

AROUND AND ABOUT.

The schooner S. Francis, Capt. Allen was at the market dock yesterday with oysters from Brant Island.

Eaton the Jeweler, is moving into his new and much larger store quarters, next to the store he has been occupying.

Shad are still high, rose selling for 60 and 70 cents a pair, while herrings are hawked on the streets at 10 and 15 cents the dozen.

Her many friends will be glad to learn that the condition of Mrs. Dr. J. W. Duguid, is greatly improved. Mrs. Duguid has been very ill for several days.

The pleasant weather yesterday was thoroughly appreciated by all, and the streets were thronged during the afternoon with people driving and promenading.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the great factory sale of upright pianos, on the first page of this issue.

Mr. R. A. Richardson sold the lot on Pollock street yesterday, which he recently purchased of Miss Anna Pearce.

Subscribers to the Telephone Exchange will please add to their lists, number 46, Elm City Lumber Co., Store Department.

The schooner Dorchester, Capt. Evans arrived yesterday morning with a cargo of phosphate, from Norfolk, consigned to the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, of this city.

The knitting department of the Clermont mills, will start up work tomorrow, after being closed down for several weeks, which was done in order to let the finishing department catch up with the goods on hand.

Fish are becoming more plentiful. Some very nice trout, and drum were on the market yesterday, and a prominent citizen was seen carrying an enormous cod, which he pronounced to be a choice slow-fish.

The machinery of the city electric light plant was being placed in position yesterday. Some of the parts are massive and very heavy. There is a drive wheel that when fitted, will fit in said, measure fourteen feet in diameter. The machinery has all arrived.

DIME CATARRH SNUFF

loosens up the tenacious viscid mucus in nose, clears out the head and stops cerebral headaches due to cold-congestion in the front of head. The cost is only 10 cents and the benefit arising from its use is worth dollars—health to millions.

Watch Bargain.

A solid gold (9 size) (small ladies size) 14 karat Waltham or Elgin, latest engraving and designs, all hand engraved and fully guaranteed for \$18.50. This is very near factory cost, and will not be for sale at this price later than May 15th.

J. O. BAXTER, Jr.

JACOBS' Raleigh Rye Whiskey is the best. Middle street.

Special Sale Corsets.

We put on sale this week a special lot new shape corsets in short, medium and long, both summer and regular weight, worth from 60c to 75c, our price this week, all sizes, 48c.

BARFOOT BROS.

LESS WORRY.

Children will play and get over-heat-ed get their feet wet, expose themselves in dozens of ways, and you can't prevent it. All you can do is to keep them as free from exposure as possible and always have in the house a Cough Remedy that can be depended upon. Anway's Croup Syrup will fill every requirement. It is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds and Croup or the price 25 cents will be refunded by any dealer selling it. Sold by Davis, Henry's, and Bradham's Pharmacy.

Bradham's Anti-Bilious Liver Pills.

are purely vegetable and act by stimulating the liver, causing increased flow of bile and producing natural movements of the bowels. They do not produce gripping or sick stomach. Sure cure for Constipation, Flatulency, Heartburn etc. Price 25 cts. Manufactured by C. D. Bradham, wholesale and retail druggist.

A CARD.

To the Democratic Voters of Craven County:—

Solicited by my many friends to be a candidate, I hereby desire to say to the Democratic voters of Craven county, that I shall be a candidate for the coming Democratic County Convention, and ask for the support of all Democrats at that convention.

Respectfully, J. J. HART.

New Bern, April 21st.

CAPUDINE

Cures Colds, LaGrippe and All Headaches.

Pleasant to take. Your money has it if it fails.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

BASE BALL THIS WEEK.

Wednesday and Thursday Afternoon With A. & M. College Club. Practice Work Daily.

The higher temperature yesterday, made the practice work of the New Bern team much pleasanter, and some hard work was done.

Gettig, Applegate and Base, each took a turn in the box, and their work showed a noticeable improvement. They had no fear of strained muscles, and each "let out" a few shots, which promise to be other coming batemen, who think they are up against the "Infants".

