City In League to Stay. Yesterday afternoop, the New Bern b appeared at Athletic Park, and at a for scheduled game with Durham, tre Mace called game, and Durham

elted to New Bern, 9 to 0. The report that the New Bern club was out, or going out of the Stat

Not only is New Bern not out, but it

Greensboro is scheduled to play here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and New Bern is ready to meet that club.

There was an enthusiatic meeting of the Directors of the Athletic Association last night at which there was not a single exception except to go ahead. Greenaboro shut out Raleigh, yesterday, by a score of 8 to 0.

#### Exhibition Game.

Yesterday afternoon shortly after five o'clock the twelve New Bern league secured six amateurs and played a fast game, the Foster's winning from the Thackara's by a score of 4 to 2.

A bunch of errors aided the captain's team to win, and the runs of Thackara's

A small crowd witnessed the game and the rooters sympathies were with

Following is the score by innings:

Fosters 000012100-471 Batterles-Gettig and Foster, Symons

Umpires-Mace and Dawson.



A DARKY AND A MULE.

The Story of the Laying Out of Great Peach Orchard.

In the Horse World J. H. Hale, the greatest peach grower in the world. tells of his struggles and successes in the business. He gives the following incident in telling of the laying out of his orchard: Trees are cultivated more easily if in

proper alignment, so after the field was plotted I set the surveyor running lines for the rows of trees. He had not been working long when one of the old plantation darkies came, hat in hand, and said: "Cap'n, I dun reckon it cost a right smart o' money to do it dat way. Lulu and I can do it a heap sight quicker and, I reckon, about as well as dat ar' man wid de machine." On inquiry I found Lulu was his old gray mule. I had my doubts, but at his earnest pleading consented that he should make a trial way down on a corner block, where it would not show much. Old Henry cut three long straight poles from the woods, then some tufts of cotton were tied around the tops of the poles to make them white and more easily seen at a distance. The poles were just the length of the distance wanted between the rows, so a standard of measure was always at hand. Placing one pole perfectly upright on the corner of a block where the first row was to stand. Lulu was headed for the farthest end of the field, keeping the poles always in sight midway between her long upright ears, so that Henry had a "sight" that made his aim true. I overlooked operations until the third row was finished and then rushed to stop the surveyor and turn the whole job over to Lulu! The work was absolutely perfect, and now, with more than 250,000 trees in what I am often told is the best arranged orchard in America, I give due credit to the darky and the mule for the orderly way in which the trees are planted.

The Teansition of the Gypsy. The gypsy has always been known as a horse trader. Possibly he is about to change his business from horses to automobiles. At any rate a band of gypsles is this season traveling across the country in a gayly decorated automobile car. It is divided into three compartments-bedroom, dining room and kitchen. The body of the vehicle is painted a deep green, and the running gear is red. The decorations are in gold. The chief of this twentieth century gypsy band is enthusiastic over the automobile. He is able to make fifty miles a day without any trouble As yet he is still dealing in horses, but his successor may prefer to abandon horses altogether and to go through the country with a number of autom which he will be ready to barter in horse trade fashion.—Worcester Spy.

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ROANOKE ISLAND.

The Four Galeways to the Famous Resort Where a Celebration of an Historic Event is to Oc-

The four gateways to Roanoke Island where it is proposed to celebrate in appropriate form the historic events connected with Sir Walter Raleigh's efforts

at colonization more than four hundred years ago are, Elizabeth City, Edenton, Washington and New Bern. From some s going to stay in and remain until the one of these in our State each visitor must embark for the Island. And, fortunately, these towns afford ample facilities, so that there need be no monopoly at any one of them-though it is said that already there is manifest a disposition to want to monopolize the "way, but happily there is no opportunity for such a plan, as each of these fine towns has advantages to offer, once the celebra

tion is under way. The enterprise of Elizabeth City will no doubt see to it that commodious steamers make daily trips to and from the Island, and the hospitality of that players equally devided themselves and goodly town will be equal to any demands made upon it. Col. Creecy, that dear old father in newspaperdom will youch for his city.

