

**PROHIBITION WINS IN NEW BERN.**

Newbern, N. C., July 6—4 P. M. OBSERVER.

Fayetteville.—  
The special election for prohibition in progress here will probably go against saloons by a majority ranging from 200 to 400.

**Objected To Late.**

'Squire D. N. McLean Monday married a white couple in his office. The man, or boy rather, was about 17 years old and the woman 35. Just as the 'Squire had said the words that made the couple man and wife, another woman appeared on the scene, who was even older than the one that had just been married, and excitedly said that she had come to forbid the marriage. The magistrate told her she was too late, but asked her what objection she had. She said that the groom had promised to marry her, and that as she was a widow with three children, and the other woman was a widow with only two, she thought that she had more need of a husband. The 'Squire told her the matter was now out of his jurisdiction, and the woman went off in a very disconsolate state.

**The Prohibition Vote in Charlotte.**

The vote in the election in Charlotte yesterday was as follows:

	For Saloons.	Against Saloons.
1st ward.....	164	383
2nd ward.....	96	180
3rd ward.....	147	158
4th ward.....	138	306
Total.....	545	1,027
		545

**Majority.....**

482  
There were 68 votes cast for the dispensary and 1,441 against.  
The total registered vote was 2,500.

**Local Briefs**

New Bern is voting today on the liquor question.

A prominent citizen asks us to call attention to the neglected condition of the old cemetery.

In the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners Monday, only three of the members were stated to have been present, whereas all five of the commissioners—Messrs. J. J. Bulard, W. H. Downing, E. A. Poe, C. D. Gilmore and W. H. Owen—were present.

**McNeill Surrenders.**

Will McNeill, who shot and killed Dougald Monroe in 71st township on the 4th of July, surrendered himself to Magistrate D. J. Gillis yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sheriff Marsh was notified, and he went out and brought the negro to town and had him placed in jail. McNeill claims the killing was accidental.

There is a striking similarity between this case and that of this boy's uncle, Tom McNeill, who was hanged here in 1884 for killing his brother. Tom McNeill was very drunk when he killed his brother, and the evidence before the coroner in the present case was to the effect that Will McNeill was very drunk when he killed his companion and friend, Dougald Monroe.

Will McNeill, who is now held on such a serious charge, is about 21 years of age, and was an employee of Monroe's saw mill.

**Trouble in Servia.**

By cable to the Observer.  
Belgrade, Servia.—A message from Vranis, southern Servia, reports that a band of Albanians burned several Servian homes and then made a dash for the frontier where they had an encounter with the frontier guards.

**ALDERMAN NEWS.**

We had lots of rain in our section the past week which was needed very much.

Mrs. F. C. McQueen, who has been visiting her son Mr. Ellie McQueen, at Red Springs, returned home Saturday.

The picnic at Nicholas' Mill on July 1st, was much enjoyed by all.

On Saturday, July 2nd, the Alderman baseball team crossed bats with the Brunt team on Alderman grounds, the score being 4 to 8 in favor of Alderman.

Mr. Mack Nunalee, of Currie, is visiting relatives at Alderman.

Miss Nellie McQueen is visiting relatives at Red Springs.

The A. I. C. will give a grand concert on August 1st.

Mr. Preston Stamps returned home Saturday from Virginia.

The Alderman boys and girls enjoyed a nice trip to Parkton on July 1st.

Mrs. Butler who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. E. McQueen, has returned to Clinton.

Sheriff Marsh spent last night at Alderman.

Mr. Gus Smith is spending a few days with Mr. F. A. Marsh.

Mr. Albert Clark spent Saturday at Sherwood.

**People and Their Movements.**

Mr. Oliver Evans and children, Master Frank and Miss Henrietta, returned from the St. Louis Exposition Monday.

Miss Kate Matthews leaves to-night for New York to attend the Chautauqua, and will spend some time with friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Eugene Maulsby has left the hospital, we are glad to learn.

Mr. Hasten Poe, of Raleigh, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. E. A. Poe, has returned home.

Miss Margaret Poe has gone to Knoxville, Tenn., to pay an extended visit to her aunt, Mrs. Dance.

Mrs. A. E. Dixon and children and Miss Lottie Thornton left to-day for Alexander, near Asheville, to spend the summer.

Mr. R. D. Dixon, of Raeford, is in the city.

Mr. James Taylor left this afternoon for Bennettsville, and to-morrow will pitch for that team in a game against Darlington, at Darlington.

Miss Cora Smoot, who has been visiting her brother, Rev. T. A. Smoot, returned to Salisbury to-day.

Mr. W. D. Gaster returned yesterday from Goldsboro, where he attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orphan's Home.

Mr. J. T. Nicholson, of Robeson county, was in town to-day.

**RAEFORD NEWS NOTES.**

The pastor, Rev. S. C. Merce, is conducting a series of meetings in the Methodist church this week, which are growing in interest.

Raeferd young men are doing their part towards swelling the number of "June brides" at the Exposition. On the 15th Mr. W. T. Covington of this place wedded Miss Margaret Neal, of Marion, N. C. On the 22nd Mr. E. B. McNeill, junior member of the McLauchlin Co., married Miss Mattie Scales, of Monroe; and to-morrow Mr. Will Lamont of this place will be married to Miss Jennie Malloy, of Cheraw, S. C. Mr. W. T. Covington and bride have returned from a trip to St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. McNeill also arrived from St. Louis Saturday.

