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SOCIATION GETTING IT AND THE

GROUNDS SURROUNDING 1T

Maj. Graham Daves, President

of the Roanoke Colony Memorial

Association, informs us that

things are getting into very good

shape now at old Fort Raleigh

on Roanoke Island and upon the

grounds immediately surround-

Our townsman, Mr. H. A

Brown, Sr., civil engineer, on

his recent visit there, marked

the outlines of Fort Raleigh

He cleared off, in part, the site

tract of land upon which the fort

also with granite posts. This

work is only preliminary; it is

designed by it to get the prop-

erty into such condition that the

work can hereafter be carried

shape as funds are realized for

the purpose.—Newbern Fournal.

WHAT ALL SHOULD KNOW.

Write a good legible hand.

Write a good social letter.

Receipt it when paid.

bank to get it cashed.

n day-book and ledger.

local paper.

our shed.

present day.

Write an ordinary receipt.

Reckon the interest or dis-

Measure a pile of lumber in hair.

Tell the number of bushels of

Tell something about the great

authors and statesmen of the

If he can do all this, and more,

wheat in your largest bin, and

the value at current rates.

life demands.—Selected.

Boy Killed The Burglar.

the 16-year old son of the pro-

count on it for days, months or

Speak and write good English.

INTO GOOD SHAPE.

ANOTHER BIG FIRE SIR WALTER RALEIGH FORT.

> \$50,000 and Threw 65 Men Out of Employment.

At Greenville Caused a Loss of

Starts in a Dry-Kiln

Could have been Saved Had not the Engine been Disabled.

with lumber at the Greenville some narrowly escaping with Lumber Company's plant was their lives. Wind approached discovered on fire. The city fire the form of a cyclone, tore department responded promptly, through streets, while the rain and after half an hour's hard fell in torrents. Several build fight it was thought the fire ings were unroofed and goods in could be kept confined to the the stores damaged by water of the fort from underbrush, etc., kiln and the plant saved; sudden- of the surveyed and laid off the train, with the exception of the other of the ly the stream from the fire en- ed by falling trees. gine ceased when it was found stands, marking its boundaries that the suction hose had burst, Diamonds Thrown Into a Fire. disabling the engine. As soon as the water stopped the fire made rapid headway and totally of Sing Sing, N. Y., found a litdestroyed the entire plant, every pile of lumber on the yard and a Don't be satisfied with your fire was so intense as to cause

handle a Latin or Greek book This fire really occasions until you are sure that he canmore serious loss to Greenville than the big February fire in Spell all the words you know which so much of the business from the fire, and the rings were sons were among the list of the Add a column of figures raps the former fire was much larger it was divided among a number Make out an ordinary account. of people and as soon as insurs Deduct 161/2 per cent. from the ance adjustments were made re-Write an advertisement for the pany, and swept the plant so to her clothing and burning herclean that there is no prospect of self to death. Write an ordinary promissary rebuilding. This fire also throws upon which the town largely charred in a horrible manner. depended to keep up its building

> Hair Vigor is an article of exceptional | body sitting bolt upright and the merit is the fact that the demand for it uses this incomparable dressing thinks of trying any other preparation for the

> > LOOK UP.

nesday morning Fred Crawford, of heartfelt bliss.—Durham Sun.

A CYCLONE IN VIRGINIA.

Disastrous wind, rain and hail

Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by lightning and thunder. Houses were unroofed and floods ed and in several instances struck A by lightning. Hundreds of fruit and shade trees were uprooted or broken off, several partly finished houses were blown down, the streets were turned into rivers AST Monday, about noon, and men, women and children La brick dry-kiln filled were panic-stricken, frightened,

Mrs. Washington I. Sherwood ter's room, and, thinking them indicating that the train was on useless, threw them in the fire. the straight track. At the first insurance. The heat from the cluster ring with six diamonds instantaneous standstill, as it left solitaire diamond ring and a bringing the train almost to an in the rags for safe keeping, the track and preventing the telethinking no thief that might enter the house would suspect such booty in old rags. The poker and shovel were quickly made board. One child, 3 years old, use of in pulling the blazing rags was killed, and twenty-six persaved, though in a damaged con-

Sought Her Death in Fire.

old, committed suicide Tuesday The place chosen was close bebuilding commenced, but in this afternoon at the roadside, near side a trestle crossing the ditch fire the loss is all on one com- Somerville, N. J., by setting fire

siting with head in a hedge-fence, the ditch, was out, and there was 65 men out of employment and her clothing completely burned very little water in it. The mocuts off the source for lumber from her body and her flesh

A passing farmer had seen her russet shoe protruding from the hedge, and upon looking closer any tangible clue to work upon. One of the best evidences that Ayer's was horrified to see the charred

face looking at him.

of hairpins lay at her side. A will attend tuft of her hair, which had failed to burn, was still in the hedge

Corner-Stone Laid.