> Certainly no less will be expected of historic old Edenton; the town itself, with its traditions, buildings and people all associated with the early history of the Old North State, will find that hundreds of visitors will make that delightful town a gateway to the celebration. RHE They will provide jaunty, spick and span steamers to transport the throngs who will journey their way. Both towns will show to the world the beauties of the Albemarle Sound.

Those visitors who make Washington, Beaufort Co., their gateway, will explore Pamlico river and Pamlico sound. Such steamers as the wideawake Washingtonians will provide, will be sure to please the public. This promises to be one of the busiest of the "ways", as her railway facilities are good and her superb passenger steamers will have many landings to make down the river.

New Bern, that beautiful town at the will also be one of the popular "ways" for visitors to the Island. She already has a line of comfortable steamers which make regular landings at "Skyoo" the these will be added to and the old steamers painted and scrubbed and made as

bright as a dollar for the great event These New Bern boats will explore the whole length of Pamlico sound in finding the mecca of its visitors; in fact, each of these interesting eastern towns has advantages peculiar to itself, and the enterprise of each may be depended upon for making the most of its special features, regardless of its neighbors.

Among the advantages which the ound region will reap from the celebration, will be in creating a stimulus to the building of the great inland waterway from Wilmington to New York, by the U. S. Government. This would afford an inland, or land protected waterway for moving either the navy of commerce between the points indicated, and would be of incalcuable value to our country in time of war with any foreign power, or when storms rage in the open

It might also bring about the finishing of some of the projected lines of railroad in that region, as well as stimulate the opening of other steamboat lines. It would bring to the attention of the world the great advantage of soil for profitable trucking; of the water for profitable fishing and of the forest for profitable lumbering. The cheapness and case with which life may be sustained in that region will be sure to attract the attention of the home seeker, and the possibilities above enumerated will attract the investor, the farmer, the fisherman, the lumbermen and the canner of fruits, vegetables and fish. These are, briefly, some of the advantages to be gained by the residents of the sound region from the proposed celebration.

There is some confusion among our people in regard to the "exposition" feature. It will not be an exposition in the ordinary sense, at all. In the building called a museum will be shown historic objects, replicas of incidents and events in the history of the colonies planted there, and pageants of the same character will be shown in the open air. There will also be in the museum, costumes, arms, wares, etc. of the time; on the shores of Roanoke Island there will be a camp of Indians in tepees, engaged in the ordinary occupations of Indians making baskets, blankets, bows and arrows and the like, just as were found four hundred years ago by Amanas and Barlows. These will be studied and pre pared to form that part of the celebration which will appeal to the eye; while a great literary feast will be spread daily. before the visitor, consisting of lectures, orations, sketches, etc. These features show at a glance the character of the ebration and will, by their novelty, prove of great interest to all visitors.

Idnitiating Never Strikes the Sen. Professor John Trowbridge of Harvard has lately made a series of exper-iments with electric sparks six feet in length which, be thinks, show that ghtaing never strikes the surface of he ocean. His experiments were un-ertaken with a view to volatilizing rater for the purpose of obtaining a trong spectrum of water vapor. But tremely difficult to pass powers aparks from one stream of water another. An interesting conclusion which he draws is that "It does no seem probable that lightning discharges pass through regions in the sir of heavy rainfall."

#### AROUND AND ABOUT.

Greensboro defeated Raleigh yesterday by a score of 8 to 0.

A few of the earlier varieties of grapes have made their appearance in the mar-

The police force are wearing their new uniforms. They were procured through J. J. Raxter.

J. J. Tolson, Jr. has put a handsome delivery wagon into service. It is the work of G. H. Waters & Son. The friends of airs. D. L. Ward, who

pleased to know that she is improv-The Sunday pilgrimage to Morehead was larger than usual. Six coaches were required to carry all who desired to go

There were 70 tickets sold here. The telegraph dispatches from differ ent parts of the country tell of the ravages of mad dogs, and the dogs around town should be looked after, and if

necessary, muzzled.

cipate in the Firemen's Tournament at Raleigh next week from the 22 to the 25. They will take along with them the horse hose wagon and "old Jim."

