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STATE LEAGUE BASE BALL.

The report of the meeting at Raleigh, on last Wednesday night, practically assures lovers of the National game of base ball, of a season of pleasure in seeing first class amusement on the ball field.

Base ball, professional and amateur, last year in North Carolina, was a great success in point of good playing and exciting contests.

Last season's interest in base ball proved that the people want to see more of it, and this interest has been best demonstrated by the League just formed, by the number of the gentlemen who are giving their time and attention to the establishment of the League, and the emphatic determination of the officers to have good ball playing, clean ball playing, and the extermination of every species of rowdiness on and off the field.

This looks like a large contract to perform, but the officers of the League feel that their individual reputations are in a measure at stake in this matter, and while they are lovers of exciting and enthusiastic ball playing, they want the games to be strictly honest and clean.

Another feature of this season's base ball is the purpose to make it an economical affair as possible for each and every club management, so the season's schedule once entered upon, will be completed.

This purpose carried out means benefits all around. To the players, as it will assure them pay throughout the four months; to the patrons of the game an assurance of amusement during an otherwise dull season, and to those who bear the financial risk, a fair opportunity of getting through a season without loss.

The successful carrying out of the purposes of the present State League Base Ball management, as shown at the meeting of the organization, means months of genuine sport to lovers of the National game, and the establishment of base ball playing upon a basis of honesty in every particular, and this is what every patron of the game wants to see, and nothing else.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him to be perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & THURX, Wholesale Druggists Toledo, O. WALKING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Hall's Family Pills are the best

John P. Aligold, Dead.

Joliet, Ill., March 12.—Ex-Governor John P. Aligold died here this morning of a paralytic stroke of which he was stricken at the close of a vigorous speech favoring the South African republic at the Pro Boer meeting last night.

Dr. Bull's Pills for Liver Ills.

One pill's dose. Box, 80 pills, 10 cts. Cure Constipation, Liver Troubles, Biliousness, Impure Blood, Dyspepsia, Female Complaints, Stomach and Bowel Disorders. Dr. Bull's Pills never gripe.

Boston Strike Spreading.

Boston, March 12.—Eighteen thousand men are now out and thirty thousand are ready to quit as soon as the order reaches them. A coal famine menaces the city. Mayor Collins has appealed to Senator Hanna to effect a settlement by arbitration as head of the national civic federation.

Rheumatism Cured in 24 Hours.

T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Blackmore, Pittsburgh, Pa., says: "A short time since I procured a bottle of Myo Cure. It got me out of the house in 24 hours. I took it to my bed with Rheumatism nine months ago and the Myo Cure is the only medicine that did me any good. I had five of the best physicians in the city, but I received very little relief from them. I know the Myo Cure so in what it is represented and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers." Sold by T. A. Henry, Druggist, New Bern.

CYNICISM.

A great deal of valuable time is wasted listening to good advice.

It always makes a man mad to hear his girl listen sympathetically to some other man's story of his troubles.

If a man has a boil, his true friends call it an abscess, and those whose friendship can't be rolled upon call it a pimple.

Every kind father should drop money into the children's bank in order that their mother can be supplied with "change."

After a woman has been married a few years she looks at young girls in wonder that they can find so much to laugh about.

When a woman gets a fur cloak and her friends pat her lovingly in passing, she knows it is not affection that prompts it. They want to know if it is genuine or imitation.—Atchison Globe.

Ancient Chinese Bridges.

Suspension bridges which were built in the time of the Han dynasty (202 B. C. to 220 A. D.) are still standing, striking examples of oriental engineering skill. According to historical and geographical writers of China, it was Shang Lieng, Kaen Tu's chief of command, who undertook to construct the first public roads in the flowery empire. At that time it was almost impossible for the province of Shense to communicate with the capital. Lieng took an army of 10,000 workmen and cut great gorges through the mountains, filling up the canyons and valleys with the debris from his excavations. At places where deep gorges were traversed by large and rapidly flowing streams he actually carried out his plan of throwing suspension bridges, stretching from one slope to the other.

These crossings, appropriately styled "flying bridges" by early Chinese writers, are high and dangerous looking in the extreme. At the present day a bridge may still be seen in the Shense which is 400 feet long and is stretched over a chasm more than 1,000 feet deep. How those early engineers erected such a structure with the tools and appliances at their command is a mystery which will probably never be explained.

Humor at St. Peter's.

