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### THE STATE CAPITAL

Tax on Base Ball Gam s Held's Good.

Compulsory Vaccination and Di vorce Disease Seize Raleigh, Water Suits. Negroes | 60 ing North. Important Decision.

RALEIGH, April 20-The attorney gen eral decides that the State treasurer is correct in holding that under the new revenue act a tax of \$5 is tuposed on all baseball games to which an admission fee is charged.

Compulsory vaccination has commenced here. The negroes have so spread the small pox among their race tnat nothing else remained to be done A number of the negroes, grossly ignorant and superstitious, had refused to be yaccinated, had hidden other negroes who had small pox or declared that the disease was not small pox at all but merely "Cuban itch."

"The "diverce disease," has taken hold here and there are twenty-one divorce suits docketed for hearing at the next term of State Superior court. Practically all such suits in this State are by the ignorant classes of people

The State chemist says that the city water here is again all right. For over two months sulphoric sold had made it undrinkable. There are several suits now on for damages to water pipes by the acid.

The annual "New Era" institute for the negroes of North Carolina was opened here. It is religious, under Baptist auspices and is the holding of ac-"institute" for negroes by the while people, viding negro mis uonacies and regu lar preachers. It continues there days.

The Seaboard Air Line will make a strike for Florida travel next autumn. Mr. Reed, the superintendent of motive power, is now preparing plans for fine passenger trains for this new travel

Negroes are pouring out of Wilmington- 'exodusters,' as they are termed. White labor is crowding them out and they are going North at the rate of from 50 to 300 a day. Some are going to Baltimore, but most go further north. Bustness men in Wilmington do act employ a negro if they can get, a white man to do the work.

Two cases of smallpox have appeared at Monroe and both are traced to Raleigh A woman from this city who recently had the disease has been sent back here from Monroe

The twenty-fifth annual session of the South Carolina Dental Association begius here May 3, Dr. C. W. Banner, Mount Airy, presiding.

The Supreme Court has decided that by the terms of the will of E. T. Clem mons the Moravian Church in Forsyth county gets \$100,000 to build a church and school and give each member of the church an acre of land.

CAN DEAL WITH SITUATION.

No Instructions as to Dewey's Captures Men. No Unensiness Felt.

Maxita, April 19 - Admiral Dewey has been notified of the strange disappearance of Lieut. J. C. Gilmore and fourteen members of the crew of the United States gunboat Yorktown.

On Saturday last the Yorktown anchored off Baler, on the east coast of the Island of Luzon, and about two hundred miles from here, where there was a Spanish garrison of about fifty men, which had been defending itself against several hundred Filipinos for months

Lieut, Gilmore, Eusign W H. Standriver from Bal r Bay to communicate with the Spaniards, the town of Baler being situated some distance inland.

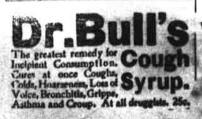
Eusign Standley, who landed at the month of the river, reports that he heard three volleys, a bugle call and cheers from up the river, but that the automatic gun, which was part of the equipment of the boat, was not heard firing.

Standley later puddled to the Yorktown in a canoe.

A search was made for the Yorktown's boat and her crew, but no trace of them was found and the Yorktown salled for Hollo from which place her commander cabled to Admiral Dewey his theories that the Pilipinos had captured or sunk the boat or that the Spanlards had rescued the American party.

A scouting party of American troops today found an insurgent skirmish line more than a mile long east of Malolos. A sharp fuisillade followed, but no losses

were sustained. Brigadier General Charles King, who has been taken suddenly ill and who is duty, and has been ordered to return to: the United States on the first transport sailing from here for home.



AMERICAN PRISONERS.

the Insurgents.

Washington, April 18-The Navy dispatch from Admiral Dewey: "Manila, April 18th.

Secretary of the Navy, Washington: east coast of Luzon, P. I., April 12th, of Hornet. the purpose of rescuing and bringing gents armed with Mauser rifles \* \* by and captured. Fate unknown as fusur- of practical experience at seagents refused to communicate afterward. makera Mate Vendgit, Seamen W. H. Rydners and C W Woodbury, Apprentices I) Wavenville, P W Peterson, Ordinary Seamen F Brisoles, O McDonald,

Billon and C A Morrissey. "INWEY" (Signed) The dispatch from Admiral Dewey as soon as its contents become known. It was received late in the day and considerable delay was occasioned by the blindness of some of the cypher words. It was impossible to completely decypher it, and the asterisks indicate the unin-

elligible words. The capture of the Yorktown's men perform this annual tour of duty was discussed with much feeling in naval carrison at Hider.

