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NEWS IN BRIEF

Short Items of Interest Condensed into Small Space.

Only a few bales of cotton were sold on the local exchange today. The market price reached 16 1-8c.

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Fair tonight and Friday; not much change in the temperature, with light variable winds.

Mrs. A. C. Shuler has gone to Atlanta, Ga., summoned there on account of the serious illness of her husband, Rev. A. C. Shuler.

Don't forget the ice cream supper to be given tomorrow night by the Baraca and Philathea classes on the lawn of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. W. T. Hall and son, of Middlesex, are visiting in the city. They are the guests of Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. Polly Chadwick, on Hancock street.

The Salvation Army is laboring under hard and trying circumstances to carry on their work in this city, and ask the good people of New Bern to come to their aid. Any donation will be appreciated by Capt. Gossett. Telephone 446.

No rain yet in these parts, and the crops are suffering. The farmers are becoming heart-sick at the situation. The berry crop is a thing of the past. The cotton that has not come up is suffering terribly for the want of moisture.

Now as it is a settled fact that there will be no league base ball for Eastern Carolina, lets have some good amateur ball playing. Goldsboro is putting a good team in the field. Boys get together and give the stay-at-homes some sport during the summer season.

Miss Lula Broadstreet, a representative of the Girls' Friendly Society, who has been attending the Council of the East Carolina Diocese of the Episcopal Church, at Fayetteville, returned home last evening. Miss Broadstreet reports a splendid meeting and a very large attendance.

The old stained, stored-away fishing poles, left from last spring and summer, are largely in evidence during this warm spell. Those who have leisure hours are seen daily on the various docks and in the streams of Neuse and Trent rivers, pulling in the frying pan fish.

A large crowd of New Bern folks left this morning on the east bound Norfolk Southern train and in automobiles for Riverdale, to attend a big rally. A Sunday School picnic will be held in conjunction with the Good Roads meeting. Some of the most prominent citizens of the State are present.

The reception given the firemen last night in a vacant store on Broad

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