You would not look in St. Peter's for a practical joke, but one was perpetrated by the unknown artist that carved the tomb of Pope Innocent XII, who reigned from 1691 to 1700. His family name was Pignatelli, which is the Italian for a small jug, and the artist has introduced tiny jugs at every opportunity among the embellishments.

The toe of the famous bronze statue of St. Peter has been worn away by the kisses of the faithful, which practice has given rise to the absurd but widely believed idea that pilgrims kiss the actual toe of the living pope. It is the ugliest thing in St. Peter's. The figure is of rude workmanship, and one is ready to believe the story that it was never intended for St. Peter at all, but is an old statue of Jupiter Capitolinus unearthed in excavations of the sixteenth century. The church authorities admit that it was cast from the bronze of a pagan statue, but claim that it was always intended for St. Peter.—Rome Letter in Chicago Record-Herald.

Goats' Milk.

A German sanitarium regrets that so little use is made of goats' milk. Its advantages over cows' milk are, he says, that it is richer, more like human milk and absolutely free from germs of tuberculosis.

Would Smash the Club.

If members of the "Hay Fever Association" would use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the club would go to pieces, for it always cures this malady, and Asthma, the kind that baffles the doctors—it wholly drives from the system. Thousands of once-hopeless sufferers from Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis owe their lives and health to it. It conquers Grip, saves little ones from Croup and Whooping Cough, and is positively guaranteed for all Throat and Lung troubles, 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at C. D. Bradham's.

Spanish Cabinet Resigns.

Madrid, March 12.—It is announced today that the Ministry has placed its resignation in the hands of the Queen regent. This action follows yesterday's dismissal of the cortex.

Practically Starving.

"After using a few bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure my wife received perfect and permanent relief from a severe and chronic case of stomach trouble," says J. R. Holly, real estate, insurance and loan agent, of Macomb, Ill. "Before using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she could not eat an ordinary meal without intense suffering. She is now entirely cured. Several physicians and many remedies had failed to give relief." You don't have to diet. Eat any good food you want, but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will always digest it for you. F. S. Duffy.

Killed by Cyclone.

Dallas, March 12.—A cyclone struck this section of Texas today, killing two persons and doing great damage to the farming district. The property loss in Dallas county alone will be one hundred thousand.

La Grippe Quickly Cured.

"In the winter of 1899 and 1900 I was taken down with a severe attack of what is called La Grippe," says F. L. Hewitt, a prom in druggist of Winfield, Ill. "The only medicine I used was two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It broke up the cold and I never had the coughing like magic, and I have never since been troubled with Grippe." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can always be depended upon to break up a severe cold and ward off any threatened attack of pneumonia. It is pleasant to take too, which makes it the most desirable and one of the most popular preparations in use for these all-around ailments. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat.

This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Dieting unnecessary. Pleasant to take. It can't help but do you good.

Prepared only by E. O. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The 81 bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 50c. also.

F. S. DUFFY & CO.

The Hand in Health.

Let us shake hands with a man and we will tell you something about his health, says the London Doctor. The firm, hearty handshake of a sincere man may be rather rough, so that one is taught he has a grip, but it indicates stamina. While denoting absence of tact and refinement, it points to physical strength. The flabby hand that retains no pressure belongs to the person who has no great strength of body or mind. The quick, nervous handshake of an excitable, nervous temperament and its opposite, the nerveless, passive one, belong to persons in ill health. The hand that threatens to collapse or give means fear. The feel of the hand called magnetic indicates health and kindness and a desire to help others. In many ways we may decide character by the hand as well as the brain.

The Curious Bezoar Stone.

There is now no sale for bezoar stones. The time was when this concretion was deemed very valuable, and many living men will remember having seen perfectly formed specimens sell for \$5 or \$10, to be carried in the pocket as lucky stones. The bezoar stone is formed in the stomachs of cattle. It is calcareous and as hard as a bit of limestone, but the core is generally a mass of hair locked into the hide of the animal and carried into the stomach with the saliva. These concretions are as plentiful now as they ever were.

A Lunatic's Advice.

Mr. Lionel Brough once played a game of billiards in an asylum with one of the patients. He conceded his adversary twenty-five points, with the result that he was hopelessly beaten. Then the patient took him quietly on one side and said: "Look here! If you go on giving points so recklessly as that you'll be in this asylum instead of me!"—London Tit-Bits.