That the capture should have been eflards, rather than in the prosecution of tice. agrampaign, led to the belief that Spain | The watch duties of the vessel will be would have no further ground for ques-Americans were seeking to relieve the conditions of the Spanish prisoners.

Although the dispatch gave no indimen had lost their lives, yet great anxi- of the vessel. ety was aroused by the mystery surrounding their face while in the hands capture of any Americans, military or naval, so that it is unknown how the maurgents will treat our men.

If civilized methods were pursued, an exchange could be quickly effected as General Oris has a large number of Filiis to what they will do with the York town men. The purpose of officials here practice drill. is to spare no effort to secure the speedy release of our men.

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The Issue is Silver Says Teller. DENVER, Col , April 19 .- United States Senater Henry M. Teller says that the gold standard Democrats will not be able to control the Democratic convention. and that, as in 1896, they will support the Republican candidate. He says that the Democratic convention will reaffirm the platform of 1895, and that the party must and will be allied with the allver Republican party and the Populist party both of which must maintain their or ganizations and lend all their aid to win

a victory in the great battle of 1900. ' I cannot conceive of a political situation that will induce me to favor a union with the McKinley republicans," said Senator Teller. "The republican ley and a boat's crew were sent up the financial system is one fraught with great danger to the country and one well calculated to make the rich richer and the poor poorer. The republican party favors a large standing army in time of peace of not less 100,000 men, at an expense of not less than \$125,000,040 to \$150,000,000 per annum. It is its purpose also to increase this army in proportion as the population of the country shall

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THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Today's quotations furnished by W L. Galbraith, New York, Represented by

A. U. Newberry. New York, April 20, STOCKS, Open. High, Low. Cles. Bugas ......... 165 1654 1642 1654 B. R. T...... 1304 1314 1304 1314 Manhattan ..... 124 1254 1284 1241 CATTION.

Open, High, Low. Close August..... 5.88 5.87 5.88 5.84 CHICAGO MARKETS. Open. High, Low, Close May ..... 741 7 1 74



THE NAVAL BESKRYES

Fifteen Men of Our Navy Held Captive By They Will Get a Bit of Sea Service and Practice Drill.

It is announced from the Adjutant Department has given out the following General's office that it has been decided that about a hundred of the Naval Reserves will make the summer practice cruise on the Prairie in May and the "The Yorktown visited Baler, Luzon, rest will take their cruise in July on the

The U. S. S. Prairie and Hornet hav away the Spanish forces consisting of ing been assigned to duty for the annual eighty soldiers, three officers and two drill and instruction of the naval militia priests, which were surrounded by four organizations of the Atlantic and Gulf thousand insurgents. Some of the insur- States, the Navy Department has decided upon what is considered the most feasinatives. Lieutenant J. Gilmore, while ble plan for giving each State having making \* \* \* ambushed, were fired upon such an organization an equal amount

This plan contemplates having the The following are missing: The officer Prairie off Southport by or before May previously referred to, Chief Quarter- \$2d, where she will pick up all the State ster W. W. Walton, Coxewaln J. Ethe divisions, those from Wilmington and worth, Gunners Mate II J llygard, Sali- other points, being sent to her on board the Hornet. The organization will remain on board the Prairie for a drill period of eight days, at the end of which time they will be disembarked off South-Landsmen L T Edwards, F Anderson, J

The State of North Carolina will b expected to bear the expense of subsistence of the organization while on board caused much excitoment is naval circles ship, and to see that they are supplied with proper bedding and an individual mess outfit.

Hereafter the allotment of the appropriation for arming and equipping the naval militia will be based upon the num ber or properly uniformed petty officers and enlisted men of each State who

The men of the organization are to be circles. This misfortune was felt with ready to go on board the Prairie on the added keenness, as the many has prided morning of May 22nd. One day will be staelf thus far on immunity from re allowed in port for the organization, verses. The Admiral's disputch of today berthing, messing, stationing etc., of the was the first knowledge the Department crew, at the end of which time the vessel had that the Yorktown had gone on this is to go to sea and remain seven days. special mission to relieve the Spanish the first four of which will be devoted to instruction and man of-war duties, with particular reference to aiming drift and extensional time American forces were sub-calibre practice, the following two on a mission of mercy toward the Span- days to be devoted to actual target prac-

performed by the officers of the naval thoning the good faith with which the militia, under the supervision of the regular officers stationed on board, and such watch officers will as far as practi cation that Lieutenant Gilmore and his to the handling, navigation and fighting

At the end of this tour of duty, the commanding officer of the vessel will of an uncivilized enemy. This is the first make a detailed report to Navy Depart ment, in which he will state the qual ifications of the officers for the pssitions they hold and the fitness of the petty officers and culisted men for naval service at sea.