The field work, yesterday, was also faster, and Reed chased and took in all kinds of sky scrapers which came into the outfield.

Daum, was as happy as a cricket, as the pitchers served up all kinds of hot and soft balls, which he took care of as they came over the plate.

Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, the A. & M. College ball team will be here, for two games with New Bern, and local cranks, and all who enjoy base ball should be out to see how it is going to be done.

The admission will be the same as to the regular games, and grand stand coupons books can be used at both games.

The following from the Charlotte Observer of 21st may be of interest.

Short stop Oates and outfielder Cooper arrived in this city from Piedmont, S. C., last night and will commence practice at Latta Park today. Lehman and Pitcher O'Brien and Queen are due from Philadelphia this morning. Back Weaver, Hempleman, Pearson and third baseman Brotherton are also expected today. No time will be lost in getting down to practice immediately after their arrival. Wednesday the Charlotte team will go to Belmont, to line-up against St. Mary's College team. Friday they will make their debut to a Charlotte audience in a game with Davidson College.

Neglect Means Danger.

Don't neglect biliousness and constipation. Your health will suffer permanently if you do. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure such cases. M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most satisfactory pills I ever took. Never gripe or cause nausea." F. S. Duffy.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The eighth annual Christian Endeavor Convention for North Carolina will be held in Asheville, June 27, 28 and 29. This will be a practical convention, and the ways of working Christian Endeavor in country and town will be fully discussed. The "Quiet Hour" and Family Religion will be among the prominent topics before the convention.

Rev. Egbert W. Smith of Greensboro will be one of the speakers; others will be announced later.

Rev. L. M. Oates, pastor of the Christian church in Asheville, is chairman of the entertainment committee.

Let all interested in Christian Endeavor work attend the convention.

MAMIE BATE, Chmn. Press Dept., and Traas Manger, State Union, Salisbury, N. C., April 19, 1902.

MERE MEN.

Senator Frye of Maine and Senator Chandler of New Hampshire are both total abstainers.

Henry Aquith, M. P., former home secretary, is making a handsome income of \$7,000 or \$8,000 a year at his law practice.

A. J. Parker of Leominster, Mass., claims to be the first man who received rations from Clara Barton. This was in a southern hospital during the civil war.

Federwaki, the pianist, is a devotee of physical culture. It is not that he wishes to be made stouter or thinner, but has pure pleasure in the performance of feats of strength.

For the first time in fifty-three years Major Lucius Slade has just failed to lead the grand march in the Boston National Lancers' annual party for children. Feeble health kept him away.

Lord Roberts makes no secret of the fact that he regards his great march from Kabul to Kandahar was foretold to him by a fortune teller and that he was so impressed at the time that he had full faith in the prophecy.

Sir Alfred L. Jones of Liverpool is the largest individual shipowner in Great Britain, his firm's tonnage now amounting to over 400,000. He is a bachelor of fifty-five and began life at the lowest rung of the ladder.

Thomas A. Walker, a wealthy Hardin county (Va.) stockman, landed in New York city in 1828 with but 24 cents and still possesses the identical 24 cents, which he will retain as a valuable heirloom for his children's children.

Stuart Robson, the actor, was once a page in the United States senate, his appointment having been due to the effect that such distinguished senators as John C. Calhoun, Jefferson Davis, Henry Clay, Robert Toombs and Alexander Stephens.

Reginald Claypoole Vanderbilt, fourth and youngest son of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, attained his majority recently and under the provisions of his father's will came into absolute possession of a sum approximating \$7,500,000. This legacy was independent of a trust fund of \$20,000,000 in which the young man has a quarter interest for life.

Vanderbilt's Gold Wedding. At the dinner given to Prince Henry by Mr. and Mrs. Cornelia Vanderbilt, Jr., Mr. Vanderbilt wore a dress suit which had gold buttons on the coat and waistcoat. Much comment was caused thereby, and it was said that the young millionaire was attempting to set a new style for men's wedding wear. The simple fact was that Mr. Vanderbilt's gold buttons were made by the corporation full dress uniform of the New York Yacht club, to whose home he accompanied Prince Henry that evening.—New York Times.

