

ica . robbed vesterday of about \$900 targe to sag men. --- The trial trip of thranw Japanese battleship Yasheima. bu it in England shows that she is the testest aff hat and one of the greatest Lumber Co.'s yard at Eugle River, Wis. destroyed by firs; loss \$150.000 As Headersonville, N., C., Mrs. Ban F. Houd abor her husband twice, would ing him dangerously and then shot and a ligh hermeil the cause of the tragedy a southown ---- The Navy Dipartment has the ministered for the improvement this cases to the dock at Port Rive 5 mit dick is large except. in the addition of any of the batt eshipshe limitly reached because of the still w hinner .---- Senator McLinzinsea a first- as in suffering from nerwice principlics at his home in Bentitlav or ----- Martual law to all intents is fig offers a maid to have been deund sittle New York and Cleveland of a Company's townships. in failey T Johason is opposed to in mining of the G A. R. in Richmonthing a 1899 ---- Scriking coal morre in circus made a demonstration 1 first but some of the leaders were in and ind usled. --- The aniformity to name among operators infine Pitta-Sile I write has collapsed. ---- A revs in a maria Franklin county, Va. amendanoom lo dem a vd clubt N n Walcasier, arrested for crimith unsult in a little girl, in threatened \* 1 ruining at Biaffion, Ohio. --in formations of the Peedeylvania " in this conference and determined the more in the Pittsburg district without to started and operated, without Fire persons com-" of socide in New York city yester-1 1 Str.4 og miners have bren enint immaking demonstrations on orty of the New York and the list Casi Co., in the Pitte higher or but the wives and daugh-"I ... 'to scikers will take up the movenet ... begen their marches to-day. narkets Money on call a lined iffered at 1% per cent. It is in middling for flour lower, \* 1 1 1 1 ughts \$4.40 to 4.60; wheatt writter No. 2 red 94%c affoat;

"s sont camer No. 3 33% at elevaint inty attact, rosin quiet, strained in n n to good \$1.50 to 1.53; spirits all all the set of the

14 aventor of the lucifer match a still doing business at the

V 31 Louis man, who had tried """"". wars to cure himself of the CHED by habit, finally tried suicide to a sufficient of

inschampion egg manipulator of The country is a gentleman in Sansas, who shipped over " "" ast year, and didn't crow 407 is er ic, either.

A prodologist figures out that by 7 711 1 300 there will by ao more

The Republicans have talked much of a "vigorous American policy." Secretary Sperman has been doing some "vigorous" talking lately for fighting machines ever built -Gerry the newspapers, but judging from the way the Republican leaders commanton it, they don't enjoy even John's vigorous talking.

> Weyler has lately expelled several newspaper correspondents from Cuba. Now if he would follow this up by expelling Games, Garcia, and some more of those fellows, he might again proclaim Coba pacified, and quit building wire tences around Havana.

Our tin plate factories need more protection. One last week shipped 500 boxes to Italy. As the proteclionists say our manufactures are shipped at a loss, these 500 boxes wouldn't have been shipped if this in shop didn't have a hard time.

They are making some Kloudike strikes in California. Some discoveries have been recently reported near Reddidg, where the dirt is said to yield \$40 to the pan and where men have taken out from \$18,000 to to \$43,000 in a day.

Dr. Gatling, the inventor of the Gatling gun and several other man killers, is still pegging away at the age of 80, and hopes to invent other contrivances that will get away with men faster than any of the guns he has yet invented.

However it may fare with the who tote their stuff across the moungold parsuers.

A Boston millionaire is quoted as

sisting on their rights, they are putaverage woman having to sit for hours on a stretch listening to others talk, without having her say.

A young Kentucky electrician claims to have invented a process by which six messages can be sent simultaneously over the same wire. This goes the previous inventions

Some of the gold papers are giving us some more instalments of that " I birds except the English spar- old rot about the intrinsic value of What will the girls do for silver decreasing. Does the intrinsic to Miss Upchurch, of Raleigh, and Miss "athers to put in their hats then ? | value of wheat decrease when the Gracie Phelas, of Charlotte. At the

765.57 receipts for July, \$1.534 77 disbursements for July, \$5.663.79 balance to August account, \$1,635.63. The following resolution was unanimously adopted, to wit : "Resolved. That the tax collector be

instructed to collect the liceost taxes more closely and that he be further instructed to submit a list of the delinquents to this Board monthly; and that the tax collector be furnished a copy of this resolution, and he is hereby notified that he will be held to a strict accountability for the failure to collect all of said

taxes where they are not sought to be collected as provided in the General Tax Ordinance. Bills were audited and approved as follows: For current expenses, \$3 537 88 interest \$30.00 The Board adjourned, subject to the

call of the chair man. NEGRO TRAMP ARRESTED.