The itinerary of the Hornet has not pino prisoners, but the insurgents have yet been arranged, beyond the fact that been averse thus far to exchanging Span- it will during the month of July give ish prisoners, and this raises a question certain of the navai militia of the coast States an oppo

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at New Bern, Craven county, N. CC., April 17,

MEN'S LISTS.

A-L II Alford, Arthur Armstrong, dl B-Mitchell Bryant.

D-A P Davis, Geo K Dunior. H-G A Hill, Wm Henry Holton, 2. J-Matthew Johnson, (2) John John on care of - Clark, E W Jones, Nor man Jones, T W Jones care of Len Jones.

L-J W Lee, Benjamin Lynch 2

M-C F Marshall, C H Moye. N-Samuel Neals, J A Neal.

P-Henry M Price. R-Lida Richardson, Frank Robins

Madison Rowe.

S-William R Staton, Rev A Small, Rev J B Smith.

T-W T Tarrant. W-George White.

WOMEN'S LIST. -Elsie Barber, Namie Biggs, Flora A

Bryant.

C-Patsy Clark. D-Charity Dixon.

E-Martha Edwards

F-Martha Foy, Katle Fulcher, Mary B Fisher, care of L A Lawrence. G-Annie Green, Grissella Gillers

Ella Grice. H-Jeannah Hargrave care of Judia Harget, Lucy Henson, Miss Hill, C W

Halbrook, Gertrade Halladay care of D A Halladay. J-Sarah Jenkins, Lucy Jordan, Mary great success.

lohnson, Bettie Jones. K-Louise Kennedy, Leah Kinsey. R-Hattie Rawlings, Annie Resbrook.

8-Emma Small, Lucy Slade, Eliza Spruill, Maggie Squires, James D Smith Mary J Smith.

T-Susan Taylor. W-Fannie Whitfield, Jane White, Leah Williams.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised and give date of The regulations now require that one (1)

cent shall be collected on the deliver of each advertised letter. S. W. HANCOCK, P. M.

A Movable Feast.

Thomas Jefferson was born on April 2, 1743, old style, or April 13, new style, or any day in the year, modern Democratic

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EVIDENCE OF THRIFT.

Susiness Men's Convention at Southern Speaker has of those Mary to be tween Pines, N. C. Where Money Only Talks and is Wanted. Governor Russell.

N. C. this week. Speakers from Floridas Georgia, Ala-

been invited to read papers and make next few years. It not only opens up addresses.

evertlow of Yankee money. Delegations of northern bankers and capitalists had been invited, per program to attend, and hear the addresses,

and make investments Tuesday was given to the Industrial agents of the Seaboard Air Line, who ming of the new Congress, for no ma had a love feast in the parlor of the Piney Woods Inn, and told of how great things were being done along the S. A.

L. Magundi, all with Yankee money. Wednesday began the business Men's Convention. The speakers with great manuscripts, and statistics in plenty were on hand, prepared to take up the

overflow of Yankee money. But somehow the advertised bankers and capitalists failed to appear.

Instead, there crowded into the parlors of the Piney Woods Inn the visitors in Southern Pines and the guests of the Hopkins of Illinois. Mr. sherman, it

These listeners were glad of the conention, for with the dark and chilly weather prevailing there was nothing to o cupy their time, and the addresses were of some laterest, then when they such watch officers will as far as practi-cable, be instructed in all that pertains which they did not fail to do, to the discomfiture of the speakers, many of whom found themselves addressing empty chairs in front and a few persons in distant corners.

The addresses were all good, and merited the attention of investors, which they did not have.

The announcement that Governor Russell would arrive Wednesday night, and that it was hoped he would receive a hearty welcome, produced no enthusi-

The "enthusiasm" at the station, when the Governor arrived, resolved itself into three cheers, given by a half a dozen of the Governor's Savages, led by a white man detailed for the purpose.

At the Inn, the Governor's party, in cluding Major Davis and Hal Ayer, were hardly noticed upon arrival, but a little later several friends gathered about them.

