

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.—The Publisher will not be responsible for any debts contracted against this paper...

THERE are at present 25 prisoners in the county jail in this city.

THERE is a report about town, that there was a genuine case of "Grecian Bend" at the street yesterday.

HOTEL ARRIVALS—GASTON HOUSE.—J. P. Hutton, Newport; P. M. Pittman, Green Co.; W. G. Clements, Columbus, Ga.; Miss Betie Barrows, Hyde County; C. W. Warden, Fayetteville, N. C.

MR. EUBANK, the auctioneer, was selling some small wares, in the vicinity of the market yesterday.

THE gentlemanly barbers in the Gaston House, are fitting up a little house near the corner of South Front and Craven streets, in nice shape for a residence.

AFTER a spell of unpleasant weather, the sun again shines out, and the mud that has been deep in the streets is fast "drying up."

REV. R. A. WELLS has returned from Conference and will hold services hereafter in his Church, at the usual hours.

THE LULL AFTER THE STORM.—Yesterday all was quiet. No Mayor's Court, no criminal cases before any of the Justices.

AFTER the recent stirring occurrences it is to be hoped that we will have a little quiet.

The Philadelphia steamer that left Norfolk Monday night at 6 o'clock for this port, has not yet arrived. Rough weather or shallow water probably delays her. She is heavily loaded with provisions and other stores.

STRANGERS arriving here on the evening train, are notified that the city lies in a southeasterly direction from the depot. Till the next municipal election, darkness will not doubt prevail; but after that time we are promised all manner of brilliant lights, and passengers will have no trouble in finding the town.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods at BAER & EPPLER'S, Pollok street.

The steamer Louisa Moore is fast filling up for her return trip, and will carry quite a quantity of corn, in addition to the usual amount of cotton and naval stores. She will sail as usual, on Saturday.

Nason & Foster, Insurance Agents.

DEMENT.—That deer who has long been a terror to pedestrians passing the Gaston House at night because of his bating proclivities, yesterday took his departure from this earth. He was attended attentively and skillfully during his illness by "Dr." Donahue, but without success.

COL. DECK is modest. He is willing to be Mayor for the honor (and money) there is in it, and is out with his card to-day, stating in plain words and very forcibly why he ought to have it, the principal one being because he wants it. Read what he says about it.

Great reduction in the price of Photographs, at MORGAN'S GALLERY.

As the time for the election of Mayor and the minor city officials approaches, there is a great deal of talk as to who will be the successful candidates. We have heard mentioned as aspirants for the mayoralty, the present incumbent Mayor Palmer, E. Hulder, Charles Hibbard, J. M. Ruffison and R. T. Berry, and possibly others are in the field who have not yet made known their wishes. Most of them are good men and would no doubt do honor to the office; but as most of them are to be disappointed, why not come out, gentlemen, state your reasons for wanting the position and what you propose to do for the good of the city if elected, and then let the people judge.

NOTICE.—The Republican voters of the Third Ward are requested to meet in primary Convention on Monday evening, Dec. 21st, at 7 o'clock, at the Methodist Church on Hancock street. A Republican candidate for Councilman of the Ward will be placed in nomination, and three delegates chosen to represent the Ward in the city nominating Convention. All Republicans should attend.

REPUBLICAN CITY NOMINATING CONVENTION.—There will be a city nominating convention, composed of three delegates from each ward, held at the City Clerk's office on Wednesday, the 23d inst., at 3 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of putting in nomination a candidate for Mayor of the City of New Bern for the ensuing year, and nine Trustees of the New Bern Academy, for their respective terms.

NOTICE TO MAGISTRATES.—We are now printing, and shall have for sale at this office, the following Blanks prepared and especially adapted to use under the new Civil Code.—Magistrates will find it to their advantage to supply themselves with the same.

Summons, Subpoena, Execution, Venue—Special Sessions, Confession of Judgment over \$50, Warrant—Assault and Battery, Warrant of Arrest, Criminal Warrant, Criminal Subpoena, Attachment for Witnesses, Recognition to Keep the Peace, Recognition for Prisoner. Also, Witness and Juror Tickets, and Superior Court Clerk Blanks of all kinds.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE, A STRONG, NEW-BORN HORSE, 7 years old, a good...

NOTICE, THE voters of the 1st Ward will meet at the Court...

NOTICE, THREE partitions of the old Ward are notified that a...

NOTICE, THEIR WELL-KNOWN COGNAC, BLENDE MILLS, located on Little Contentment Creek...

NOTICE, THE NATIONAL BANK OF NEW BERNE, New Bern, Dec. 5th, 1868.

TUESDAY, January 3, 1869, THE POLLS will be closed at 7 P. M.

