

THE JOURNAL.

KINSTON, N. C.

THURSDAY, DEC. 22, 1881.

Quantities of BUGGIES, WAGONS and HARNESS for sale at very low prices. J. W. GRAINGER.

Clear Havana Key West Cigars at DR. WEYHER'S.

FOR SALE: Eclipse & Watertown Engines for sawing lumber & other purposes. J. W. GRAINGER.

Best GILT EDGE BUTTER in town. G. KORNEGAY.

LADIES FINE SHOES a Specialty G. Kornegay's

100 Ladies and Misses CLOAKS just opened at

EINSTEIN'S.

Target Shot at W. ALEX LAROCHE'S.

Highest prices paid for coon skins and other furs. GEO. KORNEGAY.

I have still a good two horse farm for rent. All necessary buildings &c. G. K. HADGAY.

A car load of young HORSES & MULES just received at Sheriff Davis tables on graball. B. N. FIELDS.

DR. WEYHER has received a good lot of those valuable holiday presents.

Good cotton is selling for 11 cents this week.

Miss Mamie Cramer, of Beaufort is on a visit to Mrs. Walter Dunn.

Hugh Humphrey was in town last Friday looking after moonshiners.

Santa Claus has a big turn at Nathan Stanley's. Make haste to see him before he leaves.

John Burgett furnishes the town with walking sticks. He is also an excellent hand on an axe helve.

A party of gentlemen from Pennsylvania came down Saturday morning on a sporting expedition.

We learn from the Commercial News that work has commenced in earnest on the old Harlowe Creek Canal.

The sporting club that visited Beaufort last week from this place report 125 ducks and 12 wild geese killed.

The pupils of Kinston High School give a social party on Friday night the 23rd. We return thanks for invitation.

Our thanks are due and are hereby tendered to Senator Ransom and Hon. John W. Shackelford for the Congressional Record.

J. W. Grainger had a rush for buggies last Saturday—only six sold between 11 and 4 o'clock. Another car load received this week.

Large crowd in town on Saturday. Burt—Cheap John—amused them with show & Dennis and supplied them with the old english steel razor.

Our townsman J. M. Wooten slaughtered a pig last Friday, aged 12 months, which weighed 236 pounds net. Raised on scraps and slops from the kitchen.

The Steamer Neuse is making regular trips to New Berne now. Capt. White too energetic to wait for water, he has put on a flat boat to enable him to take freight from Kinston.

Mike Mann, a very clever and popular young clerk of Oettinger Bros. died of Paralysis on Tuesday night. His remains will be taken to Goldsboro this (Wednesday) evening for interment.

Mr. J. W. Fountain of Onslow called on us on Tuesday. He came up to purchase a buggy from Grainger who he says must be a wide awake business man judging from the way he keeps his business before the public. Mr. Fountain was the guest of Probate Judge Hunter.

We call attention to the advertisement of the New York Times in another column. We regard the Times as the ablest Republican paper in the country. Its efforts in exposing the Star route frauds deserves the commendation of every good citizen regardless of party affiliation.

David C. Davis of Trent township was before United States Commissioner Coleman last Monday charged with illicit distilling. Upon the evidence of W. G. Davis, Charles Holland and Frank Davis he was held to bail in the sum of \$300. for his appearance at the next term of the District Court to be held at New Berne.

Forner School. The next session of this deservedly popular school begins on the Second Monday in January. Many prominent sons of N. C. were educated here and the school still sustains a well earned reputation. See advertisement.

Festivals. The Festival at the Court House on Thursday and Friday nights for the purpose of purchasing an organ for the Episcopal church was quite a success. Kinston is a great place for Festivals, and their success is due to the large number of pretty girls we have who always take so much interest in them. Let a couple of "sweet sixteens" approach a fellow and ask him to take a "chance" at an album or a cake and it takes an amount of special pleading, which we are unable to offer, to get out of it.

THE AMERICAN FARMER for December closes the year with a number of great interest and value. Every branch of farm work receives attention, and there is something for every taste. The discussion of several practical and advanced farmers' clubs (always a feature in this journal) are very instructive. The home department is also very attractive to the ladies.

Here after THE FARMER will be published as a semi-monthly (on the 1st and 15th of every month), and the quantity of reading matter doubled. Prizes are offered for essays on a number of subjects of great moment to the agriculture of this section, and these essays will appear during the year.

