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IN A FEW LINES

## OLD NORTH STATE **NEWS AND GOSSIP** ODD AND INTERESTING HAPPENINGS. Record Breaking Catches of Mackerel Of Morehead City.

Even North Carolina's Division of the Sen Yields Phenomenally-A Colored Babe Drank Concentrated Lye and Died -A Live Rabbit is the Mail-Wheat Crops Failure About Newton.

News and Observer: Mr. F. B. Arendell returned yesterday from a trip to the eastern part of the State. He spent a day or two at Moreheard and says that the most phenomenal catches of Spanish mackerel that have ever occurred at that famous fishing resort have occurred during the past few days. "Dur-ing Monday and Monday night," said Mr. Arendell, "one boat caught 7,000 pounds of mackerel, another caught 5,000 pounds. Other fishing parties caught large quantities-all by seiningto over 26,000 pounds. On the train that left Morehead yesterday morning there was a solid car load of these fish, weighing 20,000, going by express to New York." Mr. Arendell reports the leading fishermen as saying that the run of mackerel at Morehead this season has never been equaled at any point on the coast. The trolling for this gamest of all sea fish has just begun and promises to be greater than at any previous season.

Drank Concentrated Lys.

Wilmington Messenger: The child of Susan Robbison, colored, who resides near Ninth and Church streets, died in agony yesterday morning from the effect of a draught of concentrated lys and water. The child, not quite three years old, was playing in the yard and found a can in which there was some concentrated lye and rain water. It picked up the can and the mother hallowed to it to put it down, but before she could reach it the child had taken a drink out of the can.

## Sent a Rabbit by Mail.

Greenville Reflector: While Mr. J. W. Potter, mail carrier of rural free delivery Potter, mail carrier of ring oute Saturday, route No. 1, was on his route Saturday, he found a rabbit in one of the mail box and found around its neck a string to which was a card addressed to a young lady in Greenville and a note requesting Mr. Potter to deliver it. He brought the rabbit in with him and delivered it promptly as directed.

The Locusts are Coming. Large numbers of 17 year locuste have nade their appearance in Washington and reports of similar visitations have reached the department of agriculture from Altoona, Pa., and Nashville, Tenn. The department sent 5,000 postal cards throughout the country asking for im- AWFUL DESTRUCTION IN ST. PIERRE mediate reports on the first appearance of the locusts. The department has a full record of their appearance in 1885, and its experts know where to look for them this week.

According to the charts, Maryland and Indiana, with the adjoining counties of their neighbor states, are to be most effected by the pest. The department etomologists say that young nursery trees and young shoots of mature trees are all that will sustain injury from the visitation of the l custs, and that there is no cause for alarm over their appearauce. It is anticipated that the locust will be reported from other portions of Pennsylvania and Tennessee, and from New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Vir-ginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, Ohlo, Indians, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, and possibly a few other localities.

#### SHINE.

May 22. Farmers are quite busy now, some put ting out tobacco plants, some plowing up cotton that has not come up very good, and others chopping cotton. "Friday" Jones returned home last Sunday. Says he don't know whether he can stay until grops are finished or not, and he also says Greeke county is not as good as "Noir" county.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith visited in Wayne Saturday and Sunday. They were accompanied home by their aunt, Miss Mary Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and baby, and sister, Miss Addie Jones, of Saratoga, made a pleasant visit to relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grant, were in Golds-boro last Friday shaking hands with friends and making purchases. Quite a number of our people are on th

Mrs. Penina Frazier is visiting her sick aunt at Bull Head. Rev. H. H. Goff, preached at Ft. Runn Sunday.

Jerusalem has a flourishing Sunday

## How It Is Done.

The first object in life with the American people is to "get rich;" the second how to regain good health. The first can be obtained by energy, honesty and saving; the second (good health) by us ing Green's August Flower. Should you The first be a despondent sufferer from any of the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Appendicitis, Indigestion, etc., such as S ck Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, our Stomach, Habitual Costiveness, Diziness of the Head, Nervous Prostra-tion Low Shrits, atta was not an inductant sides and are womiting yellow whiriwinds, which rush intermittently now from one point, and now from another. Boiling mud is also thrown out at times in torrents that reach the sea and produce small tidal Dizziness of the Head, Nervous Prostra-tion, Low Spirits, etc., you need not suffer another day. Two doses of the well-known August Flower will relieve you at once. Go to J. E. Hood and get a sample bottle free. Regular size, 75 cents. Get Green's Special Almanac. WAVES.