Kodak Bygone Cards

NEARLY A DROWNING.

Little Henry Whitehurst Narrowly Escapes Death. Two Small Boys and a Boat.

The beautiful but treacherous Neuse river, came near claiming another victim yesterday evening, and only the most vigorous efforts saved the threatened victim, little Henry Whitehurst, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Whitehurst.

The first part of the story is one very often told, two small boys and a boat, the boys being Isaac Hughes and Henry Whitehurst, each about 10 years old.

When the accident occurred, the boat was about 30 yards off Broad street.

Isaac hung to the over turned boat, while Henry tried to swim across.

The attention of those on shore was attracted to the boys serious condition about the time when Henry had given out and was sinking. A rush was made by several, one young man striking off part of his clothes and diving out swimming towards the drowning boy, while a boat was soon on the way. But Henry had disappeared. A launch passing rapidly along drew the boy's body to the surface, when it sank again, but Herbert Lupton diving, caught and brought the unconscious boy up, and he was quickly taken in charge and restoratives applied, under the direction of Dr. Frank Duffy.

After a time life was gradually brought back, and last night he was on the road to complete recovery.

Laces and Emblyds.

We are now showing a very pretty line val. laces, all new patterns at very attractive prices. Val laces from 15c doz. yards and then @ 3, 5, 8, 10 and up.

BARFOOT BROS.

GUM BRANCH.

April 20.—Mr. J. G. Dukes and Mr. Gowan of the Unitarian faith are holding forth here now and propounding their doctrine to unbelieving ears, and if their Rev. Mr. Crooker is authority, we had rather risk our chances with the Mormons, although we are not Mormons.

Mr. L. D. Boggs is having his house painted. Mr. Bryan Williams of Jackson ville is doing the work.

Rev. Mr. Royal preaches here on third Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Rob Daugherty holds prayer meeting other Sundays.

Mr. A. J. Holton of Olympia preached Sunday the 18th at Richlands. He is said to be a strong preacher.

Rev. Mr. Royal of the M. E. faith preached this evening at 8 o'clock and Mr. Rob Daugherty of the Free Will Baptist holds prayer meeting tonight.

Mr. L. D. Boggs' house is nearing completion. It will be the finest house in this neighborhood.

Some farmers near Richlands have transplanted tobacco, and we all will set out more or less on the next season.

As there is no news stirring in this community, we will close by telling you all that the rabbit is faring better for greens than any human being, but some fare but common for when they come to cut a mess of cabbage we snare "em" and such jumping and scrambling to get loose but no, we have to have cabbage some way therefore we eat the rabbit.

VOXPOPULI.

ASKIN.

April 19.—A few days ago, Mrs. S. G. Arthur of this place, had a bad fall, sustaining somewhat serious injuries.

She is the mother of Mr. J. M. Arthur of Askin.

THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co., New Bern, N. C.

New York, April 21. Cotton:—Open. High. Low. Close. May..... 9.35 9.39 9.22 9.28

July..... 9.21 9.23 9.16 9.17 Aug..... 9.08 9.09 8.99 8.95 Sep..... 8.41 8.43 8.33 8.33 Oct..... 8.15 8.17 8.13 8.14

Chicago, April 21. WHEAT:—Open. High. Low. Close. May..... 75 74 74 74 July..... 76 75 75 75

CORN:—Open. High. Low. Close. May..... 62 61 61 61 July..... 62 61 61 61

RHE:—Open. High. Low. Close. May..... 902 897 897 897

New York, April 21. Broome:—Open. High. Low. Close. Sugar..... 128 128 128 128

Bo By..... 374 384 U. S. L..... 184 184 U. S. B..... 421 421 U. S. B, Pref'd..... 991 991 Mo. P..... 1094 1094

Atchison..... 684 Va. C. O..... 711 A. C. O..... 604 Am. Ins..... 164

Liverpool. Spots 5.3-5.35 Sales 10,000 bales. Patars, May-June 4.53. June-July 5.

