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### BASEBALL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

| Carolina Association. |     |      |      |
|-----------------------|-----|------|------|
| Clubs                 | Won | Lost | P.C. |
| Anderson              | 51  | 32   | .614 |
| Charlotte             | 49  | 34   | .590 |
| Winston-Salem         | 47  | 40   | .540 |
| Greensboro            | 38  | 46   | .452 |
| Spartanburg           | 38  | 46   | .452 |
| Greenville            | 30  | 55   | .353 |

  

| National League. |     |      |      |
|------------------|-----|------|------|
| Clubs            | Won | Lost | P.C. |
| New York         | 71  | 24   | .747 |
| Chicago          | 61  | 34   | .642 |
| Pittsburg        | 55  | 38   | .591 |
| Philadelphia     | 46  | 45   | .505 |
| Cincinnati       | 45  | 53   | .459 |
| St. Louis        | 43  | 56   | .434 |
| Brooklyn         | 35  | 63   | .357 |
| Boston           | 26  | 69   | .274 |

  

| American League. |     |      |      |
|------------------|-----|------|------|
| Clubs            | Won | Lost | P.C. |
| Boston           | 62  | 32   | .683 |
| Washington       | 63  | 38   | .624 |
| Philadelphia     | 58  | 41   | .586 |
| Chicago          | 50  | 48   | .510 |
| Detroit          | 50  | 52   | .490 |
| Cleveland        | 45  | 55   | .450 |
| New York         | 32  | 63   | .337 |
| St. Louis        | 30  | 67   | .309 |

  

| Virginia League. |     |      |      |
|------------------|-----|------|------|
| Clubs            | Won | Lost | P.C. |
| Petersburg       | 58  | 39   | .598 |
| Richmond         | 56  | 40   | .583 |
| Roanoke          | 54  | 42   | .564 |
| Portsmouth       | 51  | 43   | .543 |
| Norfolk          | 51  | 46   | .526 |
| Newport News     | 36  | 58   | .383 |

  

| Southern League. |     |      |      |
|------------------|-----|------|------|
| Clubs            | Won | Lost | P.C. |
| Birmingham       | 64  | 38   | .627 |
| Mobile           | 51  | 36   | .586 |
| Memphis          | 49  | 47   | .510 |
| Chattanooga      | 49  | 47   | .510 |
| New Orleans      | 48  | 49   | .495 |
| Nashville        | 45  | 51   | .469 |
| Montgomery       | 43  | 54   | .443 |
| Atlanta          | 40  | 55   | .427 |

  

| South Atlantic League. |     |      |      |
|------------------------|-----|------|------|
| Clubs                  | Won | Lost | P.C. |
| Savannah               | 21  | 11   | .656 |
| Jacksonville           | 20  | 13   | .606 |
| Columbus               | 19  | 14   | .576 |
| Macon                  | 17  | 17   | .500 |
| Albany                 | 13  | 21   | .382 |
| Columbia               | 10  | 24   | .294 |

BASEBALL GAMES YESTERDAY.

**American League.**  
Chicago, 2; Washington, 3.  
Detroit, 4; New York, 1.  
St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 8.  
Cleveland, 6; Boston, 8.

**American Association.**  
First game: Toledo, 5; Kansas City, 10. Second game: Toledo, 7; Kansas City, 1.  
Indianapolis, 6; Milwaukee, 3.  
First game: Columbus, 13; St. Paul, 3. Second game: Columbus, 4; St. Paul, 3.  
First game: Louisville, 4; Minneapolis, 6. Second game: Louisville, 2; Minneapolis, 0.