Dr. Wm., Edwin Hall of New York, will deliver one of his famous lectures at the Court house Monday night July 14, under the auspices of the Christian church. Admittance 25 cents.

The "Atlantic" and "Button" contes at J. J Baxter's store up to Friday night stands as follows: Atlantic 149 votes total 1132; Button 125 votes, total 1152. The Button company being 20 votes in

Mr. A. E, Hibbard has been appointed a Marshal, with the invitation to be present and take part in the parade which opens the State Firemen's Tourns ment at Raleigh, July 23nd, 23rd, and

The colored people organized lyceum and they will meet next Tues day night at the Red school house on West street. The subject for discussion will be "Has the abolition of slavery im confluence of the Neuse and Trent rivers proved the condition of the colored peo ple ?" The public are invited.

Several complaints have been heard recently, of transfer drivers attempting to extort money from their passengers. port of entry to our historic Island. But The scheme is to take a party out to ride and on the return trip demand an ad-

> The report of the presence of a rattle snake around the Baptist church yard, has had a more quieting influence on the orgies of the gay and festive denizens of Church ally, lately, than the average policeman exerted in the past.

The big lumber plant of Parmelec-Eccleton Co., of Jacksonville was almost totally destroyed by fire Sunday night. The mill and machinery were burned but the outside lumber and dry kiln were saved. Damage and insurance unknown.

With all the past hot weather, the health of the city is very good. The introduction of artisan water was a great benefit to the health conditions, but a more general use of the sewer system other sanitary observa-

Mr. J. A. Jones, the horse dealer, is having his stables on Broad street painted. Some time ago he erected a very nest wooden awning across, the front of the building which added considerably to the comfort of the place during the warmer part of the day.

The exterior of Davis Pharmacy, corner Broad and Middle street is being painted, the color scheme is green with trimmings which give a cool pleasant look to the building. The interior has been lately very much improved and fur nished in very handsome and elegant cherry fittings.

A large excursion party of colored people from Raleigh came in yesterday to spend the day here. The Raleigh "Coons" are proverbially noisy and demonstrative, but those yesterday behaved all right, the loudest thing about them being their raiment, which was "deafening." For color and style the historical coat of Joseph, alongside of the coats displayed here yesterday would cut no figure at all.

There will be a game of base ball between the Raleigh and New Bern colored clubs today and possibly Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. This afternoon the game will be called at 4 c'clock The battery for the local team will be the renowned Profiting team. A great pitcher from New Orleans will be in the box for the visitors. C. Russel Morten will umpire the game. Admission 10 and

A big excitement was caused on Middle street yesterday by two steers which were being taken to marke'. The solmale were fastened to a cart drawn by a mule and the progress along the thoroughfare was very slow and uncertain and at the South Front and Pollock street corners they made a lively scene.
There should be other arrangements for
the transportation of these animals for
as it is done now it is very easy for a serious accident to happen.

#### New Books at the New Bern Circulating Library.

The Virginian, Derethy South, Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, The Role of the Unconquered, A Carolina Cavaller
Joscelyn Chashire, The Hound of the The Benefactress, The Phristian, The Translation of a Consequences, Tom Sawyer.

#### MORE OF CHARLOTTE.

The Davis Pharmacy has received a Unknown Reason But The Quitters Ask Berths in Other Teams.

> Thus far nothing official regarding the new league series, the new league sched-ule, the throwing out of New Bern, the quitting of Charlotte, the drawing out ington, and the giving up of the Charlotte franchise to New Bern, has been received here.

Everything that is known, is simply hearsay, outside rumor, or from ou ewspaper sources.

It is the most extraordinary treatment ever given a ball club, which was regular in every way, or an Association has been very ill at Beaufort, will be which was a member of the State League, and fully entitled to a vote on the question of every matter affecting the League.