At Goldsboro, N. C., Wednes day the corner-stone of the main phanage was laid by Grand Master Charles F. Lumsden. An privilege of increasing to \$1,000,address was delivered by Past Grand Sire Charles M. Bushnell, members of the grand and local

Died as She Wished.

Mrs. Aaron Haynes, 82 years Kirtley C. Rodgers was shot regret the past. Sorrow is sent old, who attended Mount Hebron and instantly killed at Sybene, to make us purer-trouble to Church services Sunday, at West Virginia, by Fred Craw make us better-disappointment Parkersburg, W. Va., stated in ford, while the former was trying to increase our bravery. Fail- her experience that many years to break open the safe in J. R. ure is the servant and success the before, her mother had expired at Crawford's store. Crawford's child of effort. Look up! Your just such a meeting, while tellheld an inquest on the dead bods en, the plate being placed just nerve compounds. Feed the nerves store contains the postoffice, and heart may be the cemetery of a ing of her experience, and that the big iron safe is used as a de- thousand disappointments. There she hoped to die in the same way. pository by business men and is room yet for the fairest flowers When Rev. Engle reached her farmers in the village. Several of success to spring up from to shake hands he found that the times attempts have been made every grave, making the future old lady was dead. She had died

More Fun Now.

Aunt Jane-In my young days,

Evelyn-But, aunty dear, you

strain on brain and body. The course plain and simple. The blood must first be purified so that the nervous system, Mr. J. W. Brown, Editor of the "Min-ral Age," Warrior, Ala., says: "After without number have testified that the and in fact all the organs will be fed

storm visited Charlottesville, Va., ONE CHILD KILLED AND TWENTY-SIX PEOPLE INJURED.

MISPLACED SWITCH

PREVENTS GREATER LOSS

HE north-bound New York and Florida express on the Florida Central and Peninsula railroad was thrown from the track, at Anderson, a small station ten miles south of Savannah, Ga., on the 11th inst., by a misplaced switch. The enrailed and rolled over an embank-

The train was running at the rate of thirty-two miles an hour. The switch was turned and locktle bundle of rags in her daugh- ed and the switch target shifted, track Conductor Glass seized the

There were 208 passengers on

The statements of the conductor and engineer show that the disaster was the result of a de-Annie Thorin, twenty years liberate plot to wreck the train As it was, the rear car went over the trestle into the water. The tive of the wreckers is as yet unexplained. Detectives were put on the case at once, but without

The University commencement has been changed to June A box of matches and a bunch 4th. Vice-President Stevenson

> ic conventions in Iowa have already acted, and the delegates elected show 253 for silver and 99 for gold.

> The little town of Spray, N.C., has filed articles of incorporation for a \$120,000 cloth mill, with

The inaugural ceremonies of the Tennessee centennial will take place at Nashville on the

The farming lands of Mary-

land increased in value between 1889 and 1890 \$5,500,000.

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OF LIFE.

scoping of the cars.

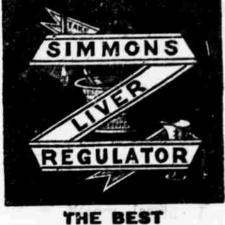
She was found an hour later tide, which ebbs and flows into

Thirty nine county Democrat-

The next session of the Souths ern Baptist Convention will be held at Wilmington, N. C., the

first Friday following the first Sunday in May '97.

first of June next.



system may be kept in good condition.
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A Terrible Disaste on The Mississippi River.

