witness several young gents we learn, are thrown open for their accom-Wit call attention to the advertisement danger to some of the passengers who water And he gaz if on her picture a moment of Mr. H. Whitlock announcing the opens stretched on the floor and our passage was and then at a fated bunch of violets, and ing of a branch is use at E-field with our by no means expeditions, for instance we

WE have just received a letter from an mea who saved him from a watery gr ve. officer in the Edgecombe Guards, saying The party reached Petersburg about 10:39 that fire company had voted to attend r M and all expressed themselves pleased our Fair and compete for the bandsome with the day's enjoyment and feeling under flag offered by the Society. From present obligations to the manager, for his untiring indications we are to have a magnificent efforts to please every body. For Mr. military display, several other companies Jarratt has such a clever way of doing having already decided to come. As the things that each one felt that he was the contest is open to all the States, we expect | recipient of his special attention. We are,

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