But there is yet more to tell of this League business,

Last evening, C. L. Stevens, member State League Executive Committee, received a telegram from President Busbee to send his proxy to Raleigh, as there was to be a League meeting Saturday night, to divide the Charlotte The Button Fire Company will parti- players among the New Bern, Greensborc, Raleigh and Durham clubs.

What standing has Charlotte or any of its players in the North Carolina League of Professional Base Ball Clubs, any way?

Charlotte quit the league, and gave up its franchise, therefore what can its players claim from the Executive Com-

It looks from this point, like an Ashen back move to assist his fellow ball tossers at the expense of the State League. As every team manager knows quite well, Ashenback has figured and talked about selling this and that player for weeks past,

He has attempted to sell to Knoxville, o Atlanta, to any one who would buy. His "world beaters" have been hawked about at constantly falling prices, and no one wants them.

And now comes the proposition to 'divide" the players, (and who are left?) among the teams that are left, and not one of them but has been offered these men before this.

What is the matter? Surely Charlotte paid its team, so that its members are not in need of charity! Or is it a scheme which means filching the League treas-

Being in darkness, and always kept so New Bern cannot help itself, but the affair has a bad look.

There is too much secrecy in the conduct of League affairs, and unnecessarily 40, it looks down this way.

#### Death of Mrs. W. E. Brown.

Mrs. Ida Brown, wife of County Commissioner W. E. Brown, of Vanceboro, died Friday morning at 6;30 o'clock of typhoid fever. She was well known here and had many friends in this city. The funeral services were held yesterday at the family burial ground, Revs. Father George and Quinn conducting the services.

#### TROUBLESOME QUESTIONS.

For Which Mont Pelee and La Sonfriere Are Responsible. "George, dear, why is it that scientific persons don't try to investi gate the inside of the earth?" "I suppose they consider it beneath

them, my love." "There, George, you are trying to joke again. I'm serious about thisreal serious. It seems to me that it would be doing the world a great serv-

ice if somebody could find out just what it is stuffed with." "That is the woman of it, my dear. You want to get at the cotton batting and the sawdust. Yes, you do. You are consumed by a ruthless curiosity.

You want to find the funny business that makes the doll say 'papa' and 'mamma.' It's the destructive instinct that all women possess."

"Why, George, you're horrid!" "Oh, I know your sex. We've had several women in our family. I knew all about you when I married you. But suppose you could get your destructive little scissors into the inside of the globe. Would it do you any good to find out that the cotton batting was guncotton and the sawdust giant

"George, you are a mean thing. I don't care the littlest bit what's inside the old earth; only it does seem as if we ought to know. Perhaps we could guard against things better if we knew what to expect."

"Pooh, pooh, my dear. The chances are if you knew what to expect you aldn't sleep a wink afterward. Your head would be filled with the wildes apprehension. Your ears would be strained to catch the hollow crash that forefold the end of everything. You'd walk pussy footed for fear of breaking through the crust. You'd have a suphur respirator and a lava cellar and a steel umbrella that would shed cinders. Oh, you'd enjoy your inside knowledge, I don't think."

"George, I'm not going to suggest anything serious again. You make light of everything. All I had in mind was a hole bored down into the earth far enough to enable us to know what's going on down there."

"And I suppose when you found out you'd pull the hole up and fold it away for future use?" "George, I'm not going to any another word to you."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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#### CITY COUNCIL

Accept Electric Light Plant From Smith Courtney Company, International Telephone Co. Granted a Fran-

The City Council held an adjourn neeting Friday night and the main bustness was the acceptance of the Electric Light System lately established under control of the city. The system is put in by the Smith-Courtney Company of Richmond Va. There are 63 arc lights and upward of 200 incandescent now to operation. The capacity for the incan-descent circuit is said to be about 1500 lights. Applications are being made daily for lights on the incandescent circuit which demonstrates that the lights

give general satisfaction.

