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# GREENVILLE, N. C., JULY 12, 1895.

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#### Local Trains and Boat Schedule.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:37 P. M.

North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A M, leaves 10:10 A. M.

South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M., leaves 2:15 P. M.

Steamer Myers arrives from Wash ington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thurs day and Saturday.

Weather Bulletin.

Saturday, local rains.

IN THE STATE.

**Records of Matters of General Interest** 

Last Saturday there was over 1,200 qushels of North Carolina corn at Newberne waiting for that took him 90 minutes to land. shipment.

Great swarms of locusts have made their appearance in Cabarrus county. Their cries can be heard for miles.

The Observer says that there has been between 300 and 400 new houses built in Charlotte since the first of January.

Mr. Walter H. Page, one of the leading thinkers of the country and native of this State, has gatherings with the beethren of resigned the editorship of the the Fourth Estate are occasions they were almost on the verge of Forum.

Zeb Jones got one of his eyes than we can forego without cut out the other day, says the some interference out of the or-Journal, with clam shell, thrown dinary. by another colored boy The eye was broken so that it ran out.

Mrs. W. M. Rawls, of Onsiow county, is the mother of 15 children, 12 of whom are living, and she has 86 grand-children, 72 of whom are living, 16 great grand children, 12 of whom are living. Her age is 72 years.

The quatermaster general is issuing \$6,000 worth of clothing to the State Guard, just received to the State Guard, just received year we have concluded to "go straightened out in one hou west" next week, and if our fore he moves into another. in the State Guard. There are hold on we will try to mingle now thirty companies, with ap- in the ocean with them and help Pitt County plication from thirty others. Them pull fish early in August. this afternoon plication from thirty others. N. 11977 2263 11

Fit for Summer "Uncle John" Cherry came up rom Ocracoke to-day to get the excursion party ready to take

That's what you are if you buy your Summ -Outfit from my stock of-

Collars,

Come to me and I'll make you cool, neat an

Fishing continues fine. Col. Williamson, of Asheville, was out Monday and at four casts of his line caught eight trout-two at each haul-and if he had had more hooks on his line there is no telling how many he would stylish for the season. My TIES are the acm have caught. Tuesday he caught of neatmess and comtort. In this line we have a 30lb drum that took him 20 minutes to land, and Wednesday he caught another weighing  $27\frac{1}{2}$  lbs He is the happiest man on the island and the champion catcher of big fish.

At Ocracoke.

down to-morrow. He says there

is a nice crowd at the hotel and

Messrs Bell & Harris are sustain-

ing their reputation for keeping

a good house. All wants of their

guests are supplied.

A large crowd will go down Saturday from Wilson, Tarboro and Greenville.

#### Between Temptations.

This scribe is just now posing midway between two great temptations. The State Press Convention meets at Greensboro next week, and these annual pleasure. The prospects of two

On the other hand some friends with whom we have been taking an annual outing at Ocracoke have hied themselves there and are writing that they have been looking for us on every Hinton families. boat, that fish are biting like "crowds at the patent medicine fake on court day," and that this pleasant old resort is surpassin any of its former seasons



Sawed The House In Halves.

squabble between two colored a startling proof of the genuin families is reported from Raleigh. Lewis Hinton and James Johnson owned a house jointly; their families lived in different ends of the house. The wives of the two men were continually fussing, so that we look forward to with much fighting. There was no peace between them. To settle the difficulty A small colored boy named jolly days with them is more the men, Hinton and Johnson, sawed the house in halves. The lot was divided off in equal proportions and one half of the house was put on one lot and the other half on the other lot. A fence divides them and there is once more peace in the Johnson and

> Mrs. E. C. Jennings, of Chicago wants a divorce because her husband finds it cheaper to move It is hard to decide between than to pay rent, and for that the two, but as the Press boys reason moves so often that his don't get together but once a wife hasn't time to get things straightened out in one house be-

> > Pitt County Rifles had a drill

A recent convert of the Sal An interesting and unique little | tion Army in Seattle, Wash., ga ness of his profession of repe tance by making public annound ment that he was an escaped co vict, having sixteen years yet serve in the Leavenworth, Ka penitentiary, and that he w ready to go back to jail. A fe days ago a guard from the per tentiary arrived in Seattle, iden fied the converted convict, as took him back, really rejoicing.

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#### Cotton and Peanuts.

Below are Norfolk prices of cott and peanuts for yesterday, as furnish by Cobb Bros. & Co., Commission Me chants of Norfolk :

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All the evidence in the Shemmorning .- There will be five Weather Proverbs: s, sches on each side. The State has made a very strong case against the prisoner and pected. we do not see how the jury can by ag in a verdict of not guilty tory of such trials. What a ary will do in such case ' is one of the things hard to be foretold Le will be a battle royal between the distinguishd counsel on each side.

Mrs. Pattie E., B. Arrington and the printers of her paper styled, "Criminal Docket" have ben presented in Wake. Superior Court for libel against ex-Judge Whitaker, and in another case for libel against the late Chief Justice, W. N. H. Smith.