The publishers also present a large list of premiums, consisting of useful and handsome articles for clubs of subscribers. Some of our enterprising readers ought to secure some of these premiums, as THE FARMER should be in the hands of all good farmers. The subscription is \$1.50 a year, or \$1.00 to clubs of five or more. Sam'l Sands & Son, Publishers, Baltimore.

Religious News.

Rev. J. E. Mann P. E., of the New Berne District, held the first quarterly meeting of Kinston Station at the M. E. Church here on Saturday last.

Elder Josephus Latham of Pitt county was in town on Sunday night.

Rev. Mr. Cashwell of Cumberland county filled the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday morning and evening.

Bingham School.

We are in receipt of catalogue of Bingham School for 1881, containing the names of 258 pupils, 112 of whom are from outside of North Carolina. There has been a steady increase in numbers since 1876. Within the last five years 13 localities, 20 States of the Union and 3 Foreign countries, South America, Europe and Asia, have been represented. We are glad to see a North Carolina School surpassing any similar enterprise in the whole South. See advertisement.

Jug Breaking.

On Monday night the grand jug breaking of the Union Sunday school was held at the court house, preceded by an entertainment under the direction of Miss Lillie V. Whitehurst, teacher of the infant class, which compensated the public for the annoyance of "put some money in my jug" for the last month. The song by little Studie Hunter, which commended almost breathless silence from the large crowd present, was the gem of the entertainment. On breaking the jugs \$41.52—about a quart of pennies and nickles—were found, a pretty good month's work for the little ones. Alonza Grady and Neta Rouse, having juggled more money than any others, will be entitled to the honors of King and Queen at the reception party to be given next Wednesday night.

School Committees.

At the last meeting of the Board of education for Lenoir county the following were appointed school committees for the next two years.

District No. 1, W. H. Rountree, A. G. Coward and Madison King. No. 2 E. J. Brooks, E. L. Hazelton and Richard Dunn. No. 3, R. B. Gilliam, Jno. L. Nelson and Windsor Vause. No. 4, Thom A. Heath, W. O. Moseley and Joshua Mewborne. No. 5, W. H. Worth, C. C. Phillips and Richmond Williams. No. 6, F. G. Taylor, Jas. M. Mewborne and Adam Bright. No. 7, W. W. Dunn, Charles Jordan and Sheppard Dawson. District 8 & 9 were consolidated into one and called No. 8, J. W. Grainger, H. S. Nunn and L. H. Fisher. No. 10 E. L. Sutton, S. E. Hodges and Empey Bryan. No. 11, J. P. Hardee, W. I. Herring and Elijah Parrott. No. 12, D. Wood Jr., John Warters and Irvin Kennedy. No. 13, J. M. Patrick, Lemuel Byrd and George Williams. No. 14, L. M. Aldridge, W. Fields and H. G. Phelps. No. 15, S. I. Sutton, Josiah Sutton Jr. and Caleb Sutton. No. 15, Emanuel Jarman, M. H. Wooten and Richmond Wooten. No. 16, Mumford Brewer, Bartholomew Fields and Cesar Dawson. No. 16 1/2, A. J. McIntyre, Geo. W. Warters and Andrew Williams. No. 17, Joseph Kinsey, J. M. Hadly and Rufus Perry. No. 18, Jas. D. Sutton, Jno. A. B. Heath and Abram Hargett. No. 19, W. F. Loftin, B. F. Sutton and Alex Wooten. No. 20, H. A. Edwards, A. W. Taylor and Joseph Jenigan. No. 21, Jarman Beeton, E. J. Turner and Derry Loftin. No. 21 1/2, B. C. Turner, Ephram Taylor and Clark Parker. No. 22, Albert Miller, Simpson Harper and Frank Jarman. No. 23, Edwin Taylor, Jno. A. Sutton and Henry Hicks. No. 24, W. A. Croom, Stephen Catley and Hardy Stroud. No. 24 1/2, G. Haynes, Owen Sheppard and Jesse Holland. No. 25, J. M. Kornegay, W. F. Nunn and Peter Kornegay. No. 26, G. W. Jones, T. A. Rouse and Calvin Harrison. No. 26 1/2, H. C. Huggins, Ira Smith and James Hill. No. 27, Henry Cuningham, F. P. Harper and S. H. Davenport. No. 28, Jno. M. Noble, J. R. Howard and J. R. Tindal. No. 28 1/2, J. G. Erwin, Senas Taylor and L. J. Howard. No. 29, Jno. K. Noble and Lutson Stroud. No. 30, Jno. W. Worley, Hardy Howard and Thos. W. Smith. No. 31, Jas. R. Tyndall, Washington Noble and Frank Huzzey. No. 32, F. M. Haskins, Henderson Nunn and R. B. Canley.