EXPLOSION OF A TOWBOAT Schedule in effect April 20, 1896

ept Sundays,) feave Elizabeth City at SIX HURT AND TWO MISSING-CAUSE OF ACCIDENT

Elizabeth City at 2:45 p. m., and 8:05 a. UNKNOWN. The trains arrive at and depart from Norfolk & Western depot, Norfolk; onnect at Norfolk with all Rail and NE of the most terrible from a constituent, as follows: lines, and at Edenton with Zriver disasters of recent Steamer for Ronnoke, Cashie, Chowan Scuppernong rivers; transfer steamers to Mackey's Ferry, thence by years occurred last Sunday night Norfolk & Southern R. R. to Pantego about 25 miles below Vicksburg, don't know if this is so or not; and Belhaven, connecting with steamer Virginia Dare for Makeleyville, Auro- Miss. ra, washington and all intermediate Brown, of Pittsburg, upward- me some. The only kind we get Eastern Carolina Dispatch bound from New Orleans, ex- here are in half-pound packages, ploded. The boat was a com-

Old Dominion Line The steamer Neuse leaves Elizabeth plete wreck, and sank in five City Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday | minutes. p. m., for Newbern connecting with the A. & N.C. R R. for Goldsboro, Kinston, and Morchead City, and with W. N. & N. R. R. for Jacksonville, Wilmington, N. C., etc. Returning, D'Ravo, G. W. Bardsley, steers-Newbern Monday, Wednesday man; W. Bougherty, chief engis You know they all worked well each threatened to kill the other. and Friday, stopping at Roanoke Island neer; Miss Annie Hess, Chamber for you the last time.' Tickets on sale at Elizabeth City Station to Roanoke Island, Newberne, maid; Tom Judge, fireman; Wm. Kinston, Goldsboro, Morehead City Daily all rail service between Eliza- Fitzsimmons; second-mate Pat orth City and New York, Philadelphia Carniff; Wm. Kelly, lamp trim-

nati, and John Wagner, Louis-Direct all goods to be shipped via astern Carolina Dispatch as follows: ville, are missing. From Norfolk by Norfolk & Southern Railroad, Baltimore by P. W. & B. R. di Baltimore by P. W. & B. R. sident Street Station; Philadel cd, were carried to Vicksburg on great demand for them and the a few seconds both men had Philadelphia R. R., Dock Street the Honsbell. Six of the officers horse hook. The supply of fish drawn their pistols and began boy's education or allow him to several people to faint. R., Pier 27 North River, and Old and crew of the Brown are in had run out, and the President shooting. The three men were minion Line.

For further information apply to M. the Marine ward of Vicksburg had been so occupied with bonds, close together in a small room, owden, Agent, Elizabeth City, or showden, Agent, Elizabeth City, or hospital, as follows: Capt. John and had Congress on his hands and Smith quickly dropped to thern R. R. Company, Norfolk, Va. Kime, hip seriously injured: Wm. so long that our supply was ex- the floor with a bullet through John Hardy, fireman, badly scald ed, and otherwise seriously ingineer, badly scalded and injured needed most of those himself. internally, will probably die; two

unknown deck hands. Practice in the Superior Courts of Thowan and adjoining counties, and in near the scene when the explosion occurred, and her yawls Sam does not handle fish hooks, the dead man's body with a bulwere lowered at once, and were as here are the hooks and there let through his own heart. Shepard & Wood, promptly mant and saved is my letter, and if I don't send many lives that would have been them every last man that I refuse

INSURANCE AGENTS, prompt service. Captain Kime, the master of broke. Don't fool with the the Brown, although seriously granger."-Washington Times. Only strong and reliable injured, remained on the aft r Companys represented and at part of the cabin roof of the rates as low as obtainable with Brown, where he had been blown by the explosion. He was seen Surgeon and Mechanical cabin floated off from the hull the physicians. and as it sank to the bottom of Finally she was put on a milk the river I directed the efforts of

> cuing the boat's crew. "Myself and Pilot Dan Kane were on the pilot house when the explosion occurred. It would be impossible for any one to tell one seeing anything. It seemed

By venders of Spectacles Wm. Dougherty, who was on watch, was lost." deserve greatest praise. Captain since, though the sore entirely But if they were, they their patrons in that way. the Brown to their home by rail on the 7th, a negative was first of those unhappy people who are suf-There is located at Eden as soon as he receives instructions are soon as he receives instructions as soon as he receives instructions are soon as he receives are soon as he receives instructions are soon as he receives instructions are soon as he receives are soon as he recei who has a reputation to less and returned a verdict of acs sustain, who will treat you cidental death.

A Woman's Smile.

two of the leading physi-A woman's smile is thus de cians-Diliard and Mcflashed upon the landscape two the time it entered. rows of beautiful white teeth. Slowly her mouth opened wider Old Whiskies. ing intently upon her, she shuts but an inflamed condition of the mucous her mouth, and darkness fell up- surfaces. on the scene."