**Southern League.**  
Memphis, 6; New Orleans, 8.

**International League.**  
Jersey City, 0; Rochester, 2.  
Montreal, 8; Newark, 6.

**INTERCOASTAL WATERWAY.**  
One of the Most Interesting Discussions to be Made at New London Meeting.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 5.—What should prove to be one of the most interesting and important events of the Fifth annual convention of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways association, which meets in New London, Conn., September 4th, 5th, and 6th, will be a session devoted to the study and discussion of the report by the United States board of engineers on the recent survey of the intracoastal canal from Boston, Mass., to Beaufort, N. C. This discussion will be taken up link by link by prominent members of the association and a course of action mapped out by those present. One of the most important links in the entire chain is that of the Chesapeake and Delaware canal which was completed in 1829 by land labor, and which has been but little improved since that time. Inasmuch as the southern end of the waterway, from Norfolk to Albemarle sound is provided for in the last Rivers and Harbors Act, the association will, during the next session of Congress, endeavor to have an appropriation for the improvement of the Chesapeake and

Delaware canal written into the law.

Since its conception, the association has earnestly endeavored to interest the New England States in the intracoastal canal project and has met with little success. This year, however, New England and Massachusetts in particular, appears to be enthusiastic over the entire plan. Boston will be represented by a delegation of 200, headed by Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, who will tour to New London by autos. Congressman Moore, president of the association has also received an acceptance from General Hugh Hancock the youthful but live-wire chairman of the board of directors of the port of Boston who is directing the stupendous task of spending \$9,000,000 for harbor improvements at that port. General Hancock will read a paper on the work he has undertaken toward the improvement of Boston harbor, which should prove instructive as well as interesting.

While New England has been giving evidence of its awakening to the importance of the intracoastal project, the South continues to evince its enthusiasm and word has been received from Norfolk that the mayor of that important port and a strong delegation from the commercial bodies will attend the convention.

Finley Acker, president of the chamber of commerce of Philadelphia and one of the city's foremost business men, will read a paper on "transportation and its effect on the cost of living." This important subject has not yet been fully considered by the consumer and the retailer, yet bears upon one of the most important benefits to be derived by improved waterway transportation, and this paper is naturally being looked forward to with a great deal of interest.

**VENEZUELA BUYS GUNBOAT.**  
Isla de Cuba Sold by United States to South American Nation for \$57,250.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Probably for the first time in the history of the navy Acting Secretary Winthrop yesterday sold a fully equipped war vessel to a foreign government, when he conveyed to the Venezuelan Minister, Senor Rojas, title to the gunboat Isla de Cuba, which was one of the vessels captured by Dewey in the battle of Manila Bay.

Heretofore it has been the practice in the navy department to dismantle condemned warships, stripping them of their guns and equipment before selling them to individuals, so that without military value the price obtained has been very small.

In this case the Isla de Cuba is turned over to Venezuela, with all her guns and equipment complete. The price paid is \$57,250, and the vessel is now undergoing repairs at the Charleston navy yard at the expense of the Venezuelan government which will cost \$25,000. She is 192 feet long and about 1,020 tons displacement.

**SPEAK ESPERANTO IN HADES.**  
Acting Secretary of State Adee Says That is Universal Tongue.

Washington, Aug. 5.—What language do they speak in hades? A perplexing question pertaining to the rights of a man now dead came up today for decision at the State Department, and officials declared it would be necessary to communicate with him to clear up the question of whether or not he was an American citizen.

"It should not be difficult to communicate with him," said Alvey A. Adee, Acting Secretary of State.

"What language shall we address him in—English, French, German, or Spanish?"

"No, no, no!" answered Mr. Adee. "They wouldn't understand that in hades. Esperanto is the official language down there. It is the universal language."

**He Won't Limp Now.**  
No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at King-Crowell Drug Co.

If you want to know what your neighbors are doing, and what's happening all over the world, read The Raleigh Times.

**INFORMER'S HEAD CUT OFF**  
Carmela Crapa Had Sent Two of His Countrymen to Prison.

Glen Cove, Long Island, Aug. 5.—Carmela Crapa gave testimony recently in the local court that sent two of his Italian countrymen to prison for assaulting a young girl.

This morning Crapa's body was found lying alongside the railroad tracks. The body was covered with 50 knife wounds, and the severed head lay nearby.

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