Coffee. May..... 490

PORT RECEIPTS. Same week. Last week. 46,000 38,000

This week. 46,000 40,000

May. 10,000 13,000

June. 14,000 14,000

July. 14,000 14,000

CHOICE MISCELLANY

The Population of New York. The population of the city of New York, according to the census of 1900, was 3,437,243.

Of this number 1,270,000 are foreign born, all but about 50,000 being natives of Europe. It is a matter of frequent discussion how many New Yorkers were born in New York.

The census does not tell that, but its returns do show that 1,269,718 of the population of 3,437,243 were born in the state of New York.

Excluding the foreign born population and this New York state population, it leaves us only 274,144 citizens who were born in other states than New York.

Of the native American citizens of New York six out of every seven, were born in New York state. That seems rather a surprising piece of information, for the reason that one goes and bears so much of New York's burden who come from New York from Connecticut, Massachusetts, California, Maryland, Illinois, Ohio and lately Pennsylvania, that he gets an impression that the town draws heavily and somewhat impartially from all states.

The truth is it draws sparingly, successfully and well to do men from all over the country, but recruits the bulk of its population either from near at hand or from across the sea. Poorer people don't come great distances to New York to seek their fortunes unless they come in steamers.—Harpers' Weekly.

Oldest Steam Engine at Work. Last summer, much to the surprise of the Glasgow engineers, and directed by the excellent hands prepared for the guidance of members of the company, a real live Newcomen engine was discovered at a colliery at Rutherglen, near Glasgow. It is almost certainly the oldest engine now at work and is really a quite remarkable case of the survival of the fittest.

A few years ago an engine of James Watt's manufacture, with sun and planet wheel complete, was taken down at a London brewery. It had been continuously working for 102 years and was not at all decrepit when dismantled. It now forms an archaeological exhibit in the museum of Sydney University. But this engine, though interesting, is not of the same age as the Glasgow Newcomen, was of a comparatively modern type. It did not represent an extinct race.

The Newcomen engine at Farm Colliery, Rutherglen, was built in 1809 and has worked continuously to the present time.—Cassier's Magazine.

Bread and Milk Extra. A distinguished senator of the United States went to Atlantic City a week or so ago for a few days' stay. He took a room at one of the American plan hotels, agreeing to pay \$8 a day for his meals and room.

The next morning after he arrived he was seized with an attack of rheumatic gout. The doctor he called told him he must eat nothing but bread and milk. He stayed at the hotel for five days and ate bread and milk three times a day, touching nothing on the elaborate menu. On the sixth day he sent for his bill. This is the way it came: "To room and board, five days at \$8, \$40.

"To fifteen dishes bread and milk at 25c, \$3.75.

"But," expostulated the senator, "I ate none of the meals. You shouldn't charge me for the bread and milk."

The clerk solemnly pointed to the line, "Dishes not on the bill of fare are charged extra," and the senator says he will make it cost them \$1,000 by the time he has told all his friends to keep away.—New York World.

Another Royal Guest Perhaps. King Menelaus of Mycenae, the warlike monarch of abdo hue, with 100 wives, has signified his willingness to visit the World's fair if an invitation is properly extended. The American consul, who has conveyed the tentative acceptance of the king of Mycenae, states that the ruler of the warlike nation of distant Mycenae would take with him on his journey many of the most famous beauties of his harem and a bodyguard of picturesque warriors.

Secretary Stevens of the exposition company says that there would be nothing in the ethnological congress at the World's fair rivaling the appearance of the king of Mycenae and his dusky retinue.—St. Louis Republic.