Another important item of business transacted at the meeting was the granting of a 25 year franchise to the International Telephone Co. of America. Argu ment on this question waxed hot and the session was extended into late hours of the night but the company won out.

The provisions of the new franchise are that the wires are to be placed under-ground, that every residence, store or office is to have an instrument that desires one. The number of instruments stipulated in the franchise is 1800. The company is placed under \$10,000 bond for the faithful performance of its contract and the work is to commence within six weeks.

The rates asked by the company are two cents a message for five iminutes or fraction therof and the mechanism being of the slot nature the pay-when-you talk plan will be observed. The patron buying tickets which are deposited in the slot making the telephone opera

Major Neal, the representative of the company was present at the council and explained the workings to the satisfaction of the city fathers.

#### CYNICISMS.

Misfortunes never come singly, but good fortune has solitary habits. Do you annoy people who are willing

to let you alone? Many people do It. Look yourself over. A man bating woman and a woman hating man are always suspected of

having a lot of scars. It is a good plan for a man to leave his widow some life insurance in order that hope may take root again in her

While a mother and father are still of the belief that their daughter is a baby some young man comes along

who teaches her she is a woman. When a woman gets a yard of lace at a dry goods store, it means one trip back to change it, a trip to match what she changed and a fourth trip to get more.-Atchison Globe.

#### The Big Annual Picnic

Will be at the Alum Spring, Onslow county, July 30th, 1902, everybody come and bring your basket a good time is ex-

The Legend of Requefort Cheese. Roquefort cheese like many other unique food productions, has its legen of accidental origin. A shepherd lad, could eat, while tending his flock of sheep, laid a large portion of his bread and cheese upon a natural shelf in one of the caverns nearby. Boylike, he forgot all about it until several months later on returning to that cavern he found his luncheon. The cheese, in-stead of being dried up or rotten, was rich, moist and creamy and streaked mother of his discovery and shared his piece of cheese with others. The villagers were quick to recognize the im-proved texture and quality of the se, and henceforth all their cheeses were taken to these caves to ripen.

The caves are owned by a joint stock company, who employ about six hun-dred women to tend the cheese. Oak shelves on which the cheeses are placed and so arranged that each cheese may have one side next the cold wall of the cave give over 65,000 square yards of

#### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. R. A. Damon left for the north last night.

Prof. H. P. Harding is visiting in Mr. J. D. Herritage of Trenton spent last night in the city.

Mr. David Henry left last night for his ome in New York. Mrs. H. S. Bradshaw and son are visit-

ing relatives in Hillsboro. Mr. Carl Richardson, of Durham is the guest of relatives here. Miss Ellinor Taylor returned hom-com Kinston Sunday Morning.

Judge Henry R. Bryan went to Jack onville yesterday where he is holding

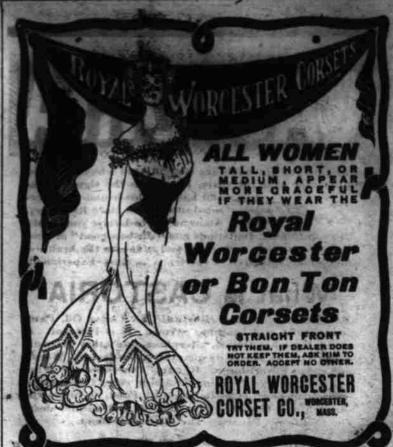
Miss Amelia Hamilton of Mt. Olive in in the city visiting Mrs. Edgerton on Mr. Edwin G. Hill returned last a

rom Black Moustain where he has been Miss Adelaide Claypoole, who has een visiting in Hillaboro and Durham

Mrs. W. P. Koch, left last night for chighton, Pa. to spend the summer will datives and friends.

Mr. Walter Williams formerly of New Bern, but now of Elizabeth City is in lown visiting relatives.

Master Roy Edgarton returned Sun lay from Goldsboro where he has been delting relatives and friends. Mrs. H. A. Austle and children



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