ENCOURAGE HOME ENTERPRISE, Baer & Eppler Manufacture their own Clothing.

E. M. PAYIE, Carpenter and Builder, 250½ St. East Gate to Hotel, 110-1 & 112 Lumber St.

S. T. JONES & CO., Bankers, Corner South Front and Middle Streets, New Bern, N. C.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange, Bonds and Stocks, Gold and Silver Coins, Southern Bank Notes, And other uncurrent Money.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS Collections Made on all accessible points in the United States and Foreign countries.

CONSIGNMENTS OF Cotton, Naval Stores, Lumber, Shingles, Staves, or any Staple Merchandise received, and sales made.

BAIR & EPPLER'S, Pollok street, New Bern, N. C.

Change of Atlantic & N. C. Railroad Schedule.

OFFICE ATLANTIC & N. C. R. R. COMPANY, New Bern, N. C., May 1st, 1868.

From and after May 1st, 1868, the Mail Train of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad will run as follows:

Leave Morehead City, 4:30 A. M. Arrive at New Bern, 6:25 " Arrive at Beaufort, 7:30 " Arrive at Washington, 8:45 " Arrive at New York, 11:00 " Arrive at New York, 11:00 " Arrive at Morehead City, 10:00 " Arrive at Goldsboro, 10:00 "

RETURNING, Leave Goldsboro, 2:45 P. M. Leave Morehead City, 3:55 " Arrive at New Bern, 5:00 " Arrive at Beaufort, 6:15 " Arrive at New York, 8:30 " Arrive at New York, 8:30 " Arrive at Morehead City, 7:50 " Arrive at Goldsboro, 7:50 "

GER THE BEST—Home Manufacture Ready Made Clothing at BAER & EPPLER'S, Pollok street.

Cheap READING! DON'T FAIL to invest ONE DOLLAR for a Month's reading in West's LIBRARY, Walter G. West, at 20 Pollok St.

Illustration of a steamship with the text 'WATER WARE' above it.

Dry Goods.

WINTER! WINTER! WINTER! 1868-69

BAER & EPPLER have JUST RECEIVED Every Steamer, A New and Well Selected Stock of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, Boots, Shoes, Hats & Caps, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

And many other articles too numerous to mention—all making a complete stock usually kept in a first class DRY GOODS and CLOTHING HOUSE.

To Order, IN THE LATEST American AND Paris Fashions!

WHICH WE RECEIVE AS SOON AS THEY ARE IN THE MARKET, THAT department being headed by the well known and competent Cutter,

Mr. A. McLacklan, WHO WILL ALWAYS BE PLEASED TO SEE HIS OLD FRIENDS AND NEW ONES.

Our Stock of Cloths and Cassimeres Defy COMPETITION in PRICE and SELECTION!

To be fully convinced, just go to Baer & Eppler's, 30 Pollok Street, where we will be pleased to show you our goods, whether you buy or not.

Country Merchants would do well to look over our Stock before purchasing elsewhere, and see what inducements we can offer them. Having been doing business in this State for over Twenty Years, we know just what kind of goods suits this Market.

All we ask is, A TRIAL Remember the place, Baer & Eppler, 30 Pollok St.

Provisions.

James R. Moorhead & Co., Corner of South Front and Middle Street, New Bern, N. C., (Near the Custom House).

Schooner M. J. McGahan, Direct from Philadelphia, the following large and well selected stock of Family Groceries,

- 400 Bbls. Flour, 5000 lbs. Bacon, 10000 " Canned Hams, 5000 " Leaf Lard, 1000 " Dried Beef, 200 " Dried Tongues, 100 lbs. Fish, Mullett & Mackrel, 10 " Lardlard Snuff, 10 cases Ping Tobacco, 50 tubs Goshen Butter, 100 boxes Factory Cheese, 100 " Candles, 25 " grd. Pepper, 25 " " Spice, 10 " Concentrated Lye, 50 " Starch, 100 " Ess. Coffee, 50 " Soap, No. 1 & Family, 25 " Oswego Corn Starch, 100 lbs. Crackers, assorted, 10 " Trinidad Syrup, 40 " Apples, 5 " Irish Potatoes, 4 " New Cider, 70 " Cider Vinegar, 10 lbs. Molasses, 100 lbs. Sugar, assorted kinds, 2 " " Maple, 50 gross Mason's Blanking, 10 " Stove Polish, 1000 bales Hay, 500 bushels Corn, 500 " Oats, 25 " Northern Seed Rye, 1000 lbs. Bran, 1000 " Oil Cake, 50 doz. Brooms, 50 " Buckets, 1000 yards Gundy Cloth, 1000 " Ginny Bags, 5 Cooking Stoves, cheap.