Queer Valentines. Probably the queerest valentines which came through the mails this year were two which were delivered in Brooklyn. They were two silver dollars and had come from Savannah to New York without any covering except a 2 cent postage stamp on one side and a small slip of paper containing the address on the other. They were intended for Helen and Andrew Birge, children who live at 580 Greene avenue. A year ago this act surprised her nephew and niece with similar valentines, and they came through safe. All postoffice marks had been on the stamp, as there was nowhere else to put them.

Penalties in Parliaments. Reports from foreign parliaments, says the London Chronicle, show that in none of them is disregard of the rulings of the chair visited with such heavy penalties as it is in the mother of parliaments, even under the present standing orders. The only reference to a penalty is contained in the rule governing the Hungarian parliament. There, at the discretion of the speaker, the name of a disorderly member can be submitted to a committee, which within twenty-four hours can order either apology to the house or that his name and offense be published in the official gazette and placarded in his constituency.

Notice. The Ladies Aid Society of Kitt Swamp will give an Apron-and Hat Party at the residence of Mr. J. M. Willis Saturday night, April 20, 1902.

The proceeds will be given for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. W. D. Irocks, Pres.

Askin, N. C.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat.

MORE PRACTICE WORK.

Weather Warmer and New Bern Players Out Morning and Afternoon.

Manager Bryan had his men out both yesterday morning and afternoon, the warmer weather giving more opportunity for the extra practice work.

Gas Damm, of Baltimore was the latest arrival, and he greatly pleased the hundred or more spectators, who watched him at practice.

The entire crowd of players seemed to be in good form, and some fast work was indulged in, the best and hardest practice of any day as yet.

The local interest in the approaching base ball season's games can be noted by observing those who are the regular patrons at the Athletic Park each afternoon.

Of course the small boy is numerous, but in the crowd can be seen bankers and business men, and they watch the practice work, and enjoy the sharp throwing, and good catches and pick ups, as if the "game was on."

Local amateurs are out at every practice, and assist very much by their batting and filling up any necessary position in field work.

All visitors are greatly pleased with the arrangement, and the players like the mood, so early in the season.

News as to base ball in other league cities, is of the general kind, that the players will be on hand for practice this week. Raleigh says seventeen men are expected to report for duty there, tomorrow.

It is expected that two games will be played with the A. & M. College club, here this week, but this will be fully announced later.

Very Little Timber Now. Wilmington Dispatch 18th.

Very little timber is being received now and the season is drawing to a close. This has been a splendid timber year, the receipts have been large and the prices raised very good. People in the country are now directing their attention to the crops. The money the country people have received for their timber this year came as a great benefactor as it helped many farmers to tide over the hard year and to begin on this season's crop.

McDuffie's Turpentine & Mutton Suet Lung Plaster is a certain cure for whooping cough, easy and comfortable, works while you sleep. 25 cents at F. S. Duffy's.

Another Store Building. Dr. F. W. Hughes, who is ever making improvements on his property, is having torn down his office, next to Hotel Hazelton, formerly Hotel Albert, and in its place there will be erected a substantial two story brick store.

The removal of this office takes away a historical family spot of the Hughes family, for during the past 75 years, some member of the family, always a physician, has had his office there. The Hughes residence was years ago next to the office, but business houses have for some time occupied the place once a residence.

Death of Mrs. Stillely. The death of Mrs. R. F. Stillely, is reported as having occurred at her home, at Vanceboro, on last Saturday.

Mrs. Stillely was suddenly taken sick about 7 a. m. on that day, and died in the evening, the cause of death said to be brain paralysis. She leaves a husband and a married daughter to mourn their loss.

Just Imagine. The Atlantic Highlands Journal says that occasionally a man or woman will pick up a paper, and after spending an hour scanning its columns, will throw it down with the remark: "No good, it does not publish all the news," and as far as publishing all the news is concerned, the man is right.