# FLEEING FROM **DEATH BY FIRE** Second Eruption Causes Worse Devastation than the First.

Terrified Ultizens Say Islands are Doomed and Beg to be Taken A way-Evidence of a Blast of Blazing Gas Which Leveled Even Solid Walls of Basalt-The Divie Arrives With Immense Cargo of Stores

Fort de France, Martinique, Wednes day, May 21 .- Streams of frightened refugees have been pouring into Fort de France from all the surrounding country. These people are not destitute, but they are terrified. They want only one thing, and that is to be taken far away from this island, with which, they say, the gods are angry and which they will destroy by fire before it sinks under the

The consuls here and the officials of th war vessels in the harbor are waylaid by scores of persons crazed with fear and begging to be carried away.

The U. S. S. Dixle, Captain Berry, from New York, arrived today, after a quick and safe passage. The Dixle began landing her enormous cargo of supplies early and the storehouses on shore soon be came congested. This is the greatest difficulty of the administration.

This morning the U. S. S. Potomac with the commanders of the war vessels now here, went to inspect St. Pierre. With the greatest difficulty the party succeeded in making a landing. effects of the outburst of yesterday were tremendous. The huge basalt tower and walls were hurled fiat to the earth The bombardment of volcanić stones in aot sufficient to account for this and evidences point to the passage of a furious blast of blazing gas, traveling at enormous speed, and with incalculable

Vast columns of smoke and gas still pour from the great crater. New flesures have opened on the mountain sides and are



NEAR THE SUMMIT OF LA SOUFRIERE, ST. VINCENT'S VOLCANO. La Soufriere, which means sulphur mine, is the volcano which has killed such a large mber of people in the British island of St. Vincent. The road pictured above was filled th molece lava when La Soufriere was in action.

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## GRIFTON. May 22.

Mr. C. E. Gardner, railroad agent at foore Nest, speat yesterday here visiting his parents.

Sheriff O. W. Harrington spent last night here on legal business. Mr. Higgs, of the Greenville Supply company, is in town soliciting orders.

Miss Bessie Garrie, of near Ayden, re-turned home vesterday, after visiting her ister, Mrs. W. J. Kittrell.

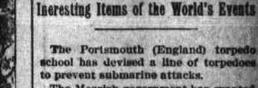
Mr. J. S. Keen, sr., leaves tomorrow for Sonthport, where he will att-nd the soldiers' reunion.

Tobacco farmers are about through

Mr. C. C. Dunn has started his new aill to work. It is au up-to-date plant rious blast of blazing gas, traveling at enormous speed, and with incalculable force. The deposit of boulders, ashes and angular stones is enormous. The second cruption was many times more violent than that which effaced St Pierre and swept its people from the earth nor has all volcanic activity ceased.

## GRANGERS.

James R. Garfield, the new member May 22. of the civil service commission, has n assigned the deak at which Prosi. dent Roosevelt worked while president of the board of civil service commissioners.



FRESH FACTS

The Moorish government has granted to France a contract for the coining of \$3,000.000 worth of Moorish money.

The restoration of Peterborough ca-thedral, which has been in progress for eighteen years, has cost over £80,000.

An annual cyclopedia for 1901 places the total gifts and bequests in the United States last year at \$107,360,000, One result of the Anglo-Japanese alliance will be the prevention of prohibition of Japanese in Australia, once suggested.

Russia is founding an independent bishopric in China, and the bishop elect of Charbin and Peking will be at the head of it.

The Royal Society of England has officially decided that women are not eligible for the degree of fellow of the Royal society.

The British Lifeboat association in considering the establishment of a wireless service around the coast, including the lighthouses.

Sydney, the capital of New South Wales, is working for a greater Sydney through the annexation of outlying suburbs and towns.

No municipal tax levy will be made in Peterborough this year, the first time when such an incident was recorded in England.

Russian and other miners are being employed in English coal mines, and an agitation against their employment is being considered.

Camel teams are now being used for the carriage and distribution of mining machinery on the North Coolgardie goldfields, Western Australia.

