

**QUARTERLY CONFERENCE**—The first quarterly meeting of the Conference year of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be held for the church in this place Saturday and Sunday, December 10th and 11th, Rev. J. E. Mann presiding.

**LEHMAN MONUMENT**—A very handsome monument is erecting at the grave of Col. R. F. Lehman in the Federal Cemetery, to perpetuate the memory of one of the distinguished Northerners who made New Berne his home after the war, and who, as a citizen, is cherished by our people for the many excellent qualities he possessed.

**MR. BEST IN BOSTON**—From the Boston Herald we learn that Mr. Best, accompanied by Senator Vance, was in Boston the latter part of the week, and had a very satisfactory meeting of his syndicate and other Eastern capitalists.

Mr. Best gave a resume of his operations here, and a glance at the future prospects of the Midland line. He stated that the road had built a new pier, costing \$4,000; twelve new box cars; taken up and straightened the crooked rails in the line; put in a large number of new ties and brought the road bed up; purchased two new first-class passenger cars; rebuilt the old Bluebird locomotive, now worth ten thousand dollars; graded sixteen miles of road in the direction of Smithfield, bridged and had it ready for tying and ironing, and by January expected to be running into Smithfield.

Of the development of business over the old Atlantic road he stated that it had been beyond the present capacity of the road to move, and the terminal transportation facilities at New Berne to handle, and with adequate facilities he could have largely increased the business already done.

He stated that he had received the most substantial evidences of the good will and hearty co-operation of the people all along the existing and projected line of the Midland, and looked to a great future for the scheme in hand.

Introducing the North Carolinian with him as one three times elected Governor and twice to the Senate of the United States, Senator Vance remarked that he had little to say except to endorse the statements of Mr. Best and to pledge him his continued support in the prosecution of the Midland Scheme. Senator Vance welcomed the employment of Eastern energy and Boston capital in North Carolina, and extended a cordial invitation to those around him.

The indications are not those of a collapse of the Midland enterprise, as we are afraid some fondly hope.

**Arrivals at the Hotels.**

**GASTON HOUSE**—S. R. STREET.  
DECEMBER 7, 1881.

G W Hall, Richmond, Va.; A G Barrus, Charles Whitty, Pollockville; B F Perkins, T D Perkins, Pamlico; G A Griffin, W C Clark, Wakefield, R. I.; E J Clark, Kingston, R. I.; J B Byran, Aurora; R C Cleve, Vanceboro; J F Sawyer, Bayboro; J F Cowell, Stone-wall; Mrs. Swindell, Washington, L C Read, Baltimore.

**LEINSTER DUFFY**

Dealer in  
DRY GOODS,  
GROCERIES,  
BOOTS, SHOES,  
HATS, CAPS,  
TOBACCO, SNUFF,  
CIGARS, etc.  
At Cheap John's Corner,  
Middle and So. Fr. Sts.,  
Aug 13-3m NEW BERNE.

**NEW BERNE ACADEMY.**

**PRIMARY DEPARTMENT, Free.**

The Trustees of this Institution, in the further prosecution of their published design, and by the generous aid and co-operation of one of their number, Mr. Wm. H. Oliver, Agent of the Griffin fund, are gratified to announce, that a

**PRIMARY SCHOOL,**

FOR BOYS ONLY,  
will be opened, at the Academy, on Monday next, Oct. 31. Tuition will be free. Application for admission may be made to the Principal, Prof. Fetter, or to the President. By order of the Board,  
CHAS. C. CLARK, Pres't.  
New Berne, Oct. 27, 1881.

**COMMERCIAL.**

**NEW YORK COTTON MARKET**

DECEMBER 7, 1881.  
Furnished by the New Berne Cotton Exchange.  
Spot Cotton—Middling 12 1-16 cents, Strict Low Middling 11 7-8 cents, Low Middling 11 5-8 cents.  
Futures, on a basis of Middling—December 11.85. January 12.05. February 12.24. March 12.43

**NEW BERNE MARKETS.**

COMMERCIAL NEWS OFFICE,  
December 7, 6 p. m.

**COTTON**—The market has been dull and inactive. The sales for the day reach about 200 bales, at prices from 10 to 11 cents. The receipts are by far the largest of the season. The New York market for spot cotton has declined  $\frac{1}{2}$  in the last two days, which gives our market a drooping tendency. Liverpool also reports a downward tendency.

**RICE**—Arriving freely. Sales at 1.10  
**CORN**—Arriving in good quantities. Sales for Hydecoc. at 74 cents.

**CORN MEAL**—1.90.  
**MOLASSES**—West Indies in good supply, offered at 38c in hhds.

**NAVAL STORES** in good demand. We quote Spirits Turpentine 45c; Rosin \$1 90 a 2 00. Crude Turpentine \$2 25 a 2 50; Tar \$1 50 a 2 00.