Then it says, for instance, were we to publish all the news of Atlantic Highlands and vicinity for one week—news we hear and believe, and what we see and know—what would be the result? We leave our reader to conjecture. The editor of an exchange when told by one of his subscribers that he did not publish all the news said: "We should say we didn't. In the first place, we have others who depend upon us for a living. In order to please the people we must print only nice things about them, and leave the rest to gossip; yet it is a fact; we don't print all the news. If we did, wouldn't it make 'em reading? But this would be for one week only. The next week there would be no paper published."

Curious Signaling. In Norway and Sweden a curious signaling takes place. The frequency of the signaling of the lighthouse. There is no telling where this strange signal, yet being its march southward through Norway and Sweden in search of food.

The interval between one migration and the next is seldom less than seven years or, as in one instance, more than seventeen years.

The lemming is a species of rodent and resembles in some ways our common water rat. Once started, these strange creatures press on in a straight line. There is no checking their march. If a wall or a house is in their way, they will try to climb it rather than go around it, and if they come to a stack of corn they will eat it and then go forward. The lemmings are good swimmers, and so they do not mind rivers and ponds, although they cannot swim about in rough water.

The migration comes to a fatal finish. Taking a direct course toward the southwest and southeast, the animals arrive after awhile at the seashore. Still they must press on, and the lemming migration ends for another seven years.

FESTIVAL OF PASSOVER.

Interesting Facts of This Great Hebrew Festival.

The festival of Passover (Pesach) is kept for eight days, beginning on the 15th day of the month of Nisan, in commemoration of the deliverance of the Israelites from slavery in Egypt. It is called Passover because the last of the 10 plagues which God sent as a punishment over Egypt was the slaying of the first born. There was not a house of the Egyptians in which some one had not died, but the houses of the Israelites were passed over by the plague, and no death occurred in any of them. When the Israelites left Egypt they went away in such haste that they had not time to prepare leavened bread; they could take only unleavened bread with them. In commemoration of this the Israelites ate unleavened bread (matzoth) during the festival, which is, therefore, called the "Feast of Unleavened Bread."

This year the Passover will occur on Tuesday, 22d inst., being the 15th day of the month of Nisan, Passover eve being Monday, 21st inst. All festivals begin in the evening.

In Their New Rectory. Many friends of the Rev. and Mrs. Van Winder Shields, formerly of this city, whose residence in Jacksonville, Fla., was destroyed by fire, will be pleased to learn that they are now occupying the new Rectory, which has just been completed.

Speaking of Jacksonville in a letter recently received, Mr. Shields says: "This is a new city, and is a marvel of energy and work. If things continue to 'whiz' as they are doing now, it will be a finished production by next winter and really well worth seeing."

It is to be greatly regretted that the handsome trees which were the pride of the city were killed or badly-damaged by the conflagration, but time may heal those scars as it heals others.

Big Advance in Peanuts. The following special to the Richmond Dispatch is of interest to growers. NORFOLK, Va., April 17.—The Gwaltney-Bankley Peanut Company, of Smith field, recognized authorities on peanut issues today a statement showing an advance on clean nuts of 1 cent per pound.

They predict that before the close of the season the price will be much higher.

Fancy hand-picked nuts, they believe, will bring 640 before August.

It is stated on good authority that there are not 5,000 bags of cleaned nuts in Norfolk, while at this time last year there were at least 40,000 bags of cleaned nuts here.

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TAKING. When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

Was Master of His Subject. Kingston Free Press, 21st.

Rev. J. Paul Spence, of New Bern, interested a large congregation at the Baptist church yesterday morning. His subject was "The Gospel Invitation."

Mr. Spence was master of his subject, and he held the close attention of his hearers.

Varying Values of Food. Fourteen oysters are equal to only one egg. Ten soup ingredients, but to live on it you would need a daily supply of 24 platefuls. A purely vegetable diet is too bulky, yet it may be good for the stout and the obese. It is true that the Scottish peasantry, their country's pride, are nurtured on oatmeal, but it is liberally supplemented by milk. Rational life is a compromise. You want the happy mean "between the tiger pacing its cage and the cow lying upon the grass"—Dr. Hutchison's "Dietetics."

NEW BERN PRODUCE MARKET