Bupposed to by Implicated in the Murder of Flagman Blackwell.

A negro tramp who is thought to be implicated in the killing of Fiagman Jas. Blackwell, on the A. C. L. near Dann, N.C. was arrested yesterday morning

ville Sunday alternoon.

Receipts of

BY RIVER AND RAIL

in Fayettev.lie. Sanday, a white tramp. one of the five tramps put off the A C. L fast mail No. 85 the traib upon which Mr. Blackweil was fliging, at Kenly, was arrested but proved a clear alibi. The white tramp, however, stated that among the five put off the train was the negro now in custody and another negro, and that both of the negroes jumped on the

Kloadike adventurers, the packers tains at 25 cents a pound are making their juck without goaging the ground. They are just gouging the

saying that it is a sin for a man to own \$100,000,000. We agree with him. If we had that much we would never feel easy until we had got rid of some of it. We'd buy a house and lot and take an excursion somewhere.

In Kansas, where women are inting them on jarles. Think of the

two better.

thews, Mamie McDonald, Annie Hart, Tessie Evans, Lillian McDonald, Jadia Watson, Arabella Delamar, Mollie Griffia, Ed Davis, David Jennings, Will Woodward, Franklin Evans, Grover Gieno, Oscar Stewart, Wilbourne Davis, Robt, Carraway, Winston Divis, Eagene Lewellen, Julius Thompson, Walker Freeman, Arthur Hart, Ino, Watson, Tom Delamar, Sam Stuart (known as "Peck's Bid Boy"), and Chauncey Delamar, Superintendent Deens, wife, son and daughter, Mrs. R. B. Larkins, and Mrs. Moore, the matron, also ac-

compassied the party. To-day the Oid Fellows will run an excursion to Carolina Beach for the banefit of the Orphan Home, and their noble efforts in sustaining this worthy institution should be appreciated, and in consequence the steamer Wilmington Cieveland Should be crowded on every trip.

Death of a Good Man. Mr. Thomas LiFayette Alexander, lather of Mr. Frank D. Alexander, who married Miss Fairie Brown, of Wilmington, died at his home in Charlotte last Friday in his 65.h year. The Observer pays a spleadid tribute to his memory. laying special stress on his industry, perseverance and determination, coupled with the high principles of honesty and truth which he had inherited. He had been a partner in some of the largest mercantile houses in Charlotte, and by thrift and good judgment had accumutrain again, the negro in custody having lated a comfortable fortune. As illusa pistol. The negro states that he was trative of his generous nature the Ob in Wilson during the killing, but the auserver says: "The writer knew of an inthorities who arrested him thick that be stance where sorrow and trouble came is the same one the blood housds trackupon a family. Others sent flowers and ed to the Caps Fear river near Fayettesympathy, he filled the pantry and kept it filled, no one knowing whence the help came, save two-and one of these by accident. His life was full of and possibly a third, from scoring. kind deeds to others, and great will be his reward by Him who Himself went about doing good."

## A. C. L. NEW ROUTE.

Burveyors at Work-Eleven Miles of th Line from Elrod to Hub Located. Eleven miles of the new Atlantic Coast Line route from Eirod to Hub have been permanently located, and the

Grading on the new link connecting the Wilmington and Newbern road with the Wilmington and Weldon line will be commenced as soon as the remainder of the rights of way have been secured. only a few of which are still to be

Superintendent Jao, F. Divine, En gineer of Roadway E. B. Pleasants, and General Manager J. R. Kenly returned from Wilson yesterday, where they went to locate a street which the town authorities wish to run through the railroad freight yard.

New Hosp tal and Heating Apparatus for

Sound on Monday night was greatly enjoyed by a party of young ladies and gentlemen. It was given complimentary

BASE BALL. The National Lingue-Besult of Yesterday's Games and Other Interesting Peatures, YESTERDAY'S GAMES. Washington, 9. Boston, 7.

Baltimore, 12. Brooklyn, 8.

Brooklyn at Baltimore,

Baltimore ..... 63

. . . . . . . . . . .

though the Bridegrooms were only able

to make three hits cff Brother Joe the

The Giants played their part well yes-

terday by timely hitting, while the

Paillies played their's poorly by giving

abundant bases on balls. Seymon

pitched great ball in every inning ex-

cept the ninth, when five runs were

made by the opposing team.

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Louisville .....

Philadelphia.....

Brooklyn .....

Washington .....

St. Louis

Boston.

entire game.

Washington at Boston.

New York, 10 Philadelphia, 8.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO DAY.

Philadelphia at New York.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

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Mr. C. M. Strong and wife, and Miss Sue Ganning, of Obio, accompany them. - Mr. W. H. Sprunt returned yesterday from Northfield, Mass., where he

has been attending the Moody conference. Rev. A. D. McClure and Mr. Oscar Pearsall, who also have been attending the conference, will return in a day or Per] Won. Lost. Cent. two.