**WHOLESALE PRICES.**

Our quotations, it should be understood, represent the wholesale prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

BAGGING—Gunny per yard	11
Standard	12
BACON—Long clear per box	11 1/2
per side	12
Smoked shoulders	09
Hams	15 1/2
D. S. Shoulders	09
ARRELS—Spirits turpentine	\$1 50
Kerosene	50
Flour	20
Pork	25
BEEWAX per pound	22
BRICK—North Carolina per 1000	8 00
BUTTER—North Carolina	25
Northern	30 a 35
CANDLES—Adamantine	15
Tallow	12
COFFEE—Java per pound	30 a 35
Laguira	20 a 25
Rio	13 a 20
CORN MEAL per bushel of 50 lbs	1 00
COTTON TIES spliced per bundle	1 75
new	2 00
EGGS per dozen	17
FISH—Dry Cod per pound	9
FERTILIZERS—Rowland's Chemicals	15 00
per lot	15 00
FLOUR—Snow Flake	\$7 75 a 8 00
Super	5 50
Extra	6 50 a 7 00
Family	9 00 a 9 75
GRAIN—Corn	80
HIDES—Green	5 a 6
Dry	11 a 13
HAY—Eastern	1 25 a 1 50
LARD—Northern K. R.	13
LIME, per bbl	1 50
LUMBER—Dressed Flooring per M	12 00
Scantling	8 00 a 10 00
Weather Brds	10 00 a 12 00
MOLASSES—Black Strap	30
Cuba	34
Cardenas	34
English Island	32
W. Indies and Syrup	43
NAILS—16d	1 50
OILS—Kerosene per gallon	12
POULTRY—Chickens per pair	40 a 60
PEANUTS, per bushel	1 00
POTATOES—Sweet per bushel	50
Irish	1 25
PORK—New City Mess per bbl	21 00
Old	21 50
POWDER—Best	6 50
Common	6 25
RICE, per bushel	75 a 1 00
SALT—Alum per bushel	40
Liverpool sack	1 10
American	95 a 1 00
SUGAR—Porto Rico per lb	9 a 9 1/2
A	10 1/2
B	10 1/2
C	10
Extra C	10 1/2
Crushed	11
Granulated	10

**FOR RENT.**

On and after the 26th inst. the large and commodious dwelling on Union street, at present occupied by Rev. F. W. Eason. Located in a pleasant and desirable neighborhood. Large yard attached. Possession given on the date above. For further particulars apply to

H. B. DUFFY,  
At O. Marks', Pollock street.

**NOTICE.**

The subscriber will sell at public auction on Monday, the 12th day of December, instant, at the late residence of Mrs. Charity Cooper, deceased, the Household and Kitchen Furniture belonging to said intestate, consisting of a large lot of fine Feather Beds, Bed Clothing, Bedsteads, Tables, Bureaus, Carpets, Chairs, Crockery, Glassware and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale cash.  
W. G. BRINSON, Executor.

**HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.**

**GASTON HOUSE,**

NEW BERNE, N. C.

S. R. STREET Proprietor.

LEADING HOTEL

of the city.

LOCATION

central for business.

SITUATED ON THE WATER

AND COMMANDING A

River View

OF TWENTY MILES.

Large Sample Rooms for Com-

mercial Men.

COACHES AND PORTERS

attend all Trains and Steamers.

ONLY HOTEL

in the City affording adequate accommo-

modation for first-class travel.

JACKSON HOUSE.

So. Front, bet. Middle and Hancock Sts.

SAM'L JACKSON, Prop'r.

Furnishes First Class Hotel accommoda-

tions for colored people traveling.

RESTAURANT.

In connection with the Hotel we have a Restaurant, where Meals are served at any hour, day or night.

We have a good line of white custom served from our Restaurant, and we are prepared to serve Meals anywhere in the city wherever any patrons desire their meals furnished, at their rooms or their residences.

We refer to the people of New Berne generally.  
SAM'L JACKSON.

LANE'S OYSTER SALOON

(FORMERLY DETRICK'S.)

Duffy Building, Corner Pollock

and Middle Sts., UP STAIRS.

F. B. LANE, Proprietor.

HAVING Leased the Restaurant

and Billiard Parlor, is prepared to

furnish at all hours and in every style,

THE BEST OYSTERS

in our market and from other points

Good Cooks, Expert Openers, and the

most Polite and Attentive Waiters.

Private entrance from Pollock

Street.

1853. OLD RELIABLE. 1881.

F. BOESSER,

FURNITURE DEALER.

Broad and Middle Streets,

NEW BERNE.

On hand, and constantly receiving in

large quantities, and of all qualities and

prices, every known article in the House

Furnishing Line, in all styles and woods.