The census of the sexes in Canada shows that there are: Single males, 1,747,842; females, 1,503,450; married males, 929,915; females, 905,631,

Among a band of revolutionista which recently fought with Turkish troops near Monastir was a woman dressed as a man. She was killed in the fighting.

The urban council and school board of Keitering. England, being unable to agree upon a site for a building, play-ed a game of golf to decide it. The councilors won.

Lightning statistics in the United

#### SHORT STATE STORIES.

Danbury Reporter: Judging from preent indications there will be a very large crop of apples this year through out this section. The peaches are not so promising.

Newton Enterprise: The nearer harvest approaches, the worse grow the reports about the wheat crop: The fly is reported to be injuring what was not frosen out by the severe winter. The general opinion is that the crop in Catawba county will not average three bushels to the acre. It will not pay the fartilizer bill. It is the worst grop since 1894 when wheat was killed by the severe freeze the last day of March.

#### nator Hoar Denounces Philippine Policy

Washington, D. C., May 22.-A notable contribution to the discussion of the Philippine question was made in the Senate today by Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts. When the venerable senator be-gan to speak, every senator at the capi tol was in his seat and for two hours and a half his address consumed he was ac. corded the most careful attention, not only by his colleagues on the floor, but also by the people in the thronged galler-ies. He denounced the attitude of the gov. ernment in the Philippines as one of the most wicked and foolish chapters in American history.

> COMFORT. May 21.

Mrs. E. A. Bhodes who has been spen-ing a few works at Pleasant Hill, returns to Mr. C. A. Rhode's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. L. Brock, of ner Richlands, visited Mrs. Brock's moth-

is Julia Jarman has returned t

Master Roy Brockspankyesterday with

ames Stafe Koonce and Sarah E ge, of Truston, visited at Mr. Fri outs's Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. MorrillCox, of Gathar Lake, exam Saturday to attand ch at Cypran Greek. Rev. D. G. Geddin Mied hin regular pointment at Cyprain Greek Bunday.

Merchandise Envelopes have been added to the materials carried in stock by Tux Fuzz Press Job Printing Department.

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A good many from here a ionic at Hugo yesterday. Mr. S. J. Johnson killed a mad .dog in

is yard Monday. Mrs. J. E. Cameron left yesterday for

Mrs. Reby Grubbs, of Kinston, is visit-ing her sister, Mrs. R. L. Blow. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Savage went over to Freen yesterday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Flete Pittman went to Seven Springs Saturday.

Miss Lutie Jones spent last Saturday ith Miss Carrie Skinner at Kinston. Misses Carrie Jones and Addie Langw in returned Saturday from Kinston. Mrs. Louise Langston returned yester-ay from visiting her son, Mr. C. H. angston, of Renston.

Mrs. Annie Raspberry spent last Satur-lay with Mrs. Sallie Bruton, of Kinston. Misses Bessie Jackson and Sack Bar-wick and Messrs. C. A. Broadway and Leon Ferrell attended the commencement at Kinston Friday night.

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May 21.

The farmers of this section are all very Mr. M. E. Dall made a business trip to now Hill Monday.

dome of our people have gone to st-id the Sunday school picnic at Hugo

Miss Ethel Hill, of Fountain Hill, spent aturday night with Miss Florence Dail Mr. M. E. Smith and Miss Verna Hill, of Hugo, attended services at Ormonds-ville Sunday and spent the afternoon with Mr. M. E. Dall's family.

Mr. H. E. Edward is moving to Kinston today.

## ORMONDSVILLE.

May 21.

Rev. E. Pope filled his regular appoint ont here Sunday.

Mesers. Graham Faulkner and Herbert Commings, of Kinston, are visiting Mr. J. T. Frimilie and family.

Mise Verna Hill, of Fountain Hill, and fr. N. E. Smith, of Hugo, attended ser-loss here Sunday.

A crowd of young people from here at ended the Sanday school convention at ingo Wednesday. The farmers are very eager to get out infr to bacco plants since the rain Tues y night

#### Ladles Can Went Shoes

ter after ming After's

Edward L. Adams of Elmira, N. T. who has been appointed consul general at Stockholm, Sweden, was graduated from the University of Rochester in 1875 and began his newspaper career on the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

MERE MEN.

Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, speaks five lan-

Jerry Simpson is a champion plug-

pong player. He beat Governor Toole and several Montana stock millionaires

Captain Orren A. Hamblett of Wash-

ington has purchased the historic Sam-

nel Wilson house at Mason, N. H., the

Admiral Sir Henry Keppel, now in

his ninety-second year, has a great de-sire to die at sea. With that end in view he is constantly going on long

Colonel Mott Hooton, who has been

made a brigadier general, is a native

of Pennayivania. His great-grandfa-ther was a captain in the Revolution-

Senator Clark of Montana is an en-

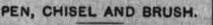
thusiastic automobilist. He rides about

Washington on a ten thousand dollar "French filer" which he bought last

home of the original "Uncle Sam."

Herr Kaufmann, whose election as second burgomaster of Berlin the kalser declined to sanction on account, it is supposed, of his former political opinions, has suddenly become mad. me people in Berlin are ascribing his madness to disappointment in conse quence of the kaiser's action.

Under the will of Colonel Blanton Duncan, a wealthy Kentuckian who died recently in California, twenty-one Kentuckians and forty-seven residents of other states are named as legatees. Each is to receive \$1,000. Among the beneficiaries of the will is Ab Ah Sam. a Louisville Chinaman, who had long been a friend of the testator.



Miss Lillian Thomas, who painted the last portrait President McKinley ever sat for, has taken that portrait to Washington, where it will be exhibited at the Corcoran Art gallery.

Bartholdi, who created the statue of Liberty now standing in New York harbor, has made a design for a colos-sal monument for Belfort, France, to emorate its three famous sieges of 1814, 1870 and 1871.

In spite of his hurry while in the United States Prince Henry found time to give sittings to an American painter, George Burroughs Torrey. This artist ments of society people in New York

Mary MacLane of Butte, Mon., is a Mary MacLane of Butte, Mon., is a young woman of ninetcen or twenty years, whose book about herself out-Bashkirtseff's Marie Bashkirtseff, was born in Canada of Scotch parents, spent her childhood partiy in Minneso-ta and received her education in the Butte high school. She thinks that she is the greatest genius that ever lived.

## PERT PERSONALS.

Russell Sage's inuflord has raised his rent, but God will temper the wind to the shorn lamb.-Milwaukce Sentinel. Will some core please pass Miss Mary MacLane a piece of the red, red sky the is starving for, also a small bottle of tabaseo sunce to flavor it with.--Montana Record.

States last year showed that nine-siz teenths of the persons struck recover ed. Less than one-fourth were struck in open ground.

At Plougnastel, a small town in Brittany, all the weddings of the year are celebrated on one day. In Fe ary last thirty-four couples were married simultaneosly.

Askal Chin, in Tibet, is the lake which lies at a greater height than any other in the world. Its level is 16,60 feet. The lowest is the Dead sea, 1,290 feet below sea level.

Pewter making, one of England's important industries seventy years ago, has almost been abandoned. Cheap glassware and tinware have driven pewter from the market.

The Phillips Brooks House, at Cambridge, Mass.; now has 559 contributors, representing not only the United States, but England, France, Turkey, Japan, China and South America.

The world's zinc production in 1901 Increased 28,237 tons over 1900, or 5% per cent. The largest increase was in the Rhine district of Europe, 12,965 tons; the next largest in the United States, 12.802 tons.

Emigration from Ireland has decre ed. Last year there were 39,870 Irish emigrants, a decrease of 7,237 as c pared with 1900. Of the total 21,527 were females, and over 80 per cent went to the United States.

Concessions have just been granted to construct and run twenty-seven branch lines of the Swediah rallways. The new lines will cover a distance of 250 miles in all, and it means that Sweden will again have occasion to pur-chase a large quantity of rolling stock.

The value of the coal mined in Ja-pan is almost equal to that of all other minerals combined. It varies from the bardest anthracite to peat, but the quality is usually inferior to that of American coal, Modern machinery and methods have been introduced in the constitute of many miner. operation of many mines.

A boom in the use of mechanical mo-tors throughout South Africa will en-sue immediately on the termination of the war. No real development of its ent of its boundless resources can be accomplish-ed so long as the primitive method of transportation by ox wagon in districts emote from railways is adhered to.

#### Mrs. Durham Car

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