Married.

At the residence of T. L. Hartsfield, Dec. 20th, by Rev. F. D. Swindell, Mr. THOS. C. PHILLIPS to Miss LULA P. COX, all of Lenoir county.

We return thanks for a nice chunk of the bridal cake, and the happy couple have our best wishes for a smooth passage over the tempestuous sea of life.

Among the Schools.

BY THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

In my letter last week I closed with the wish that I might have a little more space to tell of the bad school houses that I had met with in my travels. I am glad now that that part of my remarks was crowded out for in my visits this week I have found much better houses, and preparations for still further improving them, that I now feel unwilling to find fault with the whole county on account of a few poor school houses. In the two weeks work I have been through a large portion of Woodington, Contentnea Neck and Vance townships, and from the places already visited I must give Contentnea Neck credit for the best houses. The School Committees of that township seem to be wide awake to the advantages of good schools, and their first step—and the right one too—is to get good, comfortable school houses.

ATTENDANCE OF PUPILS.

I find the average attendance of pupils to be about 20 to each school, which is only about one half of the number that ought to be there. This is accounted for from the fact that there is a little work yet to be done in the fields and Christmas is so near at hand that it is thought best to commence school with the new year. In the colored school in District No. 3, in Contentnea Neck township there were only three pupils in attendance on my arrival. I advised the teacher that it was perhaps incumbent on him to go around among the parents and inform them about the school and thus get a larger number. He promptly replied that the news had been well spread throughout the community, for he had "had it given out in Church last Sunday." I trust this teacher may soon show a fuller school, for I would certainly advise a Committee to dismiss any teacher who failed to draw a respectable school, even though "the news had been given out in Church."

WHAT TO TEACH.

I wish I could impress upon some of the teachers the right idea of what to teach. In one school, now in my mind, the teacher had a class busy at work in Grammar, learning the definitions from memory, and having no definite conception of the principles of Grammar. If I had the entire control of the studies to be taught in our Public Schools, I am not sure that I would not rule Grammar out entirely—except indeed in a very few schools where the children have had considerable advancement. It ought to be indelibly impressed on the minds of teachers that the following is the great object of education for the masses:

To learn Arithmetic, and to learn how to speak, read and write the English language correctly. Arithmetic I am glad to say, generally receives its full share of attention, but the other items are sadly neglected. I gave an idea last week of how to learn to write correctly. The other two points,

SPEAKING AND READING

were correctly and forcibly taught in our Teachers' Institute last Summer. I was reminded of this very forcibly on my visit to District No. 2, taught by Miss Emma Bitman. There, in her reading class, the lessons taught by Prof. Howard last Summer were made use of, and the little boys and girls made to use right pronunciation, give the correct emphasis, and to enter into the full spirit of the piece read.

In my visits to the schools I shall feel much better pleased to hear good reading than to hear a good grammar lesson—will prefer to see the children able to write a sentence correctly rather than repeat the rules of grammar.

I am not sure that we did not make a mistake in our Teachers' Institute last Summer. I fear we devoted too much time to Lectures and not enough in requiring work of the teachers. I find in some of the schools, that the teachers have their notes of the lectures given at the Institute, and are making use of the hints and instructions there given; while others seem to have no recollection of anything therein taught. If another Institute should be held next Summer, I believe it would be well to treat the teachers a little like they do their pupils—require a certain amount of work of them.

In two of the schools I find Calisthenics taught; but not a single one for Vocal Music yet—a rather bad showing for the efforts of the Superintendent in that particular line.

J. W. HARPER.

MARRIED.

WARTERS—ALLEN. At the residence of the bride's father at Lenoir Institute, on the 19th day of December, by John H. Dawson, J. P. Mr. HENRY B. WARTERS to Miss NATTIE ALLEN.