PARLOR FURNITURE,

CHAMBER SET'S,

SIDEBOARDS,

WARDROBES,

TABLES,

BEAUREAUS,

LOUNGES,

CHAIRS,

BEDSTEADS

AND WASHSTANDS.

MATRESSES

of his own manufacture always on hand.

A FULL LINE OF BABY CAR-

RIAGES.

In a word all and every article to be

found in a first-class Furniture Store, and

at the lowest possible prices.

All kinds of Repairing done neatly and

with dispatch. Refers to his old and

long line of customers of twenty-eight

years past.

FOR SALE.

ONE 30 H. P. PORTABLE ENGINE

and Boiler, in good order.

One set Saw Mill Irons, with saws and

trucks.

One 4-ply 10-inch Rubber Belt, fifty

feet long, new.

Above will be sold for \$750 cash or

\$850 negotiable note, six and twelve

months' time, 8 per cent interest. Ad-

dress B. H. TYSON,  
sep. 15 tr Box 45, Wilson, N. C.

**RAILROADS.**

**Midland North Carolina Railway**

[Atlantic and North Carolina Division.]

TIME TABLE No. 12.

Take Effect Sunday 12:44 A. M., Oct. 30, 1881.

Express, Passenger and Mail Trains

run on this road as follows:

GOING EAST.		STATIONS.	GOING WEST.	
No. 47.	No. 48.		No. 47.	No. 48.
Ar'Ve.	Le'Ve.		Ar'Ve.	Le'Ve.
A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.
6 00	5 30	Goldsboro,	6 30	6 00
6 12	6 00	Best's,	6 00	5 50
6 31	6 16	La-Grange	5 45	5 30
6 46	6 31	F. Creek,	5 30	5 15
7 20	7 20	Kinston,	5 10	5 15
7 41	7 45	Dover,	4 40	4 40
8 04	8 04	Core Creek	4 13	4 19
8 13	8 13	Tuscarora,	3 54	3 54
8 33	8 45	Clarke's,	3 45	3 45
9 19	9 19	Newbern,	3 13	3 25
9 30	9 30	Riverdale,	2 39	2 39
9 50	9 50	Croatan,	2 28	2 28
9 53	9 53	Wodbridge	2 08	2 08
10 24	10 30	Havelock,	2 05	2 05
10 39	10 39	Newport,	1 26	1 34
10 45	10 45	Hollywood	1 17	1 17
10 57	11 00	M. Hotel,	1 10	1 10
11 03	11 00	A. Hotel,	12 49	12 59
A. M.	A. M.	M. Depot,	12 44	12 44
			P. M.	P. M.

THROUGH AND WAY FREIGHT

PASSENGER CAR ATTACHED.

GOING EAST.		STATIONS.	GOING WEST.	
No. 3.	No. 4.		No. 3.	No. 4.
Ar'Ve.	Le'Ve.		Ar'Ve.	Le'Ve.
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
7 34	7 00	Goldsboro	9 15	8 30
7 53	7 35	Best's,	8 37	8 16
8 24	8 09	La-Grange	7 56	8 16
8 53	8 27	Falling Ck	7 27	7 32
10 00	9 23	Kinston,	6 46	7 00
10 33	10 05	Dover,	6 02	6 07
11 04	10 40	Core Creek	5 29	5 34
11 17	11 05	Tuscarora	5 05	5 06
12 00	11 18	Clarke's,	4 48	4 49
		NEWBERN		4 30

Nos. 47 and 48 daily, 3 and 4 daily ex-

cept Sunday.

Train No. 48 connects with Wil-  
mington Weldon train bound South at  
6:50 p. m., and bound North for Rich-  
mond, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New  
York at 10:24 p. m. on and after Sunday,  
November 6, 1881.

Train No. 47 connects with Wilming-  
ton & Weldon mail train from Rich-  
mond, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New  
York and points North, East and West  
that arrives at Goldsboro 4:44 a. m. on  
and after Sunday, November 6, 1881.

Train 4 connects with North Carolina  
Railroad Train, leaving Goldsboro 10:00  
a. m. and with Wilmington and Weldon  
train bound North at 9:50 a. m.

Train 3 connects with North Carolina  
Railroad Train, arriving at Goldsboro  
6:30 p. m.

Trains 3 and 4 run between New Berne  
and Goldsboro only. J. B. YATES,  
Gen'l Manager Midland N. C. R. R.  
W. J. BEST, President

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**Millinery Goods!**

MRS. DEWEY WITH PLEASURE

announces to her numerous patrons

and friends among the ladies of New

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counties, that she has returned from

several weeks visit to the cities and

markets of the North, where, after ob-

servating and studying the

**Latest Styles,**

she bought with great care and pa-

tient labor, one of the handsomest and

largest stocks of

**MILLINERY GOODS**

over brought to New Berne, and a

prices lower than ever before known.

Come to the opening and see our good

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sires the continued favor of his patrons

and the public. Uses the best stock, and