During the evening a number of innocent strangers were "steered up" by Hal Ayer and introduced to the Gover nor, which gave partial relief to his

isolation. Thursday, was set apart for Governor's Day, but it was noticed that everyone who knew the Governor and who possi-

bly could, got away Wednesday night. Pincy Woods Inn, is a pleasant and well kept hostelry, with rates at \$5,00

per day. Carriages from the trains carry passengers at 25 cents each same price going back, or 50 cents for the mile Between the several freezes of the

Spring, and the San Jose scale, the peach crop at Southern Pines and vicinity, Las been ruined, but there will be some pears and berries raised. A special feature of the "Yanker

thrift" of this convention, as one dele gate sald, "was the absence of distinction made between the speakers invited and the other guests." The delegate told that being unable to buy a special rate ticket as he had to make a close train connection, he had the privilege of paying full rates both ways, as well as other expenses while at Southern Pines.

The convention from a S. A. L. Ma gundi point of view will be published a

Not Cn Week Davs.

No. I cannot agree with you. I am sure that true religion is not diminish-

Well, you may be right. Anything used on Sundays only ought to last a ong time.

Which.

An Ohio man in celebrating his 80th birthday said he "never had a cross word with his wife," and everybody is puzzled to know whether he was ever married if she was deaf and dumb, or if he is simply lying at that ripe old age.

By the Handful. She-They tell me the Black baby has

her father's hair. He-Is that possible? I thought his wife got all of it.

A Good Thing.

New York is to have a cemetary for office of the Clerk of said court, within birds, dogs and cats. This is a great the first three days of said term.
This March 28th, 1809. scheme for a cat in the ground is worth two on the roof.

Bland's States off.

Upon Mr. II pkins or Mr. Sherman. 13

feet on L. go mit en. The much advertised Business Men's NEW YORK, Aril 19-The rieralo' Convention was held at Southern Pines, Washington correspondent says: "Speak er Reed's early retirement from Congress to engage in business in New York sama, South Carolina and Tennessee, will have an important bearing on the and from sections of North Carolina had course of legislation and politics for the

the question of the Speaker-hip in the The speakers were given to under- Fifty sixth con ress, out it means that stand that Southern Pines, the Yankee the Hou e of Representatives in that City, had so much money offering it for Congress will not be dominated by one nvestment that it could not use it all, man, for there is no one in that body nence the speakers were invited to sufficiently strong to step into Mr Reed's tatk up" their sections and secure this place as distator as well as presiding of ficer of the House

"Who Mr. Reed's successor will be a question that cannot be answered now It is one that will probably remain up answered north the meeting of the 15 publican caneus on the eye of the begin on the Republican side occupies such communiting position as to justify a prodiction that he will be chosen. Severn names have already been mentioned including those of Representative Payne and Sherman, of New York; Dal cell, of Pennsylvania: Grosvenor ic Ohio, Hopkins and Cannon, of Jian is and Renderson and Replants, of Town Some of these can be climinated at once

"It is believed that the contest will u timately narrow down to a light between Mr. Sherman, of New York, and Mr expected here, will have the support of Mr. Reed - personal following very largely, while Mr. Hopkins will receive the support of the men of the West There will be some exceptions to this cule, however, as one of the first men to auggest Mr. Sherman for Speaker in the event of the retirement of Mr. Reed, was Western man

"Mr. Hopkins, who is regarded as hav ng rather a better chance for election han any other candidate, is not, strictly speaking, an administration man. He was one of those who were disatisfied with the slowness with which the Presi dent moved in the events which brought about the war with Spain, and he participated in and was made chairman of the meetings of the dissati-fied members of the House. He fully appreciates the ne cessity of harmony in party action, however, and his efforts on that occasion were directed to bringing about harmony between the President and the House, when another man in his position might have widened the breach.

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Notice,

and husband, James McDonald, Ed-ward Tisdale, son of William Tisdale, and the other heirs of William Tisdale, deceased (if any), Take No-That an action has been begun in the uperior Court of Craven county to 'e form and correct a certain deed executed by Mary D Dewey deceased to C II Wig-

and mortgage.

Said action instituted as aforesaid, by Thomas F McCarthy Administrator of Mary D Dewey, deceased, You and each of you, are therefore notified to be and appear before our said Superior Court to be held in the county of Oraven at the Court House therein, on the 13th Monday after the 1st Monday in March 1890, it being the 29th day of May, and answer or demur or otherwise plead to the complaint, which will be filed in the

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