The language used in the paper in reference to Judge Whit in their mouths expect a "northaker was as follows:

"No doubt my son we all know you like anything on God's green earth called money. You have proved it in every way, but the greatest proof was can see the wind." when you robbed, yes, stole, thisteen hundred dollars from fair weather, but a solitary buz me, your client, by deception and false statements, and then made an order paying out twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars of my money at two in pairs, expect fine weather o'clock at right, you getting ten per cent. of the deb., it be- they scream in foul weather it ing a case you had for some will change to fair. man against the Arrington estate.'

sis for the indictment for libel ing before a storm. against the late Chief Justice. She says:

woman's and children's home preserve them, and next winter gotten by fraud? The work of hat noted Chief Justice, refer- Florida people will be buying r d to in that paper. Is that canned tomatoes from the North one of the honors handed down and paying at the rate of about \$6 1.om pap to son "

saying that this is just what she wanted, and that when she gets in the courts she will make it lively for somebody and give the newspapers something that will make them 'fairly bristle.'



of The following specimens we" Lic' is now in and the are folks lore are from the late Gen. gument was begun yesterday R. W. Hazen's compilation of

ing to pasture, rain must be ex-

The cardinal point to which a cat turns and washes her tace afdyet this's about the his-ters rain shows the direction try are the places where these from which the wind will blow. When a storm threatens, if cat

tle go under trees it will be a shower; if they continue to feed it will probably be a continued rain.

When cows fail their milk, expect stormy and cold weather.

When cows bellow in the even ing, expect snow that night. In Texas, when cattle hasten to timber, expect a "norther."

When a cow stops and shakes her foot there is bad weather behind her.

If a dog howls when some one leaves the house it indicates rain. When pigs go about with sticks

er" in Texas. If swine be restless and grunt loudly, if they squeel and jerk up

their ears, there will be much wind. Hence, the proverb, "Pigs

Buzzards flying high indicate

zard flying high indicates rain. One crow flying alone is a sign of foul weather, but if crows fir

Owls hooting indicate rain. If

Parrots whistling indicates rain. Parrots and canaries dress their The following forms the ba feathers and are wakeful the eyen

Thousands of bushels of toma-

toes are rotting on the vines in Why does he help hold a Florida, for want of canueries to to \$8 a bushel for them. That's a kind of thrift that isn't confined to Mrs. Arrington is reported as Florida .- Wilmington Star.

A Washington dispatch to a Philadelphia paper says that 'there is not a dry-dock in the country large enough to take in our battle slips, and that in consequence two of these vessels will be compelled to use the dry-dock at Halifax.". If the statement is correct, the fact is hereby shown that the Navy, Department has been singularly remiss in provid ing the means for docking vessels of the new navy at home. Dry-If the bull leads the van in go- docks are just, as necessary as battleships, as without the former the latter cannot be kept in a condition of thorough efficiency, and the Navy yards of the coundocks should be located.

> Edward Atkinson rises to remark that cows have been used as mediums of exchange-money, He might have extended his re marks to cover coon skins, fish hooks, tobacco, wheat, corn, nails shells, beads, and various other articles which have been used as money by nations civilized and uncivilized, and what would all lection of arms which he has in this that prove, simply that money is what law or common agreement in the absence of law, makes money.-Wil. Star.

Pottstown, Pa., are in frouble because a crank has predicted another floud on the strength of information furnished him by a ghost of one of the victims of the Johnstown flood.

# AN OLD RIFLE

It Could Send Eleven Bullets in Quick Succession.

When Made the Magazine Idea Had Not Even Beeu Thought of-Two Hart-ford Men with Telescopes of Their Own Make.

There is a wide range of work between the making of telescopes and of rifles, but, strangely enough, his home in Wethersfield and settled 12 o'olock. in Virginia. He was of an inventive \$1.00 turn of mind, and set himself to different kinds of work that required skill and thought and persistency of Hale produced among other things, while he was in Virginia, an engine made with the raw material and a round trip \$2,50. wonden lathe. The next thing J.A. Burgess, Gen. Mgr.

which he set his heart on was a rifle that could be fired a number of times in succession. This work was also begun with raw material, and came from the maker's hands an arm capable of being fired eleven times in succession, the cylinder system instead of the magazine being used. In fact, the magazine principle as originated and developed by James P. Lee of this city had not been thought of when Mr. Hale's old arm was wrought out by hand.

The rifle was made in 1859 or thereabouts. The cylinder has eleven chambers, which were drilled in the solid steel. The nipples for the percussion caps were also drilled and bored by hand. While the rifle was in use it was never known to miss fire. The barrel is smooth bore, the caliber not being much larger than that of the old Colt revolver. This curious arm, which was put together in a primitive way, was brought north by Mr. Hale when he left his Virginia home at the outbreak of the war, and has been kept in an out of the way corner until a few days ago. It was recovered in Mr. Hale's ransacking of the old attie in his house at the north end, and has been secured by the collector, A. E. Brooks, and will be kept hereafter in the wonderful colcity.