On the 6th inst. Mr. M. L. Hinson, of Rockingham, will be married to Miss Mary Walters, near here.

On the 28th ult. Mr. Archibald Graham died aged about 35. Mr. Graham had long been a salesman for Mr. J. W. McLauchlin, and was universally esteemed by all who knew him. He leaves a widow and four little children.

The sympathy of this community goes out to Mr and Mrs A. D. Leach in the death of their eldest child, Annie, which occurred suddenly on the morning of the 29th, aged 21 years. Miss Annie retired the previous night in her usual good health, and about 3 o'clock her father, hearing heavy breathing from her room, went to her bedside to find her breathing her last. She was a fine young woman, loved and esteemed for her many fine traits of character. The remains were interred in the cemetery of Bethel Presbyterian church, where she held her membership and there had served faithfully in all christian work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams and Miss Flora Lamont will leave today to attend the Lamont-Malloy marriage which takes place in Cheraw, S. C., tomorrow.

Mrs. C. F. DeVane, who has been visiting Dr. Dickson's family, left for Red Springs Saturday.

Mr. Kenneth McIntyre, of Montgomery, spent several days here recently.

Miss Katie McDuffie returned Monday from an extended visit to Laurel, Miss., and Montgomery, Ala.

Misses Mary and Mattie Watson passed here Friday from the mid-summer meeting in Jackson Springs.

Mrs. C. F. DeVane, Mrs. A. P. Dickson, Mrs. Thos. McBryde and Miss Ida McNeill were among those who went to Jackson Springs Tuesday.

Raeferd, N. C., July 4th, '04.

**BUSINESS LOCALS.**

NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department in solid Minion Type, for 1 cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

WANTED—20 more clerks. Apply to N. Y. Salvage Co. Thursday evening at 5 p. m.

WANTED—20 salesladies, 15 salesmen; must be experienced or you need not apply. Call Thursday evening 5 p. m. N. Y. SALVAGE CO., 102 and 104 North-west Corner Market Square.

FOR RENT—7-room cottage on Ramsey St.; immediate possession. R. H. DYE.

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REFRIGERATORS, Ice-Cream Freezers, Water Coolers and Oil Stoves strictly at cost to close out. We are willing to exhibit the invoices showing cost. MACMILLAN BROS.

FOR SALE—23 desirable building lots on Ramsey street. See J. A. WELLS, 445 Moore street.

FOR SALE—A Remington standard type-writer, No. 7. Only used a month or two. King Drug Company.

FOR breakfast new mackerel, 1904 catch; large, 25c each; small, 2 for 25c. Roe Heating, 30c. doz. J. L. TATUM & CO.

AGENTS—Be quick, I have the best selling article on the market; no house to house canvassing; \$3 to \$6 per day. Address H. T. GRAMER, Fayetteville, N. C.

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All style handles for men and women, mourning included, mercerized and silk tops.

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regular 7 1/2 and 10c quality, pretty new patterns; they are seconds, but you would not know it if we did not tell you; price 5c yard.

**One case New Window Shades,**

all colors and white; also

**New Curtain Poles,**

oak, cherry and white.

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**Meeting of Chamber of Commerce**

There will be a meeting of the Fayetteville Chamber of Commerce on Thursday night, July 7th, at 8:30 p. m., at the Court House.

**EXCURSION TO NORFOLK.**

July 6th, 1904  
The big colored excursion, which left this city yesterday for Wilmington, was well conducted and everyone seemingly having had a good time. We wish to say on August 9th we will run another of our well conducted excursions to Norfolk, Va., round-trip less than ever before—\$2 50; special coaches for white people.

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Meals delivered to families or individuals in any part of city. All our lunch canned goods are genuine imported stock

**Everything in connection with Cafe first-class.**

No odor from kitchen, as cooking is done on second floor.

**Notice, Contractors!**

J. M. Lamb, chairman board trustees Cross Creek graded school, will receive bids until Monday, July 11th, 1904, for laying a sewer from graded school to north side Hay street, and for plumbing toilet rooms for the school. Specifications may be seen at the office of Mr. J. A. Outas. The right to decline any and all bids is reserved.

**AT LAST**

A large, magnificent plain glass

**Ice-Tea Pitcher**

for only 60 cents.

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**Notice, Truckers.**

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The difference in the cost of a Schloss-made Suit and that made by the "merchant tailor" will be enough to open her eyes to the possibilities for money saving. Just think, we sell a suit like either of those shown in the picture at so little a price as

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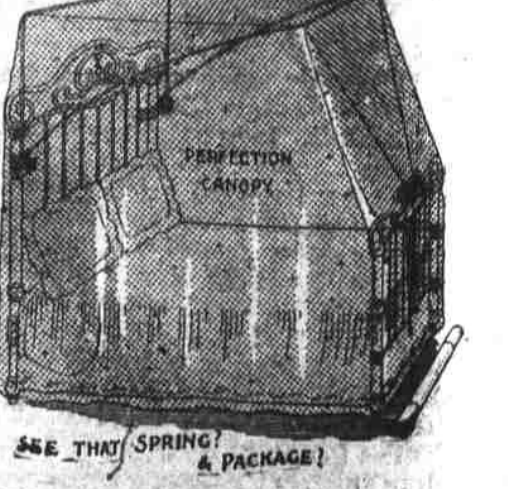
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