Can't Keep It Secret.

The splendid work of Dr. King's New Life Pills is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for Liver and Bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bleed themselves for curing Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Jaundice and Indigestion. Try them 25c. at C. D. Bradham's drug store.

Steamer Reported Wrecked.

Hull, March 12.—It is reported that the Allan line steamer Hurodan, which left Glasgow for St. Johns, N. B., on February 11th and has not since been reported, was wrecked off Sable Island. The government steamer Aberdeen has gone to investigate.

The Vice of Nagging

Clouds the happiness of the home, but a nagging woman often needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, sleepless with loss of appetite, headache, broodiness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spells she needs Electric Bitters, the most wonderful remedy for alling women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used it, and become healthy and happy. Try it. Only 50c. C. D. Bradham. Guarantees satisfaction.

Disabled Steamer Reported.

New York, March 12.—Captain Montano, of the steamer Sardegna, arrived today and reported that he spoke the Red Star liner Westerland four hundred miles east of Sandy Hook yesterday. She had her crank pin broken.

Danger of Colds and LaGrippe.

The greatest danger from colds and la grippe is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases, we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous malady. It will cure a cold or an attack of la grippe in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

Street Cars Running.

Norfolk, March 12.—The street cars are running unguarded here. The strikers are holding out, but it is believed they are beaten. It is believed the troops will begin to leave tonight.

For The Complexion.

The complexion always suffers from biliousness or constipation. Unless the bowels are kept open the impurities from the body appear in the form of unsightly eruptions. Do Witt's Little Early Risers keep the liver and bowels in healthy condition and remove the cause of such troubles. C. E. Hooper, Albany, Ga., writes: "I used Do Witt's Little Early Risers for biliousness. They were just what I needed. I am feeling better now than in years." Never gripe or distress. Safe, thorough and gentle. The very best pills. F. S. Duffy.



ACRES OF SAILS.

Rigging of the New Seven Masted Schooner Weighs Ten Tons.

The canvas required for the sails of one of the big schooners that are so prominent a feature of the American merchant marine today is almost unbelievable. Measurement in yards, feet and inches conveys only a bare suggestion of the real meaning of their size and power. The great wind surface of taking an immense driving force, and when the canvas is set in a good breeze the strain on the hull of the vessel is necessarily tremendous. In any circumstances the sails are heavy to raise or lower, and when they are wet their weight is considerably increased. It is easy to see, therefore, that a big schooner must be very strongly built to withstand the constant straining to which she is subjected.

The sail equipment of the seven masted steel schooner which is building in the Fore River shipyard at Quincy is particularly interesting. The seven masted will be the largest sailing vessel in the world, and her set of canvas is, of course, the largest ever made anywhere. It is being put into shape at Gloucester and will require the services of the establishment's whole force for four weeks to complete it. The 43,000 square feet of duck which must be cut and sewed would, placed together in a square, cover almost two acres, and 10,000 feet, or more than a mile and three-quarters of rope, weighing a ton and a half, will be used up as bolt ropes and for other purposes.

The materials and labor which are going into the sail equipment of the seven masted would be sufficient, if used upon smaller sails, to make nine sets of rigging such as the largest fishermen require. The whole rigging of this wonder of naval architecture, canvas and ropes together, will weigh no less than 20,000 pounds. Powerful steam engines will be required to hoist and lower sail, since no crew, however large, could hope to do the work unaided.

Cushing's Way.

"Caleb Cushing would go into the street and ask information of the shabbiest negro if in that way he could learn what he wished to know," said one who was associated with him in Washington.

Lobsters and Crabs.

In buying lobsters and crabs the heaviest are the best. The male lobster, though generally smaller, has the best flavor.

Could Not Breathe.

Coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, other throat and lung troubles are quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure. One Minute Cough Cure is not a mere expectorant, which gives only temporary relief. It softens and liquefies the mucus, draws out the inflammation and removes the cause of the disease. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. "One Minute Cough Cure will do all that is claimed for it," says Justice of the Peace J. Q. Hood, Crosby, Me. "My wife could not get her breath and was relieved by the first dose. It has been a benefit to all my family." F. S. Duffy.

Queer Beauty.

In New Holland the women cut themselves with shells and, keeping the wounds open a long time, form deep scars in the flesh, which they deem highly ornamental. Another singular mutilation is made among them, which in infancy they take off the little finger of the left hand at the second joint.