Mr. Hale, after he came to this city, began the work with telescopes which has made him so widely known here. Like Dr. John Dwyer, who has one of the best telescopes in the A good many of the people of city, made by his own hands. Mr. Hale has made his own instruments. Dr. Dwyer began his telescope years ago while residing on Asylum street, grinding the glass himself and making the entire instrument. The idea was thought out even when he was a medical student at Yale, and was carried into effect after he came back to Hartford. 19It is an interesting and noteworthy fact that two men in this city have produced instruments of such value, working out their ideas by the most nationt and nersistent application.



The steamer Aurora leaves Washingsays the Hartford Times, both re-sults have been accomplished by the arriving at Ocracoke Sunday morning Hartford, astronomer, John Hale, coke Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, ar-Years before the war Mr. Hale left riving at Washington Sunday night at Fare for the round trip



The same steamer makes a wid-week the most dogged character. Mr. trip leaving Washington Wednesday-Hale produced among other things mornings at 7 o'clock, touching at Bay-Hale produced among other things, while he was in Virginia, an engine that could be used in running a mill side, Gaylords, Aurora, Oregan and Swan Quarter, Returning leaves Oc-racoke Thursday mornings at 6 o'clock Aurora, Oregan and which he wanted. The start was touching at same points. Fare for the

LOCAL DIRECTORY.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Superior Court Clerk, E. A. Moye. Sheriff, R. W. King. Register of Deeds, W. M. King. Treasurer, J. L. Little.

Coroner, Dr. C. O'H. Laughingouse.

#### Surveyor.

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Sup't. Health, Dr. W. H. Bagwell, Sup't. County Home, J. W. Smith.

County Examiner of Teachers.—Prof. W. H. Ragsdale.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Mayor, Ola Forbes.

A A A I O E

Clerk, C. C. Forbes. Treasurer, W. T. Godwin. Police-J. W. Perkins, chief, Fred. Cox, asst; J. W. Murphy, night.

Councilmen-W. H. Smith, W. L. Brown, W. T. Godwin. T. A. Wilks, Dempsy Ruffin, Julius Jenkins.

#### CHURCHES.

Baptist. Services every Sunday (except second) morning and night. Prayer meeting Phursday night, Rev. C. M. Billings, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree. Sup't.

Catholic. No regular services. Episcopal. Services very fourth Sun-day morning and night. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, sup t.

Methodist. Services every Sunday morning and light. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rey. G. F. Smith, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. A. B, Ellington, Supt.

Presbyterian. Services every 1st and 3rd Sunday morning and might. Prayer meeting 'I nesday night Rev. Archiel meeting 'l nesday night Rev. Archie McLauchlin, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M., B. D. Lyans, Sup't.

#### LODGES.

Covenant Lodge No. 17. I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night. Dr. W. H Bagwell, N. G.

Greenville Lodge No. 281 A. F. & A. M. meets first and third Monday uights W. M. King, W. M



### OLD MEN AWHEEL

Hundreds of Graybeards Ride Bicycles in New York. Not less pleasing than the sight of the young women and young men on their bicycles is the sight of the old chaps. Lots of graybeards can be seen along the uptown avenues. wheeling at a speed that must be admired. Two or three of them challenged a squad of their juniors to a race recently, and beat them badly, beat even the energetic damsels that joined in the race. They sat erect, got a good grip, and worked their thews from the finger tips to the shoulder blades, from the big toe the ilium and even, it seemed, up to the ribs. A determined old chap on a bicycle can often give points to the youngsters.

A good time for bicycling at this season of the year is the early morning, as early perhaps, as four o'clock, when the air is cool and the weather fair. One may start at that hour, or at five, after a solid sleep of eight or nine hours, and after taking a cup of coffee, or a tumbler of hot water with a crust of bread, or a hard ship cracker, or, better still, a half of one of those little round, nard and crisp crackers. It is best not to take too long a run thenwell, say a half hour's run; for the business of the day must be attended to, and one should not waste his strength before beginning it. It is far better and healthier for a bicycler to go out soon after dawn than at night when it is dark. A spectacle of five or ten thousand wheelers, men and women, on the boulevard at five or six o'clock in the morning, would be worth looking at.

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#### Friends Were Too Friendly.

John G. Whittier was greatly loved by strangers, who not only called on him, but thriftily insisted on putting up with him all night. "Thee has no idea," said his sister. "how much time Greenleaf spends trying to lose these people in the streets. Sometimes he comes home and says: 'Well, sister, I had hard work to lose him, but I have lost him. But I can never lose a her. The women are more pertinacious than the men; don't thee find them so, Maria?' "

# The Old Dominion Steamship Co.

will run an excursion from Greenville to Ocracoke every Saturday during the season. Steamer Myers leaves Green-ville at 10 o,clock A. M. and the steam-er Virginia Dare leaves Washington a 19 o,clock F. M., arriving at Ocracoke at 5 o,clock Sunday morning. Return-ing the The Virginia Dare leaves Ocrariving at Washington at 11 o'clock Sun day night. Steamer Myers leaves Wash-ington at 6 o'clock Monday morning arriving at Greenville at 11. Fare for the round trip from Greenville \$2,00. Tickets good for season. J. J. Cherry. agt.

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