Boils and pimples are due to impure blood. Remove them by making the Write for Samples and Prices. blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A CONGRESSMAN'S JOKE.

Gratifying a Constituent's Whim May be Diplomatic, But is Expensive.

One member of the House is in a regular stew just now. To a reporter he tells this story of

himself: . "I was slightly surprised few days ago to receive a letter

" DEAR JUDGE: - Tim Dooley says that the Government gives away fish to those who apply. The tow boat Harry but if so I wish you would send you thirsty. If they give away parties were all white. the fish hooks I wish you would Eleven lives are known to be send me some, for the Major, lost. including Pilot Norman Ransom Brown, Judge Kaufman

"For the sake of the joke I Wilson, engineer; first-mate Wm. dropped into a sporting goods after Smith, accompanied by his store, and bought a tin box of hooks for \$1.50, and sent it to Through cars and as low rates and mer. Frank A. Drian, Cincin- my friend with a note saying I he became enraged, and ordered was very glad that I had some him to leave the house. He refish hooks still left from my fused, and a quarrel began. The survivors, also the wound- quota, though there had been a Grimme, carpenter, leg broken; hausted. I regretted also that the his heart. ducks have been wild, or could

Had a Lizard in Her Stomach.

Monday morning by a reporter Trenton, N. J., has been ill for and said: "The after part of the two monts and her case baffled

and water diet and soon was seized with nausea. She vomthe men who were at work res- ited up a live lizard an inch and

a half long.

X-Rays Found the Bullet. as the darkness prevented any 7th, and subjected himself to mental and moral development higher English, give him literathat the hull went down in less with a bullet lodged, as he sups to the commissioners of Bertie, him science, and if he is very of the explosion will never be cidental explosion of a revolver, the list heretofore adopted by known as the Chief Engineer the ball entering a little below the State Board of Education." The officers and boat's crew has been suffering with it ever tions. Kime expects to send the crew of healed. At the examination taken just below the elbow, but fering with weak nerves, starting at from Pittsburg. The coroner Another negative was then tak- possible to sleep? Avoid opiate and above the wrist, and here it was by the great blood purifier and true found. He then was taken to nerve tonic, Hood's Sarsaparilla. the surgical department, where, pills, assist digestion, prevent constiunder the direction of Professor pation. 25c. White, an operation was personned and the bullet removed. The Fall Saved Him Trouble. Mr. Goodspeed and Mr. White scribed in a Hawaiian romance: both think the ball has not trav-"Her rich lips parted, and there eled, but ran down the arm at Neck, N. J., while working in floor, heard a noise below. He

and wider, deeper grew the reach the diseased portion of the ear. dimples in her bronze cheeks; There is only one way to cure deafness, through the foliage of an over- inflamed you have a rumbling sound or for nails anyway." hanging brow, illuminated the tirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be can be applied when at home, and is deep cavern of her mouth, bring and unless the unmamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its uniformly successful in coloring a who escaped left no clue to his brown or black. Hence its great popidentity. stroyed forever; nine cases out of ten ularity. her head. Then, seeing us gaz- are caused by catarrh, which is nothing O Southland! O Southland!

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A DUEL FOR LOVE.

ing it.

Two Men Killed and One Fatally Wounded in a Bloody Handto-Hand Encounter.

THE DESPERADOES QUARRELED OVER HER, SEIZED THEIR WEAFONS, AND THE

WOMAN SAW THEM SHOOT

FIGHT BEGAN. N Saturday a bloody hand to-hand fight occurred at Blountstown, Calhoun county, Florida, in which Thomas House a noted desperado, and Thomas placing a granite post at each called boneless cod and they are Smith were killed, and George angle. no account, and then they make Harrison fatally wounded. The

Smith and House had been for some time in love with the same and I have planned to go fishing woman. She smiled on both unas soon as the weather opens up. til they became desperate, and

House called at the woman's house on Saturday, and soon brother-in-law, George Harrison, forward to completion in good arrived. When Smith saw House

Bitter words were used, and in

House then shot at Harrison maybe have got some, but last and wounded him at the first fire. jured; Dennis Lomey, second en- trip Grover only got 13, and he Harrison returned the saot, and idly. House, having exhausted his car-"The results was fourteen restridges, jumped at him with a quests for fish hooks within a large knife. As he lunged his The tow boat Honshell was week, and they are still coming. foot slipped in Smith's blood, It is no use to say that Uncle and he fell to the floor across

Harrison staggered into the presence of the screaming wos lost if it had not been for their will sharpen a knife for me next man, who stanched the flow of years. campaign, and if I do I will go blood from his wound as best she could, until the arrival of men who had been attracted to

the house by the fusillade. Harrison was placed under ar-Miss Emma Large, a young rest and turned over to the society woman, who lives at sheriff. It is thought that he

No Change in Text Books.