.677 - Miss Charlotte Osborne, a .673 daughter of Mr. E. A. Osborne, who is .649 well remembered as the special corres-.608 pondent of the Louisville Courier Jour. .582 .480 nal during the Southern Baptist Con-.457 vention, is a guest at Col. F. W. Foster's .438 cottage on Wrightsville Beach. She is .482 returning from attending the Baptist .404 .404 Sunday School Chautauqua at Red 265 Springs. For an all-round team Baltimore

## ought to capture the pennant. Yesterday the Orioles won from Brooklyn on RALEIGH NEWS BUDGET account of scient fic base running, al-

SENATOR BUTLER RETURNS FROM HIS WESTERN CAMPAIGN.

A Kansas Pop Papar Nomita'es Him f Vice Frisident in 1900-Jadge Avery in the City-Mesting of Directors o'the Institute for the Blind-Alliance Piscis.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, August 17.

never be Bryan and Butler.

Kerr Craige.

The Beancaters, with their usual luck, Senator Butler arrived in the city this came near winning the game from Washington in the ninth inning, but a wonis speaking at present by "special invitaderful stop by O'Brien kept two men. tion." The Octawa (Ks) Times, a Populist paper, nominates Senator Butler as a

"LITTLE JACK HORNER." A Pleasing Comedy to Be Presented To-

night at the Op ra House by James Mackis and Company. At the Opera House to night theatregoers will have the pleasure of seeing

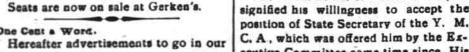
Mr. Jas. B. Mackie, the well known and popular comedian, and a perfect support, present the musical comedy ' Little Jack Horner," derived from one of the

famous "Mother Goose" stories. The Norfolk Virginian of yesterday Savs:

turned home without accomplishing "Last evening the first performance anything. The State chemical departof the season of 1897 98 held the boards at Van Wyck's Academy of Music. and ment some time ago decided not to the event was signalized by a very good make analysis of parts, of the human body where foul play is suspected. Dr. house-a remarkable good house considering the distaste people have for Kimborough took Boyer's stomach back theatres during the hot weather. Those with him. who went to see James B. Mackie and his clever company in "Little Jack Horner" last evening, however, had no cause for regret. The play made a tentiary convicts.

favorable impression. It was undeuiably clever throughout, and the players and audience were soon in full sympathy with each other, and from then on the sparkle was not wanting. The audience was very willing to be pleased and it was pleased. It laughed itself red in the face at the bright things, smiled at the pretty souprettes, and was day week. thoroughly well entertained. "Mr. Mackie's show is the best of its kind and he will doubtless have a suc-

cessful season. The Norfolk folks will The Y. M. C. A. remember his company pleasantly." Seats are now on sale at Gerken's.



brightest of crop prospects. - Maj. T. H. McKoy and family have gone to Masonboro Sound to spend the remainder of the Summer.

> portunity to secure Bargains. No samples given. No goods sent on approval.

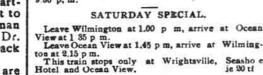


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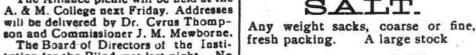
You can't afford to miss such an op-

run as follows: DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. Ex-Judge Avery is in the city for the purpose of consulting with Governor Leave Wilmington at 6.30 a. m., 10.10 a. m. 30 p m., 5.00 p. m., 7.15 p. m. Leave Ocean Viewat 7.30 a. m., 11.30 a. m., '3.45 5, m., 6 00 p. m., 10.00 p. m. Russall about the course to be pursued in the special hearing, before Referee

Dr. Kimborough, of Mocksville, who SUNDAY TRAINS. brought the stomach of Boyer, the Leave Wilmington at 10.10 a. m., 2.30 p. m. and 7.30 p. m. Leave Ocean View at 11.30 a. m., 6.00 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. Davie county man, here for analysis, re-

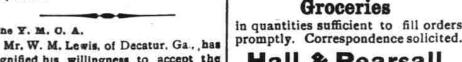


The walks in the Capitol square are being excavated and will be paved with brick. The work is being done by peni-Liverpool and American The Alliance picnic will be held at the SALT.