Lockjaw From Cobwebs.

Cobwebs put on a cut lately gave a woman lockjaw. Millions know that the best thing to put on a cut is Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the infallible healer of Wounds, Ulcers, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Burns, Scalds and Piles. It cures or cures. Only 25c. at C. D. Bradham's drug store.

Look For The Key.

Don't get angry at small things. Look at vexations now as you will view them thirty days from date. The angry man who gets the wrong key and pushes and rattles the door till he breaks the lock loses more time than if he had quietly gone for the right key and paid for a new lock besides.

A Warning.

Whatever be your talents, whatever be your prospects, never speculate away on a chance of a palace that which you may need as a provision against the workhouse.—Bulwer.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup Cures

A Cough or Cold at once. Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough and Measles Cough without fail. Best for Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Grippe, Pneumonia, Consumption and Lung Affections. Quick, sure results. Price, 25c.

Potted Plants.

It is necessary to supply food to any large plant growing in a small pot. The soil gets so full of feeding roots that nourishment must be supplied extraneously. A good fertilizer supplies the plant with food quite as sufficiently as would rotting.

An Ant Wash.

A favorite dish of the East Indians is an ant wash. The insects are caught in pits and mashed by hand into the paste.

How to Cure The Grip.

Remove quietly at home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as directed and a quick recovery is sure to follow. This remedy counteracts any tendency of the grip to result in pneumonia, which is really the only real danger. Among the tens of thousands who have used it for the grip, not one case has ever been reported that did not recover. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

Told by Pain. Wine of Cardui. Advertisement for Cardui wine, featuring an illustration of a woman in pain and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

Baldheads would be a curiosity if Dandruff, Itching Scalp and Falling Hair were promptly arrested and cured by using Coke Dandruff Cure. Results are absolutely certain.

Coke Shampoo and Toilet Soap. Has no equal for the complexion. Results are quick and highly gratifying.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. 1837 THE SUN 1902. BALTIMORE, MD.

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ICE FOR HOME USE. Clean, pure, wholesome, guaranteed to be chemically made from distilled water and free from impurities.

New Berne Ice Co. TAKE NOTICE! That on July 15th 1901 at Sheriff's sale in Craven county, I purchased 500 acres Dover road in No. 9 township, Craven county listed to Thomas Gibson as per tax list 1900.

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That on July 15th 1901 at Sheriff's sale in Craven county, I purchased 50 acres, Bachelor's Creek in No. 8 township, Craven county, New Bern, N. C. listed to Geo. Richardson as per tax list 1900.

That on July 15th, 1901 at Sheriff's sale in Craven county, I purchased 47 acres Bachelor's Creek in No. 8 township Craven County, New Bern, N. C. listed to E. R. Riggs as per tax list 1900.

That on July 15th, 1901 at Sheriff's sale in Craven county, I purchased 40 acres of land, Ploy Neck in No. 1 township, Craven county listed to Jno W. Smith as per tax list of 1900.

That on July 15th, 1901 at Sheriff's sale in Craven county, I purchased 30 acres, dense woods, in No. 9 township, New Bern, N. C. listed to Edward M. Mine as per tax list of 1900.

That on July 15th, 1901 at Sheriff's sale in Craven county, I purchased one lot on Mutual Street, New Bern, N. C., in No. 8 township, listed to A. A. Bryan, as per tax list of 1900.

The Southern Railway. Announces the Opening of the Winter TOURIST SEASON. And the Placing on Sale of Excursion Tickets.

To all Prominent Points in the South, Southwest, West Indies, Mexico and California. Including St. Augustine, Palm Beach, Miami, Jacksonville, Tampa, Fort Tampa, Brunswick, Thomasville, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Asheville, Atlanta, New Orleans, Memphis and all other prominent points.

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We have Tools for the Carpenter, Implements for the Farmer—Fellup's, White's and Avery's Plows and Castings, Lath and steel and cast; Guano Sowers \$1.75, \$4.00, \$6.00 and \$12.50.

Builders Supplies of all kinds—Sash, Doors, Laths, Lime, Hair Cement Plaster, &c.

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Freight & Passenger For All Points North. Commencing Monday, February 17th the steamers of this line are scheduled to sail from New Bern as follows:

The Steamer NEUSE for Oriental, Rannoke Island, Elizabeth City and the North on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6 p. m.

The Str. Ocracoke. On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 3 p. m.

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