TINDALL—SHEPPARD. On Thursday Dec. 19th at the residence of the bride's mother, by Elder Henry Cunningham, Emmet Tindal to Miss Martha O. Sheppard. All of Lenoir Co.

IN MEMORIAM.

Died with consumption, Debbie C. Bright, wife of R. F. Bright. We know of nothing better to say of her than that she lived and died a christian woman.

How precious are the words of the Apostle to her husband and christian friends. They sorrow not as those who have no hope for they believe that if Jesus died and rose again then they that sleep in Jesus will, God being with them when he comes.

The storm that wakes the wistful sky No more disturbs her deep repose, Than summer evening's latest sigh That shuts the rose.

L. A. M.

To the worshipful Master Wardens and Brethren of St. John's Lodge No. 94

The Committee appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Bro. J. S. Davis beg leave to submit the following:

Resolved, that this Lodge has learned with sincere regret of the death of Bro. J. S. Davis who departed this life on the 8th day of Nov., 1881.

Therefore Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Davis this Lodge has lost one of its most esteemed members, one who ever seemed to cherish a profound love and veneration for our ancient and honorable Order.

Resolved, that we wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased brother with the assurance of our heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement. Also that a copy be furnished the Kinston Journal with a request to publish the same.

Fraternally Submitted, W. W. Dunn, Chas. Gray, W. F. Loftin, Committee

LOST!

One note given by Mrs. C. Stricklin to J. F. Parrott on or about the 7th day of June 1881, for \$50. I hereby warn all persons not to trade for said note as it has been paid. J. F. Parrott, Kinston, N. C., Dec. 22nd 1881

WANTED.

A first class male Teacher for the white Public School in Kinston. One with Collegiate education preferred. Session to last 10 months. Address, County SUPERINTENDENT, KINSTON, N. C.

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TIN ROOFING AND REPAIRING OF TIN GOODS Done on short notice.

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CARRIAGE HARDWARE, BUGGY & CART WHEELS, & WHEEL TIMBERS,

TYRE IRON &c. and in fact everything wanted to build or repair a Buggy, Cart or Wagon; also a full line of Buggy, Cart and PLOW HARNESS.

If you need a FARM WAGON, CORN SHELLER, FODDER CUTTER or any other Goods in our Line, price ours before buying elsewhere. We are sole Agents for the Celebrated

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at such prices as to save freight from other points

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MARKET REPORTS.

WILMINGTON.

WILMING. Dec. 21. Cotton firm 11 1/2 for mid'd; Rosin \$1.90; Turpentine 22 1/2

NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 19. Cotton middling 12 1/4; Pork dull at \$17.50; Hops \$2.25; Spirits Turpentine 55 1/2 cts.

GOLDSBORO.

Goldsboro, Dec. 21. Cotton, 11 1/4 for best grades. Corn 50.

NEW BERNE.

New Berne, Dec. 21. Cotton 11 1/2; Spirits Turpentine 22 1/2; Rosin \$1.90; Turpentine 22 1/2

KINSTON MARKET.

COTTON:—Receipts light—215 bales during the week. Best grades firm at 11 cents.

COUNTRY PRODUCE:—Eggs, 20 cts;

Potatoes 50 cts per bushel; Turnips 40 cts per bushel; Corn 70; Meal 75; Hams 18; Rice 75 cts per bushel; Tallow 5cts per pound; Beeswax 15 cts per pound; Hides dry No. 1 11 cts, green 5.

Fresh Pork 8 1/2 to 9 cts, Beef on foot 4 cts, Sausage dry, 15 cts, Lard, country, 14 cts, peas \$1.00 per bushel, chickens .30 to .60 per pair, Turkeys \$1.00 to \$1.50 per pair.

TURPENTINE. Market firm at \$3.00 for Yellow dip and \$2.00 for Scrap. Receipts moderate.

Use Weyher's Horse Powders to bring horses into general good condition.

LAND FOR SALE

Will sell on liberal terms a valuable tract of Land lying on the North side of Neuse river, a part of the "Desmond tract, containing 350 acres more or less. Apply to George T. Brown, Kinston, N. C., for Terms.

Dec. 1, 4 F. W. FONVILLE.

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AND THE ROYAL St. JOHN.

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BUTTERICKS PATTERNS, SHEET MUSIC and any other Musical Merchandise wanted.

Yours,

McGee & Miller,

MANAGERS OF

KINSTON SEWING MACHINE & Music House.