NEW Market Store. I SHALL OPEN THE

New Bern Market AT No. 20, Middle Street, NEXT DOOR TO THE BANKING HOUSE OF S. T. JONES & CO., ON

TUESDAY, 10th Inst., FOR THE TRANSACTION OF THE

Meat Business, In all its Branches, And respectfully beg leave to inform the Citizens of New Bern and surroundings that I have had ample experience, and shall strive to please, by fair dealing, all who may favor me with their patronage. I will keep on hand the very best the Market affords.

MY WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ARE OPEN FOR THE Inspection of the Public. Ed. S. YOUNG, Agt.

N. B.—Highest market price paid for Good Live Beef, Pork, Meal, Poultry, Game, Hides, Tallow, &c.

At No. 20 Middle street, New Bern, N. C. Nov 10—my17,

Miscellaneous.

TO ARRIVE BY MESSAGER DEBARRAUX. 30 Barrels P. Larilland's High Test SCOTCH SNUFF, For which I am the sole Agent for Eastern North Carolina, and will offer the same at New York prices, making most liberal and advantageous terms, accompanied with the CARE will be promptly attended to.

New Bern, N. C. Nason & Foster, Agents. No. 619 7/34. Home Insurance Co., New Haven, Conn.

Notice, ALL PERSONS are hereby forbid trespassing with either DOG or GUN, upon the plantation known as the BATT WEATHERSHEE PLANTATION in Township No. 7, Craven County, J. W. POTTER & CO., New Bern, Nov. 22, 1868.

SAM. K. EATON, WATCH & JEWELLER, 30 Pollok Street, New Bern, N. C.

Go to Hubbs & Brother TO BUY Groceries, Crockery, Notions, and FINE LIQUORS.

THEIR STORES ARE ON MIDDLE STREET. Oct 17—17

Orton's Preparation! ESTABLISHED 1863. The Appetite for Tobacco Destroyed!

One box of Orton's Preparation is warranted to destroy the appetite for tobacco in any person, no matter how long he has used it. It is perfectly safe and harmless in all cases. It is not only safe to use, but it also relieves the most distressing symptoms of tobacco smoking.

From E. W. Atkins, Knoxville, Tenn. I was a slave of the tobacco habit for twenty-five years. I have used Orton's Preparation for three months, and I have never felt so free from the effects of tobacco since I was a boy. I feel that I have been redeemed from the power of the habit.

From John Morrill, Bangor, Maine, March 31st, 1868. This is to certify, that I have used Orton's Preparation for three years past, and for the last fifteen years I have used two pounds per month. I have made attempts to leave off at different times, but have always returned to the habit. I have used Orton's Preparation, which has completely cured me of the appetite for tobacco.

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Business Cards.

Lorch Brothers, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, DRY GOODS, BOOTS and SHOES, etc. Country Produce always on hand.

JAS. R. MOORHEAD & CO., Commission Merchants, Flour, Grain, Provisions, COTTON, LUMBER, Naval Stores and General Produce, New Bern, N. C.

JAS. REDMOND, Checked Store, Market Wharf, New Bern, N. C.

Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, READY-MADE CLOTHING, etc.

New Bern Hall! Having removed my establishment, and fitted up the house formerly occupied by Schilling & Co., on Middle street, in a manner which I hope will meet the approbation of my FRIENDS and PATRONS, I have now a well supplied bar. A full stock of Wines, Liquors and Lager Beer, constantly on hand. I will also furnish BOARDING and LODGING, and LUNCH AT ALL HOURS!

FERDINAND ULRICH, Sign of the "BIG INDIAN," Middle street.

SEGARS, AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. All kinds of SMOKING, CHEWING, and SNUFF TOBACCO.

New York Bakery. 54 POLLOK STREET, NEW BERN, N. C. This Bakery is still carried on in the best manner, where you can always find the BEST QUALITY of Bread, Cakes, Pies, &c.

J. Manwell's Blacksmith, MACHINE SHOP, And Brass Foundry, HORSE SHOEING BY P. TRENWICH. CRAVEN STREET, New Bern, N. C. Highest Cash Price paid for old Iron, Copper &c

Agents Wanted. The Great Work Complete. VOL. IV. OF VICTOR'S HISTORY (CIVIL, POLITICAL AND MILITARY) OF THE SOUTHERN REBELLION, IS NOW READY.

NOTICE TO JUSTICES OF THE PEACE, In order to insure uniformity of action, and in answer to numerous solicitations, the undersigned has prepared, under direction of the Code Commissioners, and has just published a Docket, for Justices of the Peace, which he offers for sale at a moderate advance on the cost.

Office Secretary of State, Raleigh, N. C.