At a meeting of the Teachers' Association of the counties of Bertie, Hertford and Northamp ton it was unanimously resolved, it is likely he has sufficient edumonton, N. J., visited the Uni- North Carolina are well suited to time and money to spend upon his shoulder. Doctors examined One hundred teachers were presand probed for it, but were uns ent and at least seven hundred able to find the ball, and Sooy spectators applauded the resolu-

Are You One

Ira Parker, a carpenter of Tea prietor, who sleeps on the second Saved From Bungling Lynchers. the house of Charles L. Colt, of crept to the stairway, and, seiz-

We will give One Hundred Dollars | Your skies are always blue, And Nature smiles on you, Your valleys filled with praise; Your years, they know no sadness Through all their halcyon days.

chairman of the committee.

Clinton place, Hackensack, Sat- ing a double-barreled gun, fired town, Kentucky, of the hanging with a spinning wheel. Deafness Cannot be Cured urday fell a distance of forty feet. both barrels at two men whom of Dr. Ferrell, at Elliston, Ky., by local applications, as they cannot His head struck in a sand heap. he saw at work at the safe. One Monday night by a mob. Ferrell ought to see my wheel spin! with numerous robberies and dis- by some boys and cut down be- there has been too much over-work or

News comes from Williams- Evelyn, girls amused themselves

Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers reputable escapades. The man fore life was extinct. He will of treatment for such a condition is

His companions hurried to the of the men dropped dead, and had a reputation as a wife beater. dimples in her bronze cheeks; brighter danced the sunbeams in her eyes, until stray ray, darting her eyes, until stray ray, darting her eyes, until stray ray, darting her eyes, until stray ray darting her eyes, until stray ray, darting her eyes, until stray ray

> The Bertie County Confeders a trial of Simmons Liver Regulator I best blood purifier, nerve tonic and ate Veterans desire to invite bids ing Malaria from the system; and, as a ing Malaria from the system; and, as a Sarsaparilla. Nervonsness, loss of for a monument, to be erected at Windsor, to cost \$1,000. Francis D. Winston, Esq., of Windsor, is endorsement for Simmons Liver Regu-

storage warehouse near by, bes As soon as she had done this her shock of the engine leaving the longing to Henry Sheppard. daughter, who saw the act, but The total loss approximates \$50,- was too late to prevent it, told ooo. There was only \$10,000 her mother she had wrapped a air brake cord and set the brakes,

portion of the town was destroyed. While the aggregate loss by dition.

Draw an ordinary bank check. Take it to the proper place in operations. Make neat and correct entries Tell the number of yards of is constantly increasing. No one who carpet required for your parlor.

The world is full of disappointments-they are our common lot. The rose of anticipation often rests at last in the ashes of sad reality. We are all born to building of the Odd Fellows' ors "that the present text books in cation to make his own way in trouble. In every heart is a safe-Chalk Sooy, a resident of Ham- use in the common schools of the world. If you have more God knows where the key is. In every heart is some secret of life how the seven boilers exploded versity of Pennsylvania, on the the thought and habits and him, all well and good—give him or death. Disappointments are of Raleigh, N. C. Grand Secrethe lessons of life. They are the tary Theo. Ross, of the Soverhas for three years been troubled of our people and we recommend ture, give him mathematics, give dark backgrounds which set forth eign Grand Lodge, and Grand the lasting and beautiful pic- Master Hill Montague, of Virthan a minute. I have no blame posed, in his shoulder. Three Hertford and Northampton countains anxious about it give him Latin tures. Often the deepest sorrows ginia, were present. There was a large parade including militia to attach to any one, as the cause years ago he was shot by the acties that no change be made in and Greek, or whatever the have brought the choicest blesscourse he intends pursuing in ings—the sickness of Hope prov- lodges, city officials and citizens ed the convalescence of Joy. Many a ghost has proved a shadow-many a mountain but a bank of fog. Do not stop to to rob it. About 2 o'clock Wed- an ocean of prosperity-a heaven as she had wished.

eral Age," Warrior, Ala., says: "After lator, but none too much so.