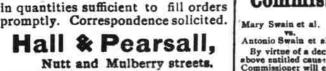


tution for the Blind met last night. No Bagging and Ties, business was transacted, as Jim Young and his following broke the quorum which we offer at lowest market Jim says action will be taken Wednes-

prices.



au 10 D&W tf



good bread. Fish, Fresh N. C. Fruits, Glue, Potted Ham, Cooked Ham. Car load choice Timothy Hay. Ink to suit all. Jellies in Glass and in Wood. R. W. HICKS, Wholesale Grocer au 14 D&W tf Hoop Iron. Three car loads Hoop Iron, 1,000 Spirit Casks, 50 barrels Glue; also Jute Bagging, Cotton Ties, Meat, Molasses, Tobacco, Drugs, Oats, Corn, Meal, Cigars, Cigarettes, Cheroots, Snuff of almost all makes, and many other goods. D. L. GORE, au 15 tf 120, 122 and 124 North Water St. OPERA HOUSE. OPENING OF THE SEASON. Wednesday Evening, Aug. 18, 1897. The Biggest Hi Ever ! JAS. B. MACKIE 'Grimesey, Me Boy'') in the Mother Goose Comedy Little Jack Horner. Supported by Louise Sanford, Chas E. Grazewin, 3 Dunbar aisters. Trocadero Comedy Four and a Chorus of Pretty Girls. SEATS ON SALE AT GERKEN'S COMMENCING TUES-DAY MORNING. Eu 15 St MONEY SAVED. CASH BUYERS OF Corn, Oats, Wheat Bran, Cracked Corn, Cow Feed, &c., should not fail to get our prices before placing their orders. Boney & Harper. au 15 tf Commissioner's Sale.

Steel Ranges.

J.W. Murchison,

Orton Building, Wilmington, N. C.

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"Clover Hill Batter."

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100 Boxes Full Cream Cheese.

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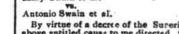
kinds.

Flour all grades, including Pills.

bury's Best, which is the Flour for

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By virtue of a decree of the Surerior Court in the above satilled cause to me directed, the undersigned Commissioner will expose for sale to the b ghest bid-der for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 7th day of Sentember at 19 of the form of the

## grading will begin shortly.

granted.

the A. & M. Oollege.

Mr. H. E. Boaitz left last night for Raleigh, where he goes to exhibit before the building committee of the trustees of the A. & M. College, plans and specifications of the hospital building to be added to the college plant. His drawings show a handsome two story brick building with granite trimmings and surmounted by a tower over the main

Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday. Wilmington & Weldon R. R.-8 casks spirits turpentine. 16 bbls tar, 8 bbls crude turpestine Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R .- 26 casks spirits turpentine. 48 bbis roses, 38 bbis tar. Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R .-bale cotton, 94 casks spirits turpentine.

6 bbis rosis, 84 bbls tar. Steamer A. P. Hart-37 casks spirits turpentine, 156 bbls rosin, 70 bbls tar, 16 bbls crude turpentine. Raft-800 bbls :cs n.

Total receipts--Cotton, 1 bale; spirits turpentine, 80 casks; rosin, 510 bbls: tar, 148 bbls: crude turpentine \$4 bble.

----Colored Excursionists.

A colored excursion arrived in the city yesterday morning from Florence at eleven o'clock. It brought between 850 and 400 passengers, of whom a good

many were white. The Florence base ball team, colored, and one of the colored teams of Wilmington played ball in the alternoon, resulting in favor of the

## Wilmingtons by a score of 7 to 5. The excursion left at 10 o'clock last night.

Wagoneits Party. A wagonette party to Wrightsville

The marriage laws of Wisconsin are constructed on the accommoda- tion plan so that anyone who wants in can get married and marry any	doesn't like his grandma a bit on ac- count of that one part something else.	We use this method to inform the public that our Photographs do not fade as claimed by our competitors. We guarantee them to be as permanent as any made, the quality being the same and the likeness better, as our experience is not limited. The cabinet photographs	& Balley, also leit for Raleigh last night to make a bid for the contract, putting in beating apparatus. From Chadbourn to Obselotte, Charlotte News: "Mr. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, is here to day looking for a residence. He will move to Charlotte to live and expects to bring his family	sertion ; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 30 cent This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to adver- sers who can calculte the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance If there is anything you want, ad-	NEW ADVERTISEMENTS Odd Fellows' Excursion TO CAROLINA BEACH,	DISSOLUTION OF COPARINERSNIP. THE FIRM OF KOONCE & CANADY HAV- ing this day been dissolved by mutual coasent, this is to notify our patrons that the business heretofore con- ducted by us will hereafter be conducted by Mr. D. F. Koonce. All persons indebted to said firm will make immediate payment to Mr. Koonce, and all to whom the said firm is indebted will present their bills to him for payment. VOONON & CLUTPY	BY A LARGE NATURAL PREMIUM LIFE
	D. O'CONNOR-For rest. W. B. COOPER-New mullets.			vertise for it. Is there anything you			D In-urance Company, a GENERAL AGENT FOR WILMINGTON and vicinity. Must be a local man and able to give boud. Also Manager wanted for the State of North Carolina. Liberal contract to mitable. party. Address 309 Broadway, New York, au 